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This book is lovingly dedicated to my grandmother, Annie C. Keyser, whose life and character have always been a source of inspiration to me and whose home, "Glen Eyrie", in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia, was a lodestone that held her family together, even after she had left it;

and to my children, without whose encouragement and interest this would never have been completed.

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It is good to take time out once in a while to look back and see whence we came. Our ancestors were not great or famous people. They came to this country for a variety of reasons: to escape persecution, either religious or political; to find a better way of life than they could ever hope to achieve in the Old World; for money; or simply for adventure or to satisfy a wanderlust. But once here, for whatever reason they came, they made their small contribution to the development and growth of this republic. Simple, God-fearing people, with their courage and their faith, they helped build a country where all men could live in freedom, and each could advance according to his capabilities.

This book deals with the Keyser and Miller families and their related lines. I am setting down as much as I can discover about our progenitors for the future use of my own children, in the hope that they may have a pride in their family origins, and live up to the standards of integrity and simplicity and faith that their ancestors set for them by the example of their own daily lives.

I was born a Keyser. I come from a line of simple farm folk in the Valley of Virginia. I should like to link our family with Leonhard Keyser, who lived in Bavaria in the early Sixteenth Century. This was a time of turmoil in Europe, for it was the era of the Protestant Reformation, when many priests were publicly criticizing the powerful Roman Catholic Church for its corruption and abuses -- chiefly the sale of indulgences, the worldliness of the clergy, and the church's interference and power in political matters.

Leonhard Keyser was a Catholic priest. He sympathized with the followers of John Huss, a priest in Bohemia a century earlier who spread the teachings of John Wycliffe, the English reformer, and who, in 1415, was burned at the stake by the church. When Martin Luther nailed his famous protest to the church door in Wittenberg, Keyser agreed with him and publicly supported him. He also supported Huldreich Zwingli, the Swiss clergyman who felt that priests should marry, and who did so. Keyser broke with the church, married and had a family, and traveled to Wittenberg to converse with Luther and, perhaps, Zwingli.

In 1525 he joined the Mennonite Church, which was an outgrowth of the Waldensian Movement, and later, in this country, became the Baptist Church, and he returned to Bavaria to teach its doctrines. He denied the authority of the Catholic Church, and he taught the people in their own language.

He was condemned by the Bishop of Passau, and was burned at the stake at Scharding, in Bavaria, in August, 1527.

An eye-witness, Sebastian Frank, reported that he was taken to the fire by three executioners, who bound him crosswise on a ladder and thrust him into the flames. Three times his body fell from the fire and was put back. It was finally cut to pieces and cast into the River Inn. (This was taken from They Met Challenges, by Grace Jared, E. Henninger, 1968.)

There is in the village of Scharding today a monument to the memory of Leonhard Keyser.

Two hundred years later, near Stuttgart, in Wurtemberg, not far from the Bavarian border, we find Carl Kayser. It is very unlikely that there is any relation between the two, but I find it of great interest to speculate on this until such a relationship is either proved or disproved, which future genealogists may be able to do.

On September, 19, 1749, Charles Kayser arrived in Philadelphia on the ship "Patience". No mention is made in the passenger list of a wife, so we do not know whether or not he came alone. Since, according to family tradition, he was born around 1702, he would have been forty-seven years old when he came over. We know that he married Elizabeth Grossgloss, of Wurtemberg, near Stuttgart, the same area of Germany from which he came, but whether he married her in Germany or in America we do not know. He settled briefly in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. His first son, Charles, Jr., was born in 1752. Some time after that, apparently, the senior Charles moved his family down to the fertile farmland of the Shenandoah Valley, where so many of the Swiss and German immigrants were settling. Where he lived then I have been unable to ascertain. He surfaced again when he enlisted with the Colonials who served under General Braddock, and he went as a butcher with that army into Western Maryland. He survived the ambush, and the next time we hear of him is in 1765, when he purchased "a parcel of land on the South Fork of the Shenandoah River" from the sons of one of the early Massanutton settlers.

Lewis and Mathias Rhinehart conveyed property to him on April 6, 1765, as recorded in Frederick County, Virginia, Deed Book No. 10, p. 248. Here, on a rise of ground overlooking the river, he built a home of stout walnut logs that was to stand for two centuries. And here he raised his family. . . .Incidentally, in 1967, when I last saw it, and when the accompanying pictures were taken, this building was in a state of disrepair, and was being used for storage purposes. At the time it was built, I am sure it was considered commodious.

The door entered into the kitchen. On the left, beyond a doorway into another, larger room, was a huge fireplace, large enough for a man to stand upright in. The iron rod was still there from which the pioneer women hung their cooking kettles. Opposite the fireplace was a stairway to the second floor. Besides the kitchen, there were two rooms on the first floor. Beneath the house was an arched cellar which the owner, Mr. Lynn Strickler, said was in excellent condition. He planned to tear down the old structure and build a new home on its foundation. . . . Tradition has it that at one time a large staple was driven into the logs on the inside of the house to which two prisoners were chained until they could be taken to Woodstock for trial. This would indicate that either Charles, Sr., or Jr., must have been a constable at one time.

In the Canton of Zurich, in the town of Horgen on the west shore of Lake Zurich, in about the year 1670, was born Abraham Strickler. Nothing else is known of his early life except that he, either in Switzerland or, perhaps in Holland, learned and became an expert in the art of weaving. Exactly when he came to this country is not known. It is thought that he came to America in about 1700, first locating in Pennsylvania, in Lancaster County near the Susquehanna River. We do know that sometime before 1730 he migrated to the Shenandoah Valley and settled at Massanutton, in what is now Page County. This was the first white settlement in the Valley of Virginia. Here he built a house of logs which he called "Egypt", and here he raised a family of six children -- five sons and a daughter. The daughter, Mary, is the one in whom we are interested.

Let us now go to Zurich again, to the approximate year of 1700. At about this time John Roads (born Hans Roth) first saw the light of day. When he grew up, he became a Mennonite Preacher (the Mennonites seem to have been precursors of the present Baptist Church), and he and his young wife, Eva Albright, emigrated to this country,

perhaps having heard of the need for a minister of the Gospel among the groups of Swiss and German people who were planning to move from Pennsylvania into the then undeveloped Valley of Virginia. They settled on a section of land near the Shenandoah River which they called "Hope Farm", and there they lived for thirty-six years, sharing the work and hardships and dangers -- and simple pleasures of life with their neighbors. From time to time the Indians in the area would go on the warpath, so the settlers would take shelter in forts that were built into the cellars of some of the homes. There was one such fort beneath Hope Farm, and to it, no doubt, the Roads family had to repair many a time. However, in late August of 1764, the Indian raids seemed a thing of the past. The last one had occurred eight years earlier, when the Stone family, living nearby, had been massacred.

It was a lovely, peaceful August evening, and John Roads had stepped out in his front yard to admire the sunset after supper, when not far off there was a rifle shot, and he fell dead. His wife and a son rushed out to him, and were in like manner killed, as were two other sons, by a band of marauding Indians. Their twelve-year-old daughter, Elizabeth, picked up her eighteen-month-old sister, Esther, and ran with her to the barn. She was followed by an Indian, but she barred the door and he could not get in. While he went to the house to get fire with which to burn the barn down and smoke her out, she fled through an opening in the back of the barn, and, with the baby in her arms, ran through a field of tall hemp, and forded the river without being detected. She then went to the home of her oldest brother, Joseph, who was married to Mary Strickler, daughter of Abraham. . . . One of the Roads sons was murdered while trying to cross the river. To this day that spot is called "Bloody Ford". The Indians carried off two other sons of the Roads' and a ten-year-old daughter, of whom the girl and one son were murdered on the way over the mountains. The other son, Michael, was a captive for three years, at the end of which time he returned to Virginia. He later married a granddaughter of Abraham Strickler. Thus, the Roads Massacre, was the last Indian outrage in the Valley. The site of the massacre is now marked by a limestone monument erected some years ago by the descendants of John and Eva Roads. . . . Our ancestors are Joseph Roads and his wife, Mary Strickler.

Let us return once again to Switzerland and to the approximate year of 1700, when we find Johannes Hottel (later anglicized to John Huddle) arriving on the scene. It is interesting to imagine that he and Hans Roth knew

each other -- and indeed it is not outside the realm of possibility -- but it is pure conjecture. Both may have left their native land because of religious persecution. Be that as it may, Johannes Hottel was married in about 1720 to Margaret, last name unknown, and in the next ten years they had five children. Then sometime in the summer of 1732, John brought his family to America, leaving Rotterdam on the ship "Pennsylvania Merchant", and arriving in Philadelphia on September 11th. For the next eighteen years he lived in northern Bucks County, Pennsylvania, and then he followed his eldest son, Carl, to the Valley of Virginia. Carl had preceded him by two years and had settled in Shenandoah County, near the village of Woodstock. On August 30, 1750, John purchased 341 acres of land from Lord Fairfax, and settled his family on the headwaters of Tom's Brook. It is with his son's daughter, Magdalena, that we are concerned.

Now we retrace our steps to Bucks County, Pennsylvania. There, in 1742, one Jacob Trimbo was listed as a settler of Nockamixon Township. Considering the variations found in spelling in those early days, this could well have been Jacob Trumbo, and was possibly the father of the Jacob and George Trumbo who appear in Brock's Gap, Rockingham County, Virginia, some time around 1770. The family, perhaps, joined the migration from Pennsylvania into Virginia. Jacob and George had a sister, Elizabeth, who married Mathias Rhinehart, a member of one of the first families to settle in the Valley. (In the early part of 1733, Michael Rhinehart and others -- among them Abraham Strickler -- joined in a petition to Governor Gooch for a confirmation of the title to the lands they had purchased in 1730 from Jacob Stover, the Swiss land agent. William Beverley claimed the lands which Stover had sold to the Massanutton pioneers. Beverley had brought suit to obtain possession of these lands from Stover. However, Stover's grants were confirmed, and the suit was dismissed in 1733.) The date of Mathias and Elizabeth's wedding is not known, but we do know that it took place before April 6, 1765, because in Deed Book I of Shenandoah County, Virginia, on page 265, in a deed dated December 9, 1790, there was conveyed to Andrew Keyser by his elder brother, Charles, Jr., "a parcel of 56 acres of land in Shenandoah County, Virginia, on the North side of the South Branch of the Shenandoah River, described as part of land conveyed to Charles Keyser, deceased, by Lewis Rhinehart, Mathias Rhinehart and Elizabeth, his wife, by deeds of lease and release dated the 6th and 7th days of April, 1765, and recorded in Frederick County, Virginia."

Now to return to Charles Keyser. He had ten children -- six sons and four daughters -- of whom the fourth was a son

named Andrew, born December 16, 1758. In 1780, when he was twenty-two years old, Andrew enlisted in the Continental Army, and served as a private in its Southern Department, in the Ninth Virginia Regiment, for the next eighteen months. Under General Nathaniel Green he saw action in the Battles of Cowpens, Guilford Courthouse, Camden, Ninety-Six and Eutaw. He was mustered out in January, 1782. There is on record in the National Archives in Washington a copy of his discharge and of his service in the Revolution.

Mathias Rhinehart was a neighbor of Charles Keyser. His first daughter, Sarah Margaret, born in 1770, was married to Andrew Keyser in 1784, and his fourth daughter, Catherine, married another of Charles' sons, John, in 1791. They married young in those days!

Andrew and Sarah Margaret are our direct ancestors. They lived about a quarter of a mile down the road from his father's house, in what is known as "the old Rhinehart Place." This house was still standing and occupied in 1967, when the pictures of it were taken. Andrew and Sarah had fourteen children -- one died in infancy, two in early childhood, and the rest lived to maturity. Their first child was Noah, born January 2, 1786.

In 1892, Adam Strickler (whose mother married Andrew Keyser after Sarah Margaret Rhinehart Keyser died in 1820) wrote to one of Andrew's grandsons about him thus:

"Your grandfather died in November, 1833. He died of dropsy. He was seventy-five years old. A year or two before his death he was baptized and received into the Big Spring Church -- lived an exemplary member until his death. He was a strong Democrat of the Jefferson and Jackson stamp, and from him I imbibed my Democratic principles without wavering. I have never given any other vote in my life except a Democratic vote. Your grandfather was a great provider for his family, and abundance of all the necessaries of life for both white and colored. He was handy with tools, cooperating and shoemaking. He was a splendid marksman and fond of a gun as long as he lived. He learned to read and write and keep his accounts without a teacher. He was a kind step-father to me, and all the Keyzers treat me with marked respect wherever I see them."

Noah Keyser married, on March 14, 1809, Ann Roads, the daughter of Joseph Roads, Jr., who was the son of Joseph Roads and Mary Strickler, children of the pioneers. Ann's mother was Magdalene Huddle, granddaughter of another pioneer. Noah built for Ann a lovely brick house on a

slight rise of ground by a bend in the Hawksbill River, on what is now Route 648 out of Luray. Over a mantel in the basement of this house, scratched into the wall, are the initials N.H.K. (done, no doubt, by Noah Hampson Keyser, the tenth of Noah and Ann's twelve children, and my grandfather). When I saw it in 1967, the house was a tenant house and was in disrepair. Behind it are the ruins of an old fort which was used by the settlers during the Indian raids. My grandmother, wife of Noah Hampson, once told me when I was a child that after their wedding in Rappahannock County on December 18, 1867, her husband took her across the mountain to this home on the Hawksbill, and the entire wedding party of twelve bridesmaids and groomsmen went with them for a houseparty. This was the custom in those days. It was called an "in-fare". She said that at that time an old man was living on the place who had been born in the fort during an Indian raid. What a link that gave me to those exciting early days!

But I am getting ahead of my story. . . . Noah and Ann lived in this lovely home for thirty-three years, and raised their family of twelve. Then, according to the old family Bible, which is now in the possession of my cousin, Judge Rayner Snead, of Washington, Virginia, Noah "died on Sunday night, the seventh day of August, 1842, at half after nine o'clock after four weeks of illness, of an affectation of the neck, something called a 'carbuncle'." He lies buried in the graveyard a short distance from the house, beside his wife, who survived him by nineteen years.

Noah Hampson, and at least one of his brothers (Joseph, who thereafter had the title of "Captain"), served in the War Between the States. He enlisted in Luray on September 2, 1861, and served as a captain in the Quartermaster Corps of the Second Virginia Militia, the Seventh Brigade, until June 10, 1864. At the close of the War he returned home to farm, concentrating chiefly on raising cattle. It was while on a cattle-buying trip across the mountain in Rappahannock County that he met and fell in love with the eldest daughter of Benjamin Franklin Miller, with whom he was doing business. He and Annie Miller were married, as I have said, on December 18, 1867, at the old Miller home, "Mountain Green". They went to live at the Keyser home in Page County. They were my father's parents.

Now let us go back again to Germany. Here, as early as 1624, a family named Heite appears on the tax list of the village of Trupbach in Nassau-Siegen. The name Heite is related in origin to the English word heath, and it would indicate that the original ancestor who bore the name lived on a moor or a heath.

The first Heite of whom we have any record was Jacob, who married one Cathrin (last name unknown). They lived in Rehbach, in the eastern part of Siegen Parish -- a Protestant family in a largely Catholic area. Jacob and Cathrin had seven children between 1652 and 1665. Johan Jacob, born in 1660, is our ancestor. He was baptized on Trinity Sunday, 1660, in the Nicholas Church in Siegen. His wife's name we do not know. All we know of him is that, among possible other children, he had a son, Peter, born in 1683. This Peter, on Epiphany Sunday, in 1707, in the Nicholas Church in Siegen, was married to Maria Liessbeth (later Anglicized to Elizabeth) Freudenberg, the daughter of Johann Heinrich Freudenberg of nearby Ferndorf.

Seven years later they came to America, probably with a group of other Protestant families from the same parish of Siegen. They settled in what was later called Germanna. This was in Spotsylvania County, Virginia, in 1714, which later became Prince William County, and finally Fauquier County. Peter seems to have changed the spelling of his name then to Hitt.

In the Spotsylvania County Will Book A, page 74, on June 2, 1724, Peter Hitt stated that he and his wife, Elizabeth, came to Virginia in April, 1714. Along with the other eleven colonists, he was granted 100 acres of land (1805 acres altogether which became known as the Germantown Community).

In the Prince William County rent rolls of 1753-4, Peter is listed as owning 500 acres, and his sons John - 216, Joseph - 218, Henry - 200, and Peter, Jr. - 275. In the forty years since his arrival, he certainly seems to have prospered.

In the Fauquier County Will Book 1, page 200, we find Peter's will, dated March 23, 1772, and probated July 27, 1772. Elizabeth was still living, and we do not know when she died.

Peter and Elizabeth had six children between 1715 and 1726. The youngest of these, Peter, Jr., is our ancestor. In 1759 he married Sarah James, daughter of John and Dinah James of Fauquier County, and they had a family of nine children. Peter kept an ordinary, or general store, in Fauquier County, and his account book is still extant. It is in the Warrenton Library. He was apparently a prominent member of the Carter's Run Baptist Church.

The seventh child and fifth daughter of Peter and Sarah was Nancy, who at the age of fifteen married John Miller of Rappahannock County (at that time Culpeper County). They were my great-great-grandparents.

Here again we must digress -- again to Germany, some time around the year 1727, when Henry Miller was born. It is thought that he came to this country in 1748, landing in Philadelphia on September 16th on the ship "Patience". There is a story in the family that he was serving in the army of Frederick the Great of Prussia, and that in an altercation he struck an officer and had to flee the country. This is a romantic, unsubstantiated tale.

He married Susannah Sibling sometime in 1753. She had followed her sweetheart across the water, landing in Philadelphia on about January 4, 1753. Philadelphia was the chief port of entry for the German and Swiss immigrants, who came over by the thousands during the Palatine Migration. It seems that most of my ancestors on my father's side came to this country during the time of that great migration.

Susannah had been born in Langensteinbach-Baden, in Germany, on February 21, 1731, the daughter of citizen and master carpenter, Michael Siboli and his wife, Barbara, whose maiden name is not known. Mr. Carroll Haines, at one time a resident of Baltimore, had in his possession Susannah's German birth certificate.

Henry and Susannah had twelve children. They lived in the Philadelphia area until some time in 1771, when they moved to Virginia. They settled in a part of Culpeper County which is now Madison County, and in 1776, Henry built a house on the Robinson River. He died in 1801, and Susannah survived him by at least six years. There is no record of their burial place, and their house no longer stands. It was torn down in about 1914. The early settlement around Hebron Church was on both sides of Robinson River and White Oak Run. It had a radius of about eight miles, with the church in the center. The Miller home was across the river from the church, and about one mile from the ford.

In 1780 Henry added to his holdings by purchasing, according to a deed recorded in Culpeper County on August 25th of that year, from "Philip Gatewood of Culpeper County, two tracts of land. The first tract contained by estimation 732 acres of the land purchased by Edgman and Haines of James Kennerly. The second tract contained 804 acres. This land was a part of the original grants made to James Kennerly and Philip Gatewood by Thomas, Lord Fairfax, Proprietor of

the Northern Neck." . . . Henry's daughter, Mary, married Isaac Haines, whom we may assume to be either the Haines mentioned above or his son. From them is descended the Mr. Haines who has Susannah's birth certificate. Another daughter, Elizabeth, married Francois LeCampion, who had been one of Napoleon's officers. The sword presented to him by Marshall Ney, his superior officer, still belongs to their descendants.

Henry Miller gave to his eldest son, Henry II, one of the tracts of land he purchased in 1780. On this a stone cabin had been built in 1749. To this Henry II brought his bride, Margaret Warner, and they called it "Sunnyside". Their descendants, Downing Wood's family, live there today. Through the years it has been added to, and now it is a charming old home, at the foot of one mountain, with a lovely view across a wide valley to other mountains in the distance. The Shenandoah National Park adjoins it near the top of the mountain.

The second tract of land Henry gave to his son, John, who had been born in Philadelphia on February 5, 1762. On this land James Kennerly had built a stone house in 1765. To this home, called "Mountain Green", John Miller brought his fifteen-year-old bride, Nancy Hitt, of Fauquier County. He probably had served in the Revolutionary War with Nancy's brother, Nimrod Hitt, who is buried at Mountain Green. (A John Miller was mustered out of service in 1783 as a sergeant in Captain David Anell's Company.) Here they lived for fifty-two years and reared a family of fourteen -- all but one of whom grew to maturity. A large brick addition was made to the old stone house before the Civil War by Benjamin Franklin Miller, and Mountain Green became one of the loveliest homes in the county. There was a double porch on the front with white columns, and an outside stairway coming down from the second floor. The porch was set between two wings of the house. From it one could look across the fields to the lovely Blue Ridge Mountains which, in fact, surround it. This home stayed in the Miller family until 1941, when it was sold to a Mr. Cheatham, whose widow lived there until 1968. Then it was again sold, to a retired Naval officer, Captain George Sharp.

At John's death on August 3, 1841, Mountain Green went to his youngest son, Benjamin Franklin, born on February 11, 1817. The older sons had married and settled in homes of their own by that time. Several of them had gone West.

Benjamin Franklin married on May 5, 1842, the daughter of John Dabney Browning, of Rappahannock County. He was a

descendant of Captain John Browning, who was born in England circa 1588, married about 1614, had a son, William, the following year, and sailed from Gravesend, England, on the ship "Abigail" in 1622, bringing his seven-year-old son with him. They settled in Elizabeth City, Virginia.

Around 1645, William married in Jamestown, where he seems to have lived thereafter, and where he had a son, John, born around 1646.

Sometime between 1665 and 1675 John married and about a year later had a son, John, Jr., who, still in Jamestown, married around 1699, and then must have moved to Caroline County, Virginia. He had a son, Francis, born in about 1700.

Francis was followed by six other sons, but we are not concerned with them. He was married around 1723 to Elizabeth, a member of the prominent Maryland family of Lloyds, and sometime between 1725 and 1735 he moved to Gaines Crossroads in Virginia. They had a son, Francis, Jr., in about 1724, and eight other children. Francis I died in 1775. There are frequent references to him in the land records of Spotsylvania, Orange and Culpeper Counties.

Francis Browning, Jr., married Frances Norman, daughter of Isaac Norman and Frances Courtney. They lived at "Riverside", an estate of at least 100 acres on the Little Fork of the Rappahannock River. He died about February 19, 1761, and she about April 17, 1786, leaving two sons -- John and Charles -- who married sisters -- Elizabeth and Mary Strother, daughters of John Dabney Strother, born in 1721 in Hanover County, Virginia, and his wife, Mary Willis Wade, of "Wadefield", Culpeper County.

Our ancestor is John, born in 1749, died in 1818. His wife, Elizabeth, was born in 1758 and died in 1823. John was listed as a patriot during the American Revolution. In the list of public claims allowed by the Court of Culpeper County for provisions furnished the army, the following certificate appears:

"I hereby certify that I have received for public use, of John Browning, three hundred and seventy-five pounds of beef, for which payment at the rate of 24 pence shall be made according to the assurance continued in the Resolution of Assembly of November 15, 1780. Given under my hand this 29th day of December, 1780. Signed, John Slaughter, Commander"

Of John and Elizabeth's thirteen children, the eighth, John Dabney Browning, is our ancestor, born in 1791.

He was married first to Mary Routt Dulaney, by whom he had four children. She died, and he then married Cassandra Haynie, daughter of Mark Anthony Haynie and Sarah Williams, who had been married in 1787. . . .The Haynie family goes back to John Haynie, who was a Burgess from Northumberland County, Virginia, in 1657.

John Dabney and Cassandra had five children, one being Sarah Eusebia Neville, who married Benjamin Franklin Miller. They had eight daughters and one son, John James, who inherited the family home. His widow sold it in 1941, it being too much for her to keep with all her sons gone from home. It had been in the Miller family for one hundred and sixty-one years.

Miss Dolly Hite, in her book, My Rappahannock Story Book, tells us the following:

"In the long, long ago, at the head of Harris Hollow, lived Howard Compton and his wife. Mrs. Compton was the doctor of 'the Hollow'. She grew her herbs and concocted her own medicinal potions. She was the mid-wife, who saw the babies safely into a new world. An old-fashioned winter was upon 'the Hollow'; the snow drifted even with the fences, with a crust so thick it bore the weight of man and beast. A call came for the good mid-wife to come to 'Mountain Green', for young Mrs. Benjamin Franklin Miller was about to become mother to her first child. Mrs. Compton rode her horse over fences, rail and stone, that she might perform the duties of her calling. A little girl was born and named Annie."

She was my grandmother, Annie Cassandra Miller, born March 14, 1843.

I remember her as she was at the end of a long life (she lived to be 92) -- a person of vitality and great strength of character, with a keen, inquiring mind. Even though she lived in a remote part of the country, she read widely and kept up with current events. I well remember her last trip to town. It was in the year 1932, and she was eighty-nine years old. She had not left her home, "Glen Eyrie", for some time, and she was never to leave it again while she lived. She went in for the express purpose of casting a vote for Herbert Hoover, the Republican candidate for president against Franklin Roosevelt. For a Southerner who had lived through the Civil War and the Reconstruction Period to vote for a Republican was almost unheard of. Yet that is just what Grandma did. She had

followed Roosevelt's career as governor of New York State. She said he had bankrupted the state and he would bankrupt the nation. Not one of her children agreed with her. They all thought that for once "Mama" was wrong. But my Father, for one, lived to regret his Democratic vote. When one after another of Roosevelt's socialist policies were put into effect, and as the public debt mounted higher and higher, he, as did many other Americans, realized too late the mistake they had made. Once again, "Mama" was proven right. . . But again I am wandering afield.

Benjamin Miller was an enlightened man for his time, for he saw to it that his daughters received as good an education as they could be given in that day. Annie, for a few years, attended The Academy in the town of Washington two miles away. She was then sent to a boarding school in Fredericksburg, Virginia, when she was eleven years old. This school was run by Dr. William F. Broaddus, a Baptist minister who had formerly been pastor of the Mt. Salem Church which the Millers attended in Rappahannock. It was located in "Kenmore", the lovely old home of George Washington's sister, Betsy Washington Lewis. Years later, when the Kenmore Association was beginning its restoration of the old home, Grandma Keyser was visited by several of the ladies, and she answered their numerous questions about the interior of the house as it had been when she lived there as a schoolgirl.

She seems to have left Kenmore in January, 1857, to judge by a page taken from her autograph book which is reproduced farther on. She was fourteen years old then, and what she did for the next four years I have been unable to ascertain. Somewhere, perhaps at Kenmore, she studied art, in which she had more than average talent. In the years before she was married, she produced many drawings -- some in watercolors and some in what looks like pencil. These are now scattered among the homes of her grandchildren. I have a drawing called "A Pic-Nic" done in April, 1859. This, with several others of her black and white sketches, hung on the staircase wall in the front hall at "Glen Eyrie". When I look at it, I am transported in memory back to that much-loved family home, where I spent so many of my childhood vacations, and again I can hear Grandma, a very old lady by then, shuffling along the hall, and the tap-tap of her cane, as she called to the little colored girl who helped her, "Make haste, Dorothy, make haste."

In 1842 Joshua Bradley, a Baptist minister from New York, founded the Valley Union Seminary not far from Roanoke. It was a school for girls. It did not do well financially,

so a young twenty-six-year-old man -- Professor Charles Lewis Cocke -- took over in 1846, and seems to have corrected its monetary problems, for in 1855 it granted its first full college diploma, and its name was changed to the Hollins Institute. Here (at what she years later called "Professor Cocke's Academy for Young Ladies") Annie matriculated for the second quarter of the 1861-2 season, along with her sister, Laura, who was two years her junior. She entered as a junior in the Preparatory Division, and the courses she took were English, Music, Arithmetic, Mathematics, Composition, and Bible. In Department she received a grade of 5. The total of her other grades was 4.39. The dean of students who kindly sent me this information, added the comment -- "The grading system appears to be a five-point scale, and so I gather that Miss Miller was a good student with flawless conduct."

We know from the records at Hollins that Laura returned for the year 1862-3, from Rappahannock County. In 1863-4, she was listed as from Albemarle County, along with Alice and Cora and Anna, who, I suspect, was Grandma. The same four were enrolled for the 1864-5 term. Grandma did not graduate. I do not know whether or not the other three did. In 1878 Aunt Florence was enrolled. In May of 1882 she was called home because of the accidental death of her father. While he was overseeing his hands cutting bark for tanning hides, a tree fell on him, killing him and his horse. The hands carried him nine miles down the mountain.

When the shot was fired at Fort Sumter in April, 1861, Laura was sick with scarlet fever. The South was in an uproar of excitement and confusion. Grandma had to take her sick sister home by stage coach -- a long and arduous trip and a great responsibility for one of her age.

There is in the graveyard at Mountain Green a stone with the following inscription: "R. Scott Jones, son of Rodhum Jones of Missouri. Died of wounds received at Harper's Ferry. September 2, 1861. Aged 25 years". . .He was a Yankee soldier whom the family nursed. How he got from Harper's Ferry to Mountain Green, I do not know. There he has lain for over a hundred years in the midst of the people against whom he was fighting.

Nearby is another stone inscribed: "In memory of John W. Richmond, born in Scott County, Virginia, died December 1st, 1857. Far from home and relations, but among kind friends." What a story that could tell!

In 1863 Hollins opened on the 20th of May and ran through the summer and closed on December 10th. The catalogue explained that this session was adopted in view of the prospective difficulty of obtaining supplies.

Northern Virginia bore the brunt of the Civil War, particularly in the early days, and Mountain Green was not far from the fields of battle. Bull Run and Manassas were only fifty miles away, and many skirmishes and small engagements were much closer. Consequently, supply wagons were often passing nearby, and troop movements were frequently just a few miles away. Stonewall Jackson sometimes passed through this country on his quick, well-concealed marches that took the enemy so by surprise, and that kept even his own side guessing. All up and down these by-ways and turn-pikes, from the Valley beyond the Blue Ridge to the battle-fields at Manassas, the question was on everyone's lips: "Where is Jackson? Where is he now?" So Grandma told me as I sat listening to her talk of those long-ago days which seemed just yesterday to her. She was at that time extremely deaf, and therefore very difficult to talk with, and it must have given her pleasure to have such an interested audience as she had in me. Now, forty-five years later, my mind is full of questions I should like to ask her, and to which only she could give me the answers. But it is too late. That is one of the reasons why I am writing this -- to pass on to my children all the little details that are so quickly forgotten.

Some time ago I came across a poem by John Williamson Palmer which shows how the South felt about Stonewall Jackson. It was set to music and was a popular song of the War years. It is called Stonewall Jackson's Way.

1.

Come, stack arms, men, pile on the rails,  
Stir up the campfire bright;  
No matter if our canteen fails  
We'll make a roaring night.  
Here Shenandoah brawls along,  
There burly Blue Ridge echoes strong  
To swell the brigade's rousing song  
Of Stonewall Jackson's way!  
Of Stonewall Jackson's way,  
Of Stonewall Jackson's way;  
To swell the brigade's rousing song  
Of Stonewall Jackson's way!

2.

We see him now, the old slouched hat  
Cocked O'er his eye askew,  
The shrewd, dry smile, the speech so pat,  
So calm, so blunt, so true!  
The "Blue Light Elder" knows 'em well,  
Says he "that's Banks, he's fond of shell,  
Lord save his soul, we'll give him" -- well,  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way!  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way,  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way;  
Lord save his soul, we'll give him -- well,  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way!

3.

Silence! Ground arms! Kneel all! Caps off!  
"Old Blue Light's" going to pray!  
"Strangle the fool that dares to scoff,  
Attention" 'tis his way,  
Appealing from his native sod  
"In forma pauperis to God,  
Lay low thine arm, stretch forth thy rod,  
Amen!" That's Stonewall's way!  
Amen! That's Stonewall's way,  
Amen! That's Stonewall's way;  
"Lay low thine arm, stretch forth thy rod,  
Amen!" That's Stonewall's way!

4.

He's in the saddle now, fall in!  
Steady! the whole brigade!  
Hill's at the ford, cut off; we'll win  
His way out, ball and blade!  
What matter if our shoes are worn,  
What matter if our feet are torn?  
Quick step! we're with him before dawn!  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way!  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way,  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way;  
"Quick step! we're with him before dawn!"  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way!

5.

The sun's bright lances rout the mists  
Of morning -- and by George!

Here's Longstreet struggling in the lists,  
Hemmed in an ugly gorge,  
Pope and his Dutchmen whipped before,  
"Bay'nets and grape!" hear Stonewall roar,  
Charge, Stuart! pay off Ashby's score  
In Stonewall Jackson's way!  
In Stonewall Jackson's way,  
In Stonewall Jackson's way;  
Charge, Stuart! pay off Ashby's score  
In Stonewall Jackson's way!

6.

Ah! maiden wait and watch and yearn  
For news of Stonewall's band!  
Ah! widow read with eyes that burn  
That ring upon thy hand!  
Ah! wife, sew on, pray on, hope on!  
Thy life shall not be all forlorn!  
The foe had better ne'er been born  
That gets in Stonewall's way!  
That gets in Stonewall's way,  
That gets in Stonewall's way;  
The foe had better ne'er been born  
That gets in Stonewall's way!

During the War, Grandfather Miller had to make a business trip to Richmond -- over a hundred miles away, a long distance to ride on horseback. He returned with a gift for each member of the family -- in Annie's case a beaver hat that was the height of fashion in the capitol at that time. He had paid \$165 in Confederate currency for it -- so scarce were such articles in the South!

He also brought back one of the new Colt army revolvers, the latest thing in firearms. They were issued to the Union troops, and this had been captured among other supplies by the Confederates. He gave it to his eldest daughter and saw to it that she learned to use it and was a good shot. At his insistence, she carried it with her all through the War. Since there was a shortage of manpower, Annie would sometimes supervise the work of the slaves. The frequent presence of stragglers from both armies was really what prompted her father to do this. It was heavy and bulky, and she had occasion to use it only once, to drive off some Union stragglers who were intent on pillage; but it gave her a feeling of security to have it close at hand. This pistol now belongs to my brother's son.

In June of 1862 General John Pope established his headquarters just a few miles away from Mountain Green. This was, of course, an unhappy situation for the Millers, made more so by Pope's despotic treatment of the Southerners within his lines. He directed his army to live off the country in which it was operating, and to pay only Union sympathizers for what it took. He also made it known that the community would bear the expense of any damage done by guerillas, and that any house from which a Federal soldier was shot would be instantly destroyed. In addition to this, all male non-combatants were to be put under arrest, and those who refused to take the oath of allegiance to the Union were to be expelled from the area. Anyone who returned after being sent away was liable to the penalty of death, as was anyone who communicated with the enemy. Thus, even a mother who wrote to her son could be treated as a spy.

The country was soon stripped bare by the Union soldiers. All foods, all clothing, all livestock, anything whatsoever they took a fancy to, they confiscated. Many a farmer was left destitute in their wake, with no means of redress. . .At Mountain Green one day a small body of Union soldiers rode up on a foraging raid, to find all eight girls and their brother standing on the porch, silently watching them. They rode around to the back to find that the same members of the family had followed them around to the back porch, frightened but curious. On the back porch lay Annie's saddle, a gift from her father, and her prized possession. It was a fine English lady's saddle. One of the soldiers carried it off, despite her pleas that it be left, since no man could use it.

One day during this time she went into town to visit and take food to an elderly cousin of her mother's who, under Pope's orders, had been arrested. She found the jail full, crowded with old men, too advanced in years and too infirm to bear arms. Since they were male non-combatants, they had been put under arrest. . .When a cousin of hers was killed in battle and was brought home to be buried, the funeral party had to travel by little-known back roads, lest the Yankees should stop them and take their horses, leaving them stranded.

Grandfather Miller found these conditions intolerable, and they promised to become worse. News came from Luray, across the mountain, that General von Steinwehr, the commander of that area under General Pope, had seized as hostages five leading citizens of the town, and had announced that whenever a guerilla killed a Union soldier, one of the hostages

would be shot unless the guerilla was forthwith delivered to him. Benjamin Miller, one of the large land-owners of the section, was high on Pope's list. If anything happened to him, his wife and son and eight daughters would be left unprotected and uncared for.

He, therefore, packed his family and moved them to the little town of Crozet, in Albemarle County, near Charlottesville, where he bought a place. Apparently many families were making this same move, and the sudden demand sky-rocketed the cost of available housing. Grandma told us that he paid \$100,000, which even in the inflation-ridden South was a tremendous price; but the need was urgent, so he paid the price and moved his family. They apparently "refugeed" there from 1863 till the close of the War, according to the records of Hollins College. Some of their forty slaves were left to care for Mountain Green. Before leaving, they buried the silverware under the bricks of the fireplace, where it remained untouched until they returned.

During the War, Grandma met a Captain Parr, who was serving with the Seventh Virginia Regiment. He fell in love with her, and gave her at one time a sword which he had taken from the body of a Union officer at the Battle of Seven Pines. It hangs now in my living room. It is a handsome one, with an ivory handle, and it rests in an ornately etched brass scabbard. A connoisseur of old swords once told me that it had undoubtedly belonged to someone in the South -- it was made sometime around 1812 -- had perhaps been part of the uniform of a local group of militia, and had hung on the wall of a Southern home. When the War Between the States broke out, the son of the house probably took it down, strapped it on and rode off to war and to his death. It was probably taken from him by the Union officer from whose body Captain Parr removed it.

The years after Appomattox were sad and bitter ones for the Southerners. The Reconstruction Period stands out as an ugly blot in our history. It was a dark time for everyone in the South. However, the Southern people resolutely set about rebuilding their homes and their lives, adjusting to the new kind of world in which they had to live. Time worked wonders, and the new generation turned its back on the bitterness of the past. My father recalled that at a family gathering when he was in his teens, the adults were reminiscing over the days of the War. He spoke out against their bitterness, saying, "That's all in the past. Why don't you forget it?" His mother, who was as good a Christian as I shall ever know and rarely harbored any ill-feeling, looked at him and said quietly, "If you had lived through those days, son, you would find it hard to forget, too."

On December 16, 1867, two and a half years after Appomattox, Annie Cassandra Miller and Noah Hampson Keyser were married at Mountain Green by the Reverend Mr. Barnett Grimsley, pastor of the old Mt. Salem Church. Even though it was wintertime, the wedding was held on the front porch, with the bride and her attendants coming down the outside stairs from upstairs to meet the waiting groom. Laura, Cora and Ella had similar weddings on the porch of that lovely home. Rosa and probably Florence were married in the Baptist Church in town, and Ida went West to Missouri to be married by Laura's husband, Foley Kemper.

For a year or two the couple made their home in the house Noah Keyser, Sr., had built on the banks of the Hawk-bill in Page County. There their first son, Frank Miller, was born in 1868. Then they moved back across the mountain and bought land in Harris Hollow, about two miles up the road from Mountain Green. Here they lived until 1883, in a house called "Riverside" on the banks of the Rush River, and beside the road leading up further into the Hollow (now Rte. 622). In those years they had two more sons -- John and Charles -- three daughters -- Leila, Ida and Annie -- and another son -- Joseph. Then they moved into a new house that Grandpa had built after much prodding by Grandma. ("You'll be the death of me yet, Annie," he used to say jokingly to her as he left to supervise the work on the new home. To which she would retort, "Whether you are dead or not, I have to have more room!"). . . In later years Uncle John recalled driving the ox-team to bring sandstone for the fireplaces. He was only ten years old at the time.

They called it "Glen Eyrie". It was just a short distance from Riverside, set in a field with the mountains forming a horseshoe around it in the back. (The Skyline Drive now runs along the ridge of those mountains. If you have binoculars and know where to look, I am told you can see the roof of Glen Eyrie from the Mt. Marshall Overlook on the Drive.) A Scottish engineer, whose name I have forgotten, was visiting there at about the time they moved in, and he laid out a road from the house to the gate. It winds along the foot of the hill beside the meadow, with a stream on its other side. Grandma planted willow switches along the road, and they grew into weeping trees that bent over the road all along its lovely length. On the hill beside the road she had planted an apple orchard -- you can imagine how beautiful is Glen Eyrie in the springtime when the orchards are a-bloom! The willows have grown to full height and died long since, but the road is there between the meadow and the orchard, and the little plank

bridge over the stream still rumbles as you drive over it. Riverside still stands near the gate -- a tenant house now.

Here in their new home, Frank, their first-born, died of pneumonia at the age of fifteen. A few months later, on July 2, 1883, my father, Robert Lee, was born. Three years later he was followed by one more child, Jacob Edward.

The house, with its wide hall and large rooms, was always full of activity. Grandpa Keyser engaged tutors for his children, and built a "school-house" for them down the hill a bit behind the house. He put the following ad in The Blue Ridge Guide, which was published in the town of Washington, Virginia:

"Mr. N. H. Keyser has engaged an experienced and highly educated tutor for his sons. He will accommodate a few day scholars at forty dollars per session; and boarders for one hundred a session, including board and tuition, and any young man desiring first-class advantages would do well to apply at once."

Boys from neighboring farms came to this school -- cousins and friends alike. Through the years there was a succession of teachers and of pupils, as the older children grew up and went off to college, and the younger ones moved into their places. I can remember Dad speaking of some of the boys: Henry, Frank, and John Miller, cousins, and Brock Dear, whose father, Mr. Charlie Dear, had been one of Mosby's daring Rangers in the War Between the States. He had saved the life of one of the men who rode with them -- Henry Brock -- and in years after the War, that man had, out of gratitude, sent Mr. Dear's son, Brock, to college and medical school, and he became a prominent physician somewhere up in New York. . . One of the tutors was Miss Mary Snead, with her B.A. fresh from Hollins College. Aunt Annie fell in love with Miss Mary's handsome younger brother, John, and they were married.

In January, 1894, Grandpa Keyser caught a cold while sitting up with the body of a dead neighbor (that was the custom in those days -- someone always sat up at night with the deceased until the funeral). The cold turned into pneumonia and he died on January 10th. Grandma was left with the farm to run and the younger children to raise and educate. Her second son, John, having attended the University of Richmond, was away

teaching at the Glade Springs School. He came home and took over the running of the farm and helped with the children. Without him I am sure Grandma could not have managed.

Uncle Charlie, who was twenty-one at the time, was studying law at the University of Richmond. He completed his course and came home to practice law in Rappahannock. He eventually became Commonwealth's Attorney. In 1900 he married Loula Rixey from Culpeper County. She was teaching in Rappahannock at the time. They lived in the house adjoining the grounds of the Washington Baptist Church. Mother used to take us there to visit every summer. I was just a child when he died, but I can well remember his hearty, booming laugh. He laughed often. No one loved a joke more than Uncle Charlie. He was much loved by all who knew him. His early death at the age of fifty-one was mourned by the whole community.

Uncle Charlie and Aunt Lou had three children: Frankie, who worked in her father's law office; Katherine, who taught school in Rappahannock; and Charles. The year after Uncle Charlie died Kath was married to John Long, an ensign in the Navy. She had a big wedding in the Baptist Church. Hampson Keyser, Uncle Jake's four-year-old son was to be ring-bearer. We were staying at Uncle Jake's, and I remember that, driving to the church, Hampson announced that he was either going to wear his sunglasses down the aisle or he wasn't going. Uncle Jake tried threats and persuasion, but Hampson was adamant. So at the last minute, just as Hampson was starting down the aisle, Uncle Jake snatched the glasses off his nose, and the wedding proceeded without a further hitch.

Aunt Lou moved to Washington, D.C., where Frankie took a Government job. In a few years Charles entered the Naval Academy. Kath's husband rose steadily in the Navy to the rank of captain, when he retired and joined the faculty of William and Mary College, where he taught physics. They have two children, Neville and Joan. The latter, married to James Tarwater and later divorced, is the mother of David Glen Tarwater, and is presently doing the final year of work on her Ph.D. at the University of Maryland. Frankie, retired from an excellent position of responsibility with the Bureau of Standards, makes a home for Joan and David. . . Charles graduated from the Naval Academy in 1933 and married Barbara Daskam of Chevy Chase, Maryland. They have three children -- Charles Hampson, III, Judith, and John. Charlie advanced to the rank of captain before retiring from the Navy. He and Barbara and all three children live in San Diego, California.

Aunt Leila was married on April 20, 1898, to Joseph Wheeler Almond of Page County. He and Grandma never got along -- probably because both were strong characters, and while Uncle Wheeler was a fine person, he had a few rough edges that I am sure Grandma did not approve of. He had been born on Black Oak Farm in Page County in 1864, and when a very young man had run away from home and worked as a cowboy in Texas. (As a boy, Lee, my brother, used to love to watch Uncle Wheeler ride and rope his cattle.) His grandmother was Susannah Roads, sister to Aunt Leila's grandmother, Ann Roads, who married Noah Keyser, so they were distant cousins. He and Aunt Leila had two daughters, Annie Miller and Leila. After Leila's birth in 1903, Aunt Leila developed childbed fever and died. My father, who had run away from home to Baltimore at the age of sixteen to study medicine, was in medical school at the time, and was heartsick when he heard the news, for he said there was no excuse for death from that cause. The family doctor had obviously not kept up with modern methods of sterilization. Uncle Wheeler, who had been very much in love with Aunt Leila, never remarried. His maiden sister, Martha Bell (known to all as Aunt Mat) came to keep house for him and help him raise his two daughters.

Aunt Annie and Uncle John Snead brought up their family of three (John, Jr., Marjorie, and Rayner) in their home, called "Hillcrest", way back in Gid Brown Hollow. Aunt Annie was a fine, unselfish person who worked hard for her family all her life. How proud she would be now of her two sons -- John, a doctor in Sperryville, and Rayner, a judge in the Circuit Court -- both leading citizens in their communities. Uncle John was a justice of the peace and the superintendent of the Sunday School in the Oakley Church that was down the hill from their farm. That, and the old Dunkard Church near it were really in "the wild wood", so far back in the mountains were they. I can remember watching as a child, wide-eyed, the Dunkard ceremony of foot-washing, called a "love feast." Afterward, they literally had a feast -- a real church supper out under the trees.

I remember one Fourth of July a long time ago. We were staying at Aunt Annie's, and Dad brought down from Baltimore a great many fireworks -- Roman candles and rockets of all kinds -- and shot them off in Uncle John's front meadow, to the delight of the neighbors who had come to see the show from miles around.

It must have been the late nineteen-twenties that rural free delivery of mail was being introduced into the

counties. An area had to have enough mail traffic to warrant giving it a delivery route, otherwise everyone had to drive in to the post office to pick up his mail, as always. So Aunt Annie clipped every coupon she could find in any magazine or newspaper and sent it away, and got her neighbors to do the same. For a while the mail going out of and into Smedley, their post office, was unusually heavy. They were given their rural delivery route.

Theirs was a deeply religious home. It was their custom occasionally to have prayers in the living-room in the evening. I can well remember kneeling at a chair while Uncle John solemnly prayed, and Marjorie and I desperately tried to suppress the giggles which invariably overwhelmed us.

Uncle John had a beautiful, though untrained voice. He was much in demand to sing at weddings and funerals. Sometimes on a summer evening we would gather in the living-room at Hillcrest, with Aunt Annie at the piano, and he would sing for us. To this day, when I hear "The Rose of Tralee", I think of Uncle John and Aunt Annie, and I wish I could thank them for the wonderful times they gave a city child in their mountain home.

Aunt Ida was married to Frank Downing Wood on June 14, 1905. Dad went down from Baltimore to be in her wedding, which was held in the Washington Baptist Church, with a reception afterwards at Uncle Charlie and Aunt Lou's house right next-door. Very shortly after that she developed spinal meningitis and almost died. Dad brought her to Baltimore, where she was a patient in the Biedler Sanatorium, which was in the 2700 block of North Charles Street. Dad was serving his internship there. Dr. Hubert Biedler, who ran the hospital, was a cousin of Dad's father. Remarkably, Aunt Ida recovered, but she was slightly crippled the rest of her life. . . Her life was touched by more tragedy than that of anyone I have ever known. Her oldest daughter, Neville, was thrown by her Shetland pony, her foot caught in the stirrup, and she was dragged a long distance, her head banging against the ground. A week later she died of a fractured skull at the age of eight. . . Uncle Frank had built Aunt Ida a beautiful home, with a white-columned porch overlooking the valley, and with the peach orchards going up the mountain behind it. "White Rock Farm" it was called. One bitter cold New Year's Eve, in 1921, it burned to the ground, and they lost everything in it. They moved to a tenant house across the field until Uncle Frank could rebuild. Aunt Ida jokingly called it "Camp Hope". She spent the rest of her life there, for before he could build

again, Uncle Frank died, in 1930, after a fall from his horse. . .In 1938, Charles Wise, their twenty-year-old son, died in the burning wreckage of his car the evening before he was to return to college. . .And in 1958, Frank Downing, Jr., the oldest son, suffered a similar death.

In spite of all this tragedy, Aunt Ida's faith never wavered, nor did she lose her interest in other people. I spent many happy times in her home. She had a great sense of humor and was always fun to be with, for she could always find something to laugh at. She was a wonderful person, and an inspiration to all who knew her. She died in 1960.

Downing, the son, had married Alice Reid (Twizzie), and they had five daughters. All but the youngest are now married. Neville married Leroy Hall, and with their five children, lives in Georgia. Nancy and Quentin McCoy have two small children, and Alice and Paul Smith have a new baby girl. Mary and her husband live in "little Washington". Twizzie and Frances still live in the lovely old Miller house "Sunnyside". Not far away from them lives Mary Miller Wood, Aunt Ida's only surviving child. She teaches in the elementary school in Sperryville. She has never married -- has devoted her time to caring for her mother and to doing for other people. Whenever anyone is in need, Mary Miller is the one who helps. She is a dearly loved, unselfish person.

Uncle Joe was for years the bachelor of the family. Everyone had thought for a long time that Uncle John would qualify for that title, but one day in November, 1918, he surprised everyone by marrying a young lady from Texas who had been visiting Cousin Gates Jones -- Sallie Long. He made an apartment for Aunt Sallie on the second floor of Glen Eyrie, and there she lived in a house without plumbing and electricity, and kept an immaculate apartment. The house was not wired for electricity, nor was plumbing installed, until after Grandma died in 1935.

But to get back to Uncle Joe -- he ran an Army-Navy surplus store in Front Royal at one time. And he saw to the care of his apple orchards, and in the fall was busy seeing to the packing and shipping of the apples. He was a gentle person -- popping in to visit the families once in a while, but always in a hurry -- always sweet to the children, who loved him. He and Dad and Uncle Jake had been close as boys growing up, since they were the three youngest, and they remained that way through life. Grandma worried

because he had never married. She worried about who would take care of Joe. Then on August 17, 1935, thankfully a few months before Grandma died, Uncle Joe amazed us all by appearing at our home in Baltimore with his bride, Miss Leslie Fox. She was supervisor of the schools of Warren and Rappahannock Counties, and was highly respected in the field of education. Uncle Joe had had only one or two years at V.M.I. As a child, I heard that he had had to drop out because of a football injury to his head. As far as we knew, he was never interested in education or reading or anything of the sort. And here he and Miss Fox were married!

She was a charming, gracious, gentle lady who I think may best be described as "serene". She was quietly happy, and her bright face often broke into a smile. We all fell in love with her -- the whole Keyser clan. But we privately wondered how congenial they would be. We need not have worried. Theirs was a real love match. Uncle Joe, never demonstrative, was devoted and sweet and thoughtful with her, and became a beloved brother to the handicapped sister and brother who lived with her. She gave him the home he had needed, a place to put his roots down, loving care, and a gay and interesting companionship that never failed him, even when, in his later years, he became childish. It was always a joy to me to see them together.

Now Uncle Joe is gone -- he died in January, 1963 -- and Aunt Les still lives in the house where she was born in Front Royal, with her sister, Miss Eula, and her brother, Rowland. She has retired from the school board, but is still a consultant, and is sought out for advice. Much interested in the activities of her many friends, and in her garden, she lives a rich life in her gentle, gracious way.

Dad, Robert Lee, was the one child who left home to stay. In 1900 he ran away from home to go to Baltimore to study medicine, leaving a note for his mother. He was tired of being the boy-of-all-work on the farm, and he said he could not make a living out of those rocks. He sold a calf to pay his railroad fare. In Baltimore he worked very hard to make enough money to pay his board and keep as well as his tuition. He boarded with his father's cousin, Dr. Hubert Biedler, at 112 West Saratoga Street. His work had to be done mostly at night, for he attended classes by day. Those were lean, hard years. Having lived in a house full of young people with their attendant

activities, his bare third-floor room must have seemed especially desolate. But he stuck to his work, and achieved his goal. In 1907 he graduated from the Baltimore University School of Medicine (now a part of the University of Maryland), and was awarded a gold medal for having the highest average in electrotherapeutics. He served his internship under Dr. Biedler, who was a well-known Baltimore physician. Then he opened his own office in a basement apartment in the brand new Wentworth Apartments, the first large apartment building to be erected in Baltimore. This was on Cathedral Street, just north of Saratoga, and just a block away from Dr. Biedler's home, where he had lived since his arrival in Baltimore. He was to keep that same office for the next forty-six years. Mother tried many times to get him to move to a more modern office, but he refused to, and she finally gave up.

To supplement what must at first have been a meagre income, Dad had a variety of jobs. He was medical consultant to the construction firm that was building the Loch Raven Dam in the country northeast of Baltimore. I can remember his telling of being called out to examine a man who had been run over by a steamroller. Dad thought he would have to write out a death certificate. But the ground was so wet and soft that the man was simply forced into the earth and was scarcely harmed! . . . He was city coroner for some time. . . He also became the house doctor for two theatres in Baltimore -- the Academy of Music on Howard Street, and Ford's Theatre on Fayette Street. This meant that whenever a member of the cast of the show appearing there became sick, Dad was called, and it also meant that he received free tickets to all the performances. This arrangement lasted throughout his life, and he and Mother saw practically every show that came to Baltimore. Later on they gave weekly theatre parties, always on Monday nights. Those were the days when nearly all the theatrical productions came to Baltimore to "try out" the audience's reaction before going on to Broadway. . . One year -- it was about 1926, I think -- Florenz Ziegfeld's "Follies" was playing here. It was a musical extravaganza with many beautiful girls in elaborate costumes. The "Ziegfeld girls" were famous for their beauty. One of the showgirls became sick, and, of course, Dad was called. She had pneumonia, and had to be hospitalized. Mr. Ziegfeld told Dad to spare no expense and to see that she got the best possible care. He need not have worried about the care. I think she got constant attention from every interne at the Union Memorial Hospital! And Dad basked in the reflected glory!

Mother and Dad met at a church oyster supper. He always said he was grateful to Cousin Flora Biedler, who introduced them. . . In 1912 -- on Hallowe'en! -- he and Mother were married, and set up housekeeping in an apartment several floors above his office. When I was three years old and Lee a baby, they moved into the house next-door to Mother's parents -- 15 East Twenty-Second Street -- which they rented from Grandpa Randall. We lived there for the next eleven years. It was next door to the house that Mother and her three sisters had grown up in and where they had been married. Across the street was First Church, later the Lovely Lane Methodist Church, where we all belonged. Lee and I often played there on the church pavement. Next to the church was Goucher College. In June we would go up to the college lawn, (now a parking lot for the Red Cross) and see the daisy chain and hear the seniors' step-singing -- two Goucher traditions. In 1935 I took part in both on that same lawn. . . From first through the eighth grade I went to school at the Margaret Brent School, Public School No. 53, at St. Paul and Twenty-Sixth Streets. Mother had gone there before me. Lee went to School No. 52 on Twenty-Fifth Street. No. 52 was for boys only and No. 53 was for girls. . . I remember sitting out on the marble steps on hot summer nights, and going across Charles Street to Retaliatta's drug store for an ice cream cone. Those were the days of double-decker busses on Charles Street, and streetcar tracks on St. Paul Street. . . In 1928, Mother and Dad's final move together was to a house in Roland Park -- 611 West Fortieth Street. They lived there for twenty-six years.

If there was ever a dedicated doctor, it was Dad. He was to his patients not only a physician, but a friend and advisor and father-confessor, as well. He was never too hurried to stop and listen to someone's troubles. He ministered not only to the body but to the whole person. He loved people, and his devotion was returned fullfold. His friends were legion. They came from every walk of life. We did not realize how many there were until Dad died. Then they poured into our home to pay their last respects: the mechanic who had worked on his cars for years, who put a flower in Dad's lapel as he left, saying, "So long, Doc"; the colored elevator operator at the hospital; humble people we had never heard of. Dad had always had a friendly word for them and they loved him. One little widow whom he had taken care of for years with never a bill said as she left, "There's no doubt about where Dr. Keyser is now." The Commissioner of Police had a special motorcycle escort for Dad's last trip to the cemetery. One of the internes at the Union Memorial

Hospital where Dad died, and on the staff of which he had served for years, said, "The whole hospital is saddened by his death. We all loved him over here." He was greatly loved, and has been just as greatly missed.

Six months before Dad died Mother had a stroke, leaving her left side paralyzed. After forty-two years of an extremely happy marriage, she must have been desolate, indeed, at being left alone and an invalid. However, she put up an uncomplaining struggle for the next eleven years. She never lost her interest in people, and right up to the last retained her life-long habit of meticulous grooming. She died in August, 1965. She was a charming, valiant lady, and I just wish my children could have known her when she was younger and so full of energy and enthusiasm and fun.

Of all the nine children who grew up at Glen Eyrie, only Uncle Jake is left. He and Mary Frances Eastham, better known as "Honeybee", spent most of their married life in the old Dabney Eastham house on the road to Flint Hill. He and Aunt Honeybee were excellent riders in their younger days. Both rode and fox-hunted a great deal, and Uncle Jake bred and trained hunters. Their five children are all grown now and married and there are eight grandchildren. Anne married Robert Mercer Menefee, had three children -- Robert Mercer, Jr., Sandra, and Ed Lynn -- divorced Rob Mercer, and later married Charles Dinges, who died without issue in 1962. She is now married to John Newman, and is living and teaching in Arlington, Virginia. . . Mary Gardner married Earl Edmonds from near Browntown. Their home is in Huntley. They have a son, Earl Kline. Earl, Sr., died in 1964 after a long illness. He was tall, dark and handsome, and a fine man -- hard-working and frugal, friendly and out-going. He is greatly missed by his family and friends. . . . J.E., Jr., married Libby Waldron and they have a lovely daughter, Grace Ann. J.E. works in Williamsburg for the Restoration. He buys and trains the horses that pull the eighteenth-century carriages through the streets of Williamsburg -- happy work for him, for he inherited his father's love and knowledge of horses. . . Hampson is a successful insurance salesman. He and the former Betty Hulme live in Atlanta, and have three children -- Beverly, Gregory and Nancy. . . Uncle Jake and Aunt Honeybee are living in the Baptist Home just outside of Culpeper. The old home place is sold now, but the sight of it brings back happy memories; of exciting games of croquet on the lawn, of many trips to Mrs. Slaughter's swimming pool at lovely Meadowbrook Hall a few miles down the road, of old "Houdi" (short for Houdini), the much-loved old setter dog whose

foot had been caught in a trap, and who had lain for days without food or water until he was found and lovingly nursed back to health by Mr. Lee Poe, who worked for Uncle Jake and who was a good friend and hunting companion, as well. Every fall my father would go down to Rappahannock for a week or two of rabbit and quail hunting with Uncle Jake and Mr. Poe. It was the highlight of Dad's year. Afterward there was much talk of which dog flushed how many coveys of quail, and so on and on.

March fourteenth was Grandma's birthday, and was celebrated by a gathering of the family. Dad delighted in taking to Grandma the largest birthday cake he could find. As her years increased, instead of having many candles on it, he had one large candle calibrated like a thermometer, up to the correct age. In those days mid-March often found much snow on the ground. I remember one year when the roads were so icy that our car skidded off the road into a ditch, and I, on the back seat, landed on top of the box the cake was in. I am not sure but that Dad was more concerned about the cake than about me! Another year the snow was so deep that no car could reach Glen Eyrie. People had to go by horse and wagon. For some reason which I do not remember Lee and I were sent to Aunt Ida's for the day while the others went to Glen Eyrie. What a wonderful day we had! When we went inside, wet and numb from playing in the snow, Aunt Ida made taffy for us to pull, which we had never done before. Then she drove us into town in a buggy, and as I remember had trouble getting through even in that, the snow was so deep. . . In other years the weather would be mild and Grandma's garden would be a sea of daffodils.

Grandma died on November 11, 1935. She was buried from the Baptist Church in Washington -- she had been a charter member of it -- and was laid to rest beside her husband, who had been buried there forty-one years before, in the family graveyard at Mountain Green. The choir went out from the church, and after the brief service, they stood there beside the grave and sang "Nearer My God to Thee". Then all the children and grandchildren and nieces and nephews and cousins went away and left her. Sixty-eight years had passed since she had left the big house nearby as a bride with her tall handsome husband. Now they were together again and she was back home.

She had been a tremendously strong person all her adult life. She had done what had to be done, and had done it alone, and she had made a good job of it. She had a firm and beautiful faith which she managed to instill

in every one of her children, and it stood by them all their lives. She had read her Bible from beginning to end so many times she knew whole passages by heart. She had, by the sheer force of her will, created a home there in the mountains, and made it glow with warmth and love. Glen Eyrie is still home to all of us who were fortunate enough to call her Grandmother.

After Grandma died, Aunt Sallie and Uncle John re-modeled it completely, and made it a beautiful home. It was wired for electricity; plumbing was installed, modern baths and a modern kitchen; the walls and dark woodwork were scraped and papered and painted; the floors sanded; the back side porch glass-enclosed to form a sunporch which looks out over the boxwood-bordered garden; the outside was painted -- in short, Glen Eyrie was born again. Aunt Sallie continued its tradition of hospitality as long as she lived there. However, it became more and more difficult for her after Uncle John died in 1951, and she finally decided to sell it and return to her native city of Dallas. We were sick to see this lovely place leave the family, but no one could afford to buy it and keep it up. And so it went. It is now an inn for the use of the skiers who use the Skyline Ski Area that is about a mile farther up the Harris Hollow Road.

Before she left for Texas, Aunt Sallie gave me a picture of Glen Eyrie. On the back of it, I have attached the poem Kath Keyser Long wrote about the old place some years ago, and which I think sums up pretty well the way we all feel about it. Here it is:

True friendship nowhere rings more clear  
                                  Than at Glen Eyrie,  
The old days nowhere seem more dear  
                                  Than at Glen Eyrie.  
The mountain, meadow, brook and road  
All tend to lighten mortal load,  
Where sends more noble thoughts abroad?  
                                  Serene Glen Eyrie.

The house gives warmth and graciousness,  
                                  Always Glen Eyrie,  
And all who meet there seem more blessed,  
                                  A haven, Glen Eyrie.  
Harmonious beauty, in beauty dressed,  
Thoughts on these scenes bring heart's true rest --  
Holy content -- Man's noblest quest --  
                                  Beloved Glen Eyrie.

(With apologies to the author of In Old Virginia)

As I look at the picture of Glen Eyrie, in its lovely setting, with the blue mountains encircling it, and I think of all the lives that have touched this place, a flood of warm, happy memories rushes over me of those wonderful, beloved people in my past. I love their memory. They stand like giants in my life -- strong, full of faith and courage to meet whatever life might bring them. They never wavered in what they knew to be right. They have handed down to my generation a tremendous heritage of integrity, of simple honesty, abiding faith in God's love, and a love of His beautiful world. They lived in a beautiful part of that world. I feel sure they drew some of their strength from the stalwart mountains that surrounded them all their lives.

Baltimore, Maryland, August, 1981

Fifteen years have passed since I wrote the foregoing, and they have brought many changes.

Aunt Sallie has died in her Texas retirement home. . . .Kath Keyser's husband, John Long, too has passed on. His grandson, David Tarwater, is now a college student at St. Mary's in Southern Maryland, and Joan, David's mother, has a responsible position with the Federal Government, having to do with computers. . . .Charles Keyser and his wife, Barbara, lead an active life in a retirement community about forty miles from San Diego.

John Snead, the beloved country doctor, has retired to Florida. He and Pinkie return to Rappahannock each year and spend the summer at their place on the mountain which they call "The Moon". . . .Their son, John Peyton, is practicing psychiatry and living in nearby Rixeyville, in Culpeper County; and their daughter, Betty, widowed by the sudden death of her husband, Bill Coates, has remarried and has started another family. Both her daughters are married. She is now Mrs. Eldon Lindsay, and she divides her time between Middletown, Virginia, and Florida.

Rayner, the much-respected judge, retired last year after twenty-seven years on the bench. He and Lois have done some travelling -- to visit Mary Lib, their daughter, who is with the Peace Corps in Malaysia -- and no doubt plan to do much more. . . .Their son, Ray, is, like his father, a lawyer, living and practicing in Lynchburg. He and his wife, Mollie, have three children. . . .Sam married Helen Register, a widow, and thereby acquired a ready-made family. He is an orchardist. He and Helen have restored and are living in Hillcrest, Aunt Annie and Uncle John's old home in Gid Brown Hollow. . . .Bill is married and is a building contractor. He and Dee-Dee, his wife, live in Denver, Colorado. . . .Dana, after graduating in nursing from the University of Virginia, married a young lawyer, Eric Adamson. With their two children, they make their home on the outskirts of Front Royal.

"Twizzie", Downing Wood's widow, has been successful in running the Sunnyside Farm and Orchards. All her children are married -- three living in Georgia and two in Rappahannock. Three are divorced and one is happily

remarried. She has eighteen grandchildren and one great-grandchild. . . Mary Miller Wood, who lives very near Sunnyside, retired last year after forty-two years of teaching, and is now catching up on all the many things she has not had time to do.

Aunt Les, Uncle Joe's widow, died in 1977. Just a short time before her death, she was honored by having a new school in Front Royal named after her -- the Leslie Fox Keyser Elementary School -- and by a community celebration in which she took a happy part. It was a fitting climax to a life devoted to educating the young.

Uncle Jake and Aunt Honeybee died within eight months of each other, in 1968. . . Anne, divorced again, married James Graham, this time happily. They had some good years together before Anne's long illness and death in 1977. Her children are all three in the Washington, D.C. area. . . Mary Gardner has retired from teaching. Each year she visits her son, Eddie, his wife, Mary, and their two children in their Phoenix, Arizona, home, where Eddie is stationed with the Air Force. . . J.E. and Libby are still in Williamsburg. Their daughter, Grace Ann, is married and living in North Carolina. . . Hampson has moved to Florida. His three children are all grown. . . John Dabney, divorced and with a thirteen-year-old son, is at present in a Florida hospital slowly recovering from a near-fatal automobile accident.

Which brings me to my own family. Luke died quite suddenly just ten days before Christmas in 1967 -- a shattering experience. But life must go on, and I am grateful that I had ten-year-old Chris, and Louise in college, and the two older boys as reasons to continue. . . Randy taught Math after graduating from Johns Hopkins in 1964. While at Hopkins he was captain of the track team, and he has continued his interest in that sport, coaching the Hopkins track team for several years. . . Robert went to Washington College in Chestertown, Maryland, and graduated from the University of Baltimore in 1968, and then went on to get his master's degree in Clinical Psychology at Towson University. He taught in elementary school for a few years, and now is a clinical psychologist with the Board of Education in Cumberland, Allegany County, Maryland. He and Stefanie Harris, whom he married in 1969, have two children, Robert Fielding, Jr., and Janet Powell. They have a home on the side of Dan's Mountain, just two miles east of Frostburg, Maryland. Robert has become deeply involved in an effort to prevent the coal companies from destroying much

of that beautiful country with their strip-mining. . . Louise graduated from the University of Maryland in Biology in 1969, and went on to become accredited as a medical technologist. After working a few years in the laboratory at Johns Hopkins Hospital, and doing a stint with Vista, the domestic Peace Corps, in Cleveland, Ohio, she went out to Seattle to get her master's degree in Microbiology at the University of Washington. She loved that part of the world -- its magnificent scenery, and its informal, friendly, out-doors living -- and plans to return to it some day. At present she is doing research in the Medical School of the University of North Carolina, and is living in Carrboro, near Chapel Hill. . . Chris has just recently graduated from Hopkins (1980), having majored in Natural Sciences. He is currently job-hunting (our economy is in a slump), being interested in the computer field. One of his hobbies is photography, and he has taken some beautiful pictures -- on his 9400-mile trip by car down through the Southwest and up to Seattle with Louise, and then home -- and some of all of us, one of which is reprinted in this book.

Lee died in June of 1975, after being an invalid for over a year with emphysema, complicated by asthma. He had worked for the Telephone Company for thirty-five years. His wife, Judy, has stayed on in their home, and keeps active with community affairs, knitting and weaving. . . Their son, Bob, graduated from the University of Denver in 1968, and in 1969 married and settled out there in the country he loves. He and Brenda have two little girls -- Elise and Hanni. . . Judy, Jr., attended the University of Maryland for a while and then, in 1968, she married Bill Mace, a graduate of Maryland and a C.P.A. in Baltimore. They live in a suburb of Baltimore, and have a son, William Ross, IV, better known as Drew, and a daughter, Melissa.

This brings us up to the present.

I have recently had delightful and informative telephone conversations with two distantly related Keyzers in Ohio, and I correspond with two in Missouri and one in Illinois. They and we descend from a common ancestor -- Charles Keyser I. There are other relatives on the West Coast -- we seem to be spread all over the country!

This book is a joint endeavor, for I have recently been sent the genealogy of the Henry Miller Family which was accumulated over a period of forty years by "Flossie",

the wife of Henry Taylor Miller, who was born at "Mountain Green". Flossie died without completing her work, so I am including it in this book, but I take no credit for her beautifully compiled record.

This began as a collection of my own memories and knowledge of the family for the edification of my children. It has blossomed into much more. I have done considerable research, and have benefitted greatly by the research of others who have generously shared it with me. The personal anecdotes of my own immediate family will be of little interest to others. But I hope everyone in the family at large will find some new information and will learn something they did not know about their family. As I said in the beginning, we come from simple, God-fearing folk, and we have every reason to be proud of our heritage.

I plan to leave ample space in this book for each family to keep its record up to date, for maintaining a family history is an on-going project, which I hope will become a tradition for all of us -- lest we forget.

PART I

THE KEYSER FAMILY



CHARLES KEYSER, SR.

From Mead Relations, by A. M. Prichard, pp. 177-183.

A brief chronicle of Charles Keyser, written in 1892 by Adam Strickler, his step-grandson, has been copied by Mr. Harry M. Strickler in his book entitled Forerunners, p. 120. Undoubtedly Adam Strickler recorded the authentic tradition of the family in which he was brought up; and his highly respected character as a schoolmaster of more than forty years' activity in the same community confirms the verity of his record. His letter is as follows:

"Dear Ephraim: After my respects to yourself and family, etc., according to promise I here try to give you a genealogy of the Keyser family as near as I can at this late date.

"Your great-grandfather, whose name was Charles, came to America from Germany as a hired soldier in the service of Great Britain to fight against the French and Indians. After the disastrous battle near Pittsburgh July 9, 1755, he was butcherer in Braddock's army. He married a Miss Shelly in Philadelphia, and came to our Valley and lived on Mill Creek. Here your grandfather (Andrew) was born in 1758. Your great-grandfather bought property near the mouth of the Hawksbill, built the old Keyser house, lived and died in it. The house was built in about the year 1765. His age and death I cannot give any account of, but he was an old man, and died in bout the year 1777."

There are two doubtful statements in this letter. One is that Charles Keyser came to America as a "hired soldier in the service of Great Britain to fight against the French and Indians." "That war began in 1754 when Washington was sent with Col. Fry to the west of the Alleghenies with a small army. On July 3, 1754, they encountered the French and surrendered Fort Necessity. Thereupon, in order to repel the French, England sent over General Braddock, with two regiments of British regulars, who landed in Virginia on the 19th of February, 1755. There is no record of any hired soldiers being imported for this war before that time. If, therefore, the oldest son of Charles Keyser was born in 1752, as seems to appear from the indistinct and well-worn inscription on his gravestone, then the marriage of Charles Keyser must have occurred some three or four years before the French and Indian War began."

By deed of 6 April, 1765, recorded in Frederick County, Virginia, deed book No. 10, p. 248, Lewis Rhinehart and Mathias Rhinehart of Frederick County, Virginia, conveyed unto Charles Keyser of the same place a parcel of land on the South Fork of the Shenandoah, being the lower end of two tracts of land granted to Mathias Rhinehart by deed of 8 Feb. 1764, from the Proprietor's Office of the Northern Neck of Virginia.

"Judge E. J. Sutherland, of Clintwood, Virginia, has sent the following which he obtained from the records of Shenandoah County: 'On May 28, 1778, the Shenandoah County Court appointed Bryant Breeding, Martin Comer, Matthew Mattocks and Peter Ruffner to appraise the estate of Charles Kizer, Dec'd., and the following appraisement was made and recorded in Will Book "A", p. 179:

'Shenandoah Set -- In obedience to an order of May court 1778 to us Directed we the subscribers being first sworn have met and appraised the Estate of Charles Kisers in Ready money, which is as followeth:'

To a waggon & lockchain & breast chain. . . . .	P.70	0	0
" eight sheep . . . . .	16	0	0
" twelve geese. . . . .	1	16	0
" an iron spade & shovel. . . . .		15	0
" a dung fork, hay fork and turnep chopper. . . . .	1	10	0
" three old axes. . . . .	1	0	0
" five hoes and a mottock . . . . .	3	0	0
" a maul and two wedges . . . . .		18	0
" two ploughs and two clevises. . . . .	3	0	0
" a cutting box . . . . .	1	5	0
" three stears and a bull . . . . .	16	0	0
" eight cows. . . . .	52	10	0
" four calves and a small hide. . . . .	5	10	0
" two men's saddles . . . . .	10	0	0
" two pair iron traices & two leather collars . . . . .	6	0	0
" two bells and straps. . . . .	1	0	0
" a parcel of iron lumber . . . . .	2	10	0
" two forging pans. . . . .	2	0	0
" two iron pots & one pare of iron hooks. . . . .	3	15	0
" one pot . . . . .		10	0
" two horses and a mare . . . . .	135	0	0
" a sorrel colt . . . . .	40	0	0
" two pare of iron hobbles. . . . .	1	0	0
" two wheat sives . . . . .		17	0
" three little wheales. . . . .	3	0	0
" a smoothing iron. . . . .		6	0
" a half bushel . . . . .		5	0

To a tin lanthorn. . . . .	P.	15	0
" a parcell of shoemakers tools. . . . .		12	0
" a candlestick lamp & a gimlet & a fire steal .		10	0
" a peper mill and box . . . . .		5	0
" two Large Dutch Bibles . . . . .	7	5	0
" a parcell of books . . . . .	4	12	0
" two glass bottles. . . . .		6	0
" a Table. . . . .	1	5	0
" an iron stove. . . . .	8	0	0
" two punch bowls. . . . .		5	0
" a small trunk. . . . .		12	0
" three earthen jars and a bresh . . . . .	1	3	0
" a pair sheep shares two pair taylors & a pair of sivers. . . . .	1	0	0
" one bed and furniture. . . . .	10	0	0
" a pare stillards . . . . .	2	5	0
" one chest. . . . .	1	0	0
" one woolen wheel & two pare of old wool cards.	3	0	0
" two new feather beds . . . . .	14	1	0
" two hackels. . . . .	4	10	0
" one crout cutting box. . . . .	1	0	0
" two feather beds . . . . .	8	0	0
" one watering can . . . . .		12	0
" one woman's saddle . . . . .	1	5	0
" three scythes & two cradles. . . . .	3	6	0
" a froe a butchers file and hook. . . . .	2	2	0
" a dough trough . . . . .		10	0
" three hundred & thirty pounds of raw hemp. . .	16	10	0
" four old sickles and a chizzels. . . . .		12	0
" three dishes one bason & eleven spoons . . . .	5	0	0
" six plates and two small basons. . . . .	2	8	0
" a parcel of tinware. . . . .	1	0	0
" three old ladles and a pare of flesh forks . .		10	0
" old wooden ware. . . . .		6	0
" a salt box . . . . .		4	0
" a cag. . . . .		7	0
" a churn & two casks. . . . .	1	0	0
" a broken table . . . . .		5	0
" three chairs . . . . .		15	0
" a shear and coulter and two cleavises. . . . .	5	10	0
" four head of cattle. . . . .	16	0	0
	P.509	15	0

Martin Comer, Matthew Mattocks, Peter  
Ruffner.

There is ten children -- 50 pounds, 19 shillings, 6 pence each share. At a court held for the County of Shanando the 28th day of August, 1778, this inventory and appraisement of the estate of Charles Kyser deceased was returned and ordered to be recorded.

Teste

Thomas Marshall, C.S.C.

Charles Kizer was granted administration of the estate, and gave bond in the sum of 1,000 pounds on the 28th of May, 1778, with Frederick Commer and John Hastings as sureties. Keyser and Commer signed the bond in German.

No mention was made of a widow, so we presume she was dead at the time of her husband's death.



Wood cut of home of Charles Keyser, I, built 1765



Home of Charles Keyser, I, 1967

I. CHARLES KEYSER, SR.

Born ca. 1702, in Wurtemberg, near Stuttgart, Germany.

Died April or May, 1778, Shenandoah Co., Virginia.

Buried in Keyser graveyard on Lynn Strickler Farm, Rte. 648,  
Luray, Virginia.

Married Elizabeth Grossgloss, also born in Germany.

Charles arrived in the port of Philadelphia on the ship "Patience" on September 19, 1749. On that day he took the oath of allegiance to the State of Pennsylvania and his signature appears 14th from the top in the first column on p. 292 of the book of lists of passengers from the Palatinate and the Duchy of Wurtemberg compiled by Dr. Egle. He lived for a while in Lancaster Co., Pa.; then moved down to the Valley of Virginia. He served with Braddock in Western Maryland in 1755. In April, 1765, he bought land on the Shenandoah River and built a house of logs there.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND ELIZABETH KEYSER:

- A. Charles, Jr.; born, ca. 1752; married, ca. 1776 to Elizabeth Baker; died, 9-12-1796, Shenandoah Co., Va.
- B. John; born, ca. 1754; married, 8-30-1791, to Catherine Rhinehart (born, 3-13-1776)
- C. Anna; born, ca. 1756; married, 8-22-1785 to Philip Koontz
- D. Andrew; born, 12-16-1758; married I. 11-23-1784 to Sarah Margaret Rhinehart; married II. 10-8-1820 to Elizabeth Grove Strickler; died, 11-23-1833, Page County, Virginia
- E. Mary; born, 8-5-1760; married, 2-1-1782 to Luke Kelly (once spelled Celley); died, 8-10-1824, Hanging Rock, Lawrence Co., Ohio
- F. Elizabeth; born, 1762; married, 1-20-1784 to Henry Hurst; died, 8-10-1832, Breathitt Co., Kentucky
- G. Esther; married, 5-9-1797, to George Austin; died, 10-4-1846, Lawrence Co., Ohio
- H. Kate, died young.

- I. Joseph; lived on the Clinch River in Russell Co., Va.; died in 1816; married Susannah Stacy.
- J. Michael; moved from Shenandoah Co. to Rockingham Co., Virginia; died ca. July, 1798; Executor bonds arranged and Jacob Kysor executor (according to Gail M. Kiser, of Spokane, Washington)



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I.A. CHARLES KEYSER, JR.

Born ca. 1752; date on old tombstone in Keyser graveyard.

Married, ca. 1776 to ELIZABETH BAKER in Woodstock, Shenandoah County, Virginia. Born ca. 1757, in Pennsylvania; died 1820/1843? (Bible unclear) Johnson Township, Champaign County, Ohio; buried in Kizer Cemetery, Johnson Township

Died, August or September 1796, in Shenandoah County, Virginia, with four of his children, of yellow fever.

In the Census of 1783, Charles was listed as head of family, with six whites and no blacks...In the Census of 1785, he had six whites, one dwelling and no out-buildings.

His widow, Elizabeth Keyser, and her daughters, Peggy and Mary- went West with her son, Joseph, and his wife in 1809, settling in Johnson Township, Champaign County, Ohio.

There is a story in the family that Charles served as a Private in the Virginia Militia, Michael Reader's Company, Shenandoah County (formerly Dunmore County), November, 1775. This has so far not been proved.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND ELIZABETH BAKER KEYSER:

1. Joseph, born 9-5-1777, Shenandoah County, Virginia; married, 7-25-1809 to Catherine Comer, Shenandoah County; died, 2-15-1886, Johnson Twp., Champaign County, Ohio; buried in Kizer Cemetery, Johnson Twp.
2. David, born 12-20-1779, Shenandoah County, Virginia; married, 6-24-1806 to Eve Nauman, Shenandoah County; died, 12-31-1847, German Township, Clark County, Ohio; buried in Greenmount Cemetery, Springfield, Clark County, Ohio.
3. Catherine, born ca. 1781, Shenandoah County, Va.; married, 2-22-1806 to Christian Miller, Shenandoah County, Virginia.
4. Peggy, born ca. 1783, Shenandoah County, Va.; went West with her mother and her brother, Joseph.
5. Mary, born ca. 1785, Shenandoah County, Va.; went West with her mother and her brother, Joseph.

Children of Charles and Elizabeth Baker Keyser, continued:

6. Charles III, died 1796, yellow fever.
7. Elizabeth, died 1796, yellow fever.
8. Name unknown, died 1796, yellow fever.
9. Name unknown, died 1796, yellow fever.

Charles Keyser, Jr., and Elizabeth, his wife, by deed of 9 December, 1790, recorded in Deed Book I, p. 265, conveyed unto Andrew Keyser a parcel of fifty-seven acres of land in Shenandoah County, Virginia, on the north side of the South Branch of the Shenandoah River, described as part of land conveyed to Charles Keyser, Sr., deceased by Lewis Rhinehart, Mathias Rhinehart and Elizabeth, his wife, by deeds of lease and release dated the 6th and 7th days of April, 1765, and recorded in Frederick County, Virginia. The conveyance recites that Charles Keyser, deceased, dying intestate, the land descended to his eldest son, Charles Keyser. In the family graveyard on the old Keyser farm in Page County, Virginia, are several rough, unhewn gravestones of native blue limestone on which inscriptions have been carved by an unskilled workman. All of these stones appear to have been set up at the same time, and carved by the same hand. At attempted reading of one is as follows: "Here lies the body of C. Keyser. He was born \_\_\_ 1752 \_\_\_ 1799" According to Adam Strickler, Charles Keyser, Jr. had two sons, David and Joseph, who "sold out and went West many years ago." By deed of the 23rd of September, 1805, recorded in deed book P, p. 47, David Keyser conveyed unto Joseph Keyser all his interest in the lands of which their father, Charles Keyser, Jr., died seized.

Judge E. J. Sutherland has reported the following additional data from the records of Shenandoah County: "On September 1, 1809, Elizabeth Kyser, widow and relict of Charles Keyser, deceased, Joseph Kyser, one of the sons and heirs of the said Charles Keyser dec'd and Katy, his wife, Peggy Kyser, and Mary Kyser, daughters and heirs of Charles Keyser, dec'd. deeded to Andrew Kyser two tracts (50 acres and 25 acres) on the South Fork of the Shenandoah River, formerly patented to Joseph Kyser and David Kyser."

Charles Keyser, Jr.'s appraisalment, dated the 12th of September, 1796, is recorded in Will Book E (of Shenandoah County), p. 160, and a partial settlement of his estate in Will Book F. p. 366.

Charles Keyser, Jr.'s two sons -- Joseph, who married Catherine Comer (Katy in the above paragraph) in 1809, and David, who married Eve Nauman in 1806 -- sold out their holdings in Virginia, and apparently moved west at the same time - in 1809. With Joseph and his wife went his mother, Elizabeth Baker Keyser, and his two sisters, Peggy and Mary. They settled in Champaign County, Ohio. David and Eve and their two baby girls -- Phoebe and Rebecca -- settled in Clark County, Ohio. This was then a trackless wilderness. One wonders why they settled in separate counties, but a look at the map shows the two counties to be adjoining. We know that Clark County was not established until 1818, so it is possible that the two brothers were in the same county before that division was made.

They had two aunts and uncles who had moved out to Hanging Rock, Lawrence County, Ohio, about twenty years earlier -- their father's sisters Mary, who married Luke Kelly, and Esther, who married George Austin. The travellers must surely have stopped there to visit on the way. Perhaps the Austins and Kellys recommended the country a hundred miles or so to the northwest, where they finally settled.

Before moving West, David had taught school in Virginia, and he took with him his library. Since he was of a scholarly bent, his new home became the headquarters of a group of literary-minded people...He became active in the public affairs of the area. He was chosen Justice of the Peace in 1811. He served in the War of 1812. When Clark County was established in 1818, he was appointed its first Recorder, an office which he held for seven years. At about the same time he opened a school in Springfield... He has been described as "a man of undaunted courage and great strength of character, combined with a powerful frame and a good constitution. He was a superior representative of that old class of Virginia pioneers which contributed so much to the settlement of the West."

In addition to the two daughters who went West with him, he had four other children -- two boys and two girls. One son, Thomas, became Surveyor of Clark County, a post he held for twenty-six years. The other son, Eli, became one of the prominent citizens of the area. He founded the first township high school in the State of Ohio. He was called "a most prominent citizen of German township, always among the first to press forward any beneficial improvement or cause. He was a very kindly disposed man,

earnest of purpose...As a farmer, a granger, a justice of the peace, a township trustee, a member of the board of education, a builder of turnpikes, a promoter of laws to benefit his people, he served his community."

(The foregoing was taken from a newspaper clipping of 1916, which was sent to me by Molly Kiblinger Wallace, a granddaughter of Eli Kizer.)

The spelling of the name of both families was changed to Kizer -- at what time and for what reason we do not know.

GENEALOGICAL DEPARTMENT  
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF  
LATTER-DAY SAINTS

I.A.1. JOSEPH KIZER

Born, 9-5-1777, Shenandoah County, Virginia.

Married, 7-25-1809, Shenandoah Co., Va., to Catherine Comer, daughter of Phillip Comer, born 12-19-1783.

Died, 2-15-1866, Johnson Township, Champaign Co., Ohio.

Soon after his marriage, he moved West, taking with him his mother, Elizabeth Baker Keyser, and his sisters, Mary and Peggy.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND CATHERINE COMER KIZER:

- a. Peter
- b. Daniel
- c. Benjamin, born 4-29-1813, Johnson Township, Champaign County, Ohio; married I - November 1844 to Mary Pence; married II - February 1855 to Matilda Guss.
- d. Phillip
- e. Polly
- f. Cornelius
- g. Martin
- h. Charles

I.A.1.c. BENJAMIN KIZER

Born 4-29-1813, Johnson Township, Champaign Co., Ohio

Married I - November, 1844, to MARY PENCE, died 1853.

Married II - February, 1855 to MATILDA GUSS.

CHILDREN OF BENJAMIN AND MARY PENCE KIZER:

(1) Isaiah Peter

(2) Sarah

CHILDREN OF BENJAMIN AND MATILDA GUSS KIZER:

(3) Benjamin Franklin, born 5-1-1856, Champaign Co., Ohio.  
Married, 9-17-1877, to Mary Louise Hamilton.  
Died, 9-21-1900.

(4) Charles Oliver

(5) Grant

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I.A.1.c.(3) BENJAMIN FRANKLIN KIZER

Born, 5-1-1856, Champaign County, Ohio

Married, 9-17-1877, MARY LOUISE HAMILTON.

Died, 9-21-1900

CHILDREN OF BENJAMIN AND MARY LOUISE KIZER:

(a) Benjamin Hamilton, born 10-29-1878. In 1967 Mr. Kizer was still living, in Spokane, Washington.

(b) Donald Franklin

(c) Mary Louise

Copies of newspaper clippings sent to me by Marilyn Kerr Sauer, descendant of David Keyser. One is from the Dialton, Ohio, paper, and tells of the death of Phoebe Thomas, daughter of David Keyser; the other is from the Lawrenceville, Ohio, paper, and tells of the death of Eli Keyser, son of David.

The subject of this memoir - Phoebe Thomas, wife of Thomas P. Thomas, died near Dialton, Clarke County, Ohio, on February 3rd, 1872, aged sixty-four years, eight months and fourteen days. She was the daughter of David Kizer, and sister of Thomas and Eli Kizer, of this county. She was born on the twentieth day of May, 1807, in Shenandoah County, Virginia, and emigrated with her parents in October, 1809, to Clarke County, Ohio. They settled in the uncleared forest on the west side of Mad River, about four miles northwest of Springfield, at which place she was principally raised. She became converted and united with the United Brethren Church in the year 1823, at the age of sixteen years. Subsequently, she united with the Methodist Episcopal Church and remained a faithful and devoted member until her death - she being a church member nearly fifty years. She died as she lived, believing in the saving grace of her Redeemer, in whom she fully trusted in her last moments. She was married to her bereaved husband May 20, 1830, and was the mother of six children - four boys and two girls. One son preceded her to the promised land in infancy. She was a kind companion and affectionate mother, and her absence will be greatly felt in the family circle.

#### Death of Mr. Eli Kizer

One more name is added to the mortuary list of well-known men -- that of Mr. Eli Kizer, who died quite suddenly at his home in German Township, about four or five o'clock yesterday (Tuesday) afternoon, in his fifty-fifth year. Mr. Kizer was in the city and exchanged greetings with many life-long friends on Monday, but was taken ill early Tuesday morning, with his old trouble, pleurisy and cramp colic, and died as above stated. The funeral will be at Lawrenceville tomorrow at 10 a.m. Deceased was a native of the county and always took a deep interest in questions of local and general interest. He was the brother of Mr. Thomas Kizer, County Surveyor.

I.A.2. DAVID KIZER/KEYSER

Born, 12-20-1779, Shenandoah County, Virginia.

Married, 6-23-1806, Shenandoah County, Va. to EVE NAUMAN,  
who was born 7-11-1787, died 9-8-1869.  
Father - Thomas Nauman  
Mother - Elizabeth Huffman

Died, 12-31-1847, German Township, Clark Co., Ohio.

Buried, Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio - Greenmount Cemetery.

CHILDREN OF DAVID AND EVE NAUMAN KIZER:

- a. Phoebe, born 4-20-1807, Shenandoah Co., Va.  
Married, 5-30-1830 to Thomas P. Thomas.  
Died, 2-3-1872, Pike Co., Ohio.  
Buried, Newson Chapel, near Dialton, Ohio.  
Had six children.
- b. Rebecca, born 5-29-1809, Shenandoah Co., Va.  
Married, 12-3-1829 to John Korick/Karch.  
Two daughters; Ruth and Dorothy.
- c. Lydia, born 4-15-1811, Ohio, German Township.  
Married to Isaac Kizer.
- d. Thomas, born 12-18-1812, German Township, Ohio.  
Married, 5-5-1844 to Mary Ann Pattison.  
Died, 12-20-1887, Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio.  
Buried, Ferncliff Cemetery, Springfield, Ohio.  
Had eight children.
- e. Susannah, born 8-17-1815, unmarried, died 6-6-1894,  
Springfield, Ohio, buried in Greenmount Cemetery.
- f. Eli N., born 1-25-1823, German Township.  
Married, 3-10-1846 to Maria Hartman.  
Died, 5-1-1877, German Township.  
Buried, Lawrenceville Cemetery, Lawrenceville, Ohio.  
Had nine children.

I.A.2.f. ELI N. KIZER

Born, 1-25-1823, German Township, Clark Co., Ohio.

Married, 3-10-1846, to MARIA HARTMAN, in Methodist Episcopal Church, German Township; she was born 9-30-1825, in York, Pennsylvania; died, 4-28-1919, Springfield, Ohio; buried, Lawrenceville Cemetery, Ohio; Father - Peter Hartman; Mother - Hannah Myers.

Died, 5-1-1877.

It is thought that Eli was a captain in Company F, Third Regiment, of the Ohio Militia, in 1863.

CHILDREN OF ELI N. AND MARIA HARTMAN KIZER:

- (1) John Wesley, married Mary Bell -----, no issue.
- (2) Sarah Jane, married ----- Griest, three daughters.
- (3) Ketura Ann, born 9-28-1851, German Township.  
Married, 5-1-1873 to Sylvanus Kiblinger.  
Died, 8-4-1884, Green Township, Clark Co., Ohio.
- (4) Lydia, born 1854; married Isaac Overholser; died, 1937, Lawrenceville Cemetery.
- (5) David Thomas, married Belle Wert, no issue.
- (6) Peter Hartman, born 1861, died 1863.
- (7) Benjamin Franklin, married Etta Welchus, one son, one daughter.
- (8) Charles Andrew, born 2-27-1864, German Township.  
Married, 12-25-1888, Dialton, Clark Co., to Mary Priscilla Baker.  
Died, 12-29-1947, Springfield, Ohio.  
Buried, Ferncliff Cemetery, Springfield, Ohio.
- (9) Mary Ellen, born 12-1-1866.  
Married 12-29-1887, Lawrence John Small.  
Two daughters -- Nora and Gertrude.

I.A.2.f.(3) KETURAH ANN KIZER

Born, 9-28-1851, German Township, Clark Co., Ohio.

Married, 5-1-1873 to Sylvanus Kiblinger.  
Born 1856.

Died, 8-4-1884, Green Township, Clark Co., Ohio.

CHILD OF SYLVANUS AND KETURAH KIZER KIBLINGER:

- (a) John, born 1880, Clark Co., Ohio.  
Married, 1903, Mamie Parcels, in Canton, S.D.  
Born, 1885, Dakota Territory.  
Died, 1960, California.  
Died, 1963, Clark Co., Ohio.

CHILD OF JOHN AND MAMIE PARCELLS KIBLINGER:

- (a1) Mildred (Milly), born 1903, South Dakota.  
Married, 1934, Donald McKinney Wallace.



Maria Hartman Kizer  
Eli N. Kizer

David Thomas Kizer  
John Wesley Kizer  
Charles Andrew Kizer  
Benjamin Franklin Kizer  
(left to right)

Sons of Eli N. Kizer





Mary Priscilla  
Baker Kizer

Charles Andrew  
Kizer





Charles Andrew  
and  
Mary Priscilla  
Baker Kizer

50th Anniversary  
December, 1938

Nellie Amie Kizer  
Edith Evelyn Kizer  
Cora Baker Kizer  
(oldest to youngest)  
Daughters of  
Charles and Mary Priscilla  
Kizer





Charles Lawson Kerr  
and  
Cora Baker Kizer Kerr



Marilyn Louise Kerr Sauer



Bentley Fred Sauer, Jr.

I.A.2.f.(8) CHARLES ANDREW KIZER

Born, 2-27-1864, German Township, Clark County, Ohio.

Married, 12-25-1888, Dialton, Ohio, to MARY PRISCILLA BAKER.  
Methodist Church  
Born, 1-24-1867.  
Died, 1-25-1961, Springfield, O.  
Buried Ferncliff Cemetery,  
Springfield, Ohio.  
Father, Henry Harrison Baker.  
Mother, Julia Ann Daugherty.

Died, 1-29-1947, Springfield, Ohio.

Charles A. Kizer graduated from Wittenberg College.  
He was Principal of the Gray Hill and Fulton Schools,  
Springfield. He was also associated with the publishing  
company of Crowell-Collier until 1933.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES A. AND MARY PRISCILLA KIZER:

- (a) Nellie Amie; born, 9-24-1889; married, 6-15-1910,  
to Charles Lee Nissley; died, June, 1963; buried,  
Ferncliff Cemetery.
- (b) Edith Evelyn; born, 12-1-1896; married, 5-9-1918,  
to Lambert Roscoe Smith.
- (c) Cora Baker; born 4-1-1899; married, 12-23-1919,  
to Charles Lawson Kerr; died, 1-15-1978, Pompano  
Beach, Florida; buried, Knollwood Cemetery, Mayfield  
Heights, Ohio.

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CHILD OF CHARLES LEE NISSLEY AND NELLIE AMIE KIZER:

Charles Lee, Jr.; married to Charlotte Rhodes; children,  
Anne and Barbara.

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CHILD OF LAMBERT ROSCOE SMITH AND EDITH EVELYN KIZER:

Valeria (adopted); married to Robert Wolfe; children,  
Martin, Charlotte, others.

I.A.2.f.(8)-(c) CORA BAKER KIZER

Born, 4-1-1899, Springfield, Ohio.

Married, 12-23-1919, to CHARLES LAWSON KERR.

St. Paul's Church,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Born, 11-7-1897, Buckskin Township,  
Ross County, Ohio.

Father - William Patterson Kerr.

Mother - Martha Jane Strader.

Died, 5-22-1972, Cleveland, Ohio.

Buried, Knollwood Cemetery,  
Mayfield Heights, Ohio.

Died, 1-15-1978, Pompano Beach, Florida.

Buried, Knollwood Cemetery, Mayfield Heights, Ohio.

Charles Lawson Kerr was President and Founder of Kerr-Lakeside Industries, Inc., (Mfg.), C. L. Kerr and Associates, Inc. (Sales), and Delker Manufacturing Co., Inc.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES LAWSON AND CORA KIZER KERR:

1. Marjorie Janet; born, 12-31-1920, Springfield, Ohio; married, 1-27-1945, in Cleveland, Ohio, to Robert Hahlen Lease.
2. Richard William; born, 4-15-1926, Cleveland, Ohio; married, 7-4-1952, Lakewood, Ohio, to Rita Marie Gibbons.
3. Marilyn Louise; born, 3-6-1931, Cleveland, Ohio; married, 6-20-1951, in Cleveland, Ohio, to Bentley Fred Sauer, Jr.

I.A.2.f.(8)-(c)-1. MARJORIE JANET KERR

Born, 12-31-1920.

Married, 1-27-1945, in Cleveland, to ROBERT HAHLEN LEASE.  
Born, 8-6-1920.  
Father - Floyd Israel Lease  
Mother - Bertha Hahlen

CHILDREN OF ROBERT HAHLEN AND MARJORIE JANET LEASE:

- a. Nancy Ann; Born, 1-25-1946, Cleveland, Ohio; married, 8-25-1973, to Gregory Alan Osgood; divorced, 1976; no issue.
- b. Robert Kerr; born, 5-22-1948; married, 6-27-1970, in Chagrin Falls, Ohio, to Patricia Linn Grimm; born, 5-12-1948, Father - Peter Grimm, Mother - Jean Linn.
- c. Elizabeth Laurel; born, 9-30-1952, Cleveland, Ohio; married, 8-21-1971, to William Alger Thompson.  
born, 9-20-1949, Father - William Alexander Thompson,  
Mother - Mary Alice Alger.  
Children:  
William Lease; born, 3-1-1972, Mayfield Hts., Ohio.  
Stephen Dennis; born, 12-23-1979, Cleveland, Ohio.

I.A.2.f.(8)-(c)-2. RICHARD WILLIAM KERR

Born, 4-15-1926, Cleveland, Ohio.

Married, 7-4-1952, Lakewood, Ohio, to RITA MARIE GIBBONS.

Born, 5-5-1926.

Father - David Francis  
Gibbons

Mother - Helen Marguerite  
Gallagher

CHILDREN OF RICHARD WILLIAM AND RITA GIBBONS KERR:

- a. Marianne, born 11-28-1953, Cuyahoga, Ohio.
- b. Charles Lawson, II, born 11-6-1955, Cleveland, Ohio.

I.A.2.f.(8)-(c)-3. MARILYN LOUISE KERR

Born, 3-6-1931, Cleveland, Ohio.

Married, 6-20-1951, BENTLEY FRED SAUER, JR., Methodist Church.  
Born, 12-5-1929. *Died. 1-8-1983*  
Father - Bentley Fred Sauer  
Mother - Josephine Marie Curtis

Service Record: Airman First Class Bentley Fred Sauer, Jr.  
Regular Air Force; Jan. 8, 1951 to  
Jan. 8, 1955 (Korean Tour)

Occupation: Vice-President and Manufacturers Representative with C. L. Kerr and Associates, Inc.

CHILDREN OF BENTLEY FRED AND MARILYN KERR SAUER:

- a. Kimberley Anne, b. 6-8-1953, Bainbridge, Md.,  
m. 10-5-1974, to Albert James Hess, Jr.
- b. Paula Jane ("Polly"), b. 11-4-1954, Philadelphia, Pa.,  
m. 8-2-1975, to Kenneth Roland Tomlinson.
- c. Lauri Kay, a twin, b. 11-28-1958, Euclid, Ohio,  
m. 12-27-1980, to Fred Joseph Bucci.
- d. Lynn Ellen, a twin, b. 11-28-1958, Euclid, Ohio,  
m. 5-23-1981, Kenneth John Blood.

I.A.2.f.(8)-(c)-3.a. KIMBERLEY ANNE SAUER

Born, 6-8-1953, Bainbridge, Maryland.

Married, 10-5-1974, Mayfield Village, Ohio, to  
ALBERT JAMES HESS, JR.

Born, 5-8-1952.

Father - Albert James Hess

Mother - Janet Eileen Basler

Divorced, 5-20-1981.

CHILDREN OF ALBERT JAMES AND KIMBERLEY ANNE HESS:

- a1. Janet Lynn, born 12-5-1978, Mayfield Heights, Ohio.
- a2. Corinne Elizabeth, born 7-26-1980, Mayfield Heights, Ohio.

I.A.2.f.(8)-(c)-3.b. PAULA JANE SAUER

Born, 11-4-1954, Philadelphia, Pa.

Married, 8-2-1975, Mayfield Village, Ohio. to

KENNETH ROLAND TOMLINSON.

Born, 3-28-1954.

Father - Richard Paul Tomlinson

Mother - Ann Roop Smith

CHILDREN OF KENNETH ROLAND AND PAULA SAUER TOMLINSON:

b1. Julie Ann, born 12-29-1977, Baltimore, Maryland.

b2. Hannah Elizabeth, born 4-20-1981, Baltimore, Maryland.

I.A.2.f.(8)-(c)-3.c. LAURI KAY SAUER

Born, 11-28-1958, Euclid, Ohio.

Married, 12-27-1980, to FRED JOSEPH BUCCI, in Mayfield  
Village, Ohio.

Born, 8-28-1958.  
Father - Frank Joseph Bucci  
Mother - Elaine Ehas

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I.A.2.f.(8)-(c)-3.d. LYNN ELLEN SAUER

Born, 11-28-1958, Euclid, Ohio.

Married, 5-23-1981, to KENNETH JOHN BLOOD, in Mayfield  
Village, Ohio.

Born, 12-28-1958.  
Father - Truman Blood, Jr.  
Mother - Barbara Waterman

SOURCES OF INFORMATION ABOUT  
CHARLES KEYSER, JR.  
AND  
HIS DESCENDANTS

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2. Photostats of family data filed in Charles Keyser, Jr.'s folder in D. A. R. Library.
3. History of Champaign County, Ohio, by Beers.
4. Family Bibles.
5. Death certificates.
6. Mr. Benjamin H. Kizer, 720 Paulsen Building, Spokane, Washington, 99201.
7. Marilyn Kerr Sauer, great-granddaughter of Eli Kizer. 6744 Wilson Mills Road, Gates Mills, Ohio, 44040.
8. Milly Kiblinger Wallace, great-granddaughter of Eli Kizer.
9. Old newspaper clippings.

I.B. JOHN KEYSER

Born ca. 1754.

Father - Charles Keyser, Sr.

Mother - Elizabeth Grossgloss

Married, 8-30-1791, in Shenandoah County, Virginia, to

CATHERINE RHINEHART

Born, 3-13-1776, Shenandoah County, Va.

Father - Mathias Rhinehart

Mother - Elizabeth Trumbo

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND CATHERINE KEYSER:

1. Elizabeth; born, 12-12-1792; died 1-20-1831.
2. Alexander; married Nancy Koontz; they had 17 children!
3. Christopher; born, 3-19-1799, married Anna Brumback; died, 9-8-1869; he was a Baptist minister.

I.B.3. CHRISTOPHER KEYSER

Born, 3-19-1799, Shenandoah County, Virginia.

Father - John Keyser

Mother - Catherine Rhinehart

Married, 8-10-1820, Shenandoah County, to

ANNA BRUMBACH

Born, 12-19-1798

Father - Henry Brumbach

Mother - Mary Grove

Old School Baptist minister.

CHILDREN OF CHRISTOPHER AND ANNA KEYSER:

- a. Mary Catherine; born, 6-2-1822; married James W. Wright.
- b. Elizabeth Ann; born, 10-3-1823; married Samuel C. Skidmore.
- c. Susan Rebecca; born, 11-29-1824; married, 12-7-1848 to Elder Martin Urner; died, 8-12-1911; one of their children was Charles Keyser Urner, a family historian.
- d. Sarah Ann; born, 10-21-1826; married Oliver P. Hupp.
- e. John Anderson; born 11-30-1829; died, 4-14-1848.
- f. Caroline Abigail; born, 3-30-1831; married Milton Taylor.
- g. Frances Maria; born, 6-10-1832; married Joseph T. Bumgardner.
- h. Henry Marcellus; born, 1-24-1835; married Nannie Kite; died, 10-6-1898; he was a surgeon in Trimble's Brigade, Ewell's Division, Confederate Army. One of his children was Maggie Garr, who married James W. Holt. They were the parents of Pauline Holt Anderson of Philadelphia.
- i. Barbara Ellen; born, 3-11-1838; died, 4-17-1838.
- j. Emily Jane; born, 4-2-1839; married William J. Gailey.
- k. Pamela Margaret; born, 1-25-1841; died, 10-2-1861.

The information on this page and on page 73 was taken from an old letter written by Charles Keyser Urner, 301 D. Street, N.E., Washington, D.C., ca. 1900.

HENRY BRUMBACH

Born, 3-5-1769.

Father - Henry Brumbach

Mother - Anna Kauffman

Married, ca. 1794, to MARY GROVE.

Father - Marcus Grove

Mother - Mary -----.

This couple had 83 grandchildren!

CHILDREN OF HENRY AND MARY BRUMBACH:

1. John; born, 10-29-1795; married Elizabeth Thomas; died, 1-12-1877.
2. Susannah; born, 3-23-1797; married I. David Hershberger, married II. John Roads Burner; died, 8-13-1890.
3. Anna; born, 12-19-1798; married, 8-10-1820 to Elder Christopher Keyser.
4. Barbara; married William Follis Wood.
5. Samuel; married Catherine Grove.
6. Elizabeth; married Isaac Stover.
7. Jacob; married Nancy Grove.
8. Joseph; married Christana Huffman.
9. Mary; married Samuel John Grove.

I.D. \*ANDREW KEYSER

Born, 12-16-1758.

Father - Charles Keyser, Sr.  
Mother - Elizabeth Grossgloss

Married I. 11-23-1784, in Shenandoah County, Va. to

SARAH MARGARET RHINEHART

Born, 12-17-1770, Shenandoah County  
Died, 4-2-1820.  
Father - Mathias Rhinehart  
Mother - Elizabeth Trumbo

Married II. 10-8-1820, to

ELIZABETH GROVE STRICKLER

Born, 9-19-1769, widow of David Strickler, of  
New Market, Va.; they had no children.

Service Record: Andrew served eighteen months as a private in the 9th Virginia Regiment of the Southern Department of the Continental Army. The last year of his life he received a government pension of \$60.00 a year, as a Revolutionary War veteran.

In the Census of 1783, he was listed as head of family with 2 whites, no blacks . . . In the 1785 Census, he was head of family with 3 whites, 1 dwelling and 1 outbuilding.

Died, 11-23-1833; buried in Keyser graveyard on Rt. 648, Luray.

CHILDREN OF ANDREW AND SARAH MARGARET KEYSER:

1. Noah, b. 1-2-1786, Page Co., Va.; m. 3-14-1809, Page Co., Va., to Ann Roads; d. 8-7-1842; buried at his home on Hawksbill River.
2. George, b. 10-2-1789; m. Esther Hershberger; d. 1859.
3. Susannah, b. 9-25-1791; m. Ephraim Trumbo; d. 12-13-1864.
4. Peter, b. 4-12-1793; m.I. Miss Ortz; m.II. Miss Fray; d. 11-7-1870.
5. Mary (Polly), b. 1-28-1795; m. 6-19-1814 to John Cullers.

Children of Andrew and Sarah Margaret Keyser, continued:

6. Lydia, b. 12-25-1796; died in infancy.
7. Margaret, b. 8-7-1798; m. 4-26-1812, to John Reedy.
8. Sarah, b. 6-5-1800; m. 7-11-1817 to Henry Cullers.
9. Lydia, b. 7-10-1801; married Isaac Austin; d. 1-3-1853.
10. Andrew, Jr., b. 3-30-1804; m.I. Mary Brubaker, m.II. Julia Cox; d. 7-20-1876; he was a colonel in the Civil War.
11. Charles III, b. 9-2-1806; m. Amanda Haun; d. 10-18-1891.
12. Michael, b. 1-1-1809; d. 10-14-1815.
13. Able, b. 12-29-1811; d. 1815.
14. Esther, b. 9-2-1816; m. Isaac Dovel; d. 5-2-1891.

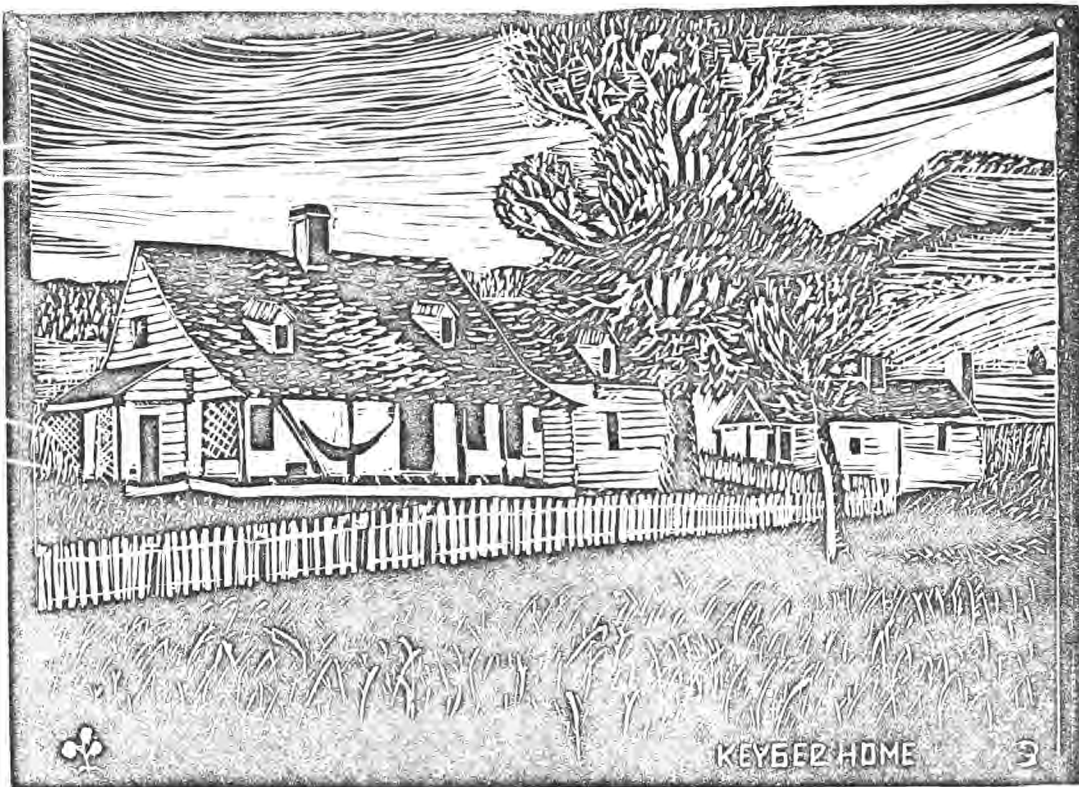
In 1821, Samuel Hurst, age 22, son of Elizabeth Keyser Hurst, drove a herd of cattle to market in Virginia, from his home in Kentucky. While there he visited his uncle, Andrew Keyser, and spoke thus of the trip years later to his son:

"I found him (Andrew Keyser) to be a very wealthy man for that day. He owned a number of slaves and had everything in the way of earthly goods that a man could desire. He was a very positive man and seemed to be master of all his surroundings. He was very kind to me and insisted that I make his home my headquarters while on my visit. I was very much impressed with his orchards and fine fruit. . .

"While there I visited all my mother's relatives living in the neighborhood, and they all appeared glad to see me and referred to me as 'sister Lizzie's boy.'

"I have always considered this as the outstanding trip of my life and I spent many days, after my return home, relating to my father and mother every detail of my visit, which they very much enjoyed. Mother never saw any of her people after we came to Kentucky."

The Hursts of Shenandoah by J. C. Hurst, Lexington, Kentucky, page 64.



Woodcut of Andrew Keyser Home



Andrew Keyser Home  
1967



Andrew Keyser enlisted in the Continental Army in 1780, and served as a private in the company commanded by Captain Conway Oldham of the regiment commanded by Col. Richard Campbell -- the 9th Virginia Regiment of the Southern Department of the Army. On July 23, 1832, he appeared before court, in applying for a pension, and stated: "He was drafted for a tour of duty for eighteen months in the year 1780. He then resided in the County of Shenandoah in Virginia. His rendezvous was at the town of Winchester. There he got a permit to come by his home again, which lay in his route, and was to meet his regiment at Albemarle Barracks. When he arrived at the Barracks, he was informed by an officer that the regiment had passed on. He followed and joined it at James River. From thence we marched on to Mecklenburg, in North Carolina, where we joined the main army, then under General Gates, but which, in three or four days afterwards, was taken command of by General N. Green. Deponent thinks this was in the month of December, 1780. We then marched to the Cheraw Hills. Whilst the main army laid at the Cheraw Hills, Green, having before detached Morgan, Howard, and Washington with their commands, it soon resulted in the Battle of Cowpens, in which Tarlton was defeated. Cornwallis, to regain the losses occasioned by this battle, marched his whole force, in consequence of which it became necessary for Green to fall back from Cheraw; which he did and then kept retreating until he reached Halifax in Virginia. As soon as Green was reinforced, he turned upon the enemy, and after much marching and maneuvering, the armies under Green and Cornwallis met at Guilford Courthouse on the 15th day of March, 1781, and in the toil and struggle of the battle of that day, this deponent bore his full part. We then moved to Camden, and on the 25th of April he was again engaged in battle at that place. From this place we marched for Fort Granby, which, however, was taken by Lee before we arrived. We then continued our march to Ninety-Six, which place we besieged, but Col. Cruger, the commander, being reinforced by Tarlton, we had to raise the siege and retreat; and after some active duty in skirmishing, we took post for about a month at the High Hills of Santee. When we broke up from this place, we marched to Eutaw and was engaged in that bloody and glorious battle, which was fought on the 8th day of September, 1781. In this battle, the commanding colonel of my regiment, Col. Richard Campbell, was killed, and also the Captain of my company, Captain Conway Oldham. We then returned to the Hills of Santee to attend to the wounded and to give the army rest; where we laid about a month, and from thence we marched to a place called

Round O, near Stone (?) -- here our term of service expired on the last day of December, 1781. We were marched, however, from this to Salisbury, a distance of about three hundred miles, where we were discharged.

"After our term of service expired, the soldiers were in the habit, as occasion offered on the march, of getting a discharge written by any person who could write, and then of getting their commanding officer to sign it for them. I accordingly got my sergeant to write a discharge for me (which is the one I now transmit) and then I got Lieut. Jouett, who then commanded my company (our captain having been killed at Eutaw) to sign it, who accordingly did sign it for me. I then took the discharge to Major Edmunds, our commanding major, who, upon looking at it, told me that he had no certificate for the amount of pay which was due me -- that they were then engaged in making out certificates and discharges, and that if I would wait an hour or two, he would give me one in due form. He accordingly gave me, in a few hours afterwards, a discharge signed by himself with a certificate for arrearages of pay annexed to it. This last-mentioned certificate and discharge I sold to Samuel Moore of Rockbridge, and he gave me the receipt which I now transmit, and this is the manner in which I, in fact, got two discharges. He does not know that there is any living witness by whom he can prove the foregoing statement of facts; though he has been informed that there is a fellow-soldier by the name of Peter Crim still living, but his place of residence is unknown to this deponent."

DISCHARGE: "The bearer hereof, Andrew Kiser, soldier in First Virginia Detachment and in Lieut. Jouett's Company, having served to the last day of December, 1781, being the term of his engagement is hereby discharged -- and we certify that he has behaved as a brave and faithful soldier.

Given at Camp this 14th day of Jan'y, 1782.

(signed) Rob't. Jouett"

Receipt for certificate: "This is to certify that I Sam'l. Moore of Rockbridge County bought of Andrew Kiser discharge and certificate for his service in the Virginia Line one eighteen month tour. But it's legal I cannot determin as I have not yet sent it to the Board of War. But it was wrote and sind in the usual way. Given onder my hand this 6th day of June, 1783.

Sam'l. Moore"

The original of this is in the National Archives in Washington, D.C.

• MICHAEL RHEINHARDT/RHINEHART

Died, 1751.

In 1730, Michael purchased land from Jacob Stover, land agent for Lord Fairfax, in the Massanutton Settlement.

In Records of Rev. John Caspar Stoever -- Baptismal and Marriage, 1730-1779, on page 13 there is a notation that Emma Christina, child of Michael Rheinhardt was baptized. The Rev. Stoever was a Lutheran minister.

In the Records of Augusta County, Virginia, 1745-1800, page 21, Michael Rinhart's (sic) inventory was mentioned on March 13, 1751.

CHILDREN OF MICHAEL AND MAGDALENA RHINEHART:

1. Emma Christina, born, 1-26-1739.
2. Ludwig/Lewis, born ca. 1740.
3. Mathias, married before April 6, 1765 to Elizabeth Trumbo.\*
4. Daniel
5. Catherine
6. Michael, - in the Census of 1783, a Michael Rhinehart was listed with 9 whites and no blacks in Shenandoah County.
7. Christian

In Chalkley's Records of Augusta County, quoted above, on page 438, under date May 20, 1752, it is stated that "Matthew (Mathias?), Ludwick, Daniel, Catherine and Christian Rinehart, orphans of Michael Rinehart, deceased, are to be bound out by Ch. Wardens." They were bound to Mathias Selsar - Michael on May 22, 1752, the others on May 22, 1753.

\*I have referred earlier to a deed of December 9, 1790, recorded in Deed Book I, p. 265, of Shenandoah Co., in which Charles, Jr. and Elizabeth Baker Keyser conveyed land to Andrew Keyser which was described as part of land conveyed to Charles Keyser, Sr., by Lewis Rhinehart, Mathias Rhinehart and Elizabeth, his wife, on the 6th and 7th days of April, 1765. This shows that Mathias and Elizabeth were married prior to that.

MATHIAS RHINEHART

Father - Michael Rheinhardt

Mother - Magdalena -----

Married, before 1765, to ELIZABETH TRUMBO.

On p. 87 of Chalkley's Records of Augusta County, Virginia, 1745 to 1800, it was stated that on November 19, 1760 "Jacob Trimbeau (with others) was added to tithables." This could have been Elizabeth's brother.

CHILDREN OF MATHIAS AND ELIZABETH RHINEHART:

1. Sarah Margaret, born, 12-17-1770; married, 11-23-1784, to Andrew Keyser; died, 4-2-1820.
2. George, born, 12-2-1772.
3. Peggy, born, 9-24-1774.
4. Catherine, born, 3-13-1776; married John Keyser.
5. Dolly, born, 1-13-1778.
6. Michael, born, 12-6-1779; married Elizabeth Nawman ?
7. Elizabeth

I.D.1. , NOAH KEYSER

Born, 1-2-1786, Page Co., Virginia.

Father - Andrew Keyser

Mother - Sarah Margaret Rhinehart

Married, 3-14-1809, to ANN ROADS.

Born, 11-22-1789, Page Co., Va.

Died, 8-28-1861, Page Co., Va.

Father - Joseph Roads II

Mother - Magdalene Hottel/Huddle

Buried with Andrew.

Died, 8-7-1842; buried on his farm on the Hawksbill River.

CHILDREN OF NOAH AND ANN KEYSER:

- a. Mary, born 5-21-1810, Page County; married, 11-17-1829 to Peter Price.
- b. Jacob, born, 12-16-1812, Page County; married I. 1-22-1839 to Susan Frances Burner, married II. 2-22-1855 to Virginia Ann Chandler Field; died, 3-17-1895, Palestine, Missouri.
- c. Joseph Roads, born 12-10-1814, never married; died 8-23-1886, Civil War Veteran.
- d. John Ambrose, born, 12-11-1816; died, 9-28-1834.
- e. Andrew Jackson, born, 5-21-1819; married Lucy Ann Roads.
- f. William Gabriel, born, 3-24-1821; died, 3-9-1863; married Mary Shenk.
- g. Elizabeth Ann, born, 6-6-1823; married Joseph M. Fray.
- h. Sarah Ann, born, 6-14-1828; married Milton Biedler.
- i. Samuel Edwin, born, 8-26-1828; died, 4-11-1833.
- j. Noah Hampson, born, 9-3-1830; died, 1-10-1894; married, 12-18-1867 to Annie Cassandra Miller.
- k. Edward Thomas, born, 3-8-1834; died, 2-20-1916; married, 11-15-1859 to Mary Williams.
- l. Lafayette, born, 7-15-1836; died, 1-2-1837.



Home of  
Noah Keyser  
on the banks of  
the Hawksbill River



Noah Hampson Keyser



Ann Roads Keyser

Noah Keyser was born January 2<sup>nd</sup> in the year of our Lord 1786

Ann Keyser (Ann Roads) wife of Noah Keyser was born November 22<sup>nd</sup> in the year of our Lord 1789

Mary Keyser Daughter of Noah Keyser and Ann his wife was born May 21<sup>st</sup> in the year of our Lord 1810

Jacob Keyser Son of Noah Keyser and Ann his wife was born December the 16<sup>th</sup> in the year of our Lord 1812

Joseph Roads Keyser son of Noah Keyser and Ann his wife was born December the 10<sup>th</sup> in the year of our Lord 1814

John Ambrose Keyser son of Noah Keyser and Ann his wife was born December the 11<sup>th</sup> in the year of our Lord 1816

Died on the 11 day of April 1833 after a short but a severe spell of scarlet fever Samuel Edwin Keyser son of Noah & Ann Keyser aged 4 Years 7 Months & 16 days

John Ambrose Keyser son of Noah Keyser & Ann his wife died on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D. 1834

Lafayette Keyser son of Noah Keyser & Ann his wife died on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January A.D. 1837

Died on Sunday night the 7 day of August 1802 at half after 9 o'clock after 4 weeks illness of an affection of the neck from thence lived about 4 months

Noah Keyser son of Ananias Keyser & Sarah Magrath his wife died 56 Years 7 Months & 16 days

MARRIAGES.

Noah Keyser and Ann Roads were mar-  
-ried together on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, in the  
year of our Lords 1809

(Noah Keyser - Son of Andrew Keyser + Sarah Margaret Kinsinger  
Born Jan 2 - 1784 - Died Aug 7 - 1842

Ann Roads - born Nov 2 - 1789 - Died Aug 28, 1861)

FAMILY RECORD.

MARRIAGES.

Peter Rice and Mary Ann  
born in ... on ...  
1<sup>st</sup> day of November in this year  
of our Lord 1829

Edward J. Hayes and Mary Williams were  
married on 15<sup>th</sup> day of November in the  
year of our Lord 1859

Robert Forrest Hayes son of Edward J. Hayes and  
Mary his wife was born on Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April  
in the year of our Lord 1866 about 11 o'clock

A. H. Keyes & Annie Miller were married  
Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> 1867

Frank R. Miller Hayes was born  
on the 9<sup>th</sup> of Nov. 1868  
son of A. H. Keyes & Annie his wife

John Andrew Keyes son of A. H. Keyes  
& Annie Keyes was born Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1871

Charles Hampson Keyes was born  
May 20<sup>th</sup> 1873. Son of A. H. & Annie Keyes

Sella Light Keyes was born 8<sup>th</sup> month  
1875. Daughter of A. H. & Annie Keyes  
1875 ... of ... his wife

May 5 1874  
Lillian Keyes was born  
daughter of A. H. & Annie Keyes

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ing of Judea?  
Lord God a  
Euphrates: and  
sea, the Lord is with  
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did not turn back his cha- 2 Chr. 35  
ndertook to fight with him,  
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FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

Andrew Jackson Kepper  
son of Noah Kepper and Ann his  
wife, was born May the 21<sup>st</sup>  
in the year of our Lord 1819

William Gabriel Kepper  
son of Noah Kepper and  
Ann his wife, was born  
March the 24<sup>th</sup> in the  
year of our Lord 1821

Elizabeth Ann Kepper  
Daughter of Noah Kepper  
and Ann his wife was  
born June 4<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1823

Sarah Ann Kepper Daughter  
of Noah Kepper and Ann  
his wife, was born June 14<sup>th</sup>  
Anno Domini 1825

Samuel Edwin Kepper  
son of Noah Kepper and  
Ann his wife was born  
August 26<sup>th</sup> day A.D. 1828

Noah Humphrey Kepper  
son of Noah Kepper and Ann  
his wife was born September  
December 1830  
of our Lord

Lafayette Kepper  
son of Noah Kepper  
and his wife was  
born July 15<sup>th</sup> 1836

Edward H. Kepper  
son of N. Kepper and Ann  
his wife was born March  
27<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1834

William Lee Kepper son of  
Edward S. Kepper and Ma-  
ry his wife was born Sept  
9<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1864

William G. Kepper departed  
this life of Monday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of  
March 1865 aged forty one years  
closed near the 47<sup>th</sup> day in the  
enjoyment of a well deserved hope  
of a blissful immortality

Ann Kepper widow and widow  
of T. S. Kepper died departed  
this life in the enjoyment  
of a well hope through grace  
of a happy resurrection on  
the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861  
aged seventy one years nine  
months and six days

Noah Humphrey Kepper  
died June 10 1894

Kepper son of  
his wife was born  
3A

1861



THE ROADS FAMILY  
THE STRICKLER FAMILY  
THE HOTTEL FAMILY



• THE REVEREND JOHN ROADS (HANS ROTH)

Born in Zurich, Switzerland; came to Virginia in 1728.

Married to EVA ALBRIGHT, also born in Switzerland.

Both died in August, 1764.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND EVA ROADS:

1. Joseph; born ca.1730-34; married to Mary Strickler.
2. Michael; born, 5-1-1749; married, 3-26-1782 to Ann Strickler; died, 10-11-1819.

In 1764 Michael was carried off by the Indians. Three years later he returned home. He served in the Revolution. In the Virginia Census of Shenandoah County for 1783, he was listed as head of family with 3 whites and no blacks. In the 1785 Census, he had 5 whites, 1 dwelling and 1 outbuilding.

3. Daniel; died young; massacred?
4. Susannah; married Mark Grove.
5. Anna; married Christian Grove.
6. Elizabeth; born in 1752; married Jacob Gochenour.
7. A Son; massacred in 1764.
8. Esther; born ca. 1762; married Dr. Jacob Coffman.

Two other sons and a daughter also were massacred in 1764.

### THE ROADS MASSACRE

Prior to August, 1764,"the Roads family, together with the other pioneer families who settled the Massanutten patent, had lived at Hope Farm for some thirty-six years." The Roads massacre took place in the latter part of August, 1764. . . "It was after the evening meal...when the Reverend Roads was standing in his doorway, as the shadows of Kennedy's Peak lengthened across the Valley. There was a sharp report from the underbrush in the shadows, and Roads fell dead from a rifle shot.

"Mrs. Roads and one son ran to the preacher's aid, only to be met by a fusillade of deadly rifle fire from the direction of the forest. They met instant death.

"One of the sons was at a distance of about 150 yards from the house, in a cornfield. Hearing the report of the guns, he ascended a pear tree to see what it meant. There he was discovered by an Indian and instantly shot.

"A third poor young lad attempted to save himself by flight and to cross the river, and was pursued and killed in the river. The place is called Bloody Ford to this day.

"The enemy demanded of the youth in the yard where his father kept his money. He was told that if he did not immediately point out the place, they would kill him, but if he would show them the money, his life would be spared. On his declaring that he could not tell them, he was instantly shot and fell dead.

"Mr. Roads's oldest daughter, Elizabeth, only twelve, caught up her little sister, Esther, a child about sixteen to eighteen months old, ran into the barn and secured the door. An Indian discovered and pursued her, and attempted to force open the door; but not succeeding, he, with many oaths and threats, ordered her to open it. On her refusing, the fellow ran back to the house to get fire, and while he was gone, Elizabeth crept out of a hole in the opposite side of the barn, and, with her little sister in her arms, ran frantically but courageously through a field of tall hemp, crossed the river at the ford, and made her way to the home of her brother, Joseph, at Ida, some twelve miles away. Remains of the old barn are yet to be seen. . .(This in 1967).

"The Indian party moved off, taking with them two of the sons and a girl about ten. The youngest of the prisoners was a weak, sickly little boy eight or nine years of age. He, of course, was not able to stand the fatigue of travelling, and crossing the head of Powell's Fort, in the neighborhood of New Market Gap, they scalped and killed him. His sister, then refusing to go any further with them, was barbarously murdered, and her body left a prey for wolves and other beasts. The other boy, Michael, about fifteen, under the stress of these terrible events, was taken off into what was known as the Ohio Country, and remained about three years in captivity before he returned home. Little is known about his experiences with the Indians during those three years, and, strangely enough, he left no record of those events except incidental comments.

"The seven dead were John Roads and his wife, the former Eva Albright, three sons killed in the massacre, one son and one daughter killed on the mountain.

"Michael, on his return, made his home with his brother, Joseph, at Ida. Michael told his brother that the scalps of the murdered family were sold to the French for \$15.00.

"The six survivors of the tragedy were Joseph, who married Mary Strickler, daughter of Abraham, the pioneer; Michael, fifteen, who spent three years with the Indians and later married Ann Strickler, daughter of Benjamin, son of Abraham; Susan, who married Mark Grove; Ann, the wife of Christian Grove; Esther, the infant whom Elizabeth carried across the river to safety", and, of course, Elizabeth.

There is a limestone memorial to the victims, erected on the spot of the burned house in 1924 by their descendants.

from OLD HOMES OF PAGE COUNTY, VIRGINIA

by Jennie Ann Kerkhof, pp. 205-210

✓ JOSEPH ROADS I

Born ca. 1730-34, Page County, Va. (then Shenandoah Co.)  
Father - The Rev. John Roads  
Mother - Eva Albright

Married, ca. 1754, to MARY ELIZABETH STRICKLER  
Father - Abraham Strickler  
Mother - Mary Ruffner  
After Joseph Roads' death, his wife  
married Jacob Huddle, and moved to  
the Crabill Farm near Maurertown, Va.

Died, August, 1766.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND MARY ELIZABETH ROADS:

1. Mary Ann; married 3-13-1783 to Joseph Burner.
2. John II; born, 1761, married 3-25-1783 to Catherine Brubaker.
  - a. Abraham
  - b. John III
  - c. Mary, married John Ruffner
  - d. Elizabeth, married Martin Beaver
  - e. Barbara, married ----- Reese
3. Joseph II; born ca. 1762; married to Magdalene Huddle.

FROM THE VIRGINIA STAR, CULPEPER, VIRGINIA, DEC. 22, 1936

"OLD LEGEND RECOUNTS EXPLOITS OF SHENANDOAH BEAR TRAPPER"

Skyland, Dec. 21 -- Among legends and authentic history gathered for future generations, as well as present visitors to the Shenandoah National Park, is the story of Joseph Rhodes (Roads), miller, bear feeder, and bear trapper, and how "Trapping Spring", located near Skyland, the famous summer resort, got its name.

Joe Rhodes (son of the Reverend John Roads) whose prowess with native animals gave the spring its name, lived before Page County was separated from other counties, shortly after the red man ruled the Shenandoah Valley. He is said to be a relative of the Rhodes family that was massacred by Indians near Bixlers Ferry.

A. T. S. Somers, 90, of Ida, a Confederate veteran, recalls well stories his father, Isaac Somers, told of Rhodes' prowess. Joe Rhodes was mill owner and operator who lived near the Ida Valley homestead site. Evidence of the mill still can be seen a few hundred yards east of the brick mansion owned by Hunter Laughton, of Washington, which was built by Rhodes' son more than a hundred years ago. A race and forebay furnished the power for the plant from the Hawksbill Creek.

Rhodes made flour, cracked corn into hominy with his "beater", and made buckwheat flour. His sawmill was an adjunct to his grist mill. Rhodes had his "bear houses" on what is known as "John Miller Mountain", a transverse spur of the Blue Ridge that juts out from the main ridge in the neighborhood of Skyland.

Here he built his bear dens of the heaviest logs he could assemble. Every old horse, cow and sheep on Rhodes' farm that became worthless was killed and dragged to the "John Miller Mountain" bear house, taken to the opening at the top, dropped in and offered a lure for every hungry bear that roamed. Each spring Rhodes, with his six-horse team, took his bear hides to the city markets, going through what is now Luray. He also had wildcat, deer, and coon pelts for the city markets.

The late Isaac Somers said it took him fifteen or twenty days to make the trip, always coming back with enough household commodities to last until another sale of his pelts.

Once inside the bear pen, it was impossible for the animals to get out. Climbing up the slanting insides of the pens was an impossibility for the entrapped bruins. They made bear meat for Rhodes and his children.

JOSEPH ROADS II

Born, ca. 1762.

Father - Joseph Roads I  
Mother - Mary Elizabeth Strickler

Married, ca. 1787 to MAGDALENE HUDDLE/HOTTEL

Born, 8-14-1759.  
Father - Charles Hottel  
Mother - Barbara -----.

Died, ca. 1814.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND MAGDALENE ROADS:

1. Ann; born, 11-22-1789; married, 3-14-1809 to Noah Keyser; died, 8-28-1861.
2. Susannah; born 2-19-1792; married to William R. Almond. Their son, Joseph Roads Almond, married Sarah Perry. The son of that marriage, Joseph Wheeler Almond, married Leila Leigh Keyser. See Keyser Family, Almond line.
3. Joseph III; born ca. 1793; married, 11-16-1812 to Nancy Lionberger. She later married Jacob Lincoln, Abraham Lincoln's uncle.
4. Barbara; born, 3-7-1794; married Edward J. Almond.
5. John Huddle; born 4-7-1796; married Nancy Almond.

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Source: Records in Woodstock Court House, Shenandoah Co., Va., Compiled by Faith S. Daskam, Oct. 29, 1940.

Book K, p. 33: Inventory personal estate Joseph Roads, Sr., dec'd. dated Jan. 2, 1815.

Book M, p. 117: Settlement of estate of Joseph Roads, Sr., 1822:

Paid Magd'n. Roads, widow, being her dower	..£785.6.5½
Paid Noah Keyser for his wife Ann's share	..£314.2.7
Paid Edward Almond for his wife Barbara's share	..£314.2.7
Paid Joseph Roads, Jr.	..£314.2.7
Paid John H. Roads	..£314.2.7
Sum retained by William R. Almond in right of his wife Susannah's share in full	..£314.2.7

✧ ABRAHAM STRICKLER

Born, ca. 1670, in Horgen, in the Canton of Zurich, on the west shore of Lake Zurich. He came to America in 1700, and lived in Lancaster Co., Pa. near the Susquehanna River. Settled at Massanutton in 1725. Called the home he built "Egypt". He was a weaver by trade.

Married MARY RUFFNER, sister of Peter Ruffner, another pioneer.

Died, 1746.

CHILDREN OF ABRAHAM AND MARY STRICKLER:

1. Jacob
2. Joseph
3. Benjamin, married Mary Biedler, died in 1791.
4. John
5. Mary Elizabeth, married ca. 1754 to Joseph Roads.
6. Isaac
7. Abraham, Jr., he may have remained in Pennsylvania.

On page 16 of Chalkley's Records of Augusta Co., Va., 1745-1800: "April 14, 1746, Abraham Strickler's widow refuses to administer."

"According to Harry M. Strickler in Forerunners, Abraham Strickler was born in the Canton of Zurich, in Switzerland, before 1700 -- probably as early as 1670. He was an expert weaver, and may have learned his trade in his own country, or, if he resided in Holland for several years as many of the Swiss emigrants did, he may have learned his trade there.

"Before 1730 he migrated to the Shenandoah Valley and settled at 'Mesenuttin in Gerundo' (Massanutten in Page Co., then Shenandoah Co. This was the first white settlement in the Valley.) He received a deed for 1000 acres from Jacob Stover in 1735."

From OLD HOMES OF PAGE COUNTY, VIRGINIA

by Jennie Kerkhof, p. 6.

• JOHANNES (JOHN) HOTTEL

Born, ca. 1700, in Switzerland.

Married, ca. 1720, in Switzerland, to MARGARET -----

Died, ca. November, 1760.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND MARGARET HOTTEL:

1. Charles (Carl); born, 1722, in Europe; married to Barbara -----; died, 9-12-1814.
2. John (Johannes); born, 1724.
3. Henry (Heinrich); born, 1726.
4. George (Jerich); born, 1728; were in Augusta Co. on 11-26-1787. (Chalkley's Records).
5. Barbara Anna; born, 1730; m. George Keller; nine children.

John brought his family to Philadelphia on the ship Pennsylvania Merchant (Captain John Stedman), leaving from Rotterdam, arriving in Philadelphia on September 11, 1732. They are listed in Penna-German Pioneers, by Strassberger and Hinke.

Many of the emigrants from Switzerland and the Palatinate left their homes because of religious persecution. We can assume this is what motivated John to bring his family of five children on such an uncertain and surely uncomfortable trip.

He lived for eighteen years in Northern Bucks County, Pa.

On August 30, 1750, he purchased 341 acres from Lord Fairfax, and spent the rest of his life there on the headwaters of Tom's Brook, not far from the village of Tom's Brook, six miles north of Woodstock, Va.

He made his will on August 11, 1760. It was probated in Frederick County at Winchester on November 5, 1760.

• CHARLES (CARL) HOTTEL

Born, ca. 1722, in Europe.

Married, BARBARA -----

Died, 9-12-1814.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND BARBARA HOTTEL:

1. John, born 1747.
2. Jacob\*, born 1749, died June, 1813.
3. Barbara, born 1751, died 1812, m. Philip Werner (Varner)
4. Solomon, born 1753.
5. Mary, born 1755.
6. Elizabeth, born 1758.
7. Magdalene, born 8-14-1759, married ca. 1787 to Joseph Roads, II. Charles, in his will, left Magdalene 163 acres of land.
8. Joseph, born 1761.
9. Daniel, born 1763.
10. Anna, born 1765.
11. Susannah, born 1767.

Charles evidently preceded his father to Virginia by two years. He eventually owned 1318 acres of land in Shenandoah County.

\*Jacob married Mary Elizabeth Strickler Roads, the widow of Joseph Roads I, who died in 1766, and the daughter of Abraham and Mary Ruffner Strickler. She must have been years older than Jacob. They had no issue.

PHILIP WERNER (changed to VARNER)

Born, 1746 on the Elbe River in Alsace, Germany.

Died, 1830, Page Co., Virginia.

Married: 1-30-1775, to BARBARA HOTTEL.

Born, 1751, near Tom's Brook,  
Shenandoah Co., Va.

Died, 1812, Page Co., Va.

Father - Charles (Carl) Hottel

Mother - Barbara -----

CHILDREN OF PHILIP AND BARBARA VARNER:

1. John, b. 10-29-1775.
2. Barbara, b. 1-29-1777.
3. Magdalene
4. David, b. 1-3-1782.
5. Daniel, b. 1785.
6. Martin
7. Elizabeth

SOURCES OF INFORMATION  
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ANDREW AND NOAH KEYSER,  
THE RHINEHART, ROADS, STRICKLER,  
AND HOTTEL FAMILIES

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DESCENDANTS OF  
JACOB KEYSER

THE MISSOURI BRANCH OF THE FAMILY

I.D.I.B. \* JACOB KEYSER

Born, 12-16-1812, Page Co., Va.  
Father - Noah Keyser  
Mother - Ann Roads

Died, 3-17-1895, Palestine, Mo.

Married I., 1-22-1839, to SUSAN FRANCES BURNER  
Born, 4-9-1815, Page Co., Va.  
Died, 3-23-1852, of tuberculosis, in Fayette, Mo.  
Father - John Roads Burner\*  
Mother - Elizabeth Strickler\*

CHILDREN OF JACOB AND SUSAN BURNER KEYSER:

- (1) Mary Isabella; born, 11-25-1839, Pisgah, Mo.; married, 2-5-1857, in New Franklin, Howard Co., Mo., to James Archer Taylor, had 11 children; died, 3-15-1886, Calhoun, Mo.
- (2) John Newton; born, 9-17-1841, Palestine, Mo.; married, 12-20-1887 in Louisiana, Mo., to Ida F. Miller; died, 6-29-1912, Fayette, Mo.
- (3) Anne Elizabeth (Nannie); born, 3-3-1844; died, 10-21-1922, no issue.
- (4) Eliza Jane (Jennie); born, 10-10-1845; died, 2-4-1923.
- (5) Joseph Linn; born, 11-11-1847, Palestine, Mo.; died, 4-21-1934, Elko, Nevada; married on 12-30-1875 to Margaret Ferguson Yeates; they had three children.
- (6) Emma Susan; born, 1-9-1850; died, 2-1-1850.
- (7) Charles Lee; born, 12-6-1850; died, 2-15-1851.
- (8) Edwin Burner; born, 12-31-1851, died, 9-21-1852.

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\*JOHN ROADS BURNER, b. 8-30-1788, d. 10-4-1860  
Father - Joseph Burner  
Mother - Mary Ann Roads  
Married, 3-13-1783

\*ELIZABETH STRICKLER, b. 7-12-1793, d. 10-23-1838  
Father - Isaac Strickler

I.D.1.b. † JACOB KEYSER

Married II., 2-22-1855, to VIRGINIA ANN CHANDLER FIELD  
Born, 12-2-1822, in Louisa Co., Va., she was  
the widow of Dr. John W. Field.  
Died, 11-14-1911, Harrisburg, Boone Co., Mo.  
Father - Leroy Chandler  
Mother - Eloisa Copeland

CHILDREN OF JACOB AND VIRGINIA ANN KEYSER:

- (9) C. Leroy; born, 3-11-1856, New Franklin, Mo.;  
died, 1-8-1902, Mangum, Oklahoma, unmarried.
- (10) Edward Roads; born, 3-24-1858; died ca. 1939,  
Elko, Nevada.
- (11) Robert Emmett; born, 3-24-1858; married, 11-18-1898,  
in Salt Lake City, Utah, to Grace Crockett; had an  
apricot orchard in Hayward, California.
- (12) Virginia Temple; born, 1-2-1861; died 10-21-1872,  
Fayette, Mo.
- (13) William Almond; born, 4-23-1862; died, 8-5-1913,  
Fayette, Mo.
- (14) Eloise Copeland; born, 10-23-1864; married, 12-7-1892,  
in First Baptist Church, Fayette, Mo. to Joseph  
Eugene Sutherland.

New Fayette Howard Co. Md. 11<sup>th</sup> March 1871

Bro. Samp

This leaves us in good health + plenty to eat - I would like much to have some fresh shad + some plates of Paris to try to improve a rather poor farm, I bought some 2 1/2 miles north of Fayette, the County seat of Howard Co. Can you ascertain the probable cost of a barrel of each? Let me know immediately. Does one of Sarah Biddle's sons still live with Alexandria. if so I will write to him, you can see from my writing that it is quite a task for me to write now, hard work + age is beginning to tell upon me now very plainly. I would like you to get Col. Spiller to make a full statement of the various land sales + send it to me for the satisfaction of my Children - we have had some pretty weather in the last 10 days, but yesterday evening it began to rain + this morning the whole country is covered with snow + looks like the beginning of winter, though not very cold, Our wheat looks promising; I have one young Colt, 20 from yesterday's morning + expect 2 more in about a month, have 3 young calves + have sold a cow + calf a week ago for \$50.00 + pigs + lambs a fair number + "Ole Mifs" has 13 young chickens, + looking out for more soon, would like to receive an acct. of how our <sup>sister</sup> Pro<sup>s</sup> are getting along with any other information you can think of, are you acquainted with Mr Gideon Brown, if so where does he live +? I have heard nothing from Mary J. Taylor \* for a long time, if you hear from her let me know, Mr. Skamilton & are at home, Eliza Jane has been at Col. Chat Cutler in Cooper Co. Md. + thus a year - presents me kindly to Scales + the babes + believe me affectionately

Your eldest Mr.

writes very soon

Jacob Keyser



-- Jacob Keyser



Joseph Linn Keyser --



Margaret Yeates Keyser

I.D.1.b.(2) JOHN NEWTON KEYSER

Born, 9-17-1841, Palestine, Missouri  
Father - Jacob Keyser  
Mother - Susan Frances Burner

Married, 12-20-1887, to IDA MILLER, at Louisiana, Mo. by  
the Rev. J. Foley Kemper.  
Born, 2-18-1856, Mt. Green, Washington, Va.  
Died, 1-31-1941, Fayette, Mo.  
Father - Benjamin Franklin Miller  
Mother - Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning

Died, 6-29-1912.

CHILDREN OF JOHN NEWTON AND IDA MILLER KEYSER:

- (a) Fannie Browning; born, 11-28-1888; married, 5-30-1916,  
to John William Creson; died, 5-15-1966.
- (b) Virginia Newton; born, 3-25-1890; married, 2-25-1914,  
to John Virgil Gander; died, 8-16-1968.

A notation in the family Bible of Jacob Keyser, now in the possession of his great-grandson, Joseph E. Keyser, of Portland, Oregon, states that the Rev. James Foley Kemper married his sister-in-law, Miss Ida F. Miller, of Washington, Rappahannock County, Virginia, to John Newton Keyser, of Fayette, Howard County, Missouri, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Judd McCune, in Louisiana, Pike County, Missouri, on December 20, 1887. Foley Kemper was the husband of Ida Miller's older sister, Laura, who was a patient in the psychiatric hospital at Staunton, Virginia.

Ida Miller Keyser



John Newton Keyser

I.D.1.b.(2)-(a) FANNIE BROWNING KEYSER

Born, 11-28-1888, Fayette, Mo.  
Father - John Newton Keyser  
Mother - Ida Miller

Married, 5-30-1916, to JOHN WILLIAM CRESON  
Born, 7-27-1888, Higbee, Randolph Co., Mo.  
Died, 4-8-1967.  
Father - James Monroe Creson  
Mother - Sallie Bett Robb

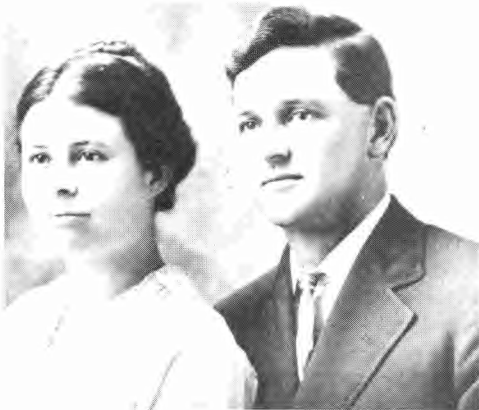
Died, 5-15-1966.

CHILDREN OF JOHN WILLIAM AND FANNIE KEYSER CRESON:

1. Ida Elizabeth; born, 10-5-1919, Fayette, Mo.;  
married, 5-30-1946, Peoria, Ill. to John Edward  
Hunter; divorced, 9-5-1974.
2. John James; born, 1-18-1926; married, 3-28-1948,  
Fayette, Mo. to Hattie Mae Smith.



John Newton 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  
 1. ~~Jacob~~ Keyser 5. Virgil Gander 6. Fannie Browning  
 Keyser  
 7. Ida Miller Keyser 8. Virginia Newton  
 Keyser



Mr. & Mrs. John William Creson  
 (Fannie Browning Keyser)  
 1916



John  
 James  
 Creson  
 1946



Ida Elizabeth Creson  
Hunter

1945

John Edward Hunter  
1951



I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-1. IDA ELIZABETH CRESON

Born, 10-5-1919, Fayette, Mo.

Father - John William Creson

Mother - Fannie Browning Keyser

Married, 5-30-1946, to JOHN EDWARD HUNTER

Born, 10-24-1924, Peoria, Illinois

Father - John Truman Hunter

Mother - Dorothy Annie Belle Bryant

Divorced, 9-5-1974.

CHILDREN OF JOHN EDWARD AND IDA ELIZABETH HUNTER:

- a. Abigail Florence; born, 1-30-1948; died, 1-31-1948.
- b. John Franklin; born, 12-11-1950, Shawnee, Oklahoma; married, 8-29-1970, in St. Louis, Mo. to Sandra Earlene McGraw.
- c. James Edward; born, 2-10-1953, Shawnee, Oklahoma; married, 11-4-1978, in St. Louis, Mo. to Mary B. Urich.
- d. Annabel Browning; born, 9-13-1956, Fayette, Mo.; married, 6-7-1975, Callaway Co., Mo. to Stephen James Staats.
- e. Holly Idabeth; born, 9-3-1959, Fayette, Mo.; married I. to Timothy Wayne Tice, divorced in May, 1979; married II. 12-8-1979, in Wichita, Kan. to Roger Dean Fischer.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-1.b. JOHN FRANKLIN HUNTER

Born, 12-11-1950, Shawnee Oklahoma.  
Father - John Edward Hunter  
Mother - Ida Elizabeth Creson

Married, 8-29-1970, in St. Louis, Mo. to SANDRA EARLENE McGRAW.

Born, 3-1-1947, Doniphan, Missouri.  
Father - Lucilious Albertine McGraw  
Mother - Jane Choate

CHILDREN OF JOHN FRANKLIN AND SANDRA HUNTER:

- b1. John Jeffrey, born, 9-30-1972, Fort Bragg, N.C.
- b2. Jennifer Lynn, born, 9-22-1974, Fayette, Mo.
- b3. Jamie Alan, born, 3-12-1976, Fayette, Mo.
- b4. Joy Elizabeth, born, 7-3-1980, Columbia, Mo.

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-1.c. JAMES EDWARD HUNTER

Born, 2-10-1953, Shawnee, Oklahoma.  
Father - John Edward Hunter  
Mother - Ida Elizabeth Creson

Married, 11-4-1978, in St. Louis, Mo. to MARY B. URICH.

Born, 3-25-1954.  
Father - C. Harry Urich  
Mother - Thelma Henrietta Moore

I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-1.d. ANNABEL BROWNING HUNTER

Born, 9-13-1956, Fayette, Mo.

Father - John Edward Hunter

Mother - Ida Elizabeth Creson

Married, 6-7-1975, in Callaway Co., Missouri to:

STEPHEN JAMES STAATS.

Born, 2-12-1951, Fulton, Mo.

Father - Benjamin Kelly Staats

Mother - Lois Frances Stephenson

CHILDREN OF STEPHEN AND ANNABEL STAATS:

d1. Janice Lynn, born, 10-6-1978, Columbia, Mo.

d2. David Nicholas, born, 12-3-1979, Columbia, Mo.

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-1.e. HOLLY IDABETH HUNTER

Born, 9-3-1959, Fayette, Mo.

Father - John Edward Hunter

Mother - Ida Elizabeth Creson

Married I. to TIMOTHY WAYNE TICE.

Father - Jack Marshall Tice

Mother - Mary Elizabeth Van Horn

Divorced in May, 1979.

CHILD OF TIMOTHY AND HOLLY TICE:

Joshua Lee Marshall, born, 9-11-1977, Wichita, Kansas.

Married II. to ROGER DEAN FISCHER, 12-8-1979, Wichita, Kan.

Born, 5-28-1953, Pratt, Kansas.

Father - Arthur William Fischer

Mother - Bertha Margaret Goetz

I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-2. JOHN JAMES CRESON

Born, 1-18-1926, Fayette, Mo.

Father - John William Creson

Mother - Fannie Browning Keyser

Married, 3-28-1948, Fayette, Mo., to

HATTIE MAE SMITH

Born, 1-21-1931

Father - Elois Edward Smith

Mother - Edith Mae Taylor

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND HATTIE CRESON:

- a. Edith Mae; born, 3-15-1949, Fayette, Mo.; married, March, 1967, to Edward O'Brien.
- b. James Monroe; born, 9-5-1950, Fayette, Mo.; married, 7-7-1973, Fayette, Mo., to Cherine Marie Brannon.
- c. William Edward; born, 8-27-1952, Columbia, Mo.; married, 4-4-1971, to Judy Smith.
- d. John Joseph; born, 10-7-1953, Boonville, Mo.; married, 4-5-1975, to Ellen Elizabeth Turley.
- e. Paul Elvis; born, 1-15-1958, Columbia, Mo.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-2.a. EDITH MAE CRESON

Born, 3-15-1949.

Father - John James Creson

Mother - Hattie Mae Smith

Married, March, 1967, to EDWARD EUGENE O'BRIEN.

Father - Edward O'Brien.

Mother - Helen -----.

Divorced.

Edith is a secretary at Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Missouri.

CHILDREN OF EDWARD AND EDITH O'BRIEN:

a1. William Edward, born, 3-22-1969, Columbia, Ga.

a2. Jenna Rachel, born, 11-19-1972, Columbia, Ga.

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-2.b. JAMES MONROE CRESON

Born, 9-5-1950, Fayette, Mo.

Father - John James Creson

Mother - Hattie Mae Smith

Married, 9-7-1973, to CHERINE MARIE BRANNON.

Born, 9-13-1951, in Scott's Bluff, Nebraska.

Father - Carl Brannon

Mother -

He joined the Air Force, 9-1-1968, and trained in Electronics. In 1981, he is stationed in the Azores.

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND CHERINE CRESON:

b1. Casey James, born, 7-8-1974, California.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-2.c. WILLIAM EDWARD CRESON

Born, 8-27-1952, Columbia, Mo.  
Father - John James Creson  
Mother - Hattie Mae Smith

Married I. 4-4-1971, to JUDY EUGENIA SMITH.  
Born, 1-23-1953.  
Father - Raymond Smith  
Mother - Emma -----

Divorced.

Married II. to VIRGINIA MAE WOLKEN.  
Born,  
Father - Gabriel John Wolken  
Mother - Theresa Helen -----

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND JUDY CRESON:

- c1. William Edward Jr., born, 6-21-1972, Charleston, S.C.
- c2. Heather Renee, born, 1-23-1974, Charleston, S.C.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND VIRGINIA CRESON:

- c3. Matthew Linn, born, 10-19-1980, Jefferson City, Mo.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(a)-2.d. JOHN JOSEPH CRESON

Born, 10-7-1953, Boonville, Mo.  
Father - John James Creson  
Mother - Hattie Mae Smith

Married, 4-5-1975, to ELLEN ELIZABETH TURLEY.  
Born, 7-23-1953.  
Father - William Turley  
Mother - Gerry -----  
Her parents ran a store in tiny village of Lamine.  
She is a graduate of Drury College in Springfield,  
Missouri.

He received his B.S. in Psychology, Southwestern Missouri  
College, in 1979, and he plans to go on to graduate school.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND ELLEN TURLEY CRESON:

d1. Sarah, born, 7-10-1981, Springfield, Mo.



Virginia Newton Keyser



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1. Virginia Newton Keyser Gander

2. John Virgil Gander

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b) VIRGINIA NEWTON KEYSER

Born, 3-25-1890, Fayette, Mo.  
Father - John Newton Keyser  
Mother - Ida Miller

Married, 2-25-1914, in Fayette, Mo. to

JOHN VIRGIL GANDER  
Born, 5-11-1889.  
Father - John Henry Gander  
Mother - Annie Maria Presgraves  
Died, 5-1-1967.

Died, 8-16-1968.

CHILDREN OF VIRGIL AND VIRGINIA GANDER:

1. John Franklin; born, 2-22-1915; married, 11-20-1935,  
to Ruby Lee Klein.
2. Margaret Lucile; born, 5-27-1918; married, 9-19-1940,  
to Walter Leslie Harris.
3. Mary Virginia; born, 5-23-1920; married, 1-22-1940,  
to Francis Emmons Tutt.
4. Dorothy Frances; born, 6-15-1924; married, 4-8-1944,  
to Luther Owen Garnett.
5. Thelma Rose; born, 4-28-1926; married I. 8-9-1943  
to Hallie Arthur Adams; married II. 12-20-1945 to  
Carl Wilton Adams.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-1. JOHN FRANKLIN GANDER

Born, 2-22-1915.

Father - John Virgil Gander  
Mother - Virginia Newton Keyser

Married, 11-20-1935, to RUBY LEE KLEIN.

Born, 12-9-1915.  
Father - Fred William Klein  
Mother - Althea F. Thixton

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND RUBY GANDER:

- a. John William; born, 10-8-1936; married, 4-2-1959,  
to Barbara Arlene Garrison.
- b. Marie Janette; born, 7-27-1939; married, 4-6-1958,  
to Wilbur Lee Pohlman.
- c. Barbara Kay; born, 8-16-1948; married, 3-17-1968,  
to Jon Edwin Thoma.

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-1.a. JOHN WILLIAM GANDER

Born, 10-8-1936.

Father - John Franklin Gander  
Mother - Ruby Lee Klein

Married, 4-2-1959, to BARBARA ARLENE GARRISON

Born, 8-4-1939.  
Father - George Washington Garrison  
Mother - Dola -----

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND BARBARA GANDER:

- a1. Jonna Sue, born, 6-14-1961.
- a2. John Scott, born, 1-31-1963.
- a3. Jill Renee, born, 6-24-1968.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-1.b. MARIE JANETTE GANDER

Born, 7-27-1939.

Father - John Franklin Gander  
Mother - Ruby Lee Klein

Married, 4-6-1958, to WILBUR LEE POHLMAN.

Born, 3-24-1937.  
Father - Leo Pohlman  
Mother - Lydia Diehl

CHILDREN OF WILBUR AND MARIE POHLMAN:

- b1. Alicia Gayle, born, 10-8-1959.
- b2. Timothy Wayne, born, 12-4-1962.
- b3. Janetta Marie, born, 1-5-1968.

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-1.c. BARBARA KAY GANDER

Born, 8-16-1948.

Father - John Franklin Gander  
Mother - Ruby Lee Klein

Married, 3-17-1968 to JON EDWIN THOMA.

Born, 7-21-1947.  
Father - Lawrence Thoma  
Mother - Mae Pearl Fredrick

CHILDREN OF JON AND BARBARA THOMA:

- c1. Jon Keith, born, 10-16-1969.
- c2. Christopher Franklin, born, 8-16-1973.
- c3. Brent Patrick, born, 7-7-1978.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-2. MARGARET LUCILE GANDER

Born, 5-27-1918, Vermont, Cooper Co., Mo.

Father - John Virgil Gander

Mother - Virginia Newton Keyser

Married, 9-19-1940, to WALTER LESLIE HARRIS.

Born, 9-28-1912, Clark's Fork, Cooper Co., Mo.

Father - Frank Leslie Harris

Mother - Ida Mae Coffman

Died, 10-25-1980, buried New Lebanon Cemetery,  
Cooper Co., Mo.

CHILDREN OF WALTER AND LUCILE HARRIS:

- a. Helen Dorothy, still born, 7-29-1941.
- b. John Leslie; born, 4-5-1943; married I. to Mary Louise Arnett; married II. to Cynthia Gae Goodman.
- c. Margaret Ann; born, 2-23-1944, Boonville, Mo.; married, 12-19-1973, to John James Wedua.
- d. James Walter; born, 11-27-1950, Tipton, Moniteau County, Mo.; married, 11-19-1977 to Denise Ann Dabner.
- e. Ronald Frank; born, 10-24-1953, St. Joseph, Mo.; married, 4-10-1976, to Janet Fay Wilson; divorced, in 1978.
- f. Virgil William; born, 2-28-1955; Cameron, Clinton County, Mo.



Lucile Gander and Walter Leslie Harris  
35th Wedding Anniversary, 1975



Mary Virginia Gander Tutt, 1937



Dorothy Frances Gander Garnett  
1943

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-2.b. JOHN LESLIE HARRIS

Born, 4-5-1943, Bunceton, Missouri.  
Father - Walter Leslie Harris  
Mother - Margaret Lucile Gander

Married I. 5-28-1965 to MARY LOUISE ARNETT.

Married II. 5-18-1975 to CYNTHIA GAE GOODMAN.  
Born, 6-6-1954.  
Father - Dwain K. Goodman  
Mother - Virginia Robinson

He is with the Social Security Administration. They live in Burke, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND MARY LOUISE HARRIS:

- b1. Andrew Leslie, born, 12-27-1965, Sedalia, Mo.
- b2. Brent William, born, 8-19-1968, Smithville, Mo.

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-2.c. MARGARET ANN HARRIS

Born, 2-23-1944, Boonville, Mo.  
Father - Walter Leslie Harris  
Mother - Margaret Lucile Gander

Married, 12-19-1973, to JOHN JAMES WEDUA.  
Born, 12-12-1934.  
Father - Virgil Jeffries Wedua  
Mother - Leona Mae Everett

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND MARGARET WEDUA:

- c1. Margaret Michelle, born, 3-17-1975, North Kansas City, Missouri.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-2.d. JAMES WALTER HARRIS

Born, 11-27-1950, Tipton, Moniteau Co., Mo.  
Father - Walter Leslie Harris  
Mother - Margaret Lucile Gander

Married, 11-19-1977, to DENISE ANN DABNER.  
Born, 4-23-1955.  
Father - Velton Dabner  
Mother - Joanne Smith

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND DENISE HARRIS:

d1. Matthew Dean, born, 10-10-1975, Sedalia, Mo. He is  
a son by a previous marriage.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-3. MARY VIRGINIA GANDER

Born, 5-23-1920.

Father - John Virgil Gander  
Mother - Virginia Newton Keyser

Married, 1-22-1940, to FRANCIS EMMONS TUTT.

Born, 10-1-1900.  
Father - Charles Philip Tutt  
Mother - Mary Lavinia Grantham

CHILDREN OF FRANCIS AND MARY VIRGINIA TUTT:

- a. James Henry; born, 11-20-1940; died, 3-25-1941.
- b. Charles Francis; born, 11-24-1941; married I. 5-27-1961, to Denise Elaine Yeoman; married II. 6-1-1971, to Lilyane O'Quinn.
- c. Mary Virginia; born, 9-14-1943; married, 9-14-1965 to James Vernon Galbraith.
- d. George Edward; born, 9-20-1945; married, 11-11-1963 to Sarah Jane Hunt.
- e. Samuel Emmons; born, 11-4-1947; married October, 1968 to Sherry Lynette Bolick.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-3.b. CHARLES FRANCIS TUTT

Born, 11-24-1941.

Father - Francis Emmons Tutt  
Mother - Mary Virginia Gander

Married I. 5-27-1961 to DENISE ELAINE YEOMAN.

Born, 2-14-1943.  
Father - Edwin T. Yeoman  
Mother - Eva Ethlyn Brannon

Divorced.

Married II. 6-1-1971 to LILYANE O'QUINN.

Born,  
Father -  
Mother -

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND DENISE TUTT:

- b1. Jeffrey Scott, born, 2-4-1962.
- b2. David Bryan, born, 7-25-1963.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND LILYANE TUTT:

- b3. Bryce Tutt, born 11-12-1963; legally adopted by his step-father, C.F. Tutt.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-3.c. MARY VIRGINIA TUTT

Born, 9-14-1943.

Father - Francis Emmons Tutt  
Mother - Mary Virginia Gander

Married, 9-14-1965, to JAMES VERNON GALBRAITH.

Born 3-23-1940.

Father - Thomas Vernon Gaibraith  
Mother - Dorothy Lee

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND MARY VIRGINIA GALBRAITH:

c1. Shawn Thomas, born 8-7-1970.

c2. James Douglas, born 8-26-1973.

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-3.d. GEORGE EDWARD TUTT

Born, 9-20-1945.

Father - Francis Emmons Tutt  
Mother - Mary Virginia Gander

Married, 11-11-1963, to SARAH JANE HUNT.

Born,

Father - William Angel Hunt  
Mother - Mary Nancy Maher

CHILDREN OF GEORGE AND SARAH TUTT:

d1. Charles Scott, born 10-9-1964.

d2. Kevin Ray, born, 12-1-1966.

d3. Brian Keith, born, 10-1-1969.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-3.e. SAMUEL EMMONS TUTT

Born, 11-4-1947.

Father - Francis Emmons Tutt

Mother - Mary Virginia Gander

Married, October, 1968, to SHERRY LYNETTE BOLICK.

Born,

Father -

Mother -

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL AND SHERRY TUTT:

- e1. Scarlett Renea, born, 4-9-1969.
- e2. Nathaniel Emmons, born, 3-11-1970.
- e3. Tommy Lynn, born, 9-15-1971 (adopted).

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-4. DOROTHY FRANCES GANDER

Born, 6-18-1924, Cooper Co., Missouri.

Father - John Virgil Gander

Mother - Virginia Newton Keyser

Married, 4-8-1944, Knox County, Missouri to

LUTHER OWEN GARNETT

Born, 11-3-1923.

Father - David Levis Garnett

Mother - Mary Viola Mosley

CHILDREN OF LUTHER AND DOROTHY GARNETT:

- a. Marilyn Frances; born, 12-6-1946, Knox Co., Mo.;  
married, 3-2-1968, to Gary Sparks, Knox Co., Mo.
- b. Carolyn Faye; born, 1-26-1948, Knox Co., Mo.;  
married, 12-20-1964, to Michael Eugene Miller.
- c. David Allen; born, 10-20-1949, Cooper Co., Mo.;  
married, 4-6-1974, to Mary Jo Ernst.
- d. Beverly Ann; born, 10-14-1954, Moniteau Co., Mo.;  
married, 12-17-1972, to Lynn Rex.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-4.a. MARILYN FRANCES GARNETT

Born, 12-6-1946.

Father - Luther Owen Garnett  
Mother - Dorothy Frances Gander

Married, 3-2-1968, to GARY LEROY SPARKS.

Born, 6-2-1943.  
Father - the Rev. Roy Sparks  
Mother - Arlene McKinney

CHILDREN OF GARY AND MARILYN SPARKS:

a1. Lauri Lee, born, 8-13-1968.

a2. Melanie Ann, born, 12-5-1970.

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-4.b. CAROLYN FAYE GARNETT

Born, 1-26-1948.

Father - Luther Owen Garnett  
Mother - Dorothy Frances Gander

Married, 12-20-1964, to MICHAEL EUGENE MILLER.

Born, 5-4-1947.  
Father - Eugene Miller  
Mother - Shirley Rice

CHILDREN OF MICHAEL AND CAROLYN MILLER:

b1. Michelle Lynn, born, 2-15-1966.

b2. Michael Todd, born, 3-21-1968.

b3. Lesley Dawn, born, 12-31-1970.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-4.c. DAVID ALLEN GARNETT

Born, 10-20-1949, Cooper Co., Mo.  
Father - Luther Owen Garnett  
Mother - Dorothy Frances Gander

Married, 4-6-1974, to MARY JO ERNST.  
Born, 11-21-1951, Moniteau Co., Mo.  
Father - Joseph Ernst  
Mother - Mary Agnes Zey

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I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-4.d. BEVERLY ANN GARNETT

Born, 10-14-1954, Moniteau Co., Mo.  
Father - Luther Owen Garnett  
Mother - Dorothy Frances Gander

Married, 12-17-1972, to LYNN RAY REX.  
Born, 8-27-1953.  
Father - George M. Rex  
Mother - Lori Martin

CHILDREN OF LYNN AND BEVERLY REX:

- d1. Lanny Ray, born, 10-3-1974.
- d2. Jeffery Allen, born, 7-22-1978.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-5. THELMA ROSE GANDER

Born, 4-28-1926.

Father - John Virgil Gander  
Mother - Virginia Newton Keyser

Married, 8-9-1943, to HALLIE ARTHUR ADAMS.

Born, 6-9-1922.

Father - William Arthur Adams  
Mother - Miranda Bell McCoy  
Died, 9-22-1944, killed in World War II, in  
Germany at the Battle of Metz.

CHILDREN OF HALLIE AND THELMA ADAMS:

- a. Tanna Lee; born, 8-6-1944; married, 3-18-1965 to  
Rodney Clark Shock; divorced in 1974. They had  
a daughter, Marla Christine.

Married II. 12-20-1945, to CARL WILTON ADAMS.

Born, 8-26-1914.

Father - William Arthur Adams  
Mother - Miranda Bell McCoy

CHILDREN OF CARL AND THELMA ADAMS:

- b. Carl Wilton, Jr.; born, 7-11-1947; married, 11-8-1969  
to Carol Sue Lubbring.
- c. Calvin Dee; born, 12-21-1954; died, 6-7-1974, killed  
in an automobile accident.

I.D.1.b.(2)-(b)-5.b. CARL WILTON ADAMS, JR.

Born, 7-11-1947.

Father - Carl Wilton Adams

Mother - Thelma Rose Gander

Married, 11-8-1969, to CAROL SUE LUBBRING.

Born,

Father - Arthur Lubbring

Mother - Virginia -----

CHILDREN OF CARL AND CAROL ADAMS:

- b1. Curtis Wilton, born, 8-24-1970.
- b2. Craig Scott, born 9-20-1973.
- b3. Crystal Sue, born, 7-1-1979.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION  
ABOUT  
JACOB KEYSER AND HIS FAMILY

1. Mead Relations, Prichard.
2. Mrs. Ida Elizabeth Hunter, great-granddaughter of Jacob Keyser.
3. Mrs. Walter Leslie Harris, another great-granddaughter of Jacob Keyser.



THE BIEDLER FAMILY

. ULRICH BIEDLER

Born, 11-25-1779.

Father - Abraham Biedler

Mother - Barbara -----

(Tradition has it that the original name was "Pidler" and that it was changed in 1820 by family agreement.)

Married, 3-27-1801, to BARBARA VARNER.

Born, 1-29-1777, Luray, Virginia.

Died, 9-2-1860.

Father - Philip Varner

Mother - Barbara Hottel

Died, 1-7-1847.

CHILDREN OF ULRICH AND BARBARA BIEDLER:

1. Polly, born, 11-29-1802.
2. Elizabeth, born, 7-3-1805.
3. Ann, born, 8-13-1807.
4. Rebecca, born, 6-1-1810.
5. Lydia, born, 11-10-1812.
6. Morgan, born, 1-22-1815.
7. Ambrose Milton, born, 3-10-1817.
8. Martin, born, 2-11-1821.

AMBROSE MILTON BIEDLER

Born, 3-10-1817, Luray, Virginia.  
Father - Ulrich Biedler  
Mother - Barbara Varner

Married, 10-18-1842, to SARAH ANN KEYSER.  
Born, 6-14-1825, Hope Mills, Page Co., Va.  
Died, 10-19-1893, Washington, D.C.  
Father - Noah Keyser  
Mother - Ann Roads

Died, 1-1-1874.

He served in the Confederate Army, in the Ordnance Department, at Richmond.

CHILDREN OF MILTON AND SARAH BIEDLER:

1. Andrew Jackson; born, 4-12-1844; died, 1902, Washington, D.C.; married, 6-15-1870 to Katherine Wools; he served under Mosby in the 43rd Virginia Cavalry during the Civil War; he was a commission merchant in civilian life.
2. William Thomas; born, 12-9-1845; died, 7-8-1897, Baltimore, Md.; married, 2-20-1873, to Flora Caroline Buracker; he, also, rode with Mosby during the War; he was a wholesale druggist in Baltimore.
3. Charles E.; born, 11-19-1847; died, 11-8-1926, Baltimore, Md.; married, 12-9-1874, to Mary Ella Bell; born, 1-6-1850; died 2-17-1921; he enlisted in the Confederate Army on 8-21-1863 and rode with Mosby; he was a wholesale shoe merchant in Baltimore.

Children:

- a. Lelia Bell; born, 10-29-1875; married, 11-19-1896, to Charles Caldwell; born, 3-19-1866; lived at Mt. Vernon, New York.

Children:

- (1) Harold Biedler; born, 1-18-1898; married, 3-13-1925, to Ada Thomas.
- (2) Virginia Bell; born, 1-10-1903.
- (3) Alice Jeffords; born, 9-6-1904.

Children of Milton and Sarah Biedler, continued:

4. Joseph Hampson; born, 10-11-1850; died in infancy.
5. Hubert Hampson; born, 8-26-1854; died, 1920, Baltimore, Maryland; was a well known surgeon in Baltimore; married, Mrs. Annie Turner.
6. Frank Rust; born, 5-2-1857; died, 11-10-1916; married to Lillie Pennington of Omaha, Nebraska; they had a son, Wilbur.
7. Anna Mary; born, 2-16-1859; married, 11-17-1886 to Rev. William Coleman Bitting, a Baptist minister; born, 2-5-1857, in Hanover Co. Va.

Children:

- a. William Charles; born, 8-25-1887; married, 6-5-1912 to Gladys Smith of St. Louis.
- b. Frank Milton; born, 11-4-1896; died, 7-8-1897.
- c. Kenneth Hills; born, 12-8-1897; married, 10-15-1921 to Esther Capen of St. Louis.
8. Emma Florence; born, 3-22-1860; died, 6-27-1860.
9. Ashby Lee; born, 11-15-1861; died, 11-14-1922; married I. Florence Denmead, died 4-30-1891; married II. Mrs. Josephine Lewis Skees; he was an insurance broker in New York City; he had a son, Ashby Lee, Jr.
10. Lelia Gertrude; born, 1-23-1870; died, 1-5-1879.

Source of Information: History of the Descendants of John Hottel, by the Rev. W. D. Huddle and his wife, Lulu May Huddle, Shenandoah Publishing House, Strasburg, Virginia, 1930.

Thirtieth Reunion of Mosby's Raiders -- August, 1895  
Company D -- 43rd Virginia Cavalry -- Confederate Army



Back Row: Thomas W. Lake; J. E. Prickett; J. W. Miller;  
Vincent Kerns; Joseph Bryan; R. M. Harroner; J. Y. Yates;  
Frank Johnson; Charlie Dear (holding banner); Philip Byrd  
Eastham; J. W. Bell; C. J. Coiner

Middle Row, seated: C. W. Anderson; J. N. Hofflebower;  
Charles E. Beidler; George Slater; Robert Woodford  
Eastham; Brock Dear; Henry Brock; W. C. Pearson;  
R. F. Heflin; J. E. Legg

Seated on Ground: J. A. Silman; Enoch Kirkpatrick; J. W.  
Hammond; P. H. Reardon

WILLIAM THOMAS BIEDLER

Born, 12-9-1845, Luray, Virginia.

Father - Ambrose Milton Biedler

Mother - Sarah Ann Keyser

Married, 2-20-1873, to FLORA CAROLINE BURACKER.

Born, 5-17-1846, Luray, Virginia.

Died, Baltimore, Maryland, 7-19-1931.

Father - Samuel A. Buracker

Born, 9-20-1815.

Died, 4-17-1892.

Mother - Caroline Almond

Born, 10-12-1820.

Died, 12-22-1893.

Married, 2-14-1839.

Father - Edward R. Almond

Born, 5-27-1791.

Died, 11-24-1856.

Mother - Barbara Roads

Born, 3-7-1794.

Died, 1862.

Daughter of Joseph Roads II  
and Magdalene Hottel.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND FLORA BIEDLER:

- a. Lelia Virginia; born, 8-17-1878; died, 4-12-1944;  
married I., 2-1-1903, to William Irving Holt of  
Burlington, N.C.; married II., 6-18-1937, to Wilbur  
Sutherland Thompson, who died 6-19-1941.
- b. Flora Cleveland; born, 8-4-1887; died, 1-18-1887.
- c. William Thomas, Jr.; born, 5-1-1888; died, 3-19-1933;  
married, 11-26-1924, to Elinor Brady of Baltimore.
  - (1) William Thomas, III; born, 7-1-1921.
  - (2) Richard Towson; born, 3-20-1929.
- d. Paul McAllister; born, 11-6-1890; graduate of V.M.I.  
in 1911; died, 10-12-1870; married, 6-30-1917, to  
Janet Mason of Durham, N.C.

PAUL McALLISTER BIEDLER

Born, 11-6-1890.

Married, 6-30-1917, to Janet Mason, of Durham, N.C.  
Born, 1-26-1895.  
Died, March, 1959.  
Father - James Bruce Mason  
Mother - Ida Augusta Semans

Died, 10-12-1970.

CHILDREN OF PAUL AND JANET BIEDLER:

1. Janet Augusta; born, 4-7-1921; married, 6-10-1944,  
to John Prentiss Browne, who was born, 6-1-1920.
    - a. Janet Mason; born, 1-25-1946; married, 7-9-1965  
to Joseph Kenneth Albert, Jr.
      - (1) Amy Mason; born, 12-4-1965.
      - (2) Piper Ann; born, 5-7-1969.
    - b. Rebecca Weaver; born, 1-9-1949; married, 1-2-1972  
to Edwin Major Reynolds, Jr.
      - (1) Kelly Courtenay; born, 1-3-1975.
      - (2) Brentley Morris; born, 3-27-1978.
  2. Mary Caroline; born, 11-21-1926; married I., 12-21-1946  
to Colin Denton Bell, who died Oct. 1979.
    - a. Suzanne Whitney; born, 2-2-1949.
    - b. Colin Denton, Jr.; born, 8-10-1952.
- Married, II., to Adiel Gabriel van de Weghe, 1-3-1981.

I.D.1.j. \ NOAH HAMPSON KEYSER

Born, 9-3-1830, Hope Mills, Luray, Virginia  
Father - Noah Keyser  
Mother - Ann Roads

During the Civil War, he served from September, 1861, to June, 1864, as Captain in the Quarter-Master Corps of the Second Virginia Regiment, the Ninety-Seventh Brigade, of The Confederate Army.

Married, 12-18-1867, to ANNIE CASSANDRA MILLER at Mountain Green, Washington, Virginia.  
Born, 3-14-1843, Mountain Green.  
Died, 11-11-1935, Glen Eyrie, Washington, Va.  
Buried, Cemetery at Mountain Green  
Father - Benjamin Franklin Miller  
Mother - Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning

Died, 1-10-1894, Glen Eyrie, Washington, Va.

Buried, Miller Family Cemetery, Mountain Green.

CHILDREN OF HAMPSON AND ANNIE KEYSER:

- (1) Frank Miller; born, 11-8-1868, Page Co., Va.; died, 3-25-1883, Glen Eyrie.
- (2) John Andrew; born, 1-17-1871, "Riverside", Washington, Virginia; married, 11-20-1918, to Sallie B. Long, (born, 10-22-1880, Dallas, Texas; died, 12-1-1968, Dallas, Texas); no issue; died, 9-3-1951, Glen Eyrie; both are buried in Masonic Cemetery, Washington, Va.
- (3) Charles Hampson; born, 5-20-1873, "Riverside"; married, 10-31-1900, to Anna Loula Rixey; died, 5-7-1924.
- (4) Leila Leigh; born, 3-8-1875, "Riverside"; married, 4-20-1898, to J. Wheeler Almond; died, 3-13-1903, Washington, Va.
- (5) Annie Roads; born, 4-18-1877, "Riverside"; married, 9-27-1905, to John Peyton Snead, Jr.; died, 1-14-1952, Sperryville, Va.
- (6) Ida Neville; born, 5-5-1879, "Riverside"; married, 6-14-1905, to Frank Downing Wood; died, 12-5-1960, Washington, Va.

Children of Hampson and Annie Keyser, continued:

- (7) Joseph William; born, 6-9-1881, "Riverside"; married, 8-17-1935, to Leslie Fox, Front Royal Va. (born, 10-16-1891, died, 11-17-1977); no issue, died, 1-15-1963.
- (8) Robert Lee; born, 7-2-1883, Glen Eyrie; married, 10-31-1912, to Louise Dilworth Randall, in Baltimore; died, 5-31-1954.
- (9) Jacob Edward; born, 4-11-1886, Glen Eyrie; married, 10-23-1912, to Mary Frances Eastham; died, 2-10-1968.



Annie C. Miller Keyser



Noah Hampson Keyser





**"Glen Eyrie" in Harris Hollow.**



View of "Glen Eyrie" from the road



View from "Glen Eyrie"



John A. Keyser, Annie Keyser Snead,  
Ida Keyser Wood, Robert Lee Keyser  
1940



"Riverside" at the gate to "Glen Eyrie"  
1940



On the porch at "Glen Eyrie" on June 15, 1905, the day after the wedding of Ida Keyser and Frank Wood.

Top Row: Cora Miller Botts, Florence Miller Yancey, Joseph W. Keyser, Annie C. Keyser

Second Row: Sarah E. N. B. Miller, Rena Armstrong, Dr. Hubert Biedler, J. Wheeler Almond

Third Row: John J. Miller, Jr., Fanny Anderson, Lucy Botts, Ida Keyser Wood (in hat), Jacob E. Keyser, John A. Keyser

Bottom Row: James Yancey, Annie R. Keyser, Charles H. Keyser with Baby Katherine Keyser, Frank D. Wood, (the two girls on the right are unidentified guests)



June 15, 1905





Leslie Fox Keyser, (Mrs. Joseph W.)  
with picture of the school  
named for her

I.D.1.j.(3) CHARLES HAMPSON KEYSER

Born, 4-20-1873, "Riverside", Washington, Va.

Father - Noah Hampson Keyser

Mother - Annie Cassandra Miller

Married, 10-31-1900, to ANNA LOULA RIXEY, in Culpeper, Va.

Born, 11-25-1873, Culpeper, Va.

Died, 1-25-1931, Washington, D.C.

Father - Samuel Rixey, Jr.

Mother - Mary Frances Wise

He studied law at the University of Richmond, and practiced in Washington, Va., where he served for a while as Commonwealth's Attorney. He was also in the insurance business. Aunt Lou was teaching school in Woodville when he met her.

Died, 5-7-1924.

Both are buried in the Masonic Cemetery in Washington, Va.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND LOU KEYSER:

- (a) Frankie Rixey; born, 2-11-1902, Washington, Va.; died, 7-20-1981; buried in Masonic Cemetery, Washington, Va.; went to high school in Washington D.C.; worked in her father's insurance office until he died; she then went to D.C. where she took a job with the Government; she worked her way up in the Government until she retired; when she retired, she was head of recruiting for the Bureau of Standards.
- (b) Katherine Neville; born, 9-13-1903, Washington, Va.; married, 6-6-1925, to John H. Long, Ens., U.S.N.
- (c) Charles Hampson, Jr.; born, 2-10-1909, Washington, Va.; married I. 3-24-1938, Barbara Daskam; married II. 9-13-1981, Henrietta Riebel.



Frankie Rixey Keyser



Loula Rixey  
Keyser

Charles Hampson  
Keyser



Katherine Keyser Long



John Harvey Long

I.D.1.j.(3)-(b) KATHERINE NEVILLE KEYSER

Born, 9-13-1903.

Father - Charles Hampson Keyser  
Mother - Anna Loula Rixey

Married, 6-6-1925, to JOHN HARVEY LONG, Baptist Church, Washington, Va.; born, 11-6-1902, in Washington D.C.; died, 6-16-1976, Williamsburg, Va.; Buried in Arlington National Cemetery; he was a graduate of U.S.Naval Academy, Class of 1925; stayed in the Navy after graduation, and rose to the rank of Captain; then retired and moved to Williamsburg, Va., where he joined the faculty of William and Mary College, as a professor of Physics and Electronics.  
Father - Harvey Clayton Long, Mississippi.  
Mother - Charlotte Ann Barnes, Prince Edward Is.

Kath taught school before her marriage.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND KATHERINE LONG:

1. Neville Ann; born, 7-5-1929.
2. Joan Victoria; born, 5-12-1938; married I. 3-21-1959, to James Pinkney Tarwater, (born, 9-14-1929, Gallatin, Missouri); they were married in the Wrenn Chapel at William and Mary College; they had a son, David Glen Tarwater, born, 6-14-1960, in Williamsburg, Va.; they were divorced in 1966; married II. 9-12-1981, Herbert A. Schloo, in Ocean City, Md. (born 10-25-1931, in Hackensack, New Jersey); they live in Adelphi, Md.

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I.D.1.j.(3)-(b)-2.a. DAVID GLEN TARWATER

Born, 6-14-1960, Williamsburg, Virginia.  
Father - James Pinkney Tarwater  
Mother - Joan Victoria Long

I.D.1.j.(3)-(c) CHARLES HAMPSON KEYSER, JR.

Born, 2-10-1909, Washington, Va.  
Father - Charles Hampson Keyser  
Mother - Anna Loula Rixey

Married I. 3-24-1938 to BARBARA DASKAM, in Chevy Chase, Md.  
Born, 3-2-1913.  
Died, 5-20-1981, San Diego, California.  
Father - Ralph Daskam  
Mother - Faith S----

Charles graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1933.  
Barbara graduated from Western Maryland College, in  
Westminster, Md., in 1934. When Pearl Harbor was attacked  
by the Japanese on December 7, 1941, Charles was on a  
supply ship en route to Guam, and so he missed the attack.  
Barbara and the two children were in Hawaii then. They  
were later returned to the mainland by the Navy....  
Later Charles was on a destroyer in the European theater,  
off the coast of France during the invasion of Normandy.  
And he was stationed on the ship that took President  
Roosevelt to the summit meeting at Yalta with Churchill  
and Stalin.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND BARBARA KEYSER:

1. Charles Hampson, III; born, 6-17-1940, Charleston, S.C.
  2. Judith Rixey; born, 6-17-1941, Washington, D.C.
- Both Chuck and Judi were married and divorced without issue.
3. John Reese; born, 2-3-1947, Newport, Rhode Island

Married II. 9-13-1981, in Las Vegas, Nevada, to Henrietta  
Riebel, born 1914, Cincinnati, Ohio.



Charles Hampson  
Keyser, Jr.

Barbara Daskam Keyser

Article about Charlie  
and Barbara Keyser  
from the newspaper of  
the retirement  
community in which  
they lived



### Charles & Barbara Keyser Will Be Missed

While Charles and Barbara Keyser, 3446 Arturo, will be missed by their many friends when they move from the park this month, their departure leaves a definite void in the DON staff.

Barbara, who began writing for the DON almost from the beginning, contributed in great measure to this publication's success. Her excellent writing ability showed up in many fine feature articles, a number of which were reprinted in other newspapers in the area.

She wasn't only content just to write stories about individuals, she inaugurated a number of other of the DON's special features including "The Galloping Gourmet", "Cooking Capers", etc. Charlie, too, gave freely of his time and effort to the DON by handling distribution of advertising, checking copies by hand and by mail.

I.D.1.j.(4) LEILA LEIGH KEYSER

Born, 3-8-1875, "Riverside", Washington, Va.  
Father - Noah Hampson  
Mother - Annie Cassandra Miller

Married, 4-20-1898, to JOSEPH WHEELER ALMOND.  
Born, 2-20-1864, Black Oak Farm, Page Co., Va.  
Died, 8-7-1948, Washington, Va.  
Buried in Masonic Cemetery, Washington, Va.  
Father - Joseph R. Almond\*  
Mother - Sarah Perry  
Uncle Wheeler ran away from home as a teen-aged  
boy and worked as a cowboy on a Texas ranch.

Died, 3-13-1903, of Childbed Fever; buried Mountain Green  
Cemetery.

CHILDREN OF WHEELER AND LEILA ALMOND:

- (a) Annie Miller; born, 2-12-1899, Springfield, Page  
Co., Va. *Died: 9-16-1983.*
- (b) Leila Leigh; born, 2-20-1903, Washington Va.;  
married, Edward Carey, 7-7-1931, no issue; died,  
3-29-1936, Washington, Va.

\*Joseph Almond was the son of William R. Almond, who  
married Susannah Roads, born 1792, the daughter of  
Joseph Roads II and Magdalene Hottel, and the sister  
of Ann Roads, who married Noah Keyser. Ann Roads  
Keyser was Leila Keyser Almond's grandmother, and  
Susannah Roads Almond was Wheeler Almond's grandmother.



Leila Leigh Keyser Almond



Sarah Eusebia Browning Miller, Annie Miller Almond,  
Leila Leigh Almond, Annie C. Keyser  
at "Glen Eyrie"

I.D.1.j.(5) ANNIE ROADS KEYSER

Born, 4-18-1877, "Riverside"

Father - Noah Hampson Keyser

Mother - Annie Cassandra Miller

Married, 9-27-1905, to JOHN PEYTON SNEAD, JR., by Rev. S. M. Cole, in Washington Baptist Church.

Born, 4-18-1883, Fluvanna County, Va.

Died, 5-27-1935, Smedley, Va.

Buried in Sperryville Cemetery.

Father - John Peyton Snead

Mother - Sallie Ford

He was a farmer and a Justice of the Peace.

Died, 1-14-1952, Sperryville, Va.

Buried in Sperryville Cemetery.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND ANNIE SNEAD:

- (a) John Peyton, III, M.D.; born, 5-23-1907, Smedley, Va.; married, 5-30-1931, to Lydia Pearce Crabbe.
- (b) Marjorie Miller; born, 7-21-1909, Smedley, Va.; married, to John Ruskin.
- (c) Hampson Ford; born, 12-16-1914; died, 12-21-1914.
- (d) Rayner Varser; born, 9-11-1918, Smedley; married, 6-27-1943, to Lois Mae Doran.



Annie Roads Keyser Snead



John Peyton Snead Jr., & III



John Peyton Snead, III



Pinkie and John Snead, III

I.D.1.j.(5)-(a) JOHN PEYTON SNEAD, III, M.D.

Born, 5-23-1907, Smedley, Va.

Father - John Peyton Snead, Jr.

Mother - Annie Roads Keyser

Married, 5-30-1931, to LYDIA PEARCE CRABBE (PINKIE).

Born, 3-2-1904, Northumberland Co., Va.

Father - Elijah Crabbe

Mother - Eliza Jane Lewis

He graduated from the University of Virginia in the Class of 1932 with an M.D. degree. For thirty-nine years he practiced medicine in the town of Sperryville, with Pinkie, his wife, a registered nurse, assisting him. He then retired to a condominium in Boca Raton, Florida, where he spent the winter months, returning to a home on a mountain in Rappahannock for the rest of the year.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND PINKIE SNEAD:

1. John Peyton, IV; born, 9-27-1933; married, 8-30-1958, to Sharon Fosque.
2. Elizabeth Lewis; born, 9-14-1935; married I. 8-1-1954, to James William Coates; married II. 1-7-1975, to Eldon Russel Lindsay.

FROM THE WASHINGTON POST

Sunday, January 30, 1972

A Health Dilemma -- Another Virginia County Finds Itself Without a Doctor. by Kenneth Bredemeier, Washington Post Staff Writer.

Washington, Va. -- About once a month John P. Snead, III, the aging and arthritic country doctor, would pull into the driveway of the white shingled house, grab his black bag and visit Jessie Rowzie, 86, and an invalid for four years, and her sister, Bertha Compton, 82.

He would check their blood pressure, maybe give them more pills to ease their blood circulation and life would go on for the two sisters at the edge of this quiet Rappahannock county hamlet.

Now, however, Dr. Snead is no longer winding his way along the narrow and sharply curving roads in the Blue Ridge Mountain foothills to visit the two sisters or any other patients. A shaky, handwritten message on the side door of his brown stone house in Sperryville tells would-be patients the story of his retirement: Office Closed.

And with Dr. Snead's departure to a Boca Raton, Fla., oceanside condominium for the winter months, Rappahannock County -- just 60 miles to the west of Washington, D.C. -- has lost its last doctor and become the third Virginia county with no physicians.

For the last three years, physician placement services have noted that Rappahannock, with its declining population listed at 5,199 in the 1970 census, needed a doctor. But when Dr. Snead decided in mid-December that his arthritis no longer enabled him to practice, no other doctor had moved into the community.

So now, most of Dr. Snead's 1500 patients will have to drive about 20 miles to receive out-patient care at hospitals in Luray, Culpeper, Warrenton or Front Royal, where doctors reportedly already have heavy caseloads; or, in the case of Mrs. Rowzie and others in frail health, to be lifted into an ambulance and driven to the hospital for the most routine of checkups.

Rappahannock, with its gently rolling farmlands, large estates surrounded by log picket fences and roadside

stands selling apple juice and peacock-covered bedspreads, is one of perhaps 150 communities in Virginia that need doctors, according to the Virginia Council on Health and Medical Care. Like Rappahannock, Stafford and King and Queen Counties have no doctors. And Rappahannock has not had a dentist for at least two decades, according to the county's public health nurse.

For 39 years, Dr. Snead, 64, practiced medicine out of the basement of his two-story house. His wife, a registered nurse, assisted him, and the couple also sold some prescriptions as well. For the last 15 to 20 years, he says, he was the only doctor in the county.

Up until two or three years ago, he recalls, he made house calls daily, sometimes as many as 20 in one day. When he started practice in 1933, he said house calls were difficult in inclement weather because roads were so bad in Rappahannock "sometimes I'd get stuck going downhill."

But, with his failing health, and because better roads enabled patients to get to his office, he cut back on house calls. He visited only those who were emergency cases or who couldn't physically get to his Sperryville office.

Dr. Snead and others in Rappahannock are somewhat puzzled why no new doctor has set up shop. Two or three doctors have looked the county over recently and then located elsewhere.

"It's a nice spot. If I were starting over again, I think Rappahannock would be my choice. It's pretty country, the people are pleasant, and I had no trouble collecting (bills)," Dr. Snead said.

Standing next to a timber fence on his father's farm, Newbill Miller, the \$400-a-year supervisors' chairman, says, "The fad now is the environment and the rural area. And I can't think of a more beautiful place than Rappahannock County.

"You breathe deep and there's nothing to choke on. We have a good ski area and the hunting is good. . . . Just look at all the traffic over there," he joked as he pointed to a nearby road where not a car was in sight. As the afternoon wore on and a slight breeze chilled the air, the only noise to be heard was the lowing of Miller's 100 Angus cattle.

The picture that Dr. Snead and Miller paint of the rural attributes of Rappahannock is accurate. Tree-covered mountainsides in the Shenandoah National Park peer down on the villages of Washington, Sperryville, Flint Hill, Amissville and Woodville. Horseback riders trot alongside the rolling farmland and country roads, while trim wood frame and stone houses constructed decades ago line the tree-shaded streets of the hamlets.

Rappahannock lacks some of the things which modern America has come to consider as ordinary and commonplace; a public water supply (except in Washington), sewers, taxicabs and busses, even a drug store.

Dr. Snead cites the last item as one reason why Rappahannock might be having difficulty finding a doctor. To fill prescriptions, residents have to drive to neighboring towns outside of the county. Also, doctors want hospitals close by.

He plans to return to Rappahannock when the weather warms in April, and stay at his second house in the country.

I.D.1.j.(5)-(a)-1. JOHN PEYTON SNEAD, IV, M.D.

Born, 9-27-1933, Sperryville, Va.  
Father - John Peyton Snead, III  
Mother - Lydia Pearce Crabbe

Married, 8-30-1958, to SHARON FOSQUE.  
Born, 9-12-1938.  
Father - John Major Fosque  
Mother - Gladys Phillips

He graduated in Medicine from the University of Virginia.  
He practiced a few years, and then returned to school and  
got a degree in Psychiatry, which he is now practicing  
in Rixeyville and Culpeper, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF JOHN PEYTON AND SHARON SNEAD:

- a. Stephanie Leigh, born, 4-9-1959.
- b. John Peyton, V, born, 7-14-1960.

I.D.1.j.(5)-(a)-2. ELIZABETH LEWIS SNEAD

Born, 9-14-1935, Sperryville, Va.

Father - John Peyton Snead, III

Mother - Lydia Pearce Crabbe

Married, 8-3-1954, to JAMES WILLIAM COATES, in Sperryville.

I. Born, 4-16-1928, Haywood, Madison Co., Va.

Father -

Mother -

Died, 3-10-1974

CHILDREN OF JAMES WILLIAM AND ELIZABETH COATES:

a. Margaret Cassandra; born, 4-8-1955, Sperryville;  
married, 4-27-1974 to Wilson Stallings, II;  
divorced in 1981.

b. Susan Amanda; born, 3-21-1958, Sperryville; married,  
Sept. 1974, to David Ryder; divorced in 1980.

b1. David, Jr.

b2. Amanda Dawn

married II. Sept., 1980, to Everett Thompson, in  
Washington, Va.

Married, 1-7-1975, to ELDON RUSSELL LINDSAY, in St.

II. Petersburg, Florida.

Born, 1909.

Father -

Mother -

CHILDREN OF ELDON AND ELIZABETH LINDSAY:

c. Caroline Cobb; born, 8-30-1975, Winchester, Va.

d. Mark Eldon; born, 4-18-1976, Winchester, Va.

I.D.I.j.(5)-(d) RAYNER VARSER SNEAD

Born, 9-11-1918, Smedley, Va.

Father - John Peyton Snead, Jr.

Mother - Annie Roads Keyser

Married, 6-27-1943, to LOIS MAE DORAN, in Kansas City, Kan.

Born, 4-26-1923, Kansas City.

Father - William Thomas Doran

Mother - Gladys Mae Bledsoe

Rayner graduated from the University of Virginia with a B.A. in the Class of 1939, and with an LL.B., in 1942. He spent four years with the Navy during World War II, during which time he met Lois. He is a Baptist, and has been active in the Washington Baptist Church. Lois is an Episcopalian and is active in the Trinity Church in Washington. Rayner served twenty-seven years as a judge of the Circuit Court. He and Lois have a condominium in Boca Raton, Florida, where they spend some time each year.

CHILDREN OF RAYNER AND LOIS SNEAD:

1. Rayner Varser, Jr.; born, 7-10-1944, married, 4-29-1967, to Mollie Morton Smith.
2. Dana Kay; born, 3-8-1946, Washington, Va.; married, 12-20-1969, to Eric Adamson.
3. Samuel Doran; born 3-13-1948, Washington, Va.; married, 4-21-1972, to Helen Dorothy Theresa Dillon Register (born, 2-21-1928); Sam is an orchardist, and he and Helen have a real estate business; they have restored and live in Aunt Annie and Uncle John's old home, "Hillcrest", in Smedley.
4. William Thomas; born, 3-18-1955, Washington, Va.; married, 9-15-1979, to Denise Darlene Davies (Dee-Dee) (born, 1-20-1956); Bill is a building contractor and he and Dee-Dee live in Denver, Colorado.
5. Mary Elizabeth; born, 9-13-1957; she served with the Peace Corps in Malaysia for several years.



Rayner Varser Snead  
1979

Lois Doran Snead  
1968



THE RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION  
c/o MAURICE F. BIDDLE, PRESIDENT  
THE OLD PARSONAGE  
FLINT HILL, VIRGINIA 22627.

Dear *Mrs Cockey,*

The Rappahannock County Bar Association cordially invites you to attend the portrait presentation ceremony for our retired Circuit Judge of the Twentieth Judicial Circuit, the Honorable Rayner V. Snead.

The Honorable Arthur W. Sinclair will preside at this ceremony to be held at the Circuit Court House in Washington, Virginia, on Friday, July 24, 1981, at 5:00 P. M.

We request the pleasure of your reply on or before July 10, 1981 at the address listed above.

We hope you will be able to attend in order to honor an exceptional jurist who has served this Circuit and his State with great honor and distinction.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

James W. Fletcher, III  
for Maurice F. Biddle, President  
Rappahannock County Bar Association

JWF,III/jdc

FROM A CULPEPER, VIRGINIA, NEWSPAPER

August 16, 1979

Warrenton -- In January of next year the man, who at the age of 34 was the youngest Circuit Court Judge in Virginia, will retire.

Rayner V. Snead has donned flowing black robes and presided over cases in the court rooms of Fauquier, Rappahannock and Loudoun counties for nearly 27 years. A tall, distinguished gentleman with white hair and a friendly smile, Snead is the archetype of a judge; a Norman Rockwell interpretation of the men who calmly preside over a sometimes not-so-calm judicial process.

Sitting in the Fauquier Circuit Court judge's chambers -- paintings of Mystic Seaport and the University of Virginia campus decorating the walls -- Snead reflected on his years on the bench.

When Snead was appointed by Gov. John S. Battle in January, 1953, to fill the circuit judgeship left vacant by the retirement of Judge J. R. H. Alexander, the caseload for the three counties comprising the 20th Judicial Circuit was approximately 500 cases during a year. Now between 1,500 and 2,000 cases are heard each year.

One reason for this, in Snead's opinion, is that people seem to be more willing to sue each other and less willing to settle their differences out of court. "People are becoming a great deal more litigious," said Snead, adding that people expect far too much of the judicial system.

He considers sentencing and divorce and child custody cases the most difficult part of his job because of the effect on the lives of the people involved.

Snead was born and raised in Rappahannock County, and now lives on a farm in Washington, Virginia. After graduating from the University of Virginia Law School in 1942, he spent nearly four years as a lieutenant in the amphibious forces of the U.S. Navy.

After the war he returned to Washington and began practicing law from an office in his home located behind the Rappahannock National Bank. He served as Rappahannock's commonwealth's attorney for five years before being

appointed a circuit judge.

Snead and his wife, Lois, whom he met while in the Navy, have five children. They plan to travel after his retirement.

I.D.1.j.(5)-(d)-1. RAYNER VARSER SNEAD, JR.

Born, 7-10-1944.

Father - Rayner Varser Snead

Mother - Lois Mae Doran

Married, 4-29-1967, to MOLLIE MORTON SMITH, in St. James  
Episcopal Church in Warrenton, Va.

Born, 12-24-1945.

Father - Harry Lee Smith

Mother - Virginia Duncan

Ray graduated from V.M.I. in 1966, and got his law degree  
from the University of Virginia in 1972. He served in  
the Army, and is now practicing law in Lynchburg, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF RAYNER AND MOLLIE SNEAD:

- a. Rayner Varser, III; born, 12-24-1968, Fort Bragg, N.C.
- b. Lewis Duncan; born, 5-23-1972.
- c. Virginia Doran; born, 6-2-1976.

I.D.1.j.(5)-(d)-2. DANA KAY SNEAD

Born, 3-8-1946.

Father - Rayner Varser Snead  
Mother - Lois Mae Doran

Married, 12-20-1969, to ERIC EARLE ADAMSON, in Trinity Church, Washington, Virginia.

Born, 10-20-1947.

Father - Keith Earl Adamson  
Mother - Rowena LaCoste

Eric graduated from the University of Virginia, Class of 1969. He is now practicing law in Front Royal, Virginia.

Dana graduated from the University of Virginia School of Nursing in 1969.

CHILDREN OF ERIC AND DANA ADAMSON:

- a. Eric Christopher; born, 11-15-1973, Charlottesville, Va.
- b. Kathryn LaCoste; born, 7-30-1976, Front Royal, Va.

I.D.1.j.(6) IDA NEVILLE KEYSER

Born, 5-5-1879, "Riverside", Washington, Va.  
Father - Noah Hampson Keyser  
Mother - Annie Cassandra Miller

Married, 6-14-1905, to FRANK DOWNING WOOD, in Washington Baptist Church.

Born, 2-11-1879, "Sunnyside", Washington, Va.  
Died, 6-25-1930; buried in the Masonic Cemetery in Washington, Va.  
Father - Charles B. Wood  
Mother - Mary Elizabeth Miller  
Uncle Frank was an orchardist. He raised such good peaches that people came from miles around to buy them.

Died, 12-5-1960, Washington, Va.; buried in the Masonic Cemetery.

CHILDREN OF FRANK AND IDA WOOD:

- (a) Neville Miller; born, 12-15-1908, Washington, Va.; died, 10-1-1916, thrown and dragged by her pony, she died of a fractured skull; buried in the family graveyard at "Sunnyside".
- (b) Frank Downing, Jr.; born, 1-3-1913, Washington, Va.; married, 5-25-1940, to Alice Twisdale Reid; died, 7-29-1958; buried at "Sunnyside"
- (c) Mary Miller; born, 3-25-1917.
- (d) Charles Wise; born, 8-10-1918, Washington, Va.; died, 9-12-1938, Washington, Va.

Special Dispatch to the Baltimore Sun: (1905)

WOOD - KEYSER

Washington, Va., June 16. -- Miss Ida Neville Keyser, daughter of Mrs. Annie C. Keyser, and Mr. Frank Downing Wood were married in the Washington Baptist Church on June 14, at 9 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Stockton Cole. Miss Annie Keyser, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Misses Lavinia Dudley, Lucy Wood, Jessie Wood, Rena Armstrong, Eliza Strother and Fannie Anderson. The best man was Mr. Aubrey Wood, brother of the groom, and the ushers were Messrs. John J. Miller, Jr., Dudley Wood, Henry Wood, Frank Jones, Gardner Waller, of Front Royal, Va., and Robert L. Keyser, of Baltimore. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. John A. Keyser. The church was beautifully decorated for the ceremony. A large wedding reception was given at the home of Mr. Charles H. Keyser, brother of the bride. Among the guests were Dr. H. H. Biedler, of Baltimore; Mrs. J. Griffin Durant and Mr. James Yancey, of Culpeper; Mrs. Rixey, of Washington, D.C.; and Miss Mary Waller, of Front Royal.



Ida Neville Keyser

Frank Downing Wood  
Ida Neville  
Keyser Wood  
Dr. Hubert Biedler

June 15, 1905



## Miss Wood Ends 42 Years In County Schools

Mary Miller Wood retired this year after almost half a century of teaching Rappahannock youngsters. She's seen the changes in the county reflected in her classroom as Rappahannock has outgrown its image as a sleepy, rural community.

But Miss Wood has remained constant. For 42 years, she's taught reading, writing and arithmetic while instilling the old fashioned values of respect and courtesy in hundreds of children.

"She's a most dedicated lady—one that the younger teachers could look up to and emulate," said Lynne Baines, elementary teacher who worked with Miss Wood for seven years. "She was the kind of teacher who sat with her kids during lunch rather than sitting at the teachers' table. Everything was for the kids as far as she was concerned."

In 1937, Miss Wood began her career in the Sycamore School in Old Hollow where she taught first, second, third and fourth grades—all in one room. Her lack of a car that first year brought her into closer contact with her school community as she boarded in Miss Mamie Johnson's house in the hollow during the week.

Sycamore closed after Miss Wood had taught there for two years. She followed the shift from the hollows to the towns and began teaching a combination third-fourth grade in the Sperryville School. Miss Wood stayed there until the new consolidated elementary school opened with time away for a year in Flint Hill helping out during the World War II teacher shortage and a year

in a Canadian classroom as part of a teacher exchange program. "The school in Canada was larger but the children were much the same as I had in Rappahannock," she recalled.

### Taught Two Generations

The roster from her classrooms reads like a county telephone book. She's seen the generations pass through her doors beginning with Dave Marshall Dwyer, Alice Pullen (Beahm) and Mary E. Johnson (Clatterback) at the old Sycamore school and continuing through another set that included George Davis III,

John Payton Snead, Ray Snead and Terry Kilby.

Miss Wood has taught classes with 22 kids and she's taught rooms of 41 but said they've all been the same. In every class, she explained, there have been some children more interested in learning and some not always easy to keep within the boundaries of good behavior.

She doesn't feel that teaching has changed much during her 42 years. "As with most things, there's a lot more paperwork now," she said. Even with all the new fangled instructional aids, she doesn't think the job has grown any easier. "It's pretty much the same—just about as difficult," Miss Wood remarked.

She has noticed, though, a decline in the interest youngsters show in reading and attributed it to the popularity and availability of television.

When she first began working, teachers were expected to visit the homes of all their students. This requirement, Miss Wood said, provided her with valuable insights into the strengths and weakness of

her children. But she doesn't feel that parent-teacher cooperation stopped with home visits. Instead, she sees today's parents as being very interested in the education their children receive.

During 42 years, she's had a few surprises in the

classroom, particularly from youngsters who've popped up with a different answer than the one she had in mind. She recalled one math class when the students were asked to list three things sold by the quart. John Lee Taylor raised his hand, and instead of answering milk or orange juice, asked "How do you spell whiskey?"

What will retirement mean? "Not having to save all my jobs for Saturday," Miss Wood said. "I'll be able to get things done on other days now." She plans to fill the hours that she used to dedicate to the education of youngsters by devoting some time to her hobbies of cooking, reading and traveling—traveling "when gas prices allow, that is," she added with a smile.

Frank  
Downing  
Wood, Jr.



Alice  
Reid  
Wood



Mary Miller  
Wood

-Rappahannock News Photo/Sarah Latham  
**MISS MARY MILLER WOOD** retired this year after teaching in Rappahannock schools for 42 years.

I.D.1.j.(6)-(b) FRANK DOWNING WOOD, JR.

Born, 1-3-1913, Washington, Va.  
Father - Frank Downing Wood  
Mother - Ida Neville Keyser

Married, 5-25-1940, to ALICE TWISDALE REID (Twizzie)  
Born, 3-17-1920, Flint Hill, Va.  
Father - Charles Garrison Reid  
Mother - Grace Bradley

Downing was an orchardist. He and Twizzie lived in "Sunnyside", the old Miller home. He took over the running of the farm and orchards after the early death of his father.

Died, 7-29-1958; buried in family graveyard at "Sunnyside".

CHILDREN OF DOWNING AND TWIZZIE WOOD:

1. Neville Reid; born, 12-27-1940, Washington, Va.;  
married, 8-18-1946 to Leroy Randall Hall.
2. Nancy Keyser; born, 1-4-1944, Washington, Va.;  
married I. 5-25-1962, to Quentin Morrison McCoy;  
married II. 6-28-1974, to Kent Reeve.
3. Alice Twisdale; born, 8-25-1945, Washington, Va.;  
married, 4-24-1965 to Paul Comer Smith.
4. Mary Miller Wood; born, 4-2-1949, Washington, Va.;  
married, 12-13-1965, to Stephen Leslie Bailey.
5. Frances Downing; born, 12-19-1950, Washington, Va.;  
married, 3-6-1971, to Donald Joseph Conover, Jr.

MARK REID

Married to Alice Twisdale.

Joseph; born, 1860; died, 1930; married to Mary Russell Settle (Mollie) - See Miller Family.

Born, 8-4-1864.

Died, 11-19-1945.

Father - Thomas Settle

Mother - Caroline Barbee

Charles Garrison; born, 11-8-1893; died, 3-25-1961; married to Grace Bradley.

Born, 11-8-1893.

Died, 3-5-1976.

Father - Samuel Bradley

Mother - Martha Grandstaff

Alice Twisdale; born, 3-17-1920; married, 5-25-1940, to Frank Downing Wood, Jr.

I.D.1.j.(6)-(b)-1. NEVILLE REID WOOD

Born, 12-27-1940, Washington, Va.  
Father - Frank Downing Wood  
Mother - Alice Twisdale Reid

Married, 8-18-1956, to LEROY RANDALL HALL.  
Born, 8-21-1937, Florida.  
Father - George Woodrow Hall  
Mother - Violet Loudelle Jeffcoat

Places of residence; Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Camilla, Georgia.

CHILDREN OF LEROY AND NEVILLE HALL:

- a. George Downing; born, 11-3-1957, Front Royal, Va.; married, January, 1977, to Shelly Kathara Shrock; born, 10-29-1958; died, 1981.
- b. Barbee Lee; born, 12-29-1958, Front Royal, Va.; married, 1977, to Jerry Mize Hart.
- c. Leroy Randall, Jr.; born, 8-22-1961.
- d. Eric Reid; born, 9-9-1963.
- e. Neville Loudelle; born, 7-12-1971.

I.D.1.j.(6)-(b)-1.a. GEORGE DOWNING HALL

Born, 11-3-1957, Front Royal, Va.  
Father - Leroy Randall Hall  
Mother - Neville Reid Wood

Married, January, 1977, to SHELLY KATHARA SHROCK in Georgia.  
Born, 10-29-1958.  
Father -  
Mother -  
Died, 1981, in an automobile accident.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE AND SHELLY HALL:

a1. George Michael; born, 1-21-1978.

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I.D.1.j.(6)-(b)-1.b. BARBEE LEE HALL

Born, 2-29-1958.  
Father - Leroy Randall Hall  
Mother - Neville Reid Wood

Married, 1977, to JERRY MIZE HART in Georgia.  
Born, 6-14-1960.  
Father -  
Mother -

CHILDREN OF JERRY AND BARBEE HART:

b1. Jana Renee; born, 4-5-1979.

I.D.I.j.(6)-(b)-2. NANCY KEYSER WOOD

Born, 1-4-1944, Washington, Va.  
Father - Frank Downing Wood, Jr.  
Mother - Alice Twisdale Reid

Married, 5-25-1962, to QUENTIN MORRISON McCOY at Clintwood,  
I. Born, 3-16-1942. Virginia  
Father -  
Mother -

Divorced in 1973.

CHILDREN OF QUENTIN AND NANCY McCOY:

- a. Downing DeVer; born, 11-29-1964.
- b. Molly Birchfield; born, 4-20-1966.
- c. John Quentin; born, 10-9-1968.

Married, 6-28-1974, to JOHN KENT REEVE, at "Sunnyside"  
II. Born, 5-1-1942, Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Father - John Carlyle Reeve  
Mother - Dorothy Tolman

Kent is from a Mormon family. He and Nancy now attend the Washington Baptist Church. He works with computers and, at one time, commuted between Rappahannock and Silver Spring, Maryland, on the other side of Washington, D.C. He now works with a computer firm near Culpeper. He and Nancy have built their own home back in Gid Brown Hollow.

CHILDREN OF KENT AND NANCY REEVE:

- d. Alice Catherine Ashdown; born, 6-13-1975, Washington, Virginia.
- e. John Robert Tolman; born, 10-30-1979, Washington, Va.

I.D.1.j.(6)-(b)-3. ALICE TWISDALE WOOD

Born, 8-25-1945.

Father - Frank Downing Wood, Jr.

Mother - Alice Twisdale Reid

Married, 4-24-1965, to PAUL COMER SMITH, at "Sunnyside".

Born, 8-15-1943.

Father - Warren Comer Smith

Mother - Josephine Ferland

Paul is an avionic technician with the Ayres Corporation, and they live in Albany, Georgia.

CHILDREN OF PAUL AND ALICE SMITH:

a. Lisa Rachelle; born, 7-16-1966, Albany, Ga.

b. Angela Twisdale; born, 9-12-1968, Albany, Ga.

c. Paul Comer, Jr.; born, 4-28-1971, Albany, Ga.

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I.D.1.j.(6)-(b)-4. MARY MILLER WOOD, II

Born, 4-2-1949.

Father - Frank Downing Wood, Jr.

Mother - Alice Twisdale Reid

Married, 12-13-1965, to STEPHEN LESLIE BAILEY.

Born, 9-6-1949, Washington, Va.

Father - Leon Lester Bailey

Mother - Marilyn Merrill

Steve is an electrician. They live in Washington, Va.

CHILDREN OF STEVE AND MARY BAILEY:

a. Stephen Leslie, Jr.; born, 5-3-1966, died 5-4-1966.

b. Marilyn Merrill; born, 12-13-1971.

c. Mary Ellen; born, 3-16-1977.

d. Grace Lee Wood; born, 7-25-1981.

I.D.I.j.(6)-(b)-5. FRANCES DOWNING WOOD

Born, 12-19-1950.

Father - Frank Downing Wood, Jr.  
Mother - Alice Twisdale Reid

Married, 3-6-1971, to DONALD JOSEPH CONOVER, JR. in  
Camilla, Georgia.

Born, 9-28-1952, Ponce, Puerto Rico.  
Father - Donald Joseph Conover  
Mother -

Divorced in 1979.

CHILDREN OF DON AND FRANCES CONOVER:

- a. Elizabeth Twisdale; born, 10-8-1971.
- b. Alissa Bradley; born, 2-29-1980.

I.D.1.j.(8) ROBERT LEE KEYSER, M.D.

Born, 7-2-1883, "Glen Eyrie", Washington, Va.  
Father - Noah Hampson Keyser  
Mother - Annie Cassandra Miller

Married, 10-31-1912, to LOUISE DILWORTH RANDALL, in Baltimore, Md., at 13 East 22nd Street.  
Born, 5-24-1888.  
Died, 8-25-1965, Baltimore.  
Buried, Druid Ridge Cemetery, Baltimore.  
Father - Samuel Henry Randall  
Mother - Elizabeth Sisson

Died, 5-31-1954.  
Buried, Druid Ridge Cemetery, Baltimore.

He ran away from home to Baltimore to study medicine. Had to work at night to put himself through school. He graduated in 1907 from the Baltimore University School of Medicine, now a part of the University of Maryland. He did his internship at the Biedler-Selman Sanatorium in the 2700 block of North Charles Street. Then he opened his office in the brand new Wentworth Apts. on Cathedral Street, just above Saratoga Street, and practiced there as a general practitioner for forty-five years.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT AND LOUISE KEYSER:

- (a) Louise Dilworth; born, 8-22-1914, Baltimore; married, 5-31-1941, to Randolph Lucas Cockey.
- (b) Robert Lee, Jr.; born, 7-9-1917, Baltimore; married, 12-12-1942, to Joyce Froelicher; died, 6-24-1975.

They lived at the Wentworth Apartments from 1912-1918, at 15 East Twenty-Second Street from 1918-1928, and at 611 West Fortieth Street from 1928 until 1954.



Robert Lee Keyser

1912

Keyser - Randall



The wedding of Miss Louise Dilworth Randall to Dr. Robert Lee Keyser took place Thursday evening (October 31st) at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Randall, 13 East Twenty-second street. The ceremony was performed beneath a bower of palms and chrysanthemums by Rev. Charles L. Mead, pastor of First Methodist Episcopal Church.

The bride entered the room with her father, by whom she was given in marriage. She wore a gown of white charmeuse and lace, with veil of tulle fastened with orange

blossoms, and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her sister, Mrs. Claude Davenport Cotten, of Birmingham, Ala., was matron of honor, and wore a gown of white satin and carried pink chrysanthemums. The other attendants were Miss Sarah Randall, who wore pink charmeuse and carried white chrysanthemums, and Miss Ida Randall, who wore a gown of blue and carried pink roses.

The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Joseph Keyser, of Front Royal, Va., as best man. Dr. Keyser is on the staff of the Maryland Homeopathic Hospital and is connected with the Biedler-Sellman Sanatorium.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held. Doctor and Mrs. Keyser left later in the evening for a Northern trip and on their return will reside at the Wentworth Apartments.



Louise Keyser Cockey  
Robert Lee Keyser  
Louise Randall Keyser  
Robert Lee Keyser, Jr.

40th Wedding Anniversary  
1952

Robert Lee Keyser Jr.  
Louise Keyser Cockey  
1968



Three generations of  
Robert Lee Keyser  
1948

I.D.I.j.(8)-(a) LOUISE DILWORTH KEYSER

Born, 8-22-1914, Baltimore.

Father - Robert Lee Keyser

Mother - Louise Dilworth Randall

Married, 5-31-1941, to RANDOLPH LUCAS COCKEY, in First Methodist Episcopal Church, Baltimore.

Born, 8-26-1910, Baltimore.

Died, 12-14-1967, Baltimore.

Buried, All Saints Cemetery, Reisterstown, Md.

Father - Edward Randolph Cockey

Mother - Ellen May Lucas

Luke graduated from the Polytechnic Institute in 1929, and from the Johns Hopkins University in Electrical Engineering in 1933. Louise graduated from Goucher College in 1935, and worked at Hutzler's Department Store, Hopkins Hospital, and the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company before they were married in 1941. They lived the first year and a half in Wilmington, Delaware, where Luke was working for the DuPont Company. Then they moved back to Baltimore, where he worked for the Glenn L. Martin Company and for Western Electric on defense projects (it was World War II time). In 1951, he took a job with the Government as a civilian employee with the Coast Guard, and designed electrical power plants and inspected them after they were built. In 1954 he had a two-month trip to Greenland and Baffin Island to inspect such a project . . . In 1967, just five years before he planned to retire, he died very suddenly at work from a massive heart attack.

CHILDREN OF RANDOLPH AND LOUISE COCKEY:

1. Randolph Lucas, Jr.; born, 8-13-1942, Baltimore; a graduate of Gilman School in 1960 and Johns Hopkins in 1964, he taught math at the Park School in Baltimore for thirteen years. For a part of that time, he was track coach at Hopkins, where he had been a member of ODK (as his father had before him) and captain of the track team. Disillusioned with teaching, he gave it up and is now working on the Baltimore waterfront.
2. Robert Fielding; born, 10-2-1944, Baltimore; married, 10-11-1969 to Stefanie Harris.
3. Louise Randall; born, 10-22-1947, Baltimore; a graduate of St. Paul's School for Girls in 1965 and

Children of Randolph and Louise Cockey, continued:

of the University of Maryland in Microbiology in 1969, she then became a certified medical technologist. After a year in VISTA, which is the domestic Peace Corps, and 7 years working in the Bacteriology Lab at Johns Hopkins Hospital, she enrolled at the University of Washington, in Seattle, and got her Master's Degree in Medical Microbiology in 1980. She is now working as a supervisor in a Microbiology Laboratory at the University of North Carolina, at Chapel Hill.

4. Christopher Slade; born, 5-31-1957, Baltimore; a graduate of St. Paul's School for Boys in 1975, and of Johns Hopkins University in 1980, he is presently being trained as a computer programmer by the Maryland Casualty Insurance Company in Baltimore. His interests are photography (he has done some really beautiful work), astronomy, classical music, reading, and hiking.



Randolph  
Lucas  
Cockey

1940

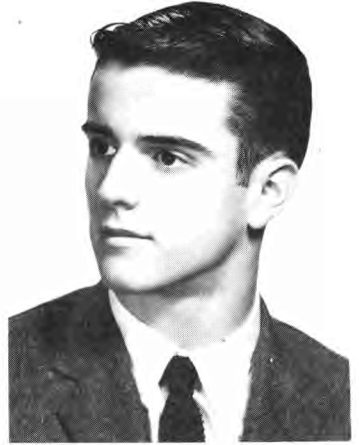
Louise  
Keyser  
Cockey  
and  
Randolph  
Lucas  
Cockey,  
Jr.

1943





Randolph  
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Randolph  
Lucas  
Cockey  
Jr.

Robert  
Fielding  
Cockey



Louise  
Randall  
Cockey

Christopher  
Slade  
Cockey





Back Row: Randolph Lucas Cockey, Jr.,  
Louise Keyser Cockey, Louise Randall  
Cockey, Christopher Slade Cockey

Seated, Front: Robert Fielding Cockey,  
Stefanie Harris Cockey

1980

I.D.1.j.(8)-(a)-2. ROBERT FIELDING COCKEY

Born, 10-2-1944, Baltimore.

Father - Randolph Lucas Cockey  
Mother - Louise Dilworth Keyser

Married, 10-11-1969, to STEFANIE HARRIS, in Brown Memorial  
Presbyterian Church, Baltimore.

Born, 8-5-1945, Baltimore.  
Father - Benjamin Louis Harris  
Mother - Janet Diekmann

Robert graduated from St. Paul's School for Boys in 1963, and then attended Washington College in Chestertown, Maryland, and graduated from the University of Baltimore in 1968. He taught elementary school in Baltimore County, and went to Towson State University at night and in the summer and got his Master's Degree in Clinical Psychology in 1975. He is now a clinical psychologist with the Board of Education of Allegany County in Western Maryland, working in Cumberland, and living on the side of Dan's Mountain two miles east of Frostburg. He has become deeply involved in a fight to prevent the coal companies from strip-mining on Dan's Mountain and thereby destroying the water supply of the little community of Vale Summit in which he lives.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT AND STEFANIE COCKEY:

- a. Robert Fielding, Jr.; born, 7-6-1976, Baltimore, Md.
- b. Janet Powell; born, 2-23-1979, Cumberland, Md.



Robert Fielding Cockey, Jr., Robert  
Fielding Cockey, Sr., Stefanie Harris  
Cockey, Janet Powell Cockey

1979

I.D.1.j.(8)-(b) ROBERT LEE KEYSER, JR.

Born, 7-9-1917, Baltimore, Md.

Father - Robert Lee Keyser

Mother - Louise Dilworth Randall

Married, 12-12-1942, to JOYCE FROELICHER (JUDY) at 1348  
Bolton Street, Baltimore, Md.

Born, 9-9-1920.

Father - Hans Froelicher, Jr.

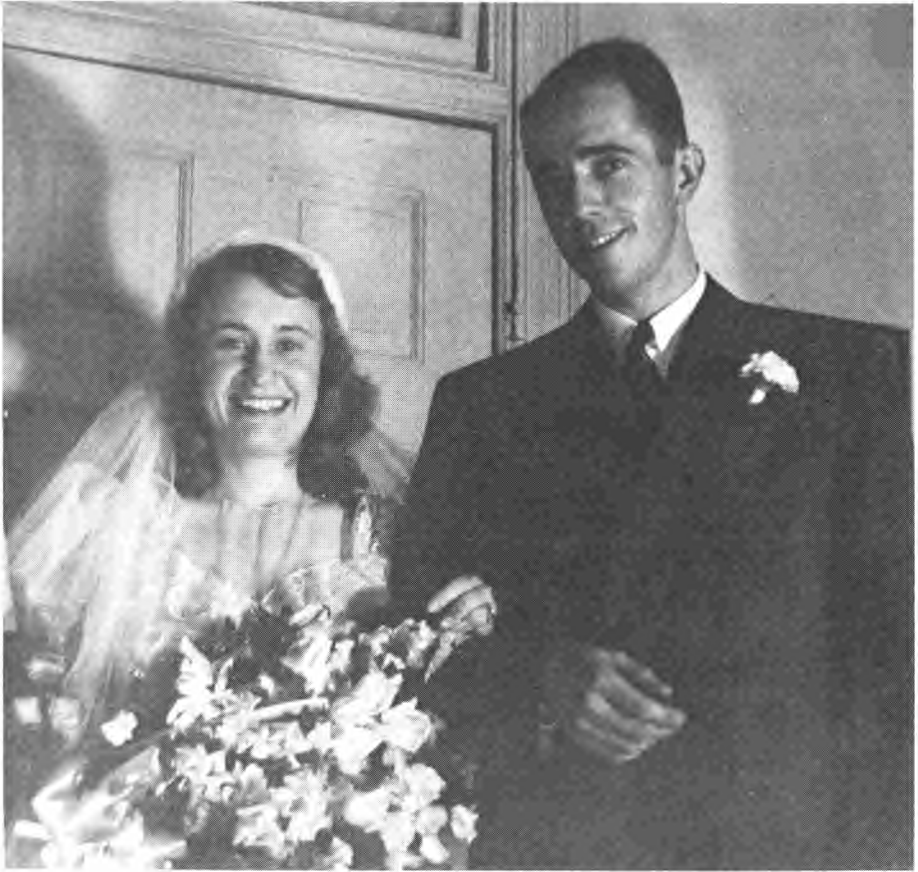
Mother - Joyce Sangree

Died, 6-24-1975, Baltimore.

Lee attended St. Johns College in Annapolis, Maryland, and graduated from Johns Hopkins in 1942. He attempted to enlist in the Navy, but was turned down because of his asthma. He went to work for the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, where he started out climbing poles and learned the business literally from the ground up. When he retired, thirty-five years later, he was a public relations supervisor. He was forced to retire because of ill health, since he had emphysema complicated by asthma, which had plagued him all his life. . . . Judy, who graduated from Goucher in 1942, was the granddaughter of Dr. Hans Froelicher, for many years a popular professor at Goucher College and at one time its acting president. His wife, also Dr. Froelicher, was one of the first women in America to win the Ph.D. degree. She, too, taught at Goucher. . . . Her father was for many years headmaster of the Park School, a private school in Baltimore. . . . After Lee's death, Judy taught at Park School.

CHILDREN OF LEE AND JUDY KEYSER:

1. Robert Lee, III; born, 7-31-1945, Baltimore; married, 3-29-1969 to Brenda Ballman.
2. Joyce Sangree (Judy); born, 2-20-1948, Baltimore; married, 12-21-1968, to William Ross Mace, III, in Goucher College Chapel.



Robert Lee Keyser, Jr., and Judy Froelicher Keyser  
1942



Robert Lee Keyser, Jr., and Judy Froelicher Keyser  
with Robert Lee, III, and Judy, Jr. -- 1948

## ***Robert Lee Keyser, Jr., 57, Official Of Phone Company***

Funeral services for Robert Lee Keyser, Jr., a public relations supervisor of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company, were to be held today at the Jenkins funeral establishment, 4905 York road.

Mr. Keyser, who was 57 and lived in Towson, died Tuesday at the Greater Baltimore Medical Center after a long illness.

He was born in Baltimore and graduated from City College. He began his college studies at St. John's College, but received his degree in political science from the Johns Hopkins University in 1941.

### **Naval Reserve**

Mr. Keyser was honorably discharged from the Naval Reserves in 1940.

He joined the telephone company nearly 35 years ago as a plant lineman. Mr. Keyser was appointed commercial manager of the Parkton office in 1943. He also served as manager in business offices in Pikesville, Frederick and Catonsville.

He was appointed public relations supervisor in Baltimore in 1957. His most recent assignment was coordinating the company's programs for handling appeals, complaints and corporate contributions.

He was a member of the Hopkins Club and a past member of the Public Relations Society of America.

Mr. Keyser is survived by his wife, the former Joyce Froelicher; a son, Robert Lee 3d, of Denver; a daughter, Mrs. Joyce Mace, of Baltimore; a sister, Mrs. Louise Cockey, of Baltimore, and three grandchildren.

I.D.1.j.(8)-(d)-1. ROBERT LEE KEYSER III

Born, 7-31-1945, Baltimore.  
Father - Robert Lee Keyser, Jr.  
Mother - Joyce Froelicher

Married, 3-29-1969, to BRENDA KATHERINE BALLMAN, in  
Midland, Michigan.  
Born, 4-13-1945.  
Father - Donald Karl Ballman  
Mother - Elizabeth Jerome

Bob went to school in Denver, and then graduated from the University of Denver in 1968. He went on and earned his master's degree in education at the same university in 1972. Brenda graduated from Pomona College in 1968. Bob was a Communications Officer (in Public Relations) with the Coors Brewing Company, which was planning to expand its facilities to the East Coast. He and Brenda enjoyed the outdoor life -- the hiking and skiing, etc. -- of the Denver area. He has just (1982) accepted a position in the Public Relations Department of McDonald's in the Chicago area.

CHILDREN OF BOB AND BRENDA KEYSER:

- a. Elise Moffett; born, 5-6-1974, Denver, Colorado.
- b. Hanni Elizabeth; born, 3-21-1977, Denver, Colorado.

I.D.1.j.(8)-(d)-2. JOYCE SANGREE KEYSER

Born, 2-20-1948, Baltimore.

Father - Robert Lee Keyser, Jr.

Mother - Joyce Froelicher

Married, 12-21-1968, to WILLIAM ROSS MACE, III, in Goucher College Chapel.

Born, 11-10-1946, Baltimore. *Died: 3-6-1983*

Father - William Ross Mace, Jr.

Mother - Ruth Mary Jones

Bill graduated from the University of Maryland in 1968, and Judy attended the same school for a year or so. Bill is now a C.P.A. and is a partner in the accounting firm of Coopers Lybrand. . . . Judy is artistically inclined. She and a friend make and sell very attractive Christmas tree ornaments, and are building a nice business. . . . Bill's hobby is wood-working. He has done much work on their home -- enlarging and re-modeling the kitchen, and, most recently, making an extra room of a porch. He and Judy live in a suburb of Baltimore.

CHILDREN OF BILL AND JUDY MACE:

a. William Ross, IV. (Drew); born, 5-13-1970, Baltimore.

b. Melissa Sangree; born, 4-25-1974, Baltimore.



Back Row: Judy Keyser Mace, Bill Mace with  
Melissa Mace, Brenda Ballman Keyser, Robert  
Lee Keyser, III, with Elise Keyser

Seated, front: Drew Mace with Hanni Keyser,  
Judy Froelicher Keyser

1981



Bill and Judy  
Keyser Mace with  
Drew and Melissa

1980

I.D.1.j.(9) JACOB EDWARD KEYSER

Born, 4-11-1886, Glen Eyrie, Washington, Virginia.  
Father - Noah Hampson Keyser  
Mother - Annie Cassandra Miller

Married, 10-23-1912, to MARY FRANCES EASTHAM ("Honeybee")  
Born, 10-29-1888, Flint Hill, Virginia.  
Died, 10-14-1968, Baptist Home, Culpeper.  
Father - Franklin Dabney Eastham  
Mother - Virginia Fisher ~~Deathridge~~ *Eastham*

Died, 2-10-1968, Baptist Home, Culpeper, Virginia.  
Buried, Masonic Cemetery, Washington, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF JACOB AND HONEYBEE KEYSER:

- (a) Anne Eastham; born, 2-7-1915; married, 6-12-1937,  
to Robert Mercer Menefee; died, 6-13-1977, Alexandria,  
Virginia.
- (b) Mary Gardner; born, 8-15-1916; married, 12-24-1941,  
to Earl Kline Edmonds.
- (c) Jacob Edward, Jr.; born, 10-15-1918; married, 1-9-1948  
to Elizabeth Waldron.
- (d) Hampson Miller; born, 8-12-1921; married, 5-3-1952,  
to Elizabeth Jane Hulmes.
- (e) John Dabney; born, 4-14-1925; married, 1-4-1966,  
in Dallas, Texas, to Virginia Dare Holman, of  
Mountain City, Tennessee.
  1. Edward Hampson; born, 9-14-1966, in Dallas.



Back: Della Dudley (?),  
Jacob E. Keyser

Front: Mayes Dudley,  
Lavinia Dudley

1905

Mary Frances  
"Honeybee" Eastham



I.D.1.j.(9)-(a) ANNE EASTHAM KEYSER

Born, 2-7-1915, Washington, Virginia.  
Father - Jacob Edward Keyser  
Mother - Mary Frances Eastham

Married, 6-12-1937, to ROBERT MERCER MENEFEE.  
Born, 1902, Sperryville, Virginia.  
Died, 12-16-1966.  
Father - Robert Menefee  
Mother - Fannie Helen Miller

Divorced about 1957.

Died, 6-13-1977, Alexandria, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT MERCER AND ANNE MENEFEE:

1. Robert Mercer, Jr.; born, 6-15-1938, Sperryville, Va.
2. Edward Lynn; born, 12-26-1944, Sperryville, Va.;  
married, 1-6-1968, to Shirley Stevens, who was  
born 2-7-1946 in Washington, D.C.
  - a. Robert Lynn; born, 3-22-1970.
3. Sandra Ann; born, 1-8-1947, Sperryville, Va.

Rob Mercer was a farmer - a good, hard-working one. After their divorce, Anne taught school in the Washington, D.C. area. She married three other times -- each time without issue. The third and last marriage was a happy one. She and James Graham lived in Alexandria, Virginia. During her last illness, which proved to be of long duration, he took care of her faithfully and lovingly. He still lives in Alexandria.

I.D.1.j.(9)-(b) MARY GARDNER KEYSER

Born, 8-15-1916, Washington, Va.  
Father - Jacob Edward Keyser  
Mother - Mary Frances Eastham

Married, 12-24-1941, to EARL KLINE EDMONDS.  
Born, 1-14-1906, Browntown, Virginia.  
Died, 5-10-1965, Huntley, Virginia.  
Father - Charles Thomas Edmonds  
Mother - Carrie Kline

Earl, Sr., served during World War II with the 29th Infantry Division in the European Theatre. He was wounded at Liege, Belgium, during the Battle of the Bulge, and was a patient in a hospital in England for a time thereafter.

CHILD OF EARL AND MARY GARDNER EDMONDS:

1. Earl Kline, Jr.; born, 12-30-1947, Front Royal, Va.; married, 10-3-1970, to Mary Elizabeth Duke (born, 2-22-1948, Charles City, Virginia)

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I.D.1.j.(9)-(b)-1. EARL KLINE EDMONDS, JR.

Born, 12-30-1947, Front Royal, Virginia.  
Father - Earl Kline Edmonds  
Mother - Mary Gardner Keyser

Married, 10-3-1970, to MARY ELIZABETH DUKE.  
Born, 2-22-1948, Charles City, Virginia.  
Father - Richard S. Duke  
Mother - Dorothy Penny

Eddie graduated in 1970 from Virginia Commonwealth University. Mary graduated from Westhampton College. He is a career officer in the Air Force, and was stationed in Phoenix, Arizona, but has recently been transferred to Luke Air Force Base near Goldsboro, N.C.

CHILDREN OF EDDIE AND MARY EDMONDS:

- a. Christy Marie; born, 9-25-1972.
- b. Jonathan Westley; born, 2-5-1975, Winchester, Virginia.

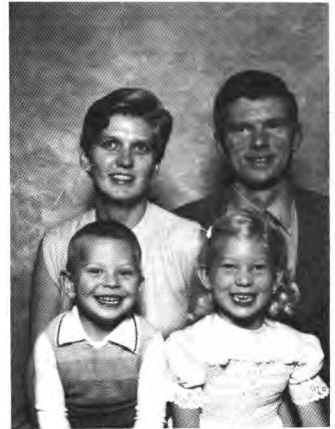


Mary Gardner  
Keyser Edmonds

Earl Kline Edmonds and  
Mary Gardner Keyser Edmonds



Anne Eastham Keyser Graham



Earl Kline Edmonds, Jr. and  
Mary Duke Edmonds, with  
Christy and Jonathan

1978

A version of the following story appeared in the July, 1970, issue of the magazine, VIRGINIA WILDLIFE.

BARELY ACQUAINTED

by

Mary Gardner Edmonds

Our home is situated in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains. We have seen much wild game on our land. Several years ago a bear broke through a screen door at a neighbor's house. It took some cat food from the top of an icebox. Two weeks ago, I was told fresh bear tracks had been seen just back of our place. In spite of all this, I was totally unprepared for what happened.

It was June 6th. Eddie, our son and a senior at college, was home for a few days before returning for summer employment. We had finished breakfast and I went to the kitchen. Something told me to go to the back door, and I could not believe my eyes. At that instant I saw a mature bear emerging from the woods by the clothesline. It had a lot of brown on its face.

I called Eddie and we both watched it in disbelief. It sat on its haunches, gazed in our direction, rubbed its paw over its face, turned and disappeared.

I alerted the neighbors. Eddie left to visit relatives for the weekend, and I went to work.

That evening voices began drifting up our driveway, and I heard the word bear. I saw four neighbors pointing towards the yard. They had spotted the bear, but he retreated as they closed in. We saw no trace of him Saturday.

On Sunday, I was in the livingroom, reading, when I heard the screen door open and close. Had Eddie driven up? "Eddie?" No response. The screen door opened and closed again. "Eddie?" I knew he had not driven in.

The third time the door opened and closed I was through the livingroom, dining room and headed for the kitchen. I could see absolutely nothing as I looked through the screen door, but I HAD to see what was on the other side of the door. I cautiously opened it a fraction and there, standing close to the wall was a six-foot bear!

We stared at each other. I screamed and he fled on all fours. He landed in a flower bed by the porch and lumbered into the woods at a pretty good clip. Again I saw brown on his face and on his hind quarters as he fled.

I called a cousin and asked her to contact the game

warden. Some neighbors responded to my call, and some cousins arrived shortly thereafter to help. We saw no signs of the bear.

The neighbors stayed with me for several hours. We noticed some wire had been pulled loose from the door. Evidently he had his claws in the lower part of the screen because he left claw marks in it.

Our game warden came as quickly as possible. He said that he would like to remain for a while and see if the bear showed up, but that he would come to the door before leaving. As he sat in his car he saw the bear come out at the clothesline, wander around, go over to Eddie's 1940 Ford and climb up on the hood.

In the meantime a young couple came by to see me, and as they drove up, their headlights frightened him off. The game warden followed them in and said, "You've got a bear all right. It's mature and I'd guess it weighs close to one hundred twenty pounds."

He returned the next evening accompanied by a state biologist and the latter's son. They stayed until nearly ten that night, but the bear did not come back.

The officer checked in from time to time, but we saw no trace of the bear for the remainder of the week. Sunday morning, I saw huge bear tracks on the front porch and a lot of mud. This time the dining room window had been raised, and the only thing between the bear and us as we lay sleeping in our rooms was the screen at the window which looks out on the front porch. He had bent the chaise lounge which was on the porch.

I was making fewer trips outside and always checking from the windows before venturing out. There are so many trees on our lawn that the bear could easily be hidden from view.

Eddie left for summer employment the next Sunday. I chose this time to air the blankets and winter clothes he had brought home. After looking around the grounds, I took the clothing to the clothesline. I fastened all the doors securely when I returned to the house.

It wasn't five minutes before I heard a stray dog barking furiously. There in the middle of a wild strawberry patch was the bear!

He had waited again until Eddie had gone. I knew the shotgun wouldn't kill it unless I was at close range, and I was not about to get close enough for that. I also knew I would be worse off with an ornery, angry, crippled bear than with just an ornery one. I was willing to wait a little longer for the Game Warden to handle it.

Next morning a friend carried my message to the Game Warden in an adjoining county, and to the biologist. I decided I'd better go to a nearby store and get some bait.

I had thrown no scraps out for a week at the officer's request. Fortunately, I was able to get some overripe bananas.

How happy I was to see the Game Warden's car turn into our driveway. He had brought the biologist, his son, and an off-duty member of a town's police force.

They told me to put out the bait. They asked for permission to watch from the windows inside the house as they did not want the bear to pick up their scent.

They didn't wait more than fifteen minutes before they spotted the bear coming from the woods. He knew exactly where to go -- straight to the trash barrel where he stood, sniffed, and ambled over to the bananas which were close by.

The men opened up with the special shells they had brought. What a deafening din!

The bear left, but not in a big hurry. "Did you see how poor he was and how slowly he moved?" asked one.

It had been brought out in an earlier conversation that the bear should not be hungry or poor now, for there had been a good growing season. I was shocked when I saw it -- it looked much thinner than the one I had seen close up on three different occasions.

We had discussed how many children lived in this area. Since the bear would not be scared off, and looked so horrible, there was no alternative. It had to go. They decided against trapping it or using a tranquilizer gun and taking it back to the Park.

By the time the Game Warden loaded Eddie's 30.06 with a few slugs and got outside, the off-duty officer was coming after him. "He's up the wild cherry tree", he said in an excited whisper. They both shot, and the bear hit the ground with a thump. I breathed a sigh of relief, and thanked them for their patient, professional assistance.

They took the bear back for an autopsy. The next morning the Game Warden came by to report that the hide was eaten up with mange, and the autopsy disclosed an internal disease. It was a male, weighed ninety-five pounds, and measured six feet. They said it would have been tremendous if it had been healthy.

I had not seen any brown on this black bear, and he moved slower than the one which ran from me at the door. I remarked, "I don't think they got the bear I saw". "Why?" he asked. "I never forget a face", I replied.

I.D.1.j.(9)-(c) JACOB EDWARD KEYSER, JR.

Born, 10-15-1918, Flint Hill, Virginia.  
Father - Jacob Edward Keyser  
Mother - Mary Frances Eastham

Married, 1-9-1948 to ELIZABETH WALDRON.  
Born, 9-13-1917, New York City.  
Father - Arthur John Waldron  
Mother - Cora Lay

J.E. served in the Army during World War II. The year before Pearl Harbor he was stationed at Hickam Field, in Hawaii. The next five years he spent in New Guinea.

J.E. and Libby met when she was visiting her sister, Mrs. Cheatham, whose husband had bought "Mountain Green" from Aunt Evelyn Miller. For many years now he has worked for The Restoration in Williamsburg, Virginia, buying and training the horses that are used to pull the carriages and other forms of transportation through the streets of the town.

CHILDREN OF J.E. AND LIBBY KEYSER:

1. Grace Ann; born, 1-11-1950, Williamsburg. Va.; married, 8-14-1971, to Douglas Duval Tennis, Jr. who was born 10-11-1947; parents - Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Duval Tennis of Williamsburg; Grace Ann and Douglas live in Greensboro, N.C. where he works for Burlington Industries in Personnel and she teaches college math.
2. Infant; born, January, 1951; died, January 26, 1951.

I.D.1.j.(9)-(d) HAMPSON MILLER KEYSER

Born, 8-12-1921, Flint Hill, Virginia.

Father - Jacob Edward Keyser

Mother - Mary Frances Eastham

Married, 5-3-1952 to ELIZABETH JANE HULMES (pronounced "Humes")

Born 2-8-1928.

Father -

Mother -

Hampson has been a very successful insurance salesman. He and Betty now live in Florida.

CHILDREN OF HAMPSON AND BETTY KEYSER:

1. Beverly Ann, born, 4-17-1953.
2. Gregory Miller, born, 3-16-1955.
3. Nancy Elizabeth, born, 8-30-1957.



Hampson Miller Keyser



Betty Hulme Keyser with  
Nancy, Gregory, Beverly



Jacob Edward Keyser, Jr.



Elizabeth Waldron  
Keyser

I.D.I.K. EDWARD THOMAS KEYSER

Born 3-8-1834, Hope Mills, Luray, Virginia.  
Father - Noah Keyser  
Mother - Ann Roads

Married, 11-15-1859, to MARY JANE WILLIAMS.  
Born, 2-24-1838.  
Died, 3-9-1926, Rappahannock Co., Va.

Died, 2-20-1916, Maple Shade, Rappahannock Co., Va.

He was a "Forty-Niner" in the California Gold Rush of 1849.

CHILDREN OF EDWARD AND MARY KEYSER:

- (1) William Lee; born, 9-7-1864; married, 6-11-1890, to Caroline DeJarnette; died, 9-15-1915.
- (2) Hubert Forrest; born, 4-22-1866; married, 12-10-1890, to Lucy E. Wood; died, 4-21-1941.

ELLIOTT HAWES DeJARNETTE, SR.

Born, 1790, Spring Grove, Caroline Co., Va.

Father - Joseph DeJarnette

Mother - Mary Hampton

Died, 1857, Pine Forest, Spotsylvania Co., Va.

The father of the Joseph DeJarnette, who married Mary Hampton, was James DeJarnette, and his father was Joseph DeJarnette.

Married to ELIZABETH COLEMAN.

CHILDREN OF ELLIOTT AND ELIZABETH DeJARNETTE:

1. Betty; married William Hart.
2. Joseph Spencer, M.D.; married Nannie Quissenberry.
3. Mary Hampton; married Nelson Waller, M.D.
4. Huldah; married James O. Coleman.
5. Louise; married Daniel Coleman DeJarnette.
6. Caroline; married John Hampton DeJarnette.
7. Lucy Ann; married Philip Drew.
8. James; married Lucy Mary Herndon.
9. Elliott Hawes, Jr.; married Evelyn May Magruder; he was a Captain of Company I, 30th Virginia Regiment, C.S.A.

CAPTAIN ELLIOTT HAWES DeJARNETTE, JR.

Born, 6-6-1839, Caroline County, Va.  
Father - Elliott Hawes DeJarnette  
Mother - Elizabeth Coleman

Married to EVELYN MAY MAGRUDER, a writer.

Died, 4-27-1913.

He served as Captain of Company I, 30th Virginia Regiment in the Confederate Army during the Civil War.

CHILDREN OF ELLIOTT AND EVELYN DeJARNETTE:

1. Caroline Hampton; born, 10-21-1865; married, 6-11-1890 to William Lee Keyser; died, 11-2-1959, Washington, Va.
2. Joseph Spencer; married Chertsy Hopkins, Superintendent of Western State Hospital.
3. May; married James M. Marshall.
4. Henry Magruder, M.D.; lived in Fredericksburg, Va.
5. Evelyn Magruder
6. Elliott Hawes; married Margaret Averill; lived in Orange, Virginia.
7. Sallie Watson; married John D. Micks.
8. Horatio Erskine; married Bessie Beckwith; lived in Princeton, West Virginia.

I.D.1.k.(1) WILLIAM LEE KEYSER

Born 9-7-1864, Washington, Va.

Father - Edward Thomas Keyser

Mother - Mary Jane Williams

Married, 6-11-1890 to CAROLINE HAMPTON DeJARNETTE (Callie)

Born, 10-21-1865.

Died, 11-2-1959, Washington, Va.

Father - Captain Elliott Hawes DeJarnette

Mother - Evelyn May Magruder

Died, 9-15-1915, Washington, Va.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND CALLIE KEYSER:

- (a) Edward Hampton; born, 7-30-1893, Washington, Va.; married, 10-20-1921, to Adair Rangeley who was born, 5-30-1890; no issue; died, 11-2-1956; he practiced dentistry in Front Royal.
- (b) Joseph DeJarnette; born, 12-13-1894, Washington, Va.; married, 8-30-1934 to Virginia Bowen who died May, 1947; no issue; died, 1977, Washington, Va.
- (c) Elliott Hawes; born, 11-27-1896; died, 1-19-1907.
- (d) Henry Magruder; born, 7-19-1901, Washington, Va.; Married, 11-7-1928, to Ruth Jacobsen; died, 1-31-1967, in Williamsburg, Va.

I.D.1.k.(1)-(d) HENRY MAGRUDER KEYSER (Doug)

Born, 7-19-1901, Washington, Va.

Father - William Lee Keyser

Mother - Caroline Hampton DeJarnette

Married, 11-7-1928 to RUTH JACOBSEN, in Somesville, Maine.

Born, 8-5-1905, Somesville, Maine

Father -

Mother -

Died, 1-31-1967, Williamsburg, Virginia

Doug was in charge of the maintenance of all the buildings of the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Virginia. After he died, Ruth moved into the home they had built for their retirement outside of Washington, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF DOUG AND RUTH KEYSER:

1. Henry Magruder, Jr.; born 5-12-1932; married, 4-1-1959 to Nancy Schultze in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, who was born, 11-23-1936 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
  - a. Henry Magruder, III; born 7-20-1961.
  - b. Joseph Frank; born, 1-2-1963.
  - c. Frank Matthew; born, 2-25-1971.
2. William; born, 1943; died, 5-22-1951, Williamsburg, Virginia.

I.D.I.k.(2) HUBERT FORREST KEYSER

Born, 4-22-1866, Washington, Va.  
Father - Edward Thomas Keyser  
Mother - Mary Jane Williams

Married, 12-10-1890, to LUCY ("LOULA") EMELINE WOOD  
Born, 2-10-1867, at "Sunnyside"  
Died, 5-15-1946, at "Sunnyside"  
Father - Charles Burrell Wood  
Mother - Mary Elizabeth Miller

Died, 4-21-1941, at "Sunnyside".

Hubert was for some years the Sheriff of Rappahannock County.

CHILDREN OF HUBERT AND LOULA KEYSER:

- (a) Mary Edna; born, 11-25-1891, Sunnyside; married, Nov. 1915 to Scott Witherow; died, Oct. 1916; no issue.
- (b) Flora Gertrude; born, 4-30-1893; died, May, 1895.
- (c) Charles Wood; born, 9-1-1894, Sunnyside; married, Dec. 1919 to Mary Holden; died, 11-9-1955; he inherited Sunnyside, but did not live there; his children died very young.
- (d) James Warner; born, 8-24-1896; died, 4-18-1938; no issue.
- (e) Beulah; born, 10-4-1898; died, 7-23-1981, New York City; married David Stember, N.Y.C.; no issue.
- (f) Lucy; born, 4-17-1900; died, 1-17-1928; married, 11-24-1924 to Fred Mitchell; no issue.
- (g) Flora (Cooney); born, 10-4-1901; married I. March, 1927 to Mortimer Sothoron; one daughter, Lucy Catherine; born, 12-26-1928; married II. Clark Jones.
- (h) Hubert Aubrey; born, 11-26-1903; married, 6-29-1927 to Annie Eastham Slaughter; no issue. (she was born 9-29-1903)
- (i) Irene Wilson; born, 4-25-1906; died, 1977 in Washington Virginia; no issue.
- (j) Anna Bryant; born 4-5-1908; died, 12-2-1979, Louisa, Virginia; married 5-30-1936, to Robert Kent Woolfolk, in Louisa.

I.D.1.k.(2)-(j) ANNA BRYANT KEYSER

Born, 4-5-1908, "Sunnyside".

Father - Hubert Forrest Keyser

Mother - Lucy Emeline Wood

Married, 5-30-1936, to ROBERT KENT WOOLFOLK.

Born, Louisa, Virginia.

Died, 1-27-1945, Louisa, Virginia

Died, 12-2-1979, Louisa, Va.

CHILDREN OF KENT AND ANNA WOOLFOLK:

1. Lucy Ann; born, 12-13-1937, Louisa, Virginia; married, 8-21-1963, to James Browning Marshall.
  - a. James; born, Sept. 1965.
  - b. William Kent; born, 1969.
  - c. David; born, 9-24-1980, a twin.
  - d. -----; born, 9-24-1980. a twin boy.
2. Alice Garland; born, 12-13-1937, Louisa, Virginia; married, 4-26-1958, to Earl Gray Dooley in Chesterfield, S.C.; he was born in Lynchburg, Va.; his father is H. H. Dooley.
  - a. Ann Grey; born, 1-17-1959.
  - b. Robert Kent; born, 12-23-1959.
  - c. Stephen Lee; born, 1970.

I.E. MARY KEYSER

Born, 8-5-1760.

Father - Charles Keyser, Sr.

Mother - Elizabeth Grossgloss

Married, 2-1-1782, to LUKE KELLY, in Shenandoah Co., Va.

Born, 4-3-1757.

Died, 11-25-1821, Hanging Rock, Lawrence Co., Ohio.

Died, 8-10-1824, Hanging Rock, Lawrence Co., Ohio.

They moved first to Russell County, Virginia, where they apparently lived near Mary's brother, Joseph Kiser. Then they moved on to Lawrence County, Ohio.

CHILDREN OF LUKE AND MARY KELLY:

1. Elizabeth; married Nathaniel Davisson.
2. John; married Abigail Lambert.
3. Joseph
4. Charles; married Mary Harshburger.
5. Mary (Polly); married Vincent Powell.
6. Joshua; married Mary Lee.
7. Reuben; married Delilah Stewart.

I.F. ELIZABETH KEYSER

Born, 1762.

Father - Charles Keyser, Sr.  
Mother - Elizabeth Grossgloss

Married, 1-20-1784, to HENRY HURST.

Born, 10-27-1762, Shenandoah Co., Va.  
Father - John Hurst  
Mother - Nancy Nunn  
Died, 11-2-1844, Breathitt Co., Kentucky.

Died, 8-10-1832, Breathitt Co., Kentucky.

Elizabeth's father disapproved of the marriage, so they had to be married at the home of the groom's parents. The Hursts were "hard-shell" Baptists. Henry was a farmer. He served in the Revolution, and in 1833 he received a government pension.

CHILDREN OF HENRY AND ELIZABETH HURST:

1. Harmon; born, 1785.
2. Andrew Keyser; born, 1788; he died young of an accidentally inflicted gunshot wound.
3. Elisha; born, 1791.
4. Esther; born, 1794.
5. Elizabeth; born, 1797.
6. Samuel Henry; born, 1799.

I.G. ESTHER KEYSER

Born, ca. 1764.

Father - Charles Keyser, Sr.  
Mother - Elizabeth Grossgloss

Married, 5-9-1797, to GEORGE AUSTIN.

Father - Isaac Austin.

Died, 10-4-1846, Lawrence County, Ohio.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE AND ESTHER AUSTIN:

1. Isaac; married Lydia, daughter of Andrew Keyser.  
They were first cousins.
2. Mary (Polly); married George Trumbo.
3. Rebecca; married William Gilruth.

I.I. JOSEPH KEYSER I. (KISER)

Born,

Father - Charles Keyser, Sr.  
Mother - Elizabeth Grossgloss

Died, 1816, in Russell County, Virginia.

Married to SUSANNAH STACY.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND SUSANNAH KISER:

1. Joseph
2. Abednego
3. John
4. Nimrod
5. Ephraim
6. Mary (Polly)
7. Susanna
8. Charles
9. Elizabeth



PART II

THE MILLER FAMILY



DEDICATION

To Dr. Henry Taylor Miller, my beloved husband - a great-great-grandson of that Henry Miller whose descendants are the subject of this genealogy - this book is lovingly dedicated.

Katherine Skinner Miller, Author



HENRY MILLER

It seems probable that Henrich Adam Müller was born in Germany about 1727 and came from the Kurpfalz (Palatinate) to America at the age of 21 on the ship "Patience", Captain John Brown, sailing from Rotterdam, but "last of Cowes, England". He reached Philadelphia on September 16, 1748, and took the oath of government at the Court House the same day. Jacobus and Johannes Miller, aged 23 and 24, who came by the same boat were probably his brothers.

He went to Berks County, Penna., and the name "Henry Miller (single)" appears in a list of taxables from Greenwich Township, Berks County, compiled in or shortly after 1752. But it does not appear in a similar list of 1756. Between these dates he married and was living elsewhere.

He married Susanna Siblinger in Germantown sometime between her arrival in Philadelphia about January 4, 1753, and early in the year 1754. Susanna was born in Langensteinbach-Baden, Germany, on February 21, 1731, and sailed from Germany on November 9, 1752.

Henry and Susanna lived for a time in Germantown after their marriage, and then went to Berks County, Penna., where Henry had previously lived. On September 24, 1762, Henry Miller of Berks County was naturalized at Philadelphia.

Since their eleventh child, Sophia, was born October 23, 1771, and christened in Lancaster County, Penna., the family must have lived also in that county, unless Lancaster County was formed from Berks County and the division made in such a manner as to include in the former county that part of Berks County in which the Millers had made their home.

All of their children excepting the youngest, Anna, were apparently born in Pennsylvania. Their first child, sex unknown, could have died in Pennsylvania at an early age, since the name does not appear in the list of their children's names as recorded in the Hebron Church Birth Register, the list starting with the name of Maria, and we know Maria to have been their second child. At least eight -- perhaps ten -- of their children came to Virginia with them; the oldest one, Maria (Mary), being then about sixteen, and Sophia, the youngest, only a few months old.

They arrived in Virginia some time between the christening of Sophia in Lancaster (born October 23, 1771) and the christening in Virginia of the twins, George and Margaret, on January 17, 1772. Henry, therefore, must have lived in Pennsylvania for about twenty-three years before going to Virginia. He was a tanner, and is said to have gone to Virginia because the timber there was better for tanbark than in Pennsylvania.

Henry I lived on Robinson River in Culpeper County (now Madison County), Virginia, practically the rest of his life. The house he built in 1776 was across the river from Hebron Church, and about one mile from the ford.

Henry served in the Revolution as a private for a year and a half. He enlisted from Culpeper County, Virginia, at Chesterfield Court House on July 10, 1780. (Recorded in Register 21, Vol.1, of "Papers Concerning the Army of the Revolution", a manuscript volume in the Virginia State Library). . . . A Henry Miller of Culpeper and Fauquier Counties is mentioned in the list of men who served with Permeans (?) Brisco, captain of an expedition under General Clarke against the Shawnees, from July 30, 1780, to August 3, 1780. Amount due him, 16-10 (Ref. Illinois Papers II-56, Virginia State Library, Archives Department.)

He was described thus at the time of his enlistment: age, 53; 5 feet, 5 inches in height; black hair, dark complexion; hazel eyes.

He died at his home in Madison County in 1801. Susanna was living at the time his estate was settled, on November 26, 1807. When she died is not known, nor is their place of burial.

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As is usual with the descendants of early settlers in America, the Miller family has its traditions concerning its immigrant ancestor, Heinrich Muller. One such tradition is to the effect that he was in the army of Frederick the Great. Because he could not take an insult - or as one rather romantic version has it, he could not brook an insult to a lady - he rashly knocked down a superior officer, and in consequence was forced to flee the country. So he came to America.

It is known that Frederick the Great "was proud to have giants in his army, though himself a scanty five feet, five inches in height", -- the same height as Henry. It seems that the Henry Miller who came to America in 1748 at the age of twenty-one was not only much too young, but probably much too short to have been in Frederick the Great's army, especially as an officer.

In apparent contradiction of the tradition of his having been a soldier, Miss Amanda Newton, a descendant of Henry Miller's daughter, Elizabeth Miller LeCampion, says she remembers hearing her mother say that Henry was

urged by his parents to become a preacher, but on the death of an elder brother he gave up the ministry, and went into business with his father before coming to America.

According to the record of his enlistment, he was born at "Keipoltz", Germany. It has been suggested that the word "Keipoltz" was spelled as it sounded to the recording clerk, who probably had difficulty understanding Henry's broken English and finally settled by putting the word in quotation marks. After a search at the German embassy, no such place as Keipoltz could be found on any of their maps.

In a book at the Congressional Library entitled "A History of Berks Co., Penna.", it is stated that "Berks Co. immigrants came mostly from a strip of land on both sides of the Rhine extending south from near Cologne above Mannheim and having an area of less than 3500 square miles. This territory was divided into the Bavarian Palatinate, and the Palatinate of the Rhine, or the Pfalz, and it is from this latter division that most emigrated. The capital was Heidelberg. During the Thirty Years War the section was laid waste. So many wars, in fact, led many to leave their homes in Germany, and though some went to other sections of their country and many to Holland, most of them went to England, where Queen Anne sympathized with them. From there many came to America."

Another book on Berks County has an old map showing the location of the Pfalz and having printed across the upper portion of the map the word KURPFALZ. It would seem very likely, then, that Henry Miller came from the Palatinate of the Rhine, otherwise known as the Pfalz, and that it was, in truth, the result of a recording clerk's inability to understand Henry's speech which led him to write down "Keipoltz". Baden, where Susanna was born, adjoins the Palatinate.

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Henry purchased his first land in Culpeper County on April 16, 1776, when he bought twenty acres, and on September 7th of that same year he added fifty more acres to it. Thus he settled on Robinson River, in the beautiful valley of that name, where he built a substantial house, said to have been the largest and best constructed house in that whole section.

When he died, he left the house to his youngest son, Adam. Adam was killed in the War of 1812. Lewis, his oldest child, who was twenty when his father died, evidently stayed at the home place with his mother, who lived until 1838. Thus he apparently came into possession

of the place at his mother's death. He did not marry until he was fifty-five years old, which was nine years after his mother died. Undoubtedly by that time his brothers and sisters had already married and found homes of their own. So Lewis seems to have been left in possession of the home place.

Lewis died in 1873. His property was sold to Joseph Fray, after whom Joseph's son inherited it -- the late John H. Fray. The buildings were torn down in 1914 and a modern house erected on the site. At one time, before the buildings were removed, a tannery stood not far from the house. Henry, you remember, was a tanner.

The following is the text of the birth  
certificate of Susanna Sibler  
(The original is in German script)

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L.B.S.

(Lectori Benevolo Salutem)

At Auerbach, in the Markgravian-Baad-Durlach,  
there was born in the mother parish of Langensteinbach,  
of Evangelic Lutheran parents, in legal and honest  
wedlock, Anno 1731, on the 21st of February, and on  
the succeeding day taken in holy baptism,

SUSANNA,

whose parents were Michael Sibler, citizen and Master  
Carpenter, and Barbara, nee N.N. (Nomen Nescio).

Witnesses of baptism:

1. Jacob Bodemer, a citizen of Nodtingen
2. Johannes Daub, of Darmsbach
3. Susanna Riemerin, of Darmsbach, and
4. Margarethe Brauerin, of Wuelferdinen.

From the record of the baptismal book of this place.  
(L.S.) J. G. Endrig, Pastor at Langensteinbach  
Anno 1752, April 7th.

(Typed from copy sent by  
Carroll Emmett Haines,  
Baltimore, Maryland.)

HENRY MILLER

BORN circa 1727 in Kurpfalz (Palatinate), Germany

MARRIED 1753 or 1754 to SUSANNA SIBLER in Philadelphia

Born 2-21-1731 Langensteinbach-  
Baden, Germany

Died after 1807 - Madison County,  
Virginia

Father, Michael Sibling, Master  
Carpenter

Mother, Barbara, maiden name  
unknown

DIED 1801 - Madison County, Virginia

He served as a private in the Continental Army for one  
and a half years.

CHILDREN OF HENRY AND SUSANNA MILLER

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Miller No record of his or her birth  
has been found.
2. Mary (Mollie) Born 9-17-1756  
Married 2-15-1779 to Isaac Haines
3. Sarah Born 11-7-1757
4. Henry II Born 1-4-1759  
Married I Achsah Warner 5-14-1782  
II Margaret, sometime  
before November, 1810  
Died 1-7-1833
5. John Born 2-5-1762  
Married Nancy Hitt 12-16-1789  
Died 8-3-1841 Mountain Green
6. Susanna Catherine Born 12-4-1763  
Confirmed 4-7-1776
7. George Born 2-6-1766 a twin  
Christened 1-17-1772  
Went West 1785-1788
8. Margaret Born 2-6-1766 a twin  
Christened 1-17-1772

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| 9. Elizabeth (Betsy) | Born 12-8-1767<br>Married Francis LeCampion<br>4-18-1802                           |
| 10. Adam             | Born 12-17-1768<br>Married Mary Wilhoit 11-11-1790<br>Died 7-5-1813 in War of 1812 |
| 11. Sophia           | Born 10-23-1771<br>Married Burgess Rogers 10-15-1792                               |
| 12. Anna             | Born 1-27-1773<br>Married Jesse Berry 7-5-1790                                     |

One Miller daughter, either Sarah, Susanna Catherine, or Margaret, married Jesse Backster (Baxter), and is thought to have gone north to live.

Of the twelve children, nine were apparently living at the time their father's estate was settled -- November 26, 1807.

Sons: Henry, John, George, and Adam

Daughters: Mary (widowed); ----- Backster, represented by her husband, Jesse; Anna Berry, represented by her husband, Jesse; Sophia Rogers, represented by her husband, Burgess; and Elizabeth, still unmarried when her father died in 1801, but certainly married when his estate was settled in 1807.

According to Dr. Slaughter's Notes on Culpeper County -- 1781 to January 1, 1825, one Aggy Miller (could be Peggy, short for Margaret) married Elijah Settle in 1795, and one Michael Miller married Rebecca Carpenter in 1793.

THE MILLER-JACKSON FAMILIES

Richard Jackson, uncle of "Old Hickory", once lived in the present Rappahannock County, Virginia. The immigrant Richard and his brother Andrew, father of the future president, came together from Ulster County, Ireland, in the middle of the 18th century, the one to settle in Rappahannock's rich farming section, the other to make his home on the border between North and South Carolina, where the future president was born.

Richard, coming by way of Philadelphia, built the stone house and outbuildings on what was later the Braxton Eastham place, then known as the "Variety of Roses". The old house was still standing in 1930, with perfect walls, two feet thick, and with portholes in the meat house as well as in the spring house, indicating that it must have been constructed as a defense against the Indians.

The name of Richard appears in the muster rolls of the Virginia Militia as from the then county of Culpeper. According to records in the Virginia State Library, we find him receiving a note from the Virginia government representing a debt for services in the Revolution. He refused. He became a prosperous farmer with large landed interests, part of which lay in the Blue Ridge Mountains near Washington, Virginia. He was a conspicuous man among the pioneer settlers of the county of Culpeper, and the present town of Washington was placed upon his land. He had such an admiration for his commander, General Washington, that he had it named after him long before the Federal Capital was laid.

He was a close friend of Henry Miller, the pioneer settler from Prussia who fled hither on account of political persecution. He witnessed his friend's last will and testament in 1796.

Two of Henry Miller's grandsons married Richard Jackson's daughters. David, son of Henry Miller II married Abigail Jackson, while her sister Jane married John Miller II, also son of Henry II.

Ezekial Haines, co-witness with Richard Jackson of Henry Miller's will, was also the latter's close friend, Ezekial's son, Isaac, having married Henry Miller's daughter, Mary.

WILL OF HENRY MILLER(I)

(Will Book #1, page 271, Madison County, Virginia)

This will was made the 21st day of November, 1796,  
and probated on June 25, 1801.

"I, Henry Miller of Madison County, State of Virginia, knowing the uncertainty of this transitory life but being in sound health and memory, as usual, do make and confirm this my will in manner as follows. First, I do recommend my soul to Almighty God, disposer of all things, and as to my worldly goods, I leave them in manner following. Item, my beloved wife fifty-one pounds thirteen shillings in cash, my bed and furniture, one spinning wheel, one cow, one young mair (sic), one table, one black walnut chest, three chairs, six new pewter plates, one bason (sic), six spoons, one tea kettle and all the tea ware, one iron pot, one oven, one frying pan to be her own property for her to dispose of as she thinks fit. I give my son Adam the plantation whereon I live and all the rest of my estate real and personal to be sold and equally divided amongst all of my daughters, and my wife to have an equal share with them. All my clothing and silverplate to be equally divided amongst my four sons. Lastly, I appoint and constitute my sons, Henry Miller and John Miller my executors to this, my last will and testament, revoking all other wills by me made, as witness my hand this twenty-first day of November, 1796.

Henry Miller"

Signed in the presence of  
Ezekial Haines and  
Richard Jackson.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Henry Miller". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the text "Signed in the presence of".

Signature of Henry Miller I, traced directly from his will for Flossie Miller by Betty Belle Fry of Madison County, Virginia.

On page 272 of the same will book (#1), on June 25th, 1801, John Miller and Henry Miller made bond of \$3000 to return a true inventory of the estate of Henry Miller, deceased.

Securities: Lewis Crigler and Richard Tutt.

INVENTORY OF HENRY MILLER'S ESTATE

(Will Book #1, page 281, Madison County, Virginia)

Madison County 27th June 1801 -- pursuant to an order of the worshipful court of Madison County we have this day appraised all of the personal estate of Henry Miller, Senior, deceased, that was shown by the executors and Adam Miller.

Signed: Adam Wayland  
Joshua Wayland  
Jonas Blankenbaker

Inventory of the estate of Henry Miller, Sr., deceased. One stage wagon, 1 harrow, 1 pitch fork, 2 cords of bark, 3 tubs, 1 bedstead, 2 brakes, 3 pair of gear, 2 sythes, hoes, axes, 2 horses, 2 sheep, 2 potracks, 2 pots, 1 oven, 1 pair pot hooks, 1 collar, 12 pigs, 1 saddle and saddle bags, 1 tub, 3 piggins, old iron, 1 hammer, tools, 3 bridles, 5 wt. lamp black, 1 pair of scales, 1 cotton wheel, 7 wt. wool, 1 reel, 1 runlet vinegar, winding blades, wheel, shovel, tongs, water pot, 1 lantern, candle molds, 10 pewter plates, 2 basons, 2 dishes, 1 funnel, 1 strainer, 6 spoons, 1 jug, 1 mug, 11 stone plates, 1 bed, bedstead and furniture, 2 pair steelyards, 1 gun, 1 pot lard, 1 bottle of oil, 5 pots, 1 coffee mill, 5 knives and forks, 2 candle sticks and snuffers, 1 looking glass, 1 pair of shears, 1 chest 1 pair cards, 1 pepper box, tin, 1 salt, 1 bed, bedstead and furniture, 1 pair sad irons, 1 wallet and towel, 8 shairs, 4 bee gums, 1 hone, 1 small glass, 5 case bottles, pepper, money scales, 3 gimblets, 1 Bible, 1 table, 4 blankets and sheets, 16 wt. of flax, 26 wt. hemp, 1 trunk, 4 sides of upper leather, 2 kid skins. 1 bundle of leather, 1 horse hide, 100 wt. of bacon, jugs, casks, tallow, vinegar, 8 gallons of oil, 8 sickles, 3 vials, 3 shoe brushes, 100 brass nails, 5 dozen awl blades, 6 dozen tacks, 8 buckles, corkscrew, knitting pins, lead. 1 slate, 1 tablecloth, 1 gridiron, cash on hand 25 lbs. 5 shillings 10-1/2 pence. Bond on John Miller 100 lbs., one for 43 lbs.-17-6 and one for 26 lbs.-15-10 on John Miller. Cash lent Henry Back 3 lbs. watch, 6 shirts, 5 pair hose, 2 pair trousers, 1 black coat, 1 gray coat, 1 great coat, 1 pair leather breeches, 3 vests, boots, 1 pair shoe buckles, 3 silver buttons, knee buckles, a pen knife.

At a court held for Madison County on Thursday, August 27, 1801, this appraisement of Henry Miller Senior, deceased, was returned and ordered to be recorded. Test. John Walker, Jr. C.M.C. Will Book #1, page 281.

THE SETTLEMENT OF HENRY MILLER'S ESTATE

(From Madison County, Virginia Will Book #2, page 136)

The estate of Henry Miller, deceased, in account with John Miller, EXCR. 1801.

Paid John Walker for advice \$2 . . . . .	0	12	0
For stamp paper. . . . .		1	0
Paid one of the appraisers . . . . .		6	0
Paid cryer at the sale 2 days. . . . .	1	16	0
Paid clerk at the sale & for posting books . . . . .	4	4	0
Paid Dr. John Clark for attendances, etc. . . . .		18	0
Paid for witnesses to prove will . . . . .	2	0	11 $\frac{1}{4}$
Paid Dr. Booker for attendance & medicine. . . . .	3	15	6
Paid Adam Miller for saving crop grain . . . . .	3	12	0
Paid to sheriff for taxes, etc. 1800-1801. . . . .		15	5 $\frac{1}{4}$
Paid Dr. James Jackson for attendance, etc. . . . .		12	0
Paid for plank for coffin. . . . .		8	4
Paid for making coffin . . . . .		7	0
Paid clerk of Madison 10.34. . . . .	3	2	0
Paid Robert Steel for hat. . . . .	1	10	0
Paid Capt. Blankenbaker. . . . .		3	6
Paid lawyer in suit in chancery. . . . .	2	8	0
Paid this sum lost in hands of constable . . . . .	5	8	0
Paid Michael Snyder. . . . .	1	10	0
Paid for waggoning bark. . . . .		18	0
Paid George Hume . . . . .	3	12	9
(George Hume was a surveyor)			
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	38	0	5 $\frac{1}{2}$

October 22, 1807. To 5 percentum com. as settled by court	26	9	6
To cash paid constables for services	1	6	0
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	65	15	11 $\frac{1}{2}$

Paid to Mollie Haynes, widow of Isaac Haines and one of the legatees . . . . .	30
" to Jesse Berry, one of the legatees . . . . .	18
" to Jesse(?)Backster, one of the legatees. . . . .	30
" to Elizabeth Miller, (paid in cash) one of the legatees . . . . .	15
" to Burgess Rogers, one of the legatees. . . . .	30
" to Susanna Miller, widow of dec'd . . . . .	51-14
" to George Miller by Chancery decree . . . . .	106-10-3

Dated Nov. 26, 1807. Rob't. Thomas. Paschal Early.  
Wm. Jones. (At a Circuit Court for Madison County, Va.)

The foregoing settlement of the accounts of John and Henry Miller exs. of Henry Miller, dec'd. was returned into court and ordered to be recorded and on motion of said exs. the court does allow them 5% on the sum of 529-12-8 for services as such exs.  
Tests, John Walker, Jr. C.M.C. (A copy-Tests. Signed  
A.H.Cave, Clerk of Cir. Court for Madison County, Va.)

1. ----- MILLER

Of this first child of Henry and Susanna Miller, nothing is at present known. No record of his birth has been found. The fact that Mary was the "daughter and second child" proves that a child was born to the Millers earlier than Mary's birth in 1756, but Mary's name is the first recorded in the list of children of Henry and Susanna in the Hebron Church Birth Register.

It would seem that the names of all the children were inscribed in the church record at the same time (with the possible exception of the youngest child, Anna). They would scarcely have forgotten to record the name of their first-born if he (or she) were still living and with them in Virginia. Thus it seems that he either died at an early age in Pennsylvania (where he was born), or remained in Pennsylvania when, in 1771 or 1772, his parents and the rest of the family went to Virginia to live. He would at that time have been about seventeen. If this first child was a son, he could possibly have been inducted into a military organization in Pennsylvania, and he could have served in the Revolution later.

According to Dr. Slaughter's "Notes on Culpeper County, 1781 to January 1, 1825", (mentioned on a preceding page), there is recorded the marriage of one Michael Miller and Rebecca Carpenter in 1793. Who this Michael may have been is not known. Susanna's father, a master carpenter of Langensteinbach-Baden, was named Michael Siblingler, and it is possible that the Michael who married Rebecca Carpenter in 1793 may have been their son and first-born, named for Susanna's father, who finally joined his family in Virginia and married there. He was apparently of the same generation as the other children of Henry and Susanna.

There is, however, no proof of any connection between the above-named Michael and Henry Miller's family.

DESCENDANTS OF MARY MILLER HAINES

"The Haines Family is descended from the Prince of Powys in Wales. They lived in Montgomeryshire, Wales, where the name was spelled Enwys. When they came to England, the name became Haines. Sir William Haines was keeper of the king's signet. The family has a beautiful coat-of-arms." (Ruby Walter)

1. Richard and Margaret Haines and children came from Oxfordshire, England, in Richard Diamond's ship, "Amity", sailing from Cowes, England, on April 23, 1682. The father died at sea, after which the fifth son was born at sea. They landed at Burlington, New Jersey, in the fall of 1682, and joined the oldest son, John, who had come over in 1680, and lived in a cave on Haines Bank below Lumberton, New Jersey, on the south branch of Rancocas Creek.

2. Richard II, son of Richard I and Margaret, was married in 1699 to Mary Carlile. She was of Indian lineage -- "Lenni Lenape" tribe -- and a blood relation of Pocahontas.

3. Their son, Carlile, born in 1700, married Sarah Matlack, daughter of William and Mary (Hancock) Matlack. William Matlack came from Cropwell Bishop, Nottinghamshire, England, on the ship "Kent" in 1677, and Mary Hancock Matlack came from Brayles, Warsickshire, England, in the ship "Paradise" in 1681, and married at sixteen years of age. Carlile and Sarah Matlack (born in 1704) were married in 1721.

4. Ezekial, son of Carlile and Sarah Matlack Haines, was born in 1721. He emigrated from New Jersey in 1740 to Culpeper County, Virginia (which at that time included Rappahannock County, etc.) and settled on land near Rush River. This tract of land consisted of several thousand acres and was part of a grant made to James and Elizabeth Kennerly on June 19, 1735, by Thomas Lord Fairfax. Ezekial married Abigail Kemble of Virginia on August 29, 1746. Abigail was the daughter of Thomas and Mary Collins Kemble. Ezekial Haines became the close friend of Henry Miller, whose daughter married Ezekial's son, Isaac. He was co-witness with Richard Jackson to Henry Miller's last will and testament in 1796.

5. Isaac Haines, son of Ezekial and Abigail Kemble Haines, married Mary Miller, second child of Henry and Susanna Miller.



"Delamore", the old Haines Place  
July 3, 1939

ISAAC HAINES

Born 1-18-1753 in what is now Rappahannock Co., Virginia  
Father - Ezekial Haines  
Mother - Abigail Kemble

Married 2-15-1779 to MARY MILLER  
Born 9-17-1756 in Pennsylvania  
Died - unknown - Rappahannock County  
Father - Henry Miller  
Mother - Susanna Sibling

Died 3-31-1796

They lived at the Haines place, known as "Delamore".

CHILDREN OF ISAAC AND MARY HAINES:

- I. Ezekial      Born 2-8-1780  
                  Married Anna Hopkins 11-19-1801
- II. Isaac        Born 6-29-1781
- III. Abigail     Born 11-1-1783  
                  Married Jacob Nicol, probably the younger  
                  brother of George Nicol, who married  
                  Abigail's younger sister, Esther. Jacob  
                  and George were related, undoubtedly, to  
                  that Michael Nicol who married Sarah  
                  Miller, daughter of Henry Miller II, and  
                  first cousin of Abigail and Esther Haines.  
                  It is thought that Jacob and George were  
                  brothers and that Michael was their first  
                  cousin.
- IV. Susanna     Born 3-24-1785      Died 3-20-1787
- V. Henry        Born 2-19-1787
- VI. Susanna     Born 3-26-1789  
                  Married 1-31-1816 to Alpheus Gaunt  
                  Issue: Lewis Corbin Gaunt b.1-18-1817  
                              James Miller Gaunt b.7-6-1818  
                              Mary Eleanor Gaunt b. 11-14-1819
- VII. Jacob      Born 3-12-1792  
                  Married Ellender -----
- VIII. Esther    Born 6-26-1794  
                  Married George Nicol 1-21-1811  
                  Issue: fifteen children

I. EZEKIAL HAINES

Born 2-8-1780 Rappahannock County, Virginia, at Delamore  
Father - Isaac Haines  
Mother - Mary Miller

Married 11-19-1801 to ANNA HOPKINS of Sperryville, Va.  
Born 12-19-1782  
Died date unknown

Died date unknown

Ezekial was a Quaker. He lived in a stone house, called "Delamore", which in 1939 was still standing near the home of J. Frank Jones just outside of Washington, Rappahannock County, Virginia. He is remembered for his great tenderness to his wife, who was paralyzed for ten years before she died.

CHILDREN OF EZEKIAL AND ANNA HAINES:

- A. Hiram Born 11-29-1802  
Married Mary Ann Currie Philpotts
- B. William Born 7-24-1804  
Went to Kansas to live.  
Married, I, ---- Ferguson, sister of Dr. Philip Ferguson who married his sister Mary.  
Married, II, -----  
Issue: at least one child, William, Jr., who lived in Taylorsville, Illinois, in 1890, and had two daughters, one named Belle.
- C. Isaac Born 7-23-1806  
He was formerly a Quaker, but became a Methodist preacher, and was a member of the Virginia Southern Methodist Conference. He had an impediment in his speech, but is said never to have stammered in the pulpit.
- D. John Born 6-23-1808 Died 8-24-1831 Unmarried
- E. Sarah Born 6-10-1810 Died at age of two
- F. Thomas Born 5-18-1812 Died 6-26-1831 Unmarried
- G. Frances Born 11-30-1813 Died unmarried, Linden, Va.



A. HIRAM HAINES

Born 11-29-1802, Delamore, Washington, Virginia

Father - Ezekial Haines

Mother - Anna Hopkins

Married to MARY ANN CURRIE PHILPOTTS

Hiram wrote, among other things, a book of poems entitled "Mountain Buds and Blossoms" under the name of The Traveler. It may be found in the rare book division of the Congressional Library. He is buried in Blandford Churchyard, Petersburg, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF HIRAM AND MARY ANN HAINES:

1. Virginia Born 1828. Married ----- Nash.  
Marion
2. Anna Born 1830.  
Gifford Married Rev. Thomas Davidson.  
Lived in Abington, Virginia.  
Issue: a. Mary Gifford  
b. Jennie. Lived in Clearwater, Fla.  
c. Jessie. " " " "  
d. John.
3. Hiram Born 1832. Married. Son, Hiram.
4. Rudolph Born 1835.
5. Oakley Born 12-29-1837.  
Philpotts Married Annie E. Hopkins, a cousin.  
She always called him "Cousin Oakley".  
Issue:  
a. Thomas Rudolph - died at age of 2 or 3.  
b. Walter Gifford. Also died young.  
c. William Oakley, D.D.S.  
b. ca. 1871  
d. 6-29-1936  
Married Katherine Loganberry. She died  
12-29-1943, Linden, Va. No issue.  
d. Carroll Emmett - unmarried. It was he  
who had Susanna's German birth cert.  
e. Currie W.  
Married Nellie Vaughn Kean, 1-5-1901  
Issue: (1) Currie, Jr. (an artist)  
(2) Oakley, (also an artist)
6. William Born 1840.  
Nash

K. ELIZABETH HAINES

Born 11-21-1820

Father - Ezekial Haines

Mother - Anna Hopkins

Married to MOSES NELSON of Stephens City, Virginia

CHILDREN OF MOSES AND ELIZABETH NELSON:

1. Ella V. Born ca. 1862  
Married I: C. Worth Sherman  
Issue: Jessie Nelson. Unmarried  
Married II: G. R. Anderson  
Issue:
  - a. Violette. Married Joseph F. Markey  
of Philadelphia. Issue:
    - (1) Joseph F., Jr. Issue:
      - (a) Jacqueline, b. 1936
      - (b) Susanna, b. 1938
    - (2) Francis
    - (3) James
    - (4) Thomas
    - (5) Regina
    - (6) Janet
    - (7) Genevieve
  - b. Cecelia M.
  - c. Ella E. Married Edgar Paul Anderson  
of Winchester, Va. Issue:
    - (1) Catherine V.
    - (2) Betty E.
    - (3) Helen E.
    - (4) Barbara Allen
    - (5) Frederick O.
    - (6) Paul Nelson
  - d. Ruby G. Married Thomas L. Perry
    - (1) Mary Elizabeth
    - (2) Josephine Sandra
    - (3) Patricia Ann
  - e. Avenel. Unmarried
2. Josephine Died Unmarried.

L. LUCY ANN HAINES

Born 3-20-1823

Father - Ezekial Haines

Mother - Anna Hopkins

Married I to JAMES FRANCIS AYLOR

CHILDREN OF JAMES FRANCIS AND LUCY ANN AYLOR:

1. James Francis Jr., Married his first cousin Ketura Aylor. He and his three boys were all violinists. Lived in Georgia.
  - a. Lucy
  - b. William
  - c. Rudolph
  - d. Stanley
2. Anna Marion, Married James Edward Walter
  - a. Cora Willis - died unmarried
  - b. Carroll Winter
    - (1) Kennedy, Married Lillian LeHaw
      - (a) Edith
    - (2) Frances, Married Richard Hudnall, her cousin
      - (a) Infant died young
  - c. Alverta Stuart, Married Allen Sinclair Will
    - (1) Allen Walter - died at age of two
    - (2) Catherine, Married Harry Willis of New York
      - (a) Harriett, Married Jourdan Burke
    - (3) Isabella, Married Linden Harris
      - (a) Allen Sinclair
    - (4) James Christopher - died at age of six months
  - d. Ann Lucy, Married Conway M. Anderson. Lived at Linden, Virginia
    - (1) Miriam Moncure, Married John R. Sheppard
      - (a) C. W. Walter
      - (b) Gladys
      - (c) Inez
      - (d) Guy
      - (e) Anna Lou
      - (f) Percy
      - (g) Zetta
      - (h) Russell
      - (i) John Anderson
      - (j) Hally
    - (2) James Aylor - b. 1892. d. 11-16-1964  
Graduated from V.M.I., class of 1913  
Married Belle Webster
      - (a) Helen
      - (b) James Aylor, Jr.
      - (c) Isabel
      - (d) Conway Arthur

Children of James Francis and Lucy Ann Aylor (continued)

- (3) Inez Love, Married Edward Herbert de Butts
  - (a) Millicent
  - (b) Edward Herbert, Jr.
  - (c) James Anderson
  - (d) John Earle
- (4) Ruth M., Married Walter R. Gould
  - (a) Dorothy Ann
  - (b) Walter R., Jr.
  - (c) Conway
- e. Maud Maynard, died 5-25-1946  
Married I to Henry Alfred Dalmas
  - (1) Victor Parke, Married Carol Summers
    - (a) Victor Parke Dalmas, Jr., born ca. 1915
    - (b) Ann
  - (2) Henry Little
  - (3) Sophie, Married Nicholas Romanoff Wredon
    - (a) Phyllis Virginia
    - (b) Peter
    - (c) Sex and name unknown
  - (4) Ann Marion, died 5-7-1934  
Married her cousin, John Francis Hunter
    - (a) Anne, born ca. 1923
    - (b) Delphine, born ca. 1929
    - (c) Stuart, born ca. 1930
  - (5) Henry Alfred, Jr., Married Florence Turner
    - (a) Daughter, name unknown
  - (6) Gladys, a twin, Married Philip Pratt. No issue.
  - (7) Walter Haines, a twin, Married Anne Deimer
    - (a) Walter Haines, Jr. "Robin"
    - (b) James Edward
  - (8) Phyllis, Married Miller Bradley
    - (a) Frederick Thomas
- f. Ossa Dewitt, died young
- g. Cary, died young
- h. James Edward, Jr., Married Regina Browning
  - (1) Louise, Married Scott Butler. No issue.
  - (2) Alice, Married William Arthur Crissman.  
No issue.
  - (3) Carlisle, Married Margaret Williamson.  
No issue.
- i. Ruby Mary Carlisle, born 1883  
died 7-24-1960  
Unmarried.

L. LUCY ANN HAINES

Born 3-20-1823

Father - Ezekial Haines

Mother - Anna Hopkins

Married II to WILLIAM B. WALTER

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM B. AND LUCY ANN WALTER:

3. William Haines, died unmarried.
4. Anderton Brown, died unmarried.
5. Desha, married Tessa Foley
  - a. One child died in infancy
6. Fanny O., born 1853, died October 1939  
Married Benjamin Higgins
  - a. Edith, unmarried
  - b. Stanley A., unmarried
  - c. Percival B., died 1-24-1943 unmarried.
  - d. Ralph, unmarried
  - e. Lenox G., married his cousin, Mattie Johns
    - (1) Byron S.
    - (2) Charlotte
    - (3) Darwin E.
    - (4) Walter Haines
    - (5) Mildred
  - f. Chester R., unmarried
7. Lucy, married ----- Sterrett
  - a. Mary, married Mr. Brinklinger
    - (1) Abner or Wayne, died at age of two
  - b. Rebecca, died in infancy
  - c. John

N. MARGARET ABIGAIL HAINES

Born 10-25-1826

Father - Ezekial Haines

Mother - Anna Hopkins

Married to JOHN THOMAS WALTER

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND MARGARET WALTER:

1. Sarah Virginia, died 5-27-1937, married to Frank Marion Angelo, son of Oliver Perry Angelo, of New Jersey, and Hannah Ann Davis of Missouri.
2. Lucy Mary, born 1858, died 12-21-1942, Linden, Va. Unmarried.
3. William Oscar, died unmarried.
4. Annie L., died unmarried.
5. Elizabeth, married William Johns.
6. Katherine, married Thomas Buck, no issue. Lived in Linden, Virginia.
7. Edward Everette Wood, married Annie Mills.
  - a. John Thomas, died young.
8. Laura, died young.
9. Jessie, died young.
10. John Thomas, died young.
11. Estella May, born 1864, died 9-10-1942. Married Rev. Leonidas Irving McDougale.
12. Ernestine, married Thomas Jesse Johns.
13. Stuart Pelham, died 10-10-1937 at Linden, Va. Married Carrie Goliday.
  - a. James, married Pearl Smith.
    - (1) Linwood
    - (2) Vivian
    - (3) Billy
  - b. Leon, married Bertha Hisey.
    - (1) William Leon
    - (2) Harry Stuart, died in Africa, November 1942.
  - c. Oakley, married Mary Cary.
    - (1) Oakley, Jr.

1. SARAH VIRGINIA WALTER

Born, date unknown

Father - John Thomas Walter  
Mother - Margaret Abigail Haines

Died 5-27-1937

Married to FRANK MARION ANGELO

Father - Oliver Perry Angelo of New Jersey  
Mother - Hannah Ann Davis of Missouri

CHILDREN OF FRANK AND SARAH ANGELO:

- a. Ernest Edward, died in infancy.
- b. Oliver Perry Angelo, died 8-31-1940  
Married Emma Mary Sherwood  
(1) Oliver Perry, Jr., died in infancy.
- c. Walter Marion, born 1871, died 8-22-1937.  
Married Ida Hershire Eckardt.  
(1) Ruth Emma  
(2) Frank  
(3) Dorothy Rosa
- d. Rosa Whipp, died 1-1-1963.  
Married Henry Hamilton Hunter  
(1) Henry Elmo Hunter  
(a)-(d) Four daughters  
(e) Henry Elmo, Jr.  
(2) John Francis Hunter - married his cousin, Anne Marion Dalmas - for issue, see listed under children of J.F. and Lucy Aylor.  
(3) Emma Dorothy - married Jack Senate Dalton.  
(a) Doris  
(b) Dorothy Rosa
- e. Harry Beckham, born 1875, died 7-25-1960  
Married Ella Meyers who died 5-11-1939. No issue.
- f. Bernice Elizabeth - married Joseph Wilmere Wightman  
(1) Dorothy Elizabeth - married John Houser  
No issue.  
(2) Marion Virginia - married Arthur Lorton  
(a) Arthur Lorton, Jr.  
(b) Elizabeth  
(3) Perry Earl - married Bessie -----, 2 or 3 children.  
(4) Josephine  
(5) Buddy
- g. Anna Justine - married Reuben P. Warner  
(1) Burton Raymond - married Anna Wyman  
(a) Ann Burton

Children of Frank and Sarah Angelo, continued:

- (2) William Oliver - married Virginia Chivers.
- (3) Gertrude - died unmarried.
- (4) Virginia Ruth - married William W. Major.
  - (a) Margaret Joan
  - (b) Donald Frank
- h. Virginia Saulsberry - born 1883 - died 5-25-1943.  
Married John Alexander Milburn, who died 10-19-1947.  
No issue. They adopted three children:
  - (1) Alice Louise Gorman, who married Jesse Herbert McCullough
  - (2) Charlotte B.
  - (3) Ethelbert
- i. Florence Augusta, born 1884, died 8-21-1961.  
Married Chester Merrill Reich, Captain, U. S. Army.
  - (1) Virginia - married Benjamin Hyde.
    - (a) Benjamin, Jr.
    - (2) Walter L.
    - (3) Elaine - married ----- Hedgecock.
    - (4) Chester Merrill, Jr. - married Evelyn Wright.
      - (a) Merrill
      - (b) Chester Charles
    - (5) Margaret - married ----- Vasco.
- j. Guy Wilson Angelo, D.D.S. - married ----- Delmonte.  
Had three sons, names unknown.
- k. Isabelle - died in infancy.
- l. Stuart Miller, born 1887, died 4-11-1958.  
Married Maud Elaine Wilson, who died 4-22-1949.
  - (1) Patricia, adopted daughter.
  - (2) Stuart Miller, Jr., born ca. 1931.
- m. Mabel Linwood - married three times - names of children unknown.

5. ELIZABETH WALTER

Born, date unknown.

Father - John Thomas Walter

Mother - Margaret Abigail Haines

Married to WILLIAM JOHNS.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND ELIZABETH JOHNS:

- a. Helen, unmarried.
- b. Eugene, married Martha Walters.
  - (1) Myrtle, married Francis Milton Heck.
    - (a) Francis Milton, Jr.
  - (2) Hamlin Eugene, unmarried.
  - (3) Roy Franklin, married Margaret -----.
    - (a) Roberta Frances
    - (b) Roy Franklin, Jr.
    - (c) William Alfred
  - (4) Lawrence Mitchell, married Freda -----.
    - (a) Lawrence Eugene
    - (b) Rhea Mitchell
  - (5) Somerville, married Charlotte Powers.
    - (a) Charlotte Ann
  - (6) Aubrey, married Helen Harris. No issue.
- c. Elmer, married Hattie -----.
  - (1) Madeleine
  - (2) David Elmer
  - (3) Norwood
- d. Hubert, married Sarah -----.
  - (1) Hubert, Jr.
  - (2) Helen Bonetta
- e. Ethel, married William Wilkison.
  - (1) Edith Virginia, married Marion Milton Taylor.
    - (a) Marion Milton, Jr.
- f. Carlile Walter, married Alice Walters.
  - (1) Elizabeth
  - (2) Virginia
- g. Ruth Pearl, married Charles William Wilkison.
  - (1) Elizabeth, married Oscar Omer Steed.
    - (a) Oscar Omer, Jr.
    - (b) Eleanor Louise
    - (c) Johnnie
  - (2) Anna Louise, married Ray Turner.
    - (a) Helen
    - (b) Ray, Jr.
- h. Edith Frances, married Charles Edward Moberly.  
No issue.

Children of William and Elizabeth Johns, continued:

- i. Maude Margaret, married Elmer Weaver.
  - (1) Margaret, married ----- Clark.  
Three children, names and sex unknown.
- j. Martha Dulaney, married Lenox G. Higgins, her cousin.
- k. Stella Nelson, married Knowlton K. Taber.
  - (1) Knowlton K., Jr.
- l. Paul

11. ESTELLA MAY WALTER

Born, 1864.

Father - John Thomas Walter  
Mother - Margaret Abigail Haines

Married to REV. LEONIDAS IRVING McDOUGLE

Died, 9-10-1942.

CHILDREN OF LEONIDAS AND ESTELLA McDOUGLE:

- a. Stella May Walter, died young.
- b. Edith Augusta, born 1893, died 9-6-1970.
- c. Leon Walter, died in infancy.
- d. Edward Gladstone, died aged fourteen.
- e. Warren Vincent, married Louise Henderson.
  - (1) Robert Bruce
  - (2) Charles Alan
  - (3) Adair
- f. Leonidas Irving, Jr., married Margaret Richardson.
  - (1) Mary Anne, married Edward Pattison Ver Planck.

12. ERNESTINE WALTER

Born, date unknown.

Father - John Thomas Walter

Mother - Margaret Abigail Haines

Married to THOMAS JESSE JOHNS

CHILDREN OF THOMAS AND ERNESTINE JOHNS:

- a. Roland Walter, married Louie Belle Pritchard.
  - (1) Marjorie Warren
  - (2) Roland Walter, Jr.
- b. Annie Stewart, married Frank Leslie Dulaney.
  - (1) Frank Alan
  - (2) Gerald Warren
- c. Howard Wilson, married Dolly Knox.
  - (1) Howard Wilson, Jr.
  - (2) Jack
- d. Thomas Davison, married Bessie Maloney.
  - (1) Gladys Virginia
  - (2) Mary Elizabeth
  - (3) Thomas Davison, Jr.
  - (4) Marjorie Ruth
- e. Dewey, married Fanny Lou Ramey.
  - (1) Helen Virginia
  - (2) Dewey, Jr.
- f. Lucy Mary, married Henry Bernard Wall.
  - (1) Raymond Beverly
  - (2) Patricia Ann

VIII. ESTHER HAINES

Born, 6-26-1794, at Delamore, Washington, Virginia.  
Father - Isaac Haines  
Mother - Mary Miller

Married, 1-21-1811, to GEORGE NICOL  
born, 5-16-1787  
died, 10-10-1841

Died, date unknown.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE AND ESTHER NICOL:

- A. Mary Eve Catherine, born 11-21-1811, Washington, Va.  
Died 9-21-1841. Married, William Phillips.
- B. Martha Ann, born 6-30-1813, died 6-13-1879.  
Married, 2-14-1837, to William Guilford Dudley.
- C. Elizabeth Miller, born 1-22-1815, died 7-24-1884.  
Unmarried.
- D. George Barnet, born 3-29-1817, died 2-20-1871.  
Twice married.
- E. Harriett Esther, born 6-8-1819, died ca. 1900.  
Married 2-25-1843 to William Paul.
- F. Peter Henry, born 2-12-1821, died 11-9-1889.  
Married 2-25-1847 to Lucinda Cummings.
- G. Isaac Robert, born 9-18-1822.
- H. Jacob William, born 9-18-1822, died 12-17-1867.  
Married Eliza McKinney.
  1. Anna, married L. Tish.
  2. Ella, married Rev. S. W. Thornton.
  3. Frank, married Kitty Moore.
  4. George, married Fannie Hamilton.
  5. Fannie Eliza, born 1863. Married William Kincaid Welch.
    - a. Florence H., married Archie Foster Cornell.
      - (1) Arthur Bower
      - (2) Robert
      - (3) Lawrence
      - (4) Weldon
      - (5) Harriett, married ----- Harrington.
      - (6) Gene, born 8-12-1921, died 6-6-1944,  
D-Day, World War II.
    - b. Ramona, married H. L. Pierce.
      - (1) Annabel Lee
      - (2) Elizabeth, married Glen White, killed  
6-11-1944, World War II.
    - c. Harold, married Ruth Henderson.
    - d. Edith
    - e. Alice Esther, married George Beatty.
    - f. Frances, married T. E. A. Dugan, III.

Children of George and Esther Nicol, continued:

- I. and J. Twins, born and died in 1824.
- K. Susanna Pamely, born 7-31-1825.  
Married William Maple.
- L. James Ezekial, born 2-28-1828, died 11-11-1867.
- M. John Hiram, D.D.S., born 5-30-1830.
- N. Charles Haines, born 2-14-1833.  
Moved to Missouri after Civil War.
- O. Eliza Emaline, born 1-5-1838, died 2-8-1860.  
Married Alexander Paul, whose brother, William,  
married her sister, Harriett.  
No issue.

DESCENDANTS OF HENRY MILLER II  
OF "SUNNYSIDE"



"Sunnyside", 1981

SUNNYSIDE

Culpeper County Deed Book M, page 342. Deed of gift recorded March 21, 1795. Henry Miller to son, Henry Miller, II -- 580 acres.

"To all whom these presents shall come, I, Henry Miller, do send greeting. Know you that the said Henry Miller of the Parish of Brumfield in the County of Culpeper together with (Susanna) my wife for divers good causes and considerations but more especially for the natural love, good will and affection which we have used to bear towards our loving son Henry Miller of the aforesaid parish and county do by these presents freely and absolutely give, grant and confirm unto him, the said Henry Miller, a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the aforesaid parish and county containing by estimation five hundred and eighty acres by the same more or less and bounded as followeth, to wit: Beginning at two red oaks on the Fodderstack Mountain, thence S 17° E 224 poles to two hickories and two red oak saplings, thence S 37° W 120 poles to two red and one white oak saplings, corner to George Miller, thence with his lines N 36° W 210 poles to a double chestnut, white oak and hickory corner to the said George Miller thence leaving the said Miller's lines N 41° E 40 poles to a hickory, chestnut and chestnut oak on the north end of Peaked Mountain thence S 41° E 346 poles to a hickory gum and Jesuit tree, thence S 35° W to the beginning. Now the above-mentioned land with all appurtenances thereto belonging we do by these presents freely and absolutely give to the said Henry Miller, his heirs and assigns as witness hands and seals this 21st day of March, 1785."

Henry Miller (L.S.)

In this manner did Henry Miller II become possessed of the property in Rappahannock County (formed from Culpeper County in 1833) near the town of Washington, Virginia, known as "Sunnyside". The home at the foot of "Peaked Mountain" is now (in 1981) occupied by the family of Frank Downing Wood, Jr., a great-great-grandson of Henry II.

It is said that in early days it was necessary for two people to go to the "Sunnyside" spring for water -- one to carry the buckets and the other to carry a gun for protection from the Indians. The first house there is said to have been burned by the Indians. Whether or not the present old house was built by Henry II or by

his father is not known. It seems likely, however, that Henry II was the builder.

It is in a wonderful state of preservation. The first part was built of logs as were so many of the pioneer homes. The rooms upstairs have exposed beams which show very careful workmanship. The next part was built of stone and was called the kitchen. It is very large with a huge stone chimney at one end with cupboards at each side. The next part to be erected was the frame part, adjoining the part built of logs, which is now weatherboarded and has a separate stairway. When inquiry was made as to reason for two stairways with only a partition between them, the reply was that the German people had a superstition that if doors were cut after a house was built, someone would die.

HENRY MILLER II

January 4, 1759 -- January 7, 1833

On May 14, 1782, Henry Miller II married Achsah Warner of Frederick County, Virginia, with John Montgomery officiating. (Record, Winchester). Achsah was born about 1762. Because the name "Peggy, his wife" appears occasionally in the Henry Miller II deeds, it was thought that Achsah might have been known as Margaret or Peggy. However, older members of the family claim that Achsah was Henry's first wife, and that sometime after her death he married as his second and last wife, Margaret -----, sometimes known as Peggy. All the children, however, were of Henry's first marriage. Margaret is believed to have been his housekeeper.

Achsah's death date is unknown. Her youngest child, Aylett, was born on July 4, 1804. A deed recorded in Deed Book EE, dated November 16, 1810, mentions "Peggy, his wife". Thus, sometime between these two dates Achsah must have died, and Henry Miller II must have made his second marriage. Achsah's name does not seem to appear on any deed - often Henry's name appears alone even during Achsah's known lifetime.

Margaret's birth date is unknown. She died probably in March, 1833, about two months after her husband's death, since her memorandum of possessions was returned March 31, 1833. There was on the list 1 bedstead and furniture, 1 horse, 1 cow and calf and 1 Negro girl, value \$395. (Will book N, page 25).

The will book in which Henry Miller II's will was recorded in Culpeper County was lost during the war of 1861-65. He died January 7, 1833, and was buried in the old graveyard at Washington, Virginia, under a big honey-locust tree. His tombstone and that of his son, John, were standing in 1896, and fragments of them in 1921. Now, however, both stones are gone, for a road has been built through that part of the cemetery.

This may be the Henry Miller who served in the Revolution under Major John Connolly for 191 days; amount due, 14 pounds, 6 shillings, 6 pence. (Ref. Maj. John Connolly's payroll - Pittsburgh, 1775 - Virginia State Library.)

HENRY MILLER II

Born 1-4-1759, Pennsylvania; died 1-7-1833, Sunnyside.  
Father - Henry Miller I  
Mother - Susanna Sibler

Married I: 5-14-1782 to ACHSAH WARNER in Frederick  
County, Virginia.

born 1762  
died between July 1804 and  
November 1810

II: Date unknown, to Margaret ----  
died March 1833, no issue.

CHILDREN OF HENRY AND ACHSAH MILLER:

- I. David Born ca. 1784. Killed by lightning  
before 1833. Married to Abigail Jackson,  
first cousin of President Andrew Jackson.
- II. John II Born 1-9-1785, died 10-27-1831.  
Married 6-29-1812 to Jane Jackson, sister  
of Abigail above.
- III. Sarah Born 2-21-1787. Married 3-7-1801 to  
Michael Nicol.
- IV. Henry III Born 1787, died 9-26-1852.  
Married 1820 to Lydia Moore.
- V. Samuel Born ca. 1790. Married 1-12-1815 to  
Delilah Bywaters.
- VI. Jesse Born 5-1-1793, died 6-30-1865.  
William Married I: 12-12-1816 to Frances Corbin.  
Married II: to Mary Miller Jones.  
No issue.
- VII. Warner Born 6-10-1799, died 1-27-1958.  
Married 9-28-1820, Lucy Miller, daughter  
of Adam Miller.
- VIII. Mary No dates known. Married 4-8-1813 to  
Clayton Johnson. No known issue. She  
may have been born between Jesse and  
Warner.

In Deed Book LL, page 238, March 31, 1820: Clayton Johnson  
and wife Mary to Jacob Nicol. \$200. Lots 45 and 46 in  
Washington, Virginia...These two lots, along with lot no.  
44, were purchased from Jacob Nicol for "the erection of  
a court house, jail and clerk's office". They were "on  
a hill and commanded a beautiful view of the surrounding  
country". Lot 44, previously owned by Mary Miller John-  
son's brother, David Miller, had been sold by him to  
Jacob Nicol in 1822, for \$70.

Children of Henry and Achsah Miller, continued:

IX. Aylett      Born 7-4-1804, died 2-24-1859 in  
                  S. Salem, Ohio.  
                  Married in 1827 to Mary Jane Spilman.  
                                  born 10-26-1806  
                                  Culpeper, Virginia  
                                  died 10-30-1892  
                                  Hillsboro, Ohio

I. DAVID MILLER

Born ca. 1784, "Sunnyside", Washington, Virginia  
Father - Henry Miller II  
Mother - Achsah Warner

Married to ABIGAIL JACKSON  
Father - Richard Jackson, uncle of President  
Andrew Jackson

Died -- David was killed by lightning sometime before 1833.

CHILDREN OF DAVID AND ABIGAIL MILLER:

- A. John - Went South in early life.
- B. Jesse William - Went to Missouri.  
Married Margaret A. Jones.
  - 1. Margaret Virginia, died 10-15-1871.  
Married Wellington Woodford Rixey, her cousin.
    - a. Jesse Charles, died at birth, 9-23-1871.
- C. Charles Warner, died January, 1833. He was a merchant at Oak Shade, Culpeper County. Was murdered in his store about January 1st, 1833. His inventory was returned January 15th, 1833. He was a bachelor. The Miller kin were incensed at the crime, and believed a Negro man who was permitted to keep his tools in a shed near the store was guilty. However, after many years, a man who had moved to Missouri made a deathbed confession of the crime.
- D. Achsah, born 12-15-1812.  
Married her cousin, John James Settle. They went to Missouri in a covered wagon, taking nine weeks.
- E. James R., born 4-18-1817, died 12-23-1886.  
Married I: his cousin, Rhoda Miller, ca. 1840.  
born 5-31-1807, died 8-15-1873.  
Father, Adam Miller; Mother, Mary Wilhoit.  
Married II: Mary Emily Latouraudais, who died in 1917.  
No issue from this marriage.  
James is buried at his home place in Rappahannock.
  - 1. Mary Margaret, born 9-17-1843, died 7-31-1863.  
Married, October 1862, to Washington Irving Rucker, born 2-22-1837; died June, 1922.
    - a. James Irving, born 7-24-1863.  
Married to Mary Katherine Miller 11-28-1887.  
Born 3-4-1859, died 4-14-1922.
      - (1) Jesse Brent, born 11-12-1889.  
Died 8-8-1977, unmarried.
      - (2) Andreas Irving, born 5-10-1891.  
Died 5-18-1969, unmarried.

Children of David and Abigail Miller, continued:

- (3) Margaret Miller, born 5-7-1895.  
Married Alvin Lee Bowersett.
    - (a) Mary Frances, born 6-26-1926.
    - (b) Emily Miller, born 12-19-1929.
  - (4) Katherine Wood, born 11-19-1896. Unmarried.
  - (5) Walter Robertinson, born 1-22-1904.  
Unmarried.
2. James William, born 2-13-1846, died 8-15-1923.  
Married ca. 1883 to Ada Virginia Eastham.  
died ca. 1892  
Father, Frank Eastham  
Mother, Eliza Browning of  
Flint Hill, Va.  
They lived at Hume, Fauquier Co., Va. Both are  
buried on the Frank Eastham place on the road  
from Massie's Corner to Flint Hill.
- a. Elise, born 1884, died 1915.  
Married Mr. Elgin of near Charleston, W. Va.
    - (1) Virginia, married Willis Dearing.  
Father, Alfred Dearing  
Mother, Florrie Daniel  
Lived in Williamsburg, Virginia.
    - (2) Emma Byrd, born 1885. Unmarried.
    - (3) Sadie Miller, died 4-4-1965.  
Married L. Lake Triplett, 1887-1953.
      - (a) Elise Miller, born 1917.  
Married 8-20-1949 to Jefferson  
Davis Mottley, Jr.
- F. Margaret, married Edward Fletcher and moved to  
Amherst, Virginia.
- G. Henry, said to have been an invalid. He probably died  
young and unmarried. He was mentioned in the will of  
Henry Miller II, his grandfather, as follows:

Item: Abigail Miller, guardian of Henry Miller,  
son of the late David Miller, deceased, and of the  
said Abigail, his widow, is specifically directed by  
the will of the said Henry Miller II to be paid as  
aforesaid.

D. ACHSAH MILLER

Born, 12-15-1812

Father - David Miller  
Mother - Abigail Jackson

Married to JOHN JAMES SETTLE, her cousin

born, 1-24-1811  
died, 9-15-1876  
Father - Joseph Settle  
Mother - Elizabeth Miller

They went to Missouri in a covered wagon, the trip taking nine weeks.

CHILDREN OF JOHN J. AND ACHSAH SETTLE:

1. Ann E., born 9-8-1834.  
Married John H. Styne.
2. Joseph David, born 11-4-1836.  
Married Mary Brown in Missouri.
3. Margaret A., born 12-5-1838, died unmarried.
4. James H., born 5-2-1840.  
Died 8-10-1861 - Battle of Wilson Creek, Civil War.
5. John F., born 6-18-1843.
6. Mary Eliza, born 12-13-1844.  
Married I to Paul Shepard and II to James A. Sloan.
  - a. Sallie Shepard
  - b. Margaret Shepard
  - c. John James Shepard, born 3-14-1879  
Married 8-7-1901 to Margaret Virginia Rixey.
  - d. Frank A. Sloan
7. Sarah A., born 5-18-1847, died 7-1-1884.  
Married 12-12-1866 to Otho Offutt.
8. Lucy W., born 5-18-1849.  
Married to Samuel Stuckey on 3-23-1871.
  - a. Margaret Virginia
  - b. Ada
  - c. John James
  - d. Jesse
  - e. Rosie
  - f. George
  - g. Arthur
  - h. Joe
  - i. Mary Belle
9. Charles H., born 1-28-1852, married I to Mary Miller  
II to Elizabeth Miller (first cousins). They were  
no relation to the Henry Miller family.  
First marriage:
  - a. Clemmie
  - b. Eliza

Children of John J. and Achsah Settle, continued:

Second marriage: a. John James  
b. Jesse Allen  
c. Frank

10. Jesse P., born 4-3-1853.  
Married on 11-10-1875 to Belle Harrington.  
a. John James  
b. Sallie  
c. Charlie  
d. Bettie  
e. Fannie  
f. Joe  
g. Everette

1. ANN E. SETTLE

Born, 9-8-1834

Father - John James Settle

Mother - Achsah Miller

Married to JOHN H. STYNE.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND ANN STYNE:

- a. Mary Virginia, married T. L. T. Jones.
  - (1) John W.
  - (2) Martha
  - (3) Fay
  - (4) Alline
  - (5) Tillery
  - (6) Jesse
  - (7) Velma
- b. Sallie, born 8-22-1865, died 11-27-1894.  
Married her cousin, Charles Elliott Miller.
  - born, 5-6-1859
  - died, 9-29-1935
  - (1) Essie, born 9-16-1886.  
Died, 2-11-1929, unmarried.
  - (2) Helen, born 9-15-1888, died 5-15-1923.  
Married R. H. Hull, 3-2-1910.
    - (a) Helen Marie, born 2-1-1917, unmarried.
  - (3) Maud, born 12-14-1890.  
Married R. H. Hull, 7-28-1924. No issue.
  - (4) W. Styne, born 12-6-1892.  
Married Hope Davis, 3-15-1914.
    - (a) Charles Phillips, born 9-18-1917, unmarried.
    - (b) Margaret, born 8-14-1915, unmarried.
- c. Margaret, married T. J. Shouse. No issue.
- d. Katie, married B. F. Shouse.
  - (1) Mary Susie
- e. Nannie, unmarried.

2. JOSEPH DAVID SETTLE

Born, 11-4-1836

Father - John James Settle

Mother - Achsah Miller

Married to MARY BROWN in Missouri.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND MARY SETTLE:

a. Mary James, their only child.

Married on 10-17-1878 to Wellington Woodford Rixey.

(1) Margaret Virginia, born 9-11-1879.

Married on 8-7-1901 to John James Shepard, cousin.  
born 3-14-1879

(a) Mary Virginia, born 12-1-1902.

(2) Mary Frances, born 2-19-1881.

Married 11-28-1901 to Temple Perrin Skinner of  
Kansas.

(a) Wellington Phineas, born 5-12-1908.  
Died, 4-24-1910.

(3) Joseph Woodford, born 6-4-1883.

Married I Mary Helen Elgin, on 6-19-1911.  
Died 1920.

(a) William Wellington, born 12-20-1912.  
Married II Genevieve Hoskins on 6-5-1921.  
Born 5-14-1897.

(b) Charles Woodford, born 4-15-1926.

(4) Norton Brassfield, born 9-8-1885, died 5-31-1925.

Married to Anna Marie Burns, on 9-25-1912.  
Born 12-2-1888.

(a) Mary Kathryn, born 7-19-1914.

(b) Norton Bernard, born 12-19-1925.

(5) Lavinia Adelaide, born 9-26-1887.

Married, 5-5-1909, to Harmon Gregg Knighton.

(a) Lavinia Valeria, born 6-23-1911.

(b) Eleanora Grace, born 12-1-1912.

(c) Harmon Rixey, born 8-18-1914.

(6) George William, born 5-15-1890.

Married Ethel Martina Weir, 3-2-1911.  
Born 8-9-1890.

(a) Dorothy Frances, born 1-24-1912.

Married 2-3-1930 to James St. Elmo Creason.  
(1909-1930)

(7) Jesse James, born 8-2-1892.

Married, 10-5-1928, to Alice Arvilla Farmer.  
Born 9-8-1906.

(a) James William, born 3-11-1931.

(b) Nancy Virginia, born 9-2-1932.

Children of Joseph and Mary Settle, continued:

- (8) Olivia May, born 10-20-1894.  
Married on 11-12-1913 to John Palmer Sill of  
Lexington, Missouri.  
(a) James Denice, born 4-19-1918.
- (9) A boy, born in 1908, died at birth, unnamed.

F. MARGARET MILLER

Born, date unknown.

Father - David Miller

Mother - Abigail Jackson

Married to EDWARD FLETCHER.

They moved to Amherst, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF EDWARD AND MARGARET FLETCHER:

1. Katherine, died unmarried.
2. Ida, married Dr. Edward Scott, of Amherst, Va.
  - a. William, married Almaret Green, of Corinth, Miss.
    - (1) William, Jr.
    - (2) Robert Palmer
  - b. Margaret, married Thomas Love of Lynchburg, Va.
    - (1) Margaret, married Samuel Grant, of Monroe, Va.
      - (a) Jean
      - (b) Betty Scott
  - c. Edward Waller, married Maggie Watts, of Monroe, Va.
    - (1) Margaret, married Zeb Harry, of Gastonia, N.C.  
They had a daughter, name unknown.
  - d. Robert Chapman, married Fannie Hoops, of Jackson, O.
    - (1) Robert Chapman, Jr.
3. James Edward, married Annie Kate Watts, of Amherst, Va.
  - a. William Jesse, unmarried.
  - b. Mary Elizabeth, married George Leonard Johnson of Lynchburg, Va.
    - (1) Ann
    - (2) Olive
  - c. Martha, married Ernest L. Shinn, of Madison Heights, Virginia.
    - (1) Sherier
  - d. Margaret, married Harry G. Smith, of Chatham, N.J.
    - (1) Harry S.
    - (2) Katherine
    - (3) Roy
    - (4) Arthur
  - e. Katherine, married Marvin S. Cash, of Monroe, Va.
    - (1) Marvin S., Jr.
    - (2) Margaret, married Raymond Gregory, of Amherst.
  - f. Charles W., married Oma Waldrow, of Bluefield, W.Va.
    - (1) Charles W., Jr.
  - g. James Yates, died unmarried.
  - h. J. Y., married Lillian Palmer, of Boston, Mass.
    - (1) Jean
    - (2) Dorothy

Children of Edward and Margaret Fletcher, continued:

- i. Ida, died unmarried.
- j. Lena Harris, died unmarried.
- k. Louise, married William D. Ferguson, of Appomattox, Virginia.
- 4. Frances, married William Powell.
  - a. Bentley
  - b. Gracie
  - c. Ida
- 5. Elizabeth, married John Vincent Settle, of Rappahannock County.
- 6. B. Frank, married Bettie Musselman, of Tye River, Virginia, no issue.

II. JOHN MILLER II

Born, 1-9-1785, "Sunnyside", Washington, Virginia.

Father - Henry Miller, II

Mother - Achsah Warner

Married, 6-29-1812, to JANE JACKSON, Rappahannock Co., Va.

Born, 2-9-1797.

Died, 8-1-1841.

Father - Richard Jackson, uncle of  
President Andrew Jackson.

Her sister, Abigail, married John's  
brother, David Miller.

Died, 10-27-1831.

They lived at "Pleasant View", the old Jackson home in  
Rappahannock.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND JANE MILLER:

- A. Sarah, born 1814, died 2-24-1815.
- B. Middleton, born 12-30-1815, died 3-17-1893.  
Married I: His cousin, Ann Wood. No issue.  
Married II: Anna Louisa A. Hubbs, of Pennsylvania.
- C. Jackson, born 11-18-1818, died 3-6-1891.  
Married 5-7-1840 to Lucy Miller, his cousin.
- D. John Green, born 2-16-1821, died 10-19-1888.  
Married 1-21-1847 to Anna Catherine Miller, his cousin.  
John, his brother, Middleton, and his cousin, Henry  
Brent Miller, owned a woollen mill on the Rappahannock  
River at Waterloo, where they made broadcloth for the  
Confederate Army, and which was burned by Federal  
Troops during the Civil War, Green, Middleton and  
Brent Company.
- E. Richard Henry, born 2-6-1824.  
Married 3-11-1852, to Sarah Ball.
- F. Helen Ann, born 10-2-1826, died 3-13-1898.  
Married 7-2-1850 to her cousin, William Gideon Miller.
- G. Aylett, born 5-15-1829.  
Married I: his cousin, Mary Eliza Miller, daughter  
of Jesse Miller.  
He and his brother, Jackson, with their respective  
wives, who were also their first cousins, went to  
Missouri in covered wagons.  
Married II: Nannie Lutes, of Platte County, Missouri.  
No issue from either marriage.
- H. David Darius, M.D., born 12-9-1831, died 6-7-1889.  
Married 11-22-1854 to Elizabeth B. Williams.

B. MIDDLETON MILLER

Born, 12-30-1815, "Pleasant View", Washington, Virginia.  
Father - John Miller II  
Mother - Jane Jackson

Married I: to ANN WOOD, a cousin. No issue.

Married II: to ANNA LOUISA A. HUBBS, also a cousin, of  
Philadelphia.  
Died, June 1886.  
Father - Charles E. Hubbs  
Mother - Sarah Ann LeCampion, grand-daughter  
of Henry Miller I.

Died, 3-17-1893.

He built "The Maples", in Washington, Virginia. He was  
in business with his brother, John, and his cousin, Henry  
Brent Miller -- Green, Middleton and Brent Co., woolen mill.

CHILDREN OF MIDDLETON AND ANNA MILLER:

1. Anna Josephine, married Presley Henry O'Bannon.
  - a. Louise Mildred, born 8-22-1881, died 9-2-1963,  
unmarried.
2. Frances Helen, married Robert Lynn Menefee.
3. Howell Middleton, died unmarried.
4. Ellis LeCampion, died 4-14-1940.  
Married 1-1-1908 to Sterrette Thompson.
5. Albert, born ca. 1865, died 11-1885, unmarried.
6. Clarence Jackson, born 1869, died 1929.  
Married Sallie Hunt Strother.

2. FRANCES HELEN MILLER

Born, date unknown.

Father - Middleton Miller

Mother - Anna Louisa A. Hubbs

Married to ROBERT LYNN MENEFE.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT AND FANNIE MENEFE:

- a. Robert Middleton, of "Piedmont", in the F. T. Valley.  
Married Bertha Smith (died 2-15-1943)
  - (1) Robert Mercer, born 1902, died 12-16-1966.  
Married Anne Eastham Keyser of 6-12-1937.  
Born 2-7-1915, died 6-13-1977.  
Divorced ca. 1957.
    - (a) Robert Mercer, Jr., born 7-15-1938,  
in Sperryville.
    - (b) Edward Lynn, born 12-26-1944.  
Married 1-6-1968 to Shirley Anne Stevens,  
Washington, D.C. Their son, Robert Lynn,  
was born 3-22-1970. (See also Keyser  
family -- Noah Keyser's line)
    - (c) Sandra Anne, born 1-8-1947.
  - (2) Mary Helen, born August, 1903.  
Married 8-26-1939 to Mortimer Pettus Watkins.
  - (3) Elizabeth W., born ca. 1908.  
Married John Robert Revercomb. No issue.

4. ELLIS LECAMPION MILLER

Born, date unknown.

Father - Middleton Miller

Mother - Anna Louisa A. Hubbs

Married 1-1-1908 to STERRETTE THOMPSON.

Died 4-14-1940.

CHILDREN OF ELLIS AND STERRETTE MILLER:

- a. Frances Hubbs
- b. Isabella Sterrette
- c. Josephine LeCampion, married Thomas Camp.
- d. Stuart Thompson, married Helen Marie Hodgkins, 1-25-1941.
  - (1) Stuart Thompson, Jr.
- e. Ellis LeCampion, Jr.
- f. Anna Middleton, married Roger Merrill Seward, 1946.

6. CLARENCE JACKSON MILLER

Born, 1869.

Father - Middleton Miller

Mother - Anna Louisa A. Hubbs

Married to SALLIE HUNT STROTHER.

Born, 1870, died 10-8-1928.

Died, 1929.

They lived at "The Maples".

CHILDREN OF CLARENCE AND SALLIE MILLER:

- a. Louise Middleton, born October, 1894, died 5-3-1955.  
Married in 1919 to Jackson Wesley Price, who died 1-6-1943, at the age of 49.
  - (1) Daniel Strother  
Married 3-6-1942 to Laura Elizabeth Reid.
  - (2) Jackson Wesley, Jr.
  - (3) Clarence Miller  
Married 9-5-1953 to Helen Frances Elliott.
- b. Clarence Jackson, Jr., born 10-14-1896. *Died - 1-25-1983.*  
Married 10-28-1922 to Achsah Dudley, his cousin, who was born 3-8-1895 and died 1-21-1974.
  - (1) Frances Dudley  
Married 12-13-1947 to John Dalziel Wood.
  - (2) Louise Strother, born 7-27-1929.  
Married 10-5-1947 to Stephen Bradford Vaughan.

C. JACKSON MILLER

Born 11-18-1818, "Pleasant View", Washington, Virginia  
Father - John Miller II  
Mother - Jane Jackson

Married 5-7-1840 to LUCY MILLER, his first cousin.  
Born, 2-16-1824.  
Died, 11-22-1884.  
Father - Jesse William Miller  
Mother - Frances Corbin

Died 3-6-1891.

Jackson and Lucy, and his brother Aylett and his wife, Mary Eliza, Lucy's sister, went to Missouri in covered wagons. It is known that the outlaw Jesse James was related to Nancy Hitt, the wife of John Miller I, of "Mountain Green", and of course to her descendants. (Her mother was a James in Fauquier County.) It is said that Jesse James was at "the Miller ranch" at Joplin, Missouri, in 1878, where he shot down five officers who tried to trap him there. Frances Carter Dudley said she had often heard her father tell of his mother's speaking of Jesse James, and of his visiting at the farm of Mrs. Dudley's brother and sister in Missouri. Mrs. Dudley's sisters married Millers; Lucy married Jackson and Mary Eliza married Aylett. Could it have been at one of their homes that the outlaw was almost cornered? It is interesting to speculate on it.

CHILDREN OF JACKSON AND LUCY MILLER:

1. Jane Hill, born 2-25-1842, died 1-7-1915.  
Married 7-14-1863 to Thomas Hyland Darnell.
  - a. Morse, born 4-23-1864.
  - b. Floy, married 6-10-1890 to the Rev. Claude Kelley.
    - (1) Bessie Lou
    - (2) Ralph
2. John Edgar, born 2-3-1847, died 2-21-1913.  
Married 12-7-1882 to Susie E. Clark. No issue.
3. Mortimer M., born 11-2-1849, died 1-10-1912.  
Married 2-18-1877 to Harriet Hoy.  
Born 2-5-1856.  
Died 12-1-1909.
  - a. Mabel May, born 1-28-1880.
  - b. M. Middleton, born 8-23-1881, died 6-12-1902.
  - c. Robert Jackson, born 10-31-1883.  
Married 12-25-1907 to Edith Miller.
    - (1) Hilda, born 8-19-1914.
    - (2) Sarah Jane, born 2-27-1925.

Children of Jackson and Lucy Miller, continued:

- d. Darius E., born 12-6-1885.  
Married 10-21-1908 to Mary Lee Collins.  
Born, 6-22-1888.
  - (1) Edith May, born 10-23-1909.
  - (2) Sarah Jane, born 1-24-1911, died 2-7-1914.
- e. Nannie Lou, born 2-3-1888.  
Married 1-17-1911 to Edward S. Dillingham.  
Born 9-22-1886.
  - (1) Mabel May, born 8-11-1915, died 3-15-1918.
  - (2) Dorothy June, born 2-29-1920.
- f. Roland Brook, born 1-18-1890.  
Married 2-21-1912 to Ruth Newby.
  - (1) Roland Brook, Jr.
- g. William Hill, born 1-15-1892.  
Married 12-4-1917 to Helen Linney.
  - (1) M. Mortimer, born 7-21-1919.
  - (2) Gordon, born 5-18-1921.
  - (3) Mack Hill, born 8-5-1923.
  - (4) Robert Jackson, born 7-5-1925.
- h. Luther Hoy, born 4-9-1894.  
Married 1-19-1916 to Juanita Risk.  
Born 1-26-1893.
  - (1) An infant born and died 11-23-1917.
- 4. Jessie Ann, born 2-16-1850, died unmarried.
- 5. William Elliott, born 5-19-1852, died 6-28-1909.  
Married 2-5-1885 to Mary Dulcie George.  
Born, 1-3-1864.  
Died, 3-7-1910.
  - a. Virginia Lula, born 10-4-1885, died 1-15-1904.
  - b. Rufus Jackson, born 12-27-1887.  
Married 9-9-1914, to Hester Ann Goeble Burgess.  
No issue.
  - c. Willie Dulcie, born 11-21-1890.  
Married 3-27-1912, to Ralph E. Davis.  
Born, 12-12-1885.
    - (1) Judson, born 5-31-1918.
  - d. Edgar Stone, born 11-17-1892.  
Married 10-21-1914, to Lavinia Linney.  
Born, 10-25-1896.
    - (1) William Malcolm, born 8-28-1915.
    - (2) Edgar Stone, Jr., born 3-2-1917.
    - (3) Dulcie Cloe, born 3-14-1919.
    - (4) Marjorie Linney, born 7-22-1920.
    - (5) Rufus Ward, born 8-29-1924.
  - e. Gideon Ward, born 9-23-1897.  
Married 2-20-1918 to Dixie Oldham.  
Born, 2-27-1897.
    - (1) Mary Margaret, born 8-13-1925.

Children of Jackson and Lucy Miller, continued:

6. Frances Warner, born 4-3-1855, died 1-19-1919.  
Married 12-19-1872 to Jesse Jediah Blakely.  
Born 4-21-1849.
  - a. Lula Vilenne, born 1-20-1874.  
Married 11-7-1893 to Jesse Norman Gettinger.
    - (1) Jesse Norman, Jr., born 10-26-1898.
    - (2) Lucille Vilenne, born 8-17-1901.
    - (3) James A., born 6-13-1903.
    - (4) Helen G., born 3-25-1905.
    - (5) Anna Frances, born 5-30-1907.
    - (6) Gerald, born 10-4-1909.
    - (7) Elizabeth, born 8-18-1913.
  - b. Frances Marian, born 8-22-1875.  
Married 1-19-1896 to G. K. White McGee.
    - (1) Elizabeth, born 1898.
    - (2) Mildred, born 1900.
    - (3) G. K. White, Jr., born 1903.
    - (4) Marian, born 1906.
    - (5) Margaret, born 1908.
  - c. Jesse Jackson, born 6-21-1879.  
Married Myrtle Haight.
    - (1) Dorothy, born 4-1-1906.
    - (2) Gerald, born 5-3-1909.
  - d. Charlie Pearl, born 8-17-1880, died 5-3-1881.
  - e. Welthea, born 8-3-1883.  
Married 6-18-1903 to William A. Duncan, no issue.
  - f. Floy Tutt, born 12-25-1885.  
Married 9-15-1915 to John M. Shaw.
    - (1) John M., Jr.
  - g. William Norton, born 4-25-1887, died 8-10-1907.
  - h. James Clark, born 2-28-1889.  
Married 6-21-1914 to Eva Shepherd.
    - (1) Ross Douglas, born 11-3-1916.
  - i. Joe Jack, born 2-9-1891, died 1897.
  - j. John Edgar, born 12-11-1897.  
Married to Loma Baker.
    - (1) Frances Rosetta, born 12-25-1919.
7. Gideon T., born 7-19-1859.  
Married Jennie Sebree.
  - a. Susie
  - b. Billie
  - c. Frances
8. Jesse Black, born 8-14-1861, died 8-11-1891.  
Married 5-18-1884 to Allie Park.  
Born 1855.
  - a. Park, born 11-9-1884, a twin.
  - b. Jessie, born 11-9-1884, a twin.  
Married Notley Pepper.

Children of Jackson and Lucy Miller, continued:

- (1) Park
- (2) Dixie
- (3) Jessie
- c. Vey, born 6-6-1889, died 2-5-1915.  
Married Dixie Skinner, no issue.
- d. Jesse Black, Jr., born 7-1-1891.  
Married 10-16-1914 to Gertrude Frazier.
  - (1) Joe Jack, born 8-30-1915.
  - (2) Helen, born 4-4-1917.
  - (3) Betty, born 6-6-1924.
- 9. Joseph Jackson, born 8-30-1864, died 5-13-1928.  
Married 1897 to Allie Park Miller, widow of his  
brother, Jesse Black Miller. No issue.

D. JOHN GREEN MILLER

Born 2-16-1821.

Father - John Miller II

Mother - Jane Jackson

Married 1-21-1847 to ANNA CATHERINE MILLER.

Born, 9-29-1826.

Died, 7-28-1887.

Father - Henry Miller

Mother - Elizabeth Roberts Crigler

Died 10-19-1888.

John Green Miller was in business with his brother and his cousin, manufacturing broadcloth for the Confederate Army. The mill was burned by Federal troops during the Civil War.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND ANNIE KATE MILLER:

1. Janie Russell, born 7-21-1848, died 3-17-1916.  
Married 8-1-1872 to Samuel Wooten Averett.
  - a. Katherine Wooten, born 5-13-1873.  
Married 12-25-1900 to David Lafayette Arnold.
    - (1) Elizabeth, born 6-10-1902.  
Married Harry W. Dryden.
      - (a) William A., born 5-19-1925.
      - (b) Mary Thornberg, born 3-7-1934.
    - (2) Samuel Averett, born 3-13-1904.  
Married Florence Talbot.
    - (3) Mary Miller, born 10-26-1909.  
Married George Jeffries Mueller.
  - b. Mary Judson, born 6-27-1875, unmarried.
  - c. Berkeley, born 12-13-1877, died September, 1978.
  - d. Elliott, born 12-13-1877, twin to Berkeley.  
Married 7-22-1908 to Martha Mosby Snead.
    - (1) Martha Mosby, born 1-3-1910.  
Married January 1933 to George Clinton Denniston.
      - (a) George Clinton, Jr., born 4-10-1934.
      - (b) Martha Mosby, born August 1935.
    - (2) Janie Miller, born 4-10-1912.  
Married 10-22-1938 to Sherman Vail Allen.
    - (3) Bettie Snead, born 3-12-1915.
    - (4) Elliott, Jr., born 1-6-1918.
    - (5) Samuel Wooten, born 6-13-1926.
2. Henry Roberts, born 3-5-1950, died 6-16-1924.  
Married to Jeannie D. Gray, 10-17-1882.
  - a. Gray, born 1885.  
Married to Elsie Whittal.

Children of John and Annie Kate Miller, continued:

- (1) Marjorie, born 1910.
- (2) Gray, Jr., born 1916.
- b. Charlotte Johnson, born 1886.  
Married Joseph Cloyd Kent.  
Born, 1878.
- (1) Charlotte Miller, born 1909.  
Married Thomas Pinckney.  
Born, 1903.
- (2) Jane Gray, born 1916.
- c. Henry Roberts, Jr., born 1890.  
Married Nicketti Floyd Johnston.
- (1) Helen Rutherford, born 1922.
- (2) Henry Roberts III, born 1927.
- (3) Gray, born 1933.
- d. Charles Gideon, born 1889.  
Married Dorothy Havington.
- (1) Dorothy
- (2) Nancy Gray
- (3) Shirley
- (4) Elizabeth
- 3. Charles Gideon, born 1-14-1852, died 4-3-1887.  
Married 6-11-1879 to Mary Emily Gray, born 1852,  
died 1-16-1916. She was sister of Jeannie Gray  
who married his brother, Henry.
- a. Jeannie Gray, born 8-21-1880.  
Married to Albert Kirk Wood, 1903, who died of  
tuberculosis in 1914.
- (1) Mary Gray, born 1905.  
Married John Goodman Walker.  
(a) Caroline Dabney, born 1931.
- (2) Virginia Kirk, born 1908.
- b. George Dabney Gray, born 12-30-1882.  
Married I: 1907 to Ellen Bennett Norris.
- (1) George D. G., Jr., born 9-3-1911.
- Married II: 1919 to Tuley Cunningham.
- (2) Sherman Harley, born 1921.
- (3) Charlotte Carolyn, born 1926.
- c. Robert Ryland, born 4-30-1886.  
Married 1913 to Florence Isobel Young.
- (1) Robert Ryland, Jr., born 7-11-1914.
- 4. Elizabeth Crigler, born 10-29-1853.  
Married 11-18-1880 to Duvall Exall (1853-1928).
- a. Russell Seymour, born 10-11-1881, died 10-26-1882.
- b. Stuart Miller, born 1-10-1884, died 1-16-1886.
- 5. Mary Judson, born 3-6-1856, died 3-6-1882.  
Married 10-28-1879 to Lyttleton Garland Anderson.
- a. John

Children of John Green and Anna Catherine Miller, continued:

6. Robert Ryland, born 2-7-1858, died 1-21-1884, unmarried.
7. John Green, Jr., born 2-1-1860, died 6-16-1929.  
Married 11-14-1888 to Rose Allen Ferrell.
  - a. William Judson, born 11-16-1889.  
Married Delia Cameron.  
(1) William Judson, Jr.
  - b. Lena Russell, born 5-16-1892.  
Married Henry Blair Cullen, no issue.
8. Turner Ashby, born 2-24-1862, died 5-16-1924.  
Married 1-25-1889 to Anna Iola Sorey.  
Born, 1-26-1863.
  - a. Iola Sorey, born 11-27-1889, died 12-22-1906.
  - b. Thomas Jefferson, born 12-27-1891, died 3-3-1895.
  - c. Turner Ashby, Jr., born 11-11-1898.  
Married I: 1923, Elizabeth Ambler.  
Married II: 1937, Gertrude M. Taylor, of Mass.
  - d. Catherine Lee, born 1-11-1900.  
Married 9-24-1923 to George Fitz-Randolph Pollard.  
Born, 1-13-1899.  
(1) George Fitz-Randolph, Jr., born 11-13-1925.
  - e. Marian Sorey, born 12-3-1904.  
Married 2-15-1933 to W. Witt Barbee.  
Born, 10-10-1901.
9. Kate Lee, born 4-9-1865.  
Married 9-23-1879 to Thomas Fox Jeffress.
  - a. Robert Miller, born 12-20-1886.  
Married Elizabeth Talbot Gwathmey.  
Born 9-14-1900.
10. Jackson, born 2-20-1867, unmarried.

E. RICHARD HENRY MILLER

Born 2-6-1824.

Father - John Miller II  
Mother - Jane Jackson

Married 3-11-1852 to SARAH BALL.  
Born, 10-15-1834.  
Died, 10-8-1912.

CHILDREN OF RICHARD AND SARAH MILLER:

1. Florence Walker, born 1-18-1853, died 9-26-1862.
2. Ernest, born 7-25-1855, died 1906 in Jefferson County, Alabama. Married unknown, no issue.
3. Richard, born 10-25-1857, unmarried.
4. Lillian, born 4-9-1860, died 1-25-1946.  
Married 10-22-1890 to Andrew Judson Armstrong. She was his second wife. He was born 12-4-1844 and died 11-27-1925. He was first cousin of Samuel Ringgold Armstrong, who married Ella Brereton, daughter of Benjamin Franklin and Sarah Browning Miller of "Mountain Green". He entered the Confederate Army in 1863 and is said to have been the last member of the "Little Fork Rangers".
  - a. Helen, born 1892, died 12-29-1969.  
Married 6-5-1917 to James Williams Green.  
Born 1881, died 1965.
  - (1) Nancy Ball, born 7-25-1918.  
Married 9-17-1938 to James Francis Moser, Jr.
  - (2) James Williams, Jr., born 6-5-1920.  
Married 11-7-1942 to Martha Ferguson Tilford.
  - (3) Andrew Judson, born 6-2-1922
  - (4) Angus McDonald, born 5-21-1924.  
Married 4-23-1949 to Ada Newton Nalle.
  - (5) Harriet McNeale, twin, born 11-26-1925.  
Married I: 1-17-1948 to Philip Winfrey Fore, Jr.  
Married II: ----- Scott.
  - (6) Lillian Miller, twin, born 11-26-1925, unmarried.
  - (7) Robert Duff, born 7-16-1928.  
Married ----- Miller, daughter of Giles H. Miller, Jr., of Culpeper.

F. HELEN ANN MILLER

Born 10-2-1826.

Father - John Miller II

Mother - Jane Jackson

Married, 7-2-1850, to WILLIAM GIDEON MILLER.

Born, 11-2-1824, died, 2-2-1890.

Father - Henry Miller

Mother - Elizabeth Roberts Crigler

Died, 3-13-1898, "Pleasant View".

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND HELEN MILLER:

1. Edward Roberts, born 4-7-1853, died 4-28-1937.  
Married 1-15-1885 to Mary Elizabeth Elgin.  
Born, 1-22-1853.  
Died, 6-20-1923.  
They lived in Platte County, Missouri.
  - a. William Gustavus, born 12-23-1886.  
Married 1-15-1915 to Hazel Duncan.  
Born, 9-10-1888.
    - (1) Edward Benton, born 12-31-1918.
  - b. Mary Lee, born 1-15-1889, died 6-18-1933.
  - c. Richard Elgin, born 3-22-1896.  
Married 9-23-1926 to Oma Pulem.
2. Mary Maud, born 4-24-1855, died 1-14-1920, unmarried.
3. Louisa Emeline, born 3-4-1857, died 1-16-1930.  
Married 10-17-1876 to William Jordan Harris of  
Alexandria, Virginia. Born, 12-21-1850. Died, 1942.
  - a. Mary Maud, died in infancy.
  - b. Helen Vernon.  
Married Leonard H. Wood. No issue.
  - c. Irene Cornelia, died 3-17-1967, unmarried, in  
Oklahoma City.
  - d. Alexander.  
Married Harriet Walker of Gadsden, Alabama.
    - (1) Jane Walker
  - e. William Gideon.  
Married Charlotte Matthews Moore, Blacksburg, Va.
    - (1) Cornelia Frances
    - (2) Elizabeth Ann
    - (3) Helen Vernon
    - (4) Charlotte Moore
  - f. Mary Frances.  
Married Campbell Wallace, of Atlanta, Georgia.
    - (1) Campbell, Jr.
    - (2) Mary Miller

Children of William and Helen Miller, continued:

4. Charles Elliott, born 5-6-1859, died 9-29-1935.  
Lived at Liberty, Missouri.  
Married I: Sallie Styne, born 8-22-1865, died 11-27-1894.  
Married II: Mattie Bell Jones, born 3-2-1865, died  
2-17-1918.  
Married III: Lilburn Jones, born 2-10-1880.
5. Helen Bartow, born 9-7-1861.  
Married Arnold Thomas, of Toronto, Canada.
  - a. G. Dudley, born 1888.  
Married I: 1912, K. Ellis.  
Married II: 1932, Evelyn Fry.
  - b. Isabel, born 1891.  
Married Edward Day.
  - c. Alan, born 1894.  
Married Freda Marsh.
  - d. Margaret, born 1902.  
Married Norman MacKenzie.
6. Harry Jackson, born 3-8-1864, died 1919.  
Married Frances Matilda West, 1865-1921.
  - a. Walter Gideon,  
Married Catherine Ostrander of California.
    - (1) Frances Virginia  
Married 7-16-1938 to James Joseph Douglas.
    - (2) Jackson Gideon, born ca. 1920, died 3-28-1942.
  - b. Gladys  
Married Robert Campbell Caldwell of Florida.
    - (1) Robert Campbell, Jr., died 11-1-1961.  
Married 6-22-1939 to Marianne McCormack.
    - (2) Harry Miller
    - (3) Judith Fauntleroy  
Married 5-12-1970 to Robert Robinson.
  - c. Marie  
Married Cecil Aubrey Speake, of Luray, Virginia.
    - (1) Mary Miller  
Married 8-16-1941 to Carlisle H. Humelsine.
    - (2) Cecil Aubrey, Jr.
    - (3) Ann West  
Married 12-1-1943 to Howard Lee Keller.
    - (4) Harry Miller, married and has a family.
    - (5) Judith Fauntleroy  
Married 7-9-1949 to Edsel Byard Kensler.
  - d. Judith Fauntleroy  
Married Preston Avery, of Florida. No issue.
  - e. David Darius, died 1981.  
Married Etta Brooke Newbill.
    - (1) David Darius, Jr., born 5-4-1928.  
Married 2-11-1955 to Lena Lee Green.

Children of William and Helen Miller, continued:

- (2) Jackson Newbill, born 1-9-1936.  
Married 10-20-1956 to Carol Hodgkin Beard.
- f. Helen Thomas, b. 2-18-1901, m. 6-24-1925 to  
Harold Gerry Brown, b. 10-18-1898. *d. 3-5-1984*
  - (1) Helen Miller, b. 1-10-1928, m. 1-6-1948 to  
Donald Fletcher Buckley. Divorced ca. 1972.
    - (a) Donald Fletcher, Jr., b. 1-1-1953.
    - (b) Thomas Miller, b. 6-16-1956.
    - (c) Danny Reid, b. 7-10-1960.
  - (2) Frances West, b. 6-12-1930.  
M.I: 10-16-1948 to William Rice Matthews, Jr.  
Divorced 1974.
    - (a) William Rice, III, b. 4-9-1951, m. 1-7-  
1982, to Luisa Messina
    - (b) Frances West, b. 6-26-1953, m. 6-3-1979  
to Robert Bachelor.
      - (b1) Ruth Chapin, b. 5-18-1980.
    - (c) Helen Lorimer, b. 3-16-1958.  
M.II: 7-1-1976, to Charles B. Russell.
  - (3) Harold Gerry, Jr. ("Bo"), b. 3-9-1932.  
M. 1958 to Suzanne Carr, divorced 1977.
    - (a) Harold Gerry, III, b. 7-29-1959.
    - (b) Elizabeth Caldwell, b. 3-20-1962.
    - (c) Clayborn Miller, b. 9-29-1963.
- 7. Elizabeth Roberts, born 12-23-1865, died 1920.  
Married Rev. Edward Roper Waddill of Danville, Va.
  - a. Helen Miller, married E. M. Wallace.
    - (1) Elizabeth
  - b. Nora Llewyn
  - c. Lucy Carey
  - d. Elizabeth Roberts, married F. M. Emerson.
    - (1) Carey Elizabeth

H. DAVID DARIUS MILLER, M.D.

Born 12-9-1831.

Father - John Miller II- D.D.M. was born 2 months  
after his father died

Mother - Jane Jackson

Married 11-22-1854 to ELIZABETH B. WILLIAMS.

Niece and adopted daughter of  
Gideon Brown. Died 3-24-1909.

Died, 6-7-1889.

CHILDREN OF DAVID DARIUS AND ELIZABETH MILLER:

1. Ada Johnston, born 5-26-1856.  
Married 10-15-1879 to John McCalla Boulware.
  - a. Darius Jackson, born 7-17-1880.  
Married 10-3-1906 to Susan Turner Lightfoot.
    - (1) Dorothy  
Married Ray Davenport.
      - (a) Ray, Jr.
    - (2) Edith
    - (3) John McCalla, Jr., died of a broken neck  
playing football.
  - b. Gideon Brown, born June 1884, died 10-1-1935.  
Married Claire Mote. Lived in Staunton, Va.
  - c. Elizabeth Treppe, born 11-2-1890, died unmarried.
2. John James, born 12-24-1858, died 7-31-1942.  
Married 7-7-1886 to Lucy E. Lillard, born 10-24-1861,  
died 5-12-1957. Daughter of Silas B. Lillard, who  
purchased "Hawthorne" in 1888 for \$11,500. Later  
that year "Mr. James Miller became its proprietor."
  - a. Silas Darius, born 8-28-1888, died 2-17-1968.  
Married Olive Frances (Dolly) Thornton.  
Born 1900, died 10-31-1968.
    - (1) Dr. John Lee  
Married 9-6-1946 to Dorothy Temple Eubank.
    - (2) Frances Thornton  
Married Dr. Elias Lake Tolbert, 6-4-1947.
  - b. Elizabeth, born 12-10-1890, died 1930.
  - c. John James, Jr., born 7-29-1892, died 1924,  
unmarried.
  - d. Mildred Duncan, born 12-14-1894, died 10-16-1961.  
Married Philip Lee Thornton who died 7-16-1934.
    - (1) Philip Lee, Jr.  
Married 1941 to his cousin Frances Reid Brown.  
He was born in 1917, died 5-19-1969.

Children of David Darius and Elizabeth Miller, continued:

- (2) Mildred Buckner  
Married 10-21-1939 to James William Fletcher.
- (3) Margaret Lyle  
Married 9-22-1947 to James Rodes Brown, Jr.
- (4) James Miller  
Married 9-7-1951 to Betty Jean Meade.
- e. Margaret Lyle, born 9-4-1897.  
Married William Stuart Stevens, who died 4-21-1966.  
(1) William Stuart, Jr., born 3-19-1937.
- f. Gideon Brown  
Married Clelia Hiser.  
(1) Luanne Elizabeth, born 9-26-1940.  
Married 8-26-1967 to Joseph James Murphy.
- 3. Gideon Brown, M.D., born 12-27-1861, died 11-1-1937.  
Married in 1905 to Virginia Blake of England.
  - a. Frank Blake, Admiral, U.S.N., born 1905, died 5-31-1962.  
Married 9-12-1934, Dorothy Darrow Graham, 1914-1965.  
(1) Prudence Darrow, born 11-13-1935.
  - b. Gideon Brown, Jr., born 1907  
Married Elaine Graham, older sister of Dorothy, who married his brother, Frank.  
(1) Gideon Brown, III  
(2) Caroline Wayne  
(3) John Graham  
Married 4-1-1956 to Carmella Rose Turturro.  
(4) Virginia Blake  
Married 12-17-1955, Rutherford Bennett Miller.
- 4. Brooke Roberts, born 11-22-1864, died 1-28-1953.  
Married 9-25-1889, May Menefee, who died 1-28-1941.  
Lived at "Greenwood"
  - a. Brooke Menefee ("Snippy"), born 9-15-1890.  
Married Virginia Gore, no issue.
  - b. Bertie Lib, born May 1892.  
Married Horatio Gates Moffett, III.  
(1) Brooke Miller, M.D.  
Married June, 1951, Ann Neville Major.
  - c. Henry Lloyd ("Pat"), born 11-7-1892, died 10-29-1977.  
Married I: Mabel Seibert, died 4-11-1945.  
Married II: Oma Carolyn Turner, on 8-11-1951.  
(1) Brooke Roberts, II  
(2) Billye Catherine Miltz, Raleigh, N.C.  
(3) Patricia Carolyn Hardison, Fairfax, Va.
  - d. David Jackson, born 10-7-1896.
  - e. Ada May, born 6-1-1899.  
Married Wade Hampton Massie, Jr., born 1898, died 5-5-1963.

Children of David Darius and Elizabeth Miller, continued:

- (1) Jacqueline Miller  
Married 10-30-1946, William Guerrant ("Dunny") Eastham.
  - (2) Wade Hampton, III  
Married I: 11-11-1955, Grace Wallihan, born 1931, died 4-18-1965  
Married II: 3-27-1966, Sandra Mears.
  - (3) James Fletcher, born ca. 1930.  
Married 11-14-1953, Beverly Dean Ribble.
  - (4) Thomas Benjamin, born 2-23-1942.  
Married 9-28-1963, Aney Abigail Melton.
5. Darius Lyle, born 7-29-1879, died 3-6-1952.  
Married 12-19-1905, Elizabeth Roberts Strother.  
Born 1880, died 3-24-1957.
- a. Mary Botts, born 9-10-1906.  
Married 9-16-1929, Raymond G. Quaintance, Jr.  
Born 1908, died 12-20-1961.
  - b. Darius Lyle, Jr., born 3-16-1908, died Jan., 1977.  
Married 7-28-1934, Louise Ellis, of Orange, Va.
  - c. Elizabeth Roberts, born 10-19-1909.  
Married 7-30-1937, Wallace Woodriff Sanford.
    - (1) Wallace Woodriff, Jr., born 11-6-1946.  
Married 12-14-1968, Carolyn Slaughter.

III. SARAH MILLER

Born, 2-21-1787.

Father - Henry Miller II  
Mother - Achsah Warner

Married 3-7-1801 to MICHAEL NICOL.  
Born 10-20-1777.

They lived in Washington, Virginia, as witness the many deeds listed in the addenda.

CHILDREN OF MICHAEL AND SARAH NICOL:

- A. Achsah, born 2-18-1806, died 1885.  
Married Thompson Schults. They lived in Virginia at least until 1839, when their eighth child, Eliza Ann, was born in Flint Hill. Then they moved to Lincoln County, Missouri.
1. Sarah Elizabeth, born 1-5-1826 at Washington, Va.  
Married 8-12-1855, Cap't. William Miller of North Carolina, no relation. He was born 3-2-1812.
    - a. Alice Alvina, born 5-25-1856, died 2-12-1907.  
Married 6-6-1877, Alexander Miller, no relation, who was born 12-11-1836, died 3-27-1909.
      - (1) Martha Alice  
Married James W. Spencer.
        - (a) Hugh Miller
        - (b) Belle Clay
    - b. Sarah Emma, born 2-18-1859.  
Married Edward Wilson.
    - c. Lucy Margaret, born 3-3-1860.  
Married T. Alexander Cooper.
    - d. Martha Louise, born 4-3-1862.  
Married Charles M. Wells.
    - e. Susan Catherine, born 12-12-1864.  
Married John Smith Carter.
    - f. Ida Clay, born 7-7-1867.  
Married Hugh Geiger.
  2. William Henry, born 10-6-1827.  
Married 8-15-1852, Mahala Harris, of Indiana.
  3. Frank, born 2-7-1830, unmarried.
  4. Mary Virginia, born 1-12-1832 at Flint Hill, Va.  
Died 4-26-1902.  
Married I: in 1852 to Joseph Gear.
    - a. James Gear, of Iola, Kansas.  
Married ----- Hubbard.
    - b. Lou Gear  
Married Linworth Wilson, of Jackson, Mo.

Children of Michael and Sarah Nicol, continued:

- Married II: Francis Marion Gear.
- c. Edward Everett, born 12-1931.  
Married Jessie M. Ward.  
(1) Wardie Gear, died 1929.  
Married J. A. Haggarty.
- d. John Gear, lived in Los Angeles.  
Married ----- Carter.
- 5. James Nicol, born 8-29-1833.  
Married Jane C. Duff.
- 6. Aylett Miller, born 8-30-1835, at Flint Hill, Va.  
Married, 1869, Lucy Vertrees.
  - a. Thompson  
Married Almeda Carter.
  - b. Isaac  
Married ----- Martin.
  - c. Jennie, died of brain fever.
  - d. Aylett  
Married Inez Abbott.
  - e. Clara, died of typhoid fever.
  - f. Lucy, died of typhoid fever.
  - g. Albert  
Married Anna Baute.
  - h. Mary  
Married Oscar Sommers.
  - i. James
  - j. John
- 7. Albert Warner, born 5-18-1837.  
Married Laura Ann Creech.
  - a. Grace, born 7-8-1880.  
Married 4-3-1897, Fred Bouldin.
  - b. Hollis, born 1898, died 1901.
  - c. Warner, born 1905.  
Married Elizabeth Vrooman of Kingston, N.Y.
- 8. Eliza Ann, born 4-21-1839 at Flint Hill, Va.  
Married 7-1855, John R. Foster.
  - a. Theodore  
Married Mary Abbott.
  - b. Nettie  
Married ----- Carter.
  - c. Amanda
- 9. Margaret, born 4-12-1841, died 1912, Kansas City, Mo.
- 10. Louisa, born 10-5-1843.  
Married Samuel P. Groshong.
  - a. Achsah  
Married James Wright.
  - b. Ella

Children of Michael and Sarah Nicol, continued:

11. Achsah, unmarried, born 7-21-1846, a twin.
12. Mariah, born 7-21-1846, a twin.  
Married Chance Allen, March 1871.  
Both Achsah and Mariah were drowned in 1879.
13. Jane, born 8-17-1849, died at age of 13.

- B. Elizabeth, born 8-17-1808.  
Married ----- Weathers. Moved to Missouri.
- C. Henry M., born 9-23-1810.  
Married ----- Corder. Moved to Missouri.
- D. William Frederick, born 3-5-1813, died 8-14-1888.  
Lived at "Ashland", near Wolftown, Madison County, Virginia. Married I: 4-22-1834, Emma Thomas, born 12-1814, died 11-3-1862.  
Married II: 6-15-1871, Sarah Margaret Fry. No issue.
1. Catherine Vashti, born 5-4-1836, at Slate Mills, Va.  
Married 7-19-1858, Major William A. Banks, (1824).
  - a. Aubrey Leonard, died 1930.  
Married Lena Adams.
    - (1) William J.
    - (2) Anna Catherine
    - (3) Aubrey Leonard, Jr.
    - (4) Lena, died young
    - (5) Marie
  - b. Catherine Lee  
Married John Thomas Hanway, of Brown, Texas.
    - (1) Madeline  
Married M. L. Parker.
    - (2) John Thomas, Jr.  
Married Elizabeth Redd.
2. Thaddeus William, born 10-29-1837.  
Married 1-15-1874, Mollie K. Beller, who died in Wolftown, Madison County, Va.
  - a. Minnie
  - b. Nellie
  - c. Emma
  - d. William F., died 1933.
    - (1) Thaddeus, lives in Arkansas.
    - (2) Jayne
  - e. Norma
  - f. Nannie
  - g. Eva
  - h. Mollie Beller
3. Lucy Victorine, born 7-4-1840.  
Married 3-16-1871, George Early Garth.
  - a. Emma  
Married her cousin, Drummond Nicol.
    - (1) Victorine  
Married Russell Strite.

Children of Michael and Sarah Nicol, continued:

- (a) Dorothy Garth
- b. Davis
- c. Ella
- d. George M.
  - Married I: Irene Hensley
  - (1) Eloise, married Bob Farish.
    - (a) Vivian
  - (2) Victorine, married Charles Collins.
    - (a) Charles, Jr.
  - Married II: H. Yaney.
  - (3) Lucile
- 4. George Thomas, born 11-24-1844, died 8-9-1865.
- 5. Emma Ella, born 10-31-1846, died 6-29-1876, unmarried.
- 6. Sarah Warner, born 11-9-1848.
  - Married, 8-17-1871, Horace Davis Twyman.
    - a. Frederick William, born 7-10-1872, died 9-15-1938.
      - Married, 7-6-1910, Sallie Baker.
        - (1) James Baker, M.D., born 6-15-1914.
          - Married, 3-27-1942, Bess Dariotas.
      - b. Davis Robert, born 4-21-1874, died 5-1-1931.
        - Married, 8-29-1908, Lena Hudson.
          - (1) Elizabeth Sarah, born 7-25-1909.
      - c. Bessie Victorine, born 1-21-1876, died 5-12-1923.
        - Married, 6-27-1900, Robert D. Browning.
          - (1) Mildred B., born 8-1-1903.
          - (2) Robert D., Jr., born 8-3-1913.
      - d. David Nicol, M.D., born 5-8-1877, died 6-25-1940.
        - Married I: 11-25-1908, Phoebe Shaw.
          - Died 1-16-1913.
          - (1) Fred W., born 7-2-1909.
          - (2) Henry S., born 8-3-1910.
          - (3) Virginia Powers, born 3-31-1912.
            - Married Richard S. Greenlee.
        - Married II: 9-15-1914, Annie Robson.
      - e. Horace Warner, born 12-5-1882, unmarried.
      - f. Nannie Thomas, born 4-21-1884.
        - Married, 10-22-1912, Dr. Walter S. Ferguson, of Lynchburg, Va.
          - (1) Sarah Warner, born 5-14-1915.
      - g. John Taylor, born 6-9-1887, died 10-18-1924.
        - Married, 2-23-1916, Ruth Lucas.
          - (1) John Taylor, Jr., born 1-11-1918.
          - (2) Ruth Lucas, born 1-25-1925.

Children of Michael and Sarah Nicol, continued:

7. David Michael, born 11-21-1849, died at Fort Worth, Texas.
8. John Aylett, born 2-21-1853.  
Married I: Emma Hoffman. No issue.  
Married II: Cora Conway. No issue.
9. Achsah Annie, born 6-29-1854, died 5-27-1932.  
Married, 4-15-1879, John Webb Fry.  
Born 3-19-1853, d. 3-7-1943.  
Lived at "Springdale Farm", Locust Dale, Va.
  - a. Henry, died an infant.
  - b. Emma Thomas  
Married Charles Clyde Knight.
    - (1) Charles Clyde, Jr., died 1915.
    - (2) Anna Fry  
Married I: Lt. Remulo de Azevedo Borges.  
Married II: John d'Hauteclaire Hord.
      - (a) David Knight Borges
      - (b) John Knight Hord, a twin.
      - (c) Clyde d'Hauteclaire Hord, a twin,  
died in infancy.
      - (d) Nancy Virginia Hord., born July, 1941.
    - (3) Emma Thomas, born 1916, died 2-6-1963.  
Married, 8-24-1940, John McFarland Swayze.  
Born 1913.
      - (a) Ann Thomas, born May, 1942.
      - (b) John Knight, born 7-2-1944.
    - (4) Frances Sarah  
Married, 12-20-1941, Henry Whitehouse.
  - c. Frederick Nicol, died 1902, unmarried.
  - d. Bettie Belle, unmarried.
  - e. John Webb, Jr.  
Married his cousin, Virginia Katherine Steele.
    - (1) Frederick Steele, married Margaret Glascock.
    - (2) Mary Nicol, married John Elmer Zearfoss,  
Jr., M.D.
    - (3) Dollie Mallow, married Andrew Weber, 1941.
      - (a) Mary Catherine
  - f. Sarah Margaret
  - g. Lucy Page
  - h. David Warner, married Marguerite Mullen.
    - (1) Marguerite Ann, m. Frank McCarthy.
    - (2) Frances Page, m. ----- Benner.
  - i. Achsah Anna
  - j. Francis Micou, m. Mary Cushwa Leiter.
    - (1) Jane Frances de Chantal
  - k. Henry Wesley

Children of Michael and Sarah Nicol, continued:

- E. Sarah, born 5-22-1915, m. Rev. Thomas Holtzman, a Baptist preacher who conducted a boarding school, East View Seminary, near Washington, Virginia.
1. Louise Margaret, died unmarried.
  2. Jesse Warner, died unmarried.
  3. Aylett, died unmarried.
  4. Henry H., died an infant
  5. Sarah Miller, born 1857, died Nov., 1952.  
Married Rev. T. Douglas Clark, lived at Manassas, Virginia.
    - a. Jessie Gore, born May, 1884.  
Married Henry Kinsel Laws, San Diego, Calif.
      - (1) Sarah Holtzman
      - (2) Genevieve Kinsel
    - b. Thomas Holtzman, m. Annette Kilby.
      - (1) Susan Kilby
    - c. William Douglas, m. Elizabeth Cocke (grand-daughter of founder of Hollins College)
      - (1) Douglas
      - (2) Malcolm
    - d. Genevieve H., m. William T. Davidson.
      - (1) Aylett Holtzman
    - e. Margaret Louisa, m. Charles Halleck Doing, Jr.  
Died 7-13-1970, age 91.
      - (1) Charles H., III, born 1921, died 5-3-1954.  
Married Jean Foote.
    - f. Aylett Dunlop, m. Frances Leeson.
      - (1) Frances Ayleen
      - (2) Anna Leeson
    - g. Sarah Nicol  
Married I: John Daniel, died without issue.  
Married ii: Major Harry H. Horton.
      - (1) Harry Mack
      - (2) Thomas
    - h. Marian McKee, m. Norman L. Gibson.
      - (1) Norman L., Jr.
      - (2) Walter Livingston
    - i. Walter Cross, m. Camilla Sylvester.
      - (1) Walter Cross, Jr., born Aug., 1935.
- F. David, born 10-17-1917, m. ----- Peyton, moved to Missouri.
- G. Mary Jane, born 10-7-1819, died unmarried after 1883.
- H. Aylett, born 3-1-1822, Judge, m.I: Mary Jane Williams.
1. Charles Edgar, Judge, m.I: Mary Louise Bauder.
    - a. Aylett Bauder, m. Mary Perry.
    - b. Pauline Fauntleroy, died 1-29-1966.  
Married 11-20-1915, Dr. Benjamin Franklin Iden.

Children of Michael and Sarah Nicol, continued:

- c. Julia Care, born 1891, died 5-16-1946.
  - d. Charles Edgar, Jr.
  - e. Mary Louise, born ca. 1902.
  - f. Frances Bankhead, m. 11-1-1933, Frank Willard McKone.
- Married II: Florence de la Sac Nash.
- 2. John Aylett, m. Minnie Moon.
    - a. Cary
    - b. Mary Aylett
  - 3. Ida, unmarried.
  - 4. Minnie, m. Dr. Barbour.
    - a. Aubrey
- Married II: Lou Sprinkel of Manassas, Va.
- 5. Drummond, m. his cousin, Emma Garth.
  - 6. Blanche, born 4-24-1869, died 10-17-1896.  
Married, 3-9-1886, French Ernest Ransdell.  
Born 11-17-1856, died 3-17-1935.
    - a. Thomas Nelson, m. Amparo Rivero, daughter of Cuban minister to the U.S.A.
      - (1) Mary Louise, m. Admiral Gallery, U.S.N.
      - (2) Dorothy R., m. Captain Rakow, U.S.N.
    - b. Basic Louise, m. Robert Teates.
      - (1) Robert, Jr.
    - c. French Ernest, Jr., m. Miss Hall.
      - (1) French Ernest, III
    - d. Blanche Augusta, m. Joseph Day, no issue.
    - e. Martha Elizabeth, m. 12-9-1914, Bedford Brown Uhler, died 12-1-1965.
      - (1) Bedford Brown, Jr., lives in Manassas, Va.
      - (2) Louise Ransdell, m. Norvert Edward Graff of Killean, Texas.
    - f. Ida Nicol, born 10-3-1896, m. Dr. Edward Mulligan.
      - (1) Mary Louise
      - (2) Edward, Jr.
- 7. Maud, m. John Wilson.
    - a. Aylett Nicol, m. Louise Folsom Turner, no issue.
    - b. John, Jr., unmarried.
    - c. Edgar, m. Rose ----.
      - (1) Son, name unknown.
  - 8. Grace, m. Dr. Frank Maphis (died ca. 1930)  
No issue.
  - 9. Lorna, died ca. 1933, m. Charles Leachman.  
No issue.
- I. Samuel Warner, born 4-5-1824, m. Anna Virginia Miller, no relation. They lived in Sioux City, Iowa.
- 1. Henry, went west with his parents after the Civil War.

Children of Michael and Sarah Nicol, continued:

2. Virinda Allen, born 1854, in Wolftown, Madison County, Virginia, died 2-3-1920 in St. Petersburg, Florida. Married 1874, Leonidas Hannibal Jones.
  - a. Harry, died an infant.
  - b. Frank, died age 12.
  - c. Anna Virginia, born June 1877. Married, 1-16-1927, Francis Sydney Wood.
  - d. Edward Hannibal, born 12-7-1879. Married, 8-8-1906, Ida May Murrison.
    - (1) John Wesley, born 6-4-1907. Married, 5-21-1938, Katherine del Valle.
    - (2) Edward Hannibal, Jr., born 3-18-1909. Married, Dec, 1935, Patricia Cremin.
      - (a) Jeffrey, born 7-10-1939.
    - (3) Leonidas Hannibal, born 4-30-1911. Married, July 1935, Gail Youle.
      - (a) Janet, born 7-15-1938.
    - (4) Catherine Murrison, born 3-26-1914.
    - (5) Mary Margaret, born 6-23-1916.
  - e. Rosaltha, married ca. 1910, Wilhelm Anderson.
    - (1) L.H., born 10-7-1911. Married, May 1939, Virginia Zellhoofner.
    - (2) August Wilhelm, Jr., born 3-26-1913. Married 1935, Sarah -----.
    - (3) Frank Jones, born ca. 1915.
    - (4) Jennie Vie Allen, born Aug, 1916. Married, 1939, Owen -----.
  - f. Herbert Nicol, a twin, married ca. 1912, Helen Wilson Jones, former wife of his brother, Leonidas.
    - (1) Herbert, Jr., born Oct., 1915.
    - (2) Emily Helen, born 6-2-1921.
  - g. Harrod Millette, a twin, m. Helen Scott, 1920.
    - (1) Harriet, born ca. 1928.
    - (2) Marilyn, born ca. 1933.
  - h. Leonidas Hamlin, died ca. 1936. Married I: Helen Wilson, 1910. She was the same Helen who married his brother, Herbert, in 1912. No issue. Married II: 1927, name unknown. Two children whose sex and names are unknown.
3. Sallie Vashti, born ca. 1856 at Wolftown, Va. Married I: Nathaniel Thorpe.
  - a. Harry
  - b. Vashti, m. Robert Seely, ca. 1907.
    - (1) Samuel Nicol, born 6-3-1908.Married II: ca. 1924, Leonidas Hannibal Jones, her sister Virinda's widower. No issue.
4. Samuel, born Wolftown, died 1936. No issue.
- J. Lucy Margaret, born 10-6-1826, died unmarried.

IV. HENRY MILLER III

Born, 1787, "Sunnyside".

Father - Henry Miller II

Mother - Achsah Warner

Married, 1820, LYDIA MOORE, near Harpers Ferry, W. Va.

Born, 5-7-1795, died 12-13-1876.

Father - Rev. Jere M. Moore, of Fauquier County, Va., buried in the Lutheran graveyard at Bolivar, W. Va.

Died, 9-26-1852.

They lived at "Clermont Hall", Halltown, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF HENRY AND LYDIA MILLER:

A. Henry Brent, born 10-7-1821.

Married 3-22-1853, his cousin, Sarah Catherine Wood.

She was born 11-4-1831, father - John Hayward Wood, mother - Lucy Miller.

They lived at "Mountain View".

1. Lydia Moore (Lily), died 8-18-1933.

Married, 11-29-1877, James Edward Armstrong, of

Waterloo, Va., born 1-15-1847, died 1-11-1938.

He was a member of Fauquier's famous Black Horse Cavalry, under General Fitzhugh Lee, from 1863 to the close of the War Between the States.

a. Minnie, born 9-13-1878, m. Dr. Edward Rudasill. No issue.

b. Gertrude, born 3-22-1880.

Married Rev. Charles Clement, no issue.

c. Edward Brent, born 10-17-1881, died 11-27-1963.

Married, 3-11-1906, Ellice Button.

B. 6-6-1882, d. May, 1961.

(1) Edward Brent, Jr., m. Dorothy Simmons.

(2) Lucy Rogers, m. 6-25-1935, William Lee Browning.

(3) John Franklin, m. Sarah Wilkes.

(a) John Franklin, Jr., D.D.S.

(4) Lydia Miller, m. 8-17-1940, Curtis Walton Spiker.

(5) Ellice Button, m. 6-20-1942, James Pendleton Browning.

d. Sarah Catherine, born 12-6-1883.

Married, 4-12-1911, Hugh Davidson Crigler, who was born 1876, died 7-25-1945.

(1) Hugh Davidson, Jr., m. Georgie Maie Rhodes.

Children of Henry and Lydia Miller, continued:

- (2) Mary Miller  
Married, 6-26-1942, William Franklin Boldridge.
- e. Lucy Spilman, born 5-6-1886.  
Married, 2-5-1937, Kenneth Parr Armstrong.
- f. Harvey, born 6-20-1890, died 7-16-1890.
- 2. Lucy Brent, died unmarried.
- 3. Mary Katherine (Mollie Kate), born 3-4-1859,  
died 4-14-1922. Married her cousin, 11-28-1887,  
James Irving Rucker, born 7-24-1863, at Culpeper,  
Virginia.
- 4. Emma Wood, died 3-22-1954, unmarried.
- 5. Henry Hayward, born 1860, died 4-3-1945.  
Married, 11-14-1888, Bernice James (b. 2-26-1866,  
d. 8-22-1938).
  - a. Hayward Brent, born 1-1890, died unmarried.
  - b. Jane Spilman, born 1-29-1891.  
Married Samuel Pickens Anderson of Charleston,  
South Carolina.
    - (1) Samuel Pickens, Jr.
    - (2) Maxwell, M.D.
    - (3) Henry Miller, m. 3-29-1947, Martha Mills.
    - (4) Jane, m. 9-4-1948, John Wilbur.
  - c. Juliet James, b. Oct., 1892, died unmarried.
  - d. Maxwell, unmarried.
  - e. Robert Edward, born 11-1894.
  - f. James Fleming, born July, 1896.
- 6. Robert Edward, born 1871, died 4-15-1951.  
Married his cousin, Martha Wood, no issue.
- B. Warner, m. Minnie Mason, lived in Iowa.
  - 1. Mary Brent
  - 2. Catherine
- C. Emily, m. George Atkinson.
  - 1. Richard, lived in the West.
  - 2. Lydia Moore, m. Matthew Garrett.
    - a. Cora
    - b. Emily
    - c. Mabel
    - d. George
  - 3. Fannie Brent, unmarried, lived in Berryville, Va.
  - 4. Emma, unmarried.
  - 5. George Warner, m. Daisy Warden.
- D. Mary, m. Dr. James Rush Logie, of West Virginia.
  - 1. Henry, unmarried.
  - 2. Lydia, died unmarried.
  - 3. Benjamin Rush, M.D., m. Anne London Zimmerman,  
of Baltimore, Md., born 1865, died 2-13-1939.

Children of Henry and Lydia Miller, continued:

- a. Taylor (daughter), unmarried.
- 4. William, unmarried.
- 5. Jessie, unmarried.
- 6. Robert, unmarried.
- E. John W., killed, age 10, by a fall from a chestnut tree.
- F. Jesse, m. Mollie Blake.
- G. Aylett, born 11-2-1826, died 11-2-1893. Lived near Baltimore, Maryland
- H. Fanny, m. Boteler Moore.
  - 1. Charles, unmarried.
  - 2. Lillian, unmarried.
  - 3. Harry, m. Mabel Kretzer.
    - a. Lillian R., born 1914.
    - b. Gladys, born 1919.
  - 4. Mary, m. Preston Millard.
    - a. Frances L., born 1909, unmarried.
  - 5. Fanny, m. Samuel Bratt.
    - a. Hazel
    - b. Samuel W.
    - c. Daniel B.
    - d. Harry M., married with one child.
  - 6. Florence, m. William Hubbard.
    - a. William M., born 1914.
  - 7. Lula (Polly), m. John A. Link, Jr., lives at Darke, Jefferson County, West Virginia.
    - a. Boteler M., born 1910, m. Eva Nichols.
      - (1) David Link
      - b. Cecil M., born 1912.
      - c. Madeline O., born 1916.
      - d. Florence M., born 1920.
- I. Robert, m. Sydney Carroll Harrison (of the Maryland Carrolls and the James Riber Harrisons).
  - 1. Robert Carter, unmarried, killed in World War I.
  - 2. Edward Harrison, married unknown.
    - Served in the Consular Service at Nanking, China.
    - Had two children, sex and names unknown.

V. SAMUEL MILLER

Born, ca. 1790, "Sunnyside".

Father - Henry Miller II

Mother - Achsah Warner

Married, 1-12-1815, DELILAH BYWATERS.

Father - Robert Bywaters

Mother - Celia Washburne

Will of Robert Bywaters, dated 8-12-1828 (excerpt):

I give and bequeath unto my granddaughter, Elizabeth Miller, child of my daughter, Delilah Miller, the sum of 100 dollars, to be retained in the hands of my executors until my granddaughter arrives at the age of twenty-one or marries, paying her the interest annually.

To my daughter, Delilah, I loan Sarah and her two children and their future increase during her life, and after her death I give and bequeath the said negroes to my granddaughter, Elizabeth Miller, forever.

March 6, 1819 -- Deeds #KK, page 258, Culpeper Co., Va.:

Henry Miller II and his wife, Peggy, conveyed to Samuel Miller, 185 acres of land lying on the north side of Rush River, for the sum of \$1000, which property Henry Miller had purchased of George Yates.

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL AND DELILAH MILLER:

- A. Elizabeth, died 12-1893, buried Christmas Day.  
Married Richard Harris.
  - 1. Richard Samuel, died an infant.
  - 2. Sarah Ann, married Arthur Eastham.
    - a. Luther, died unmarried at age 70.
    - b. Ella, married Virgil Pace.
      - (1) Sarah, married Dade Wilburn.
        - (a) Sarah Ella
      - (2) Arthur, wife's name unknown.
        - (a) Arthur Virgil
        - (b) Daughter, name unknown.
  - c. Lee T., married Minnie Taverner.
    - (1) Annie Mary, married Mr. Anderson.
    - (2) Lee T., Jr.
    - (3) Arthur
    - (4) Ella, married Franklin Jones.
    - (5) Clarence

Children of Samuel and Delilah Miller, continued:

- (6) Luther B., married Carrie Lee Smith, Sept. 1902, daughter of Hugh M. Smith.
- d. Harris Grant, married Florrie Bradfield.
  - (1) Eleanor, m. Albert Ball of Houston, Texas.
  - (2) Harris Grant, Jr., b. 1912, killed in an airplane accident, Feb., 1934, unmarried.
  - (3) Winifred
  - (4) James
- e. Eugenia, born 9-28-1864, died 12-25-1942. Married, 11-10-1885, her cousin, Hugh Miller Dudley, who was born 5-4-1855, died 9-3-1907.
  - (1) Delha Miller, b. 7-26-1888, d. 2-4-1940. Married, 8-16-1915, John Kendrick Hutton.
    - (a) Margaret Eastham, born 1-31-1918. Married, 12-14-1940, Guy Blueell Hume.
    - (b) Eugenia Lockhart, b. 9-25-1922. Married, ----- Lentz.
  - (2) Luther Harris, born 7-17-1895. Married, 5-20-1922, Katherine Carroll Waller.
    - (a) Eastham Waller, b. 2-12-1923. Married, 9-24-1946, Letty Waugh.
- f. Elizabeth, b. 7-14-1867, d. 2-6-1955. Married, 1895, Dr. Edward Whitfield Brown, who was born 1857, died 7-2-1950, no issue.
- g. Delha, died 5-3-1952, m. Hugh Goodwin.
  - (1) Sarah Elizabeth
  - (2) Russell (daughter), m. ----- Shepherd.
    - (a) Delha
  - (3) Nicie, m. Roy Wyatt.
    - (a) Roy, Jr.
  - (4) Hugh Eastham, married and has a family.
- h. Jackson C., m. Lulu Hartman.
  - (1) Sarah Frances, m. ----- Williams.
    - (a) Jack Stone
- 3. Phoebe Elizabeth, m. Thomas Smith.
  - a. Elizabeth, m. ----- Morris, six children.
  - b. Pauline, m. ----- McKee, live in Kansas.
  - c. Ada Smith, a twin, m. James Merrill, live in Florida, four children.
  - d. Ida Smith, a twin, m. James Porter, live in Georgia, two children.
- 4. Asenath, d. age 14.
- 5. James Taylor, b. 11-11-1846, d. 12-23-1936. Married Mollie Popham Brown, d. 12-22-1929.
  - a. Mary Elizabeth, b. 1892, d. 5-21-1961. Married, 1-15-1915, Randolph Rutherford DeBergh (b. 2-28-1866, d. 1-24-1946).

Children of Samuel and Delilah Miller, continued:

- (1) James Van Lowen, born 5-26-1916.  
Married, Oct. 1947, Mary Rebekah Major.
  - (2) John Randolph  
Married, 12-15-1948, Joyce Clare Raley.
  - b. Jessie Taylor, b. 3-13-1894.  
Married Benjamin Roberts Cox.
    - (1) Dorothy Popham, b. 2-25-1922.  
Married, 2-25-1939, George Hiter Davis, Jr., born ca. 1913, died August, 1982.
      - (a) Mary Norman, b. 11-5-1939.  
M., 6-20-1964, Rev. Park Price Dickerson.
      - (b) George Hiter, III, b. 4-22-1941.  
\*\* M. 7-20-1968, Jerrene Hope Truett.
  - c. John Richard, born ca. 1900.  
Married I: Margaret Wayland, divorced 1937.
    - (1) John Richard, Jr., born 1925.
    - (2) James Wayland, born 1927.Married II: Naomi Mueller McDade, 12-8-1945.  
No issue.
  - d. James Edward, born 1902, died 1-20-1950,  
unmarried.
- 6. Bettie, died at age of 7.
  - 7. Virginia Adelaide, m. William Smith, brother of Thomas, who married her sister, Phoebe.
    - a. Richard William, b. 1874, d. 4-15-1935.
    - b. Lucy Virginia, died unmarried.
    - c. Ella Elizabeth, d. 3-9-1945, m. Charles W. Parish.
      - (1) Charles W., Jr.
    - d. George Arthur, unmarried.
    - e. Robert Lee, m. Nellie Strother.
      - (1) Lucy Virginia
      - (2) Robert Lee, Jr.
    - f. Blanche, m. Harry Strother.
      - (1) Lucy Virginia
      - (2) George Lee
      - (3) Richard
      - (4) Ella
      - (5) Harry, Jr.
  - 8. Josephine, died at age 21, unmarried.
  - 9. Richard Miller, died unmarried, age 70.
  - 10. Arthur, born 1842, died 3-18-1935, unmarried.

\*\* (c) Dorothy Taylor  
(d) Drucilla

VI. JESSE WILLIAM MILLER

Born, 5-1-1793, died 6-30-1865.

Father - Henry Miller II

Mother - Achsah Warner

Married I: FRANCES CORBIN, 12-12-1816.

Born, 11-11-1791, died 3-24-1854.

Father - William Corbin

Mother - Wally Hill

Married II: MARY (POLLY) MILLER JONES, widow of George W.

Jones, daughter of Benjamin Franklin and

Sarah Miller. No issue from this marriage.

They lived at "Poplar Shade". The land on which it stands was deeded on April 26, 1822, by Henry Miller II and his second wife, Margaret, to Henry's son, Jesse William. Jesse and his wife, Frances, lived and died there and are buried in the family graveyard. All their children were born there.

CHILDREN OF JESSE AND FRANCES MILLER:

- A. Mary Eliza (Mollie), married her cousin, Aylett Miller, son of John II and Jane Jackson Miller. They went to Missouri.
- B. Sarah, born 11-28-1819, died 11-10-1880.  
Married James Henry Taylor.
  - 1. Crewdson Miller, born 4-4-1855, died 6-27-1900.  
Married, 10-19-1882, Anna Jones Wood, b. 9-2-1857.
    - a. James Miller, b. 10-31-1883, m. Effie Lammerson.
      - (1) Mary Louise
      - (2) Flora Wood
      - (3) James Miller, Jr.
      - (4) Clara Catherine
      - (5) Annie Lee
      - (6) Jessie Mildred
      - (7) Aubrey Wood
      - (8) Thelma May
      - (9) John Ashford
      - (10) Crewdson Edgar
      - (11) Henry Franklin
    - b. Sarah Ann, b. 5-3-1886, m. Francis Benjamin Yates.
      - (1) Caroline Custer
      - (2) George William
      - (3) Francis Benjamin, Jr.
      - (4) Annie Wood
      - (5) Andrew Jackson

Children of Jesse and Frances Miller, continued:

- (6) John Smith
- (7) Richard Daniel
- c. Charles Crewdson, b. 9-18-1888, m. Mary Goodwin.
  - (1) Charles Crewdson, Jr.
  - (2) William Coleman
- d. Henry Ashford, b. 4-18-1892, m. Mertice Yates.
  - (1) Mertice Browning
  - (2) Henry Ashford, Jr.
  - (3) Frank Yates
  - (4) Annie Wood
  - (5) Charles
  - (6) Lilly Mildred
  - (7) Lulu Helen
  - (8) Kitty Ann
  - (9) Mary Elizabeth
- e. Mary Wood, unmarried.
- f. John Edgar, unmarried.
- g. Jessie Dimple, unmarried.
- C. William Henry, b. 1-22-1822, d. 4-2-1868. Married, 8-13-1846, Anna Elizabeth Taylor, who was born 9-17-1821, died 1-5-1889. She was the sister of James Henry Taylor who married William Henry's sister Sarah. William H. belonged to Company G, 49th Virginia Infantry, C.S.A. He was taken prisoner, and his health was so undermined that he died at the early age of 46. He spent part of his married life at his ancestral home, "Poplar Shade". After his death, his widow lived there until she died in 1889, when it was inherited by their bachelor son, Robert Lee Miller.
  - 1. John Taylor, 1847-1857.
  - 2. Louemma Frances, b. 12-30-1849, d. 9-19-1951, aged 101 years, 9 months, 19 days! Married, 2-29-1876, Peyton Anderson, "who shed the first blood for the Confederate cause".
    - a. Aubrey Miller, b. 12-7-1876, m. Esther Lovelace, live in Maxwell, California.
      - (1) Helen, m. Arthur Shipley.
      - (2) Mary Lee, m. Donald Foster.
      - (3) James W.
    - b. Fannie Taylor, b. 7-23-1878, d. 1-11-1974. Unmarried.
    - c. Joseph Mason, b. 3-2-1880, d. after 1947. Married Martha Fowlkes, d. 1-27-1959.
      - (1) Martha Selden, b. 1920, m. 9-19-1940, Benjamin Franklin Crowson.  
Married II: Ira Woodworth.
      - (2) Peyton Fowlkes

Children of Jesse and Frances Miller, continued:

- (3) Lucy Mason, died before 1959.
- d. Sally Sue, b. 5-21-1882, d. 12-17-1917, unmarried.
- e. Mary, b. 11-2-1881. Married Armistead Clifford Latham, b. 1882, d. 7-6-1959.
  - (1) Armistead Clifford, Jr., b. 4-7-1918, killed in automobile accident, 8-1-1956. Married, 10-12-1940, Sarah Elizabeth Cockerille.
    - (a) Elizabeth Anderson
  - (2) Francis Wendell, b. 12-14-1921, d. 6-1-1944, World War II. Married Peggy Rosenberger.
  - (3) James Richard, b. 3-22-1924, m. 8-2-1943, Mary Elizabeth Gilbert.
  - (4) Mary Miller, b. 7-10-1931. Married William Luther Payne.
  - (5) Anne Mason, m. 6-17-1954, Rev. Harold Franklin Carder.
- 3. Judith Terrier, b. 9-1-1852, d. 3-22-1943. Married, 6-12-1879, French Pendleton Carter, who served in Confederate Army, Company G, 12th Regiment, Virginia Cavalry, born 4-18-1845, died 12-17-1920.
  - a. Frances Elizabeth, b. 10-17-1880, d. 3-23-1962. Married, 6-16-1908, Vincent Smith, who died 9-23-1960.
    - (1) Vincent Carter, b. 1-2-1912. Married, 2-3-1939, Kate Comfort Collins, divorced.
    - (2) Corbin Jewett, b. 2-14-1917.
  - b. French Taylor, b. 11-10-1882, d. 11-15-1893.
  - c. Hill Miller, b. 4-21-1885, d. 5-6-1959. M. 7-21-1917, Robert Desha Lucas.
    - (1) Judith Carter, b. 1918.
    - (2) Robert Desha, Jr., b. 1920, d. 7-7-1977. Married Nancy Dey of Staunton, Va.
    - (3) Joseph Desha, b. 1921, m. 6-17-1950, Johanna Westley.
  - d. John Ferguson, b. 8-25-1887, d. 9-28-1947, unmarried.
  - e. Louemma Lee, b. 1-7-1890, d. 3-31-1969. M. 6-30-1919, William Francis Moffett, born 9-28-1879, died 9-16-1941.
    - (1) William Francis, Jr., b. 9-20-1920. M. 5-18-1946, Jean Page Buxton, b. 1922.
    - (2) Ann Carter, b. 12-15-1921, d. Aug., 1929.

Children of Jesse and Frances Miller, continued:

- f. Curry Clopton, b. 4-17-1892.  
M. June, 1923, Constance Dana Grimes.
- g. French Pendleton, Jr., b. 11-30-1895, died 10-8-1918, in camp during W.W.I of flu.
- 4. James Taylor, b. 1854, d. 1931, unmarried.
- 5. Jessie Hill, b. 1856, d. 1883, unmarried.
- 6. Jesse William, b. 1860, d. 1883, unmarried.
- 7. Robert Lee, b. 11-13-1863, d. 9-26-1963, unmarried. Lived at "Poplar Shade", the old Jesse Miller place near Gaines Crossroads, Va.
- 8. Hunt Jackson, b. 1-18-1867, d. 1918.  
Married, 6-16-1897, Bertha Currie, born 1864, died 1-22-1941.
  - a. William Edward, Lieutenant, U.S.N., b. 1-6-1898.  
M. 1923, Miriam Pearce Myers.
    - (1) Miriam Currie, b. 7-7-1924.  
M. 5-8-1948, John Edward Balson.
- D. Lucy, b. 2-16-1824, d. 11-22-1884, married her cousin, Jackson Miller, born 11-18-1818, died 3-6-1891, brother of Aylett Miller who married her sister, Mary Eliza. They went West to Missouri.
- E. Achsah Ann Warner, b. 4-10-1826, d. 5-26-1911.  
Married, 8-12-1841, William Thomas Dudley, born 1-9-1816, died 6-12-1887. He changed his middle name from Taliaferro to Thomas. Achsah was given a portion of land, "Midway", by her parents. It adjoined the home place, "Poplar Shade".
  - 1. Jesse William, b. 1843, d. 4-2-1865. Killed in the mine explosion at Petersburg, Va., the day before the surrender -- age 21, unmarried.
  - 2. Philip Mortimer, b. 5-3-1845, d. 8-27-1848.
  - 3. Frances Turner, b. 1-28-1853, d. 1-25-1890.  
Married, 10-30-1879, her cousin, John Wise Wood, born 3-16-1856, died 9-15-1935.
    - a. Charles Dudley, b. 8-14-1881, d. 4-19-1926.  
Married, 6-14-1911, his cousin, Lucy Henry Wood, b. 8-6-1878.
      - (1) Brereton Jones, b. 5-21-1913.  
Married Lucy Dunn.
        - (a) Charles Dudley, II, b. 9-9-1939.  
M. 9-25-1965, Margaret Broadus Pruitt.
      - (2) John Dudley, Lieut. U.S.Army, b. 10-24-1914.  
Died 10-11-1944, Death march on Bataan, World War II, Pacific Theatre.  
Married, 2-1-1939, Mary Evans Robeson.
        - (a) Ann Dudley, b. 1940.
      - (3) Charles Burrell, b. 5-10-1916.  
M. 8-30-1940, Margaret Louise Crabill.

Children of Jesse and Frances Miller, continued:

- (a) Armenta Margaret, b. 12-26-1941.  
Married Gerald Lee Buckner.
- (4) Nellie Roberts, b. 11-9-1917.  
M.I: 11-7-1942, William R. Oliver,  
killed in W.W.II, 4-9-1945.  
M.II: 7-29-1946, Oliver Smith.
- 4. Hugh Miller, b. 5-4-1855, d. 9-3-1907, m. 11-10-1885, his cousin, Eugenia Eastham, b. 9-28-1864, died 12-25-1942.
- 5. Jessie Mary, b. 1-4-1857, d. 7-30-1935,  
m. 2-22-1883, Judge William Walter Moffett,  
b. 1-19-1854, d. 8-25-1926.
  - a. Willie Gates, b. 3-18-1884, d. 9-20-1961.  
M. 8-10-1870, her cousin, Jesse Franklin Jones, b. 7-21-1870, d. 4-24-1944, a grandson of "Poplar John" and Mary Jordan Miller. They lived at Delamore.
- (1) Jessie Miller, b. 5-27-1911.  
M. 11-24-1934, Lewis John Turner, born 11-3-1904, died 1-11-1956.
  - (a) Lewis John, Jr., M.D., b. 6-1-1937.  
M.I: Ellen Charlton Walker, born 4-24-1941. Divorced.
    - (a1) Lewis John, III, b. 4-13-1964.
    - (a2) Mary Lambeth, b. 4-1-1966.
  - M.II: Ellen Beth Lisle (Hazel), born 4-18-1941. Married 12-23-1973.
  - (b) Carolyn Gates, b. 1-26-1941.  
M. 8-13-1966, William Scott Dewhirst, born, 10-12-1929.
    - (a1) Ann Dudley, b. 12-18-1969.
    - (a2) William Scott, Jr., b. 11-11-1971.
- (2) Edward Moffett, b. 6-6-1912, d. 9-1-1979.  
M. 11-6-1937, Byrd Moncure Gravatt.
  - (a) Rebecca Gates, b. 8-31-1938.  
M. 11-27-1969, to Arne Fredrik Olsen.
    - (a1) Rebecca Byrd, b. 1-8-1972.
    - (a2) Arne Edward, b. 11-10-1974.
  - (b) Jacqueline Segar Epes  
M. Aug. 1972, Raymond Lee Kite.
    - (b1) Frances Epes, twin, 7-12-1975.
    - (b2) Sara Ellen, twin, 7-12-1975.
    - (b3) Segar Jacqueline Epes, born 6-8-1977.
  - (c) Edward Moffett, Jr.  
M. 6-8-1974, Suzanne Gay Grossett.
    - (c1) Susan Kristin, 3-7-1976.
    - (c2) William Edward Grossett, 3-14-1980.

Children of Jesse and Frances Miller, continued:

- b. John Daniel, b. 12-14-1886, d. 9-6-1913, unmarried.
- c. Frances Dudley, b. 9-17-1890. Married 6-6-1922, Buford Nelson Eubank, no issue.
- d. Sarah Achsah, b. 8-30-1893, married 9-8-1916, Nicholas Walters, no issue.
  - (1) Mary Lee, adopted daughter. Married, 7-26-1946, Benjamin Worrell.
- e. Mary Lois, b. 7-21-1898, d. 8-27-1966. Married Frank Umpstot.
  - (1) Sara Gates, b. 12-22-1936.
  - (2) John Francis, b. Nov. 1938.
- 6. Francis Buckner (Frank), b. 4-6-1859, d. 1-22-1938. M. 10-27-1886, Mary "Saintie" Carter, b. 9-11-1860, died 4-3-1940.
  - a. Lavinia Warner, b. 7-23-1887. Married 6-5-1907 her cousin, Charles Henry White, II, born 9-25-1880, d. 3-18-1964, a great-great-grandson of Adam and Mary Wilhoit Miller.
    - (1) Charles Henry, III, b. 5-11-1908, d. 11-7-1942. M. 12-31-1935, Katherine Ready.
      - (a) Charles Henry, IV.
    - (2) Mary Acton, b. 1-30-1911. Married 12-20-1933, Thomas Kent Bowers, USN, b. 1911, d. 2-18-1968.
      - (a) Evaline Green, b. Sept. 1934.
    - (3) Frank Dudley, b. 12-10-1912.
    - (4) Elizabeth Carter, b. 8-6-1914, m. 4-19-1941, Dr. Frank Dixon Whitworth.
    - (5) Alfred Lewis, b. 11-26-1916.
    - (6) Eleanor Miller, b. Oct. 1918, m. 10-2-1943 John Somerville Cowan.
    - (7) Robert Downing, b. 5-23-1921
  - b. Frances Carter, b. 10-12-1888, d. 9-13-1946, unmarried.
  - c. Virginia Mayse, b. 12-7-1890, m. 6-11-1919, William Curtis Campbell.
    - (1) William Curtis, Jr., b. 12-7-1923, died 3-28-1944, killed in action, Anzio Beach-head, W.W.II.
    - (2) Mary Carter, b. 12-7-1923, m. 9-27-1947, John Wilfred Paulson.
  - d. Jesse William, II, b. 8-17-1892, m. 7-5-1917, his cousin, Nannie Brooks White, b. 5-10-1885, died 4-26-1957, sister of Charles Henry White, II, who married Jesse's sister, Lavinia.
    - (1) William Travis, b. 11-7-1918.

Children of Jesse and Frances Miller, continued:

- (2) Francis Buckner, II, b. 9-5-1920.  
M. 6-13-1942, Thelma Earle Hoffman.
- (a) Nancy Elizabeth, b. 10-17-1943.
- e. Achsah, b. 3-8-1895, d. 1-21-1974.  
M. 10-28-1922, her cousin, Clarence Jackson Miller, Jr., who was a grandson of Middleton Miller, whose father, John Miller II, was a son of Henry Miller II of Sunnyside. Both Achsah and Jack were great-great-grandchildren of Henry Miller II.
  - (1) Frances Dudley, m. 12-13-1947,  
John Dalziel Wood.
  - (2) Louise Strother, b. 7-27-1929.  
M. 10-5-1947, Steven Bradford Vaughan.
- f. Hugh Hamrick, b. 1-3-1898, d. 3-18-1899.

VII. WARNER MILLER

Born, 6-10-1799, died 1-27-1858.

Father - Henry Miller II  
Mother, Achsah Warner

Married, 9-28-1820, LUCY MILLER.

Born 10-2-1800.  
Died 3-10-1879.  
Father - Adam Miller  
Mother - Mary E. Wilhoit

CHILDREN OF WARNER AND LUCY MILLER:

- A. Mary Elizabeth (Mollie), b. 7-31-1835, married her cousin, Charles Burrell Wood, b. 10-18-1829, died 11-5-1901. He was the first commercial apple producer in Rappahannock County. In 1873 he planted at Sunny-side the first commercial orchard in the county. Some of these trees, after 100 years, were still producing 25 bushels a tree. He also pioneered in fruits, such as grapes, damsons, apricots and cherries. He ran a small nursery of apple trees from which many of the first orchards in the county were planted. He had the first orchard sprayer in the county. Later, in the first half of the 20th century, apple growing was a big business in Rappahannock. Buyers used to come over from England, and whole crops would be shipped over there.
1. John Wise, b. 3-16-1856, d. 9-15-1935.  
M.I: Frances Turner Dudley, granddaughter of Jesse and Frances Corbin Miller, b. 1-28-1853, d. 1-25-1890, married on 10-30-1879.  
M.II: Elizabeth D. Browning  
M.III: Carolyn McKim Chapman  
Issue from first marriage only.
    - a. Charles Dudley, b. 8-14-1881, d. 4-19-1926.  
M. 6-14-1911, Lucy Henry Wood, for issue see chapter on Jesse and Frances Miller.
  2. Anna Jones, b. 9-2-1857, m. Crewdson Miller Taylor, another grandchild of Jesse and Frances Miller. For issue, see Jesse Miller.
  3. Charles Ashford, b. 6-28-1860, d. 6-15-1884.  
Unmarried, died in Texas.
  4. James Warner, b. 7-21-1861, d. 5-28-1873,  
unmarried.
  5. Stonewall Jackson, b. 5-10-1863, d. 11-20-1936,  
unmarried.
  6. Flora Lee, b. 1-10-1865, died unmarried.

Children of Warner and Lucy Miller, continued:

7. Lucy (Loula) Emeline, b. 2-20-1867, d. 5-15-1946.  
Married 12-10-1890 to Hubert Forrest Keyser,  
b. 4-22-1866, d. 4-21-1941.
  - a. Mary Edna, b. 11-25-1891, d. Oct., 1916.  
M. Nov. 1915, Scott Witherow, no issue.
  - b. Flora Gertrude, b. 4-30-1893, d. May, 1895.
  - c. Charles Wood, b. 9-1-1894, d. 11-9-1955.  
M. Dec. 1919, Mary Holden, 1895 to 5-12-1965.
    - (1) Polly, b. 5-7-1924, d. 10-21-1931.
    - (2) Infant child, died.
  - d. James Warner, b. 8-24-1896, d. 4-18-1938,  
unmarried.
  - e. Beulah, b. 10-4-1898, d. 7-23-1981.  
Married David Stember.
  - f. Lucy, b. 4-17-1900, d. 1-17-1928.  
M. 11-24-1924, Fred Mitchell, no issue.
  - g. Flora (Cooney), b. 10-4-1901.  
M. March 1927, Mortimer Sothoron.  
M.II: Clark Jones. No issue.
    - (1) Lucy Catherine, b. 12-26-1928.
  - h. Hubert Aubrey, b. 11-26-1903, m. 6-29-1927,  
Annie Eastham Slaughter, b. 9-29-1903, no issue.
  - i. Irene Wilson, b. 4-25-1906, d. 1977, unmarried.
  - j. Anna Bryant, b. 4-5-1908, d. 12-2-1979.  
M. 5-30-1936, Robert Kent Woolfolk, Louisa, Va.  
He died 1-26-1945.
    - (1) Alice Garland, b. 12-13-1937, m. 4-26-1958,  
Earl Gray Dooley, of Lynchburg, Va.
      - (a) Ann Gray, b. 1-17-1959.
      - (b) Robert Kent, b. 12-23-1959.
      - (c) Stephen Lee, b. 1970.
    - (2) Lucy Ann, b. 12-13-1937, twin to Alice.  
M. 8-21-1963, James Browning Marshall.
      - (a) James, b. Sept. 1965.
      - (b) William Kent, b. 1969.
      - (c) David, b. 9-24-1980, a twin.
      - (d) Son, b. 9-24-1980, a twin.
8. Herbert Ashby, b. 10-20-1868. M. Sarah Elizabeth Dulin, moved to California.
  - a. Vertie Elizabeth, died unmarried.
  - b. Eleanor Virginia, died unmarried.
  - c. Charles Burhl, m. Miriam Patterson, lived in  
San Bernardino, California.
    - (1) William
  - d. Herbert Ashby, Jr., m. Ruth Minner.
    - (1) Catherine
    - (2) Janet

Children of Warner and Lucy Miller, continued:

- e. Georgia Luella, m. Laurance Buzzar.
  - (1) Elizabeth Ray
  - (2) Donald
- f. James Aubrey, died unmarried.
- 9. Mary Catherine, b. 11-14-1870, died unmarried.
- 10. Kate Miller, b. 1872, d. 1957, unmarried.
- 11. Aubrey Miller, b. 12-27-1873, d. 4-14-1960, unmarried.
- 12. Jessie Moore, b. 2-14-1876, d. 5-30-1969.
  - M. Virginus Lee Saunders, b. 1864, d. 3-9-1945. Lived at "Meadow Brook" in Culpeper.
  - a. Virginus Lee, Jr., m. 1934, Marguerite Means Rector.
  - b. Richard Ashby, m. 12-8-1944, Mildred Jane Rennolds.
  - c. Mary Miller, m. 12-7-1940, William Tayloe Griffith.
  - d. Gertrude, m. 8-14-1937, Glen Don Smith.
  - e. Charles Wood, m. 6-15-1940, Helen Christine Morton.
  - f. Jessie Catherine
  - g. Carter Almond
- 13. Frank Downing Wood, b. 2-11-1879, d. 6-25-1930. M. 6-14-1905, Ida Neville Keyser. For issue, see Noah Hampson Keyser family.

IX. AYLETT MILLER

Born 7-4-1804, "Sunnyside". Died 2-24-1859, Salem, Ohio.  
Father - Henry Miller, II  
Mother - Achsah Warner

Married, 1827, MARY JANE SPILMAN.  
Born, 10-26-1806, in Culpeper Co., Va.  
Died, 10-30-1892, in Hillsboro, Ohio.

Aylett Miller left the present Rappahannock Co., Va., while it was still a part of Culpeper Co., when he was still a young man, so there are not very many records of him in Virginia.

Daniel Mason, agent for Thomas Porter, conveyed to Aylett Miller a house and lot in the town of Washington, Virginia, for the sum of \$70. The lots were Nos. 23 and 24. September 16, 1824. (Deeds RR, p. 240)

On March 15, 1825, Aylett Miller of Culpeper Co. conveyed to Harvey Evans, for the sum of \$40, lot #24, adjoining lot #23, extending 26 feet front and running 28 feet back. Acknowledged by said Aylett Miller before William A. Lane and John Menefee, Jr. (Deeds SS, p. 121)

On page 312 of the same volume we find that Martha Calvert relinquished to Aylett Miller her claim in the estate of Ralls Calvert in order to secure a note to Green and Browning. February 2, 1826.

The last transaction of record is dated July 10, 1830, when he, with his wife, Mary, conveyed to Joseph Nicklin lot #23 in the town of Washington for the sum of \$40. This adjoined the lots of Mrs. Anne Coxie and Charles Miller. (Deed #XX, page 260)

On page 102 of Will Book N it is recorded that two items of \$100 and \$50 were paid to Aylett Miller, administrator of the estate of Margaret Miller, deceased, who was the widow of Henry Miller II, also deceased, and who must have been like a mother to Aylett, whose own mother died when he was very young.

CHILDREN OF AYLETT AND MARY JANE MILLER:

- A. Elenor, b. 6-26-1829, d. 7-31-1903, m. 6-16-1847 to Seth Langdon, b. 8-8-1816, d. 3-21-1871.  
1. Mary Estelle, b. 6-30-1849, d. 11-30-1919.  
M.I: Washington James.  
a. Nelle, m. Irwin Dunlap, b. 1869.  
(1) Lowell  
(2) Madaline  
M.II: Hugh Milligan, no issue.

Children of Aylett and Mary Jane Miller, continued:

2. Louella Warner, b. 9-2-1856, m. 3-30-1882,  
Samuel Major, b. 2-23-1847, d. 9-8-1892.
  - a. Paul, b. 5-22-1883, m. 1926, Alea Woodmansee,  
1891-1929.
3. Idella, b. 10-15-1861, d. 10-30-1920, unmarried.
- B. Robert Henry, b. 8-24-1831, d. 4-2-1897, m. 6-4-1857  
to Cynthia Shoemaker, b. 8-22-1834, d. 2-22-1894.
  1. Mary Eliza, b. 6-4-1858, d. 9-14-1859.
  2. Bertha, b. 10-28-1860, d. 6-3-1880.
  3. Estelle, b. 4-3-1862, d. 7-19-1862.
  4. Lucia Alice, b. 6-1-1864, d. 12-10-1872.
  5. Olive Lowell, b. 9-1-1868, d. 1-8-1910.  
M. 6-4-1892, Gorman Jones, b. 10-27-1867.
    - a. Dorothy, b. 11-30-1893, m. 6-24-1923,  
Thomas Jefferson Roberts, b. 6-18-1890.
      - (1) Gorman, b. 5-17-1924.
    - b. Virginia, b. 2-22-1898, m. 6-27-1928, Joseph  
Thompson Vallandingham, b. 12-27-1888.
      - (1) Virginia, b. 9-19-1930.
    - c. Lowell, b. 1-14-1901, m. 10-17-1925, Eugene  
E. Siler, b. 6-18-1900.
      - (1) Dorothy, b. 8-18-1927.
      - (2) Annette, b. 7-20-1929.
      - (3) Carolyn, b. 2-1-1934.
    - d. Nettie Lewis, b. 12-28-1909.
  6. Maggie, b. 2-26-1871, d. 3-26-1871.
  7. Emily Belle, b. 7-6-1877, m. 9-21-1905, Edgar  
Mahan, b. 9-26-1879.
    - a. Cynthia, b. 10-21-1909, m. 9-21-1931, Reid  
Ford, b. 1910.
  - C. James Aylett, b. 6-4-1834, d. 4-19-1868, m. 2-16-1858,  
Mary Lowell Holt.
    1. Aylett, married and divorced young.
      - a. One daughter, only child.
  - D. Edward Hamilton, b. 4-22-1838, d. 12-20-1921.  
M. 5-6-1863, Emily Gore, b. 11-16-1840, d. 3-31-1917,  
daughter of Joshua and Rebecca Hughes Gore.
    1. Edward Gore, b. 2-7-1866, d. 4-17-1910.  
M. 8-12-1896, Nelle Dean Young, b. 6-30-1873.
      - a. Marjorie Dean, b. 5-28-1879, m. 9-6-1918,  
Donald Schoffield McClain, b. 10-20-1895.
        - (1) Donald Schoffield, Jr., b. 12-6-1926.
        - (2) Helen Marjorie, b. 1-21-1929.
    2. Dwight Otis, b. 3-3-1871, d. 11-24-1929.  
M. 9-6-1894, Madge Olena Wilson, b. 7-17-1873.
      - a. Edward Wilson, b. 10-21-1895, m. 8-12-1921,  
Mary Elizabeth Head, b. 1896.

Children of Aylett and Mary Jane Miller, continued:

- (1) John Edward, b. 5-27-1922.
- (2) Thomas Gord, b. 11-3-1924.
- (3) Wilson, b. 4-19-1927.
- b. Dwight Hamilton, b. 10-23-1905, m. Oct. 1934, Jannette Wood.
- c. Leighton Dean, b. 10-26-1908, m. Oct. 1934, Margaret Maynard.
- E. Ludlow Decatur, b. 3-22-1842, d. 2-22-1923, m. 8-27-1865, Mary Hitchcock, b. 3-22-1843, d. 1-7-1924.
- 1. Daisy, b. 3-30-1867, m. 6-17-1913, W. C. Williams, no issue.
- 2. Merrick, b. 1-30-1873, unmarried.
- 3. Alice, b. 3-6-1875, m. 6-14-1900, Eugene M. Webb, 10-1-1874 - 11-6-1912.
  - a. Eugene Merrick, b. 1-4-1902, m. Mary Tillson, born 10-12-1905.
    - (1) Eugene M., Jr., b. 9-15-1932.
    - (2) Jane Ladd, b. 1-8-1934.
- F. Maxwell Brent, b. 6-14-1844, d. Jan., 1899, unmarried.
- G. Mary Alice, b. 9-2-1847, d. 5-1-1927, m. 10-22-1868, Hugh Stuart Fullerton, II, b. 3-27-1840, d. 4-10-1893.
  - 1. Aylett Fullerton, b. 7-19-1868, d. 3-20-1907.
  - 2. Paul, b. 8-12-1871.
  - 3. Hugh Stuart, III, b. 9-10-1873, m. 8-8-1900, Edith Zallars, b. 1875.
    - a. Dorothy Zallars, b. 7-28-1901, m. 10-11-1924, Floyd Spencer Burns.
      - (1) Caroline Elizabeth, b. 1-30-1926.
      - (2) Floyd Spencer, Jr., b. 1-28-1928.
      - (3) Dorothy Fullerton, b. 8-1-1931, d. 8-6-1931.
      - (4) Hugh Fullerton, b. Nov., 1933.
    - b. Hugh Stuart, IV, b. 11-8-1904, d. 9-15-1965, M. 6-19-1930, Mary McKee.
      - (1) Jane Edith, b. 6-1-1934.
  - 4. Ralph Newman, b. 12-20-1875, m. 3-20-1915, Mary Hunter.
    - a. Mary Barbara, b. 4-8-1916.
    - b. Alice Miller, b. 9-4-1917.
    - c. Ralph Hunter, b. 12-8-1921, a twin.
    - d. Edward Erskine, b. 12-8-1921, a twin, died 12-25-1925.
  - 5. Mary Alice, b. 3-31-1878, m. 12-14-1915, Gormon Jones. She was his second wife, being first cousin of Olive Lowell Miller, his first wife, no issue.
  - 6. Edward Boice, b. 9-8-1882, m. 10-21-1934, Frances Davis, b. Dec. 1889.

Up to this point, the information about the Miller family has been compiled completely by "Flossie" (Mrs. Henry Taylor) Miller.

From here on she and I have collaborated -- her information and mine have been combined to make a more complete picture of the family.

Louise Keyser Cockey

THE DESCENDANTS OF JOHN MILLER  
OF "MOUNTAIN GREEN"

JOHN MILLER I

February 5, 1762 -- August 3, 1841

Culpeper C. Deed Book #M, page 214. Deed of gift recorded August 16, 1784. Henry Miller to son, John Miller -- 366 acres of land, part of grant to James Kennerly and sold by said Kennerly to Ezekial Haynes and William Edgman.

"Beginning at 2 white hickorys and a gum sapling on the north east bank of Rush River, thence N. 37°30', East 100 poles to three Spanish oaks, thence N 41°, West 391 poles to the patent line near the chestnut oak marked at a corner, thence with a patent line N 72°30', W 82 poles to three hickorys corner to patent, thence S 3° E 240 poles to a small chestnut on the north side of Rush River marked j.k., thence down the meander of the river to the beginning, containing by estimation 366 acres be the same more or less and is part of the tract granted to James Kennerly and sold by said Kennerly to Ezekial Haynes and William Edgman. Together with all houses, out-houses, buildings, gardens, orchards, meadows, ways, waters, water courses, woods, underwoods, easements, profits, commodities, hereditaments and appurtenances of the reversion of revenues, remainder of remainders, rights, estate, interest, claim and demand whatsoever of me, the said Henry Miller, of in and to the premises and the appurtenances and of in and to every part and parcel thereof. To have and to hold ----- singular the premises with the appurtenances unto my said son John, his heirs and assigns forever, and I, the said Henry Miller, doth for myself and my heirs the premises above mentioned with the appurtenances unto my said son John, his heirs and assigns against me, my heirs or assigns or any other person whatsoever shall and do by the present warrant and forever defend. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of August, 1784. Signed and sealed and delivered in the presence of us."

Henry Miller (L.S.)

Thus did John Miller I become possessed of the property in Rappahannock County (then Culpeper County) near the town of Washington, Virginia, known as "Mountain Green".

He acquired a number of tracts of land other than that given him by his father. One of these was purchased from John Terrell and Mary, his wife, for the sum of

75 pounds current money of Virginia, 94 acres lying on Robinson River and up its several courses to a maple in John Utz's line. This was dated October 19, 1789. (Deeds #P, page 218)

On the 9th day of February, 1798, he purchased of James Wheeler of Culpeper Co., for and in consideration of the sum of 256 pounds lawful money of the Commonwealth of Virginia, 95-1/4 acres of land which was part of a tract that was granted to George Strother; adjoining the said Wheeler's lands, those of Thomas Adams, George Calvert and John Wheeler. Teste, Edward Pendleton, George Calvert, William Porter, Ralls Calvert, Henry Green and Michael Yates. (Deeds #T, page 266)

On page 522 of the same volume, on Aept. 22, 1799, John Miller agrees to pay Thomas Conn, Jr., five dollars an acre for every acre contained in the said boundaries in manner following (viz) 80 pounds in hand delivered before signing these articles: 188 pounds 5 shillings on or before the 1st of April, 1801, and the said lands are to remain security for the payment of the said purchase money. In presence of Joseph Gaines, William Gaines, Thornton Taylor, Washington Cocke, Thomas Clayton.

March 26, 1800, John Miller purchased of Andrew Belt and Joanna, his wife, of Loudon County, for the sum of 600 pounds lawful money, 356 acres of land "whereon my son, Andrew Belt, now lives." Beginning at a mulberry tree on the north side of the Rush River, being a corner of Fuller's land bought of Captain James Kennerly. Teste, Edward Pendleton, Ralls Calvert, George Wheeler, John Jett, G. Smithers. (Deeds #V, page 496)

In due time John Miller began to dispose of some of his lands. On June 9, 1804, he, with Nancy, his wife, of Culpeper Co., conveyed to Gideon Brown for the sum of \$420, a tract of land containing 50 acres adjoining Fielding Hicklin. Teste, Jeremiah Strother, Thomas Spilman, Weedon Smith. (Deeds #GG, page 75)

The next conveyance from him is of record in Deeds #LL, page 443, dated November 18, 1819, when John Miller and Nancy, his wife, sold to John Yowell 200 acres of land which he purchased of James Miller and William Pendleton. Consideration, \$1500.

December 20, 1828, William Bryan, ancestor of William Jennings Bryan, of Barren Co., Kentucky, conveyed to John Miller of Culpeper Co., 234 acres of land lying on the north bank of the north prong of Thornton's River, adjoining Thomas Bragg, Richard Gray, Francis Brandon, and James Jones. (Deeds #VV, page 80)

The last record of conveyance of land by John Miller was on January 1, 1831, when he and his wife, Nancy, conveyed to Henry Clatterbuck, for the sum of \$400, 400 acres of land lying on the north side of Pignut Mountain on a granch of Rush River. (Deeds #XX, page 521)



"Mountain Green", 1968



"Mountain Green", 1981  
and  
Miller Family Cemetery

"MOUNTAIN GREEN"

From The Culpeper Virginia Star, June 26, 1941.  
article by Katherine Skinner Miller

On August 25, 1781, Henry Miller purchased of Philip Gatewood of Culpeper County, two tracts of land adjoining each other -- one of 732 acres of the land purchased by Edgman and Haines of James Kennerly, the other of 804 acres lying at the foot of "Peaked Mountain", in Rappahannock County (then Culpeper County). This land was part of the original grant made to James Kennerly and Philip Gatewood by Thomas, Lord Fairfax, Proprietor of the Northern Neck.

Of these 1536 acres, Henry Miller made a deed of gift to his son, John Miller, on August 16, 1784, and this is the property known as "Mountain Green". Similar dispositions of property were made to his sons, George and Henry, the former owning what is known as "The Jackson Place", adjoining "Mountain Green", and Henry receiving 580 acres of land on March 21, 1785, as a deed of gift. This latter place is known as "Sunnyside", and is owned today by the immigrant ancestor's great-great-granddaughter, Mrs. Hubert Keyser. (Note: Today, in 1981, the place is still in the family, being owned by the great-great-granddaughter, Mrs. Downing Wood.)

John Miller was born February 5, 1762, according to the Hebron Church birth register, which also gives the date of his confirmation, "the fifth Sunday after Easter, 1777". On December 16, 1789, he married Nancy Hitt, daughter of Peter and Sarah James Hitt of Fauquier County. She was born June 14, 1774, and died September 26, 1859.

It is difficult to find records of services rendered by the early settlers as the order or minute books of Culpeper County previous to 1794 were destroyed. However, in the first minute book extant, John Miller on October 15, 1796, is reported to have been overseer of a road petitioned for by him, from the mouth of Adam's Lane to Washington (Va.), and "that the hands of the said Miller, Thomas Adams, Joseph Wray and Benjamin Heaton open and keep the same in lawful repair."

There are records of a number of his transactions in the Culpeper County deed books, among them one dated December 20, 1828, records the sale to him of 234 acres of land "lying on the north bank of the north prong of Thornton's River," by William Bryan, great-great-grandfather of William Jennings Bryan.

John Miller died August 3, 1841. He and his wife, Nancy Hitt Miller, are buried in the family burying ground

at "Mountain Green". They had fourteen children, the next to the youngest being Benjamin Franklin, who inherited the homeplace at his father's death, with the understanding that he was to care for his mother, Nancy Miller, for the rest of her life, and keep all the Negroes, seeing to it that they were properly divided among her children at her death.

Just before the Civil War, the brick part of "Mountain Green" was built, under B.F. Miller's direction, and the columns, which give the home its lovely colonial appearance, were added. The cellar under the library was built just to please Mrs. B. F. Miller, as a place to bake the many good things that adorn Southern dining tables. The foundation had already been laid, but Benjamin Franklin had it all torn out so that the brick cellar could be dug. However, he often teasingly told his wife afterwards that he never had gotten all the cakes and pies he should have had for so much extra work.

Benjamin Franklin was born in 1817 and married on May 5, 1842, to Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning, daughter of John Dabney Browning and his wife, Cassandra Haynie Browning, of Rappahannock County. She was born in 1824 and died in 1911.

One of the greatest tragedies to occur at "Mountain Green" was the sudden and untimely death of Benjamin Franklin Miller, who was killed on May 9, 1882, in his 65th year, by the falling of a tree. He had left his home in his usual health one May morning, with the view of staying away a few days on the Ridge, where he was directing somehands engaged in getting out tanbark. The following morning several of the hands cut a chestnut oak, which lodged upon a poplar. The poplar was not sound and gave way after a few strokes of the axe. Mr. Miller, sitting upon his horse but a few steps away, saw his danger and started to get out of reach of the tree, but was too late. The tree fell, killing him and his horse at once. Universally beloved and respected as he had always been, his death caused much sorrow and grief on the part of all who had known him.

After his father's death, John James Miller became the owner of "Mountain Green". Born in 1849, he was the only son of a family of nine children. His first wife was Susan Watson Taylor of Louisa County, who died in 1898. Until recently, his second wife, the former Evelyn May Tyler, has continued to live at the home place, where she remained with her family after Mr. Miller's death in 1923.

Hon. John James Miller was one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Rappahannock County.

Besides farming extensively and attending to his large orchards, he served in the lower branch of the legislature, and at the time of his death was a member of the state senate. When he died, the flag at the state capitol was placed at half-mast, out of respect for the passing of "a most distinguished, prominent and influential citizen".

Thus in the course of almost 161 years, "Mountain Green" has passed from father to son through several generations, and excepting for a brief period during the War Between the States, when the family refuged to Albemarle County, it has always been occupied by the Millers.

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To expound a bit further on several points in the above article, I quote parts of a letter written on April 15, 1940, by Aunt Ida Miller Keyser from out in Fayette, Missouri. She was one of the younger daughters of Benjamin Franklin and Sarah Miller and she was writing to Cousin Henry and Cousin Flossie Miller.

She was writing about the cellar that had been built beneath the library just to please "Ma":

"I wish you could have seen all the cakes baked in that room for the weddings of my two oldest sisters. Laura was married one year (1866) and Sister Annie the next (1867), and for two weeks before both weddings Aunt Soph Wood, my mother's sister, and a fine Negro cake baker from Washington did nothing but bake cakes from early in the morning until ten or eleven at night.

"I wish you could both have known my father. He was far superior to any Miller or any other man I ever knew, and he and Ma were the happiest couple I ever saw and ever expect to see."

About the understanding with his father that he was to care for his mother for the rest of her life:

"Pa said he kept Grandma until after he and Ma had several children and he was afraid the children would worry his mother too much. So he paid his sister, Aunt Mary Miller, (she married George Jones, and had no children) \$500 every year, as long as she lived - Grandma lived - to take care of Grandma. Aunt Mary had no children, and had then married an old cousin (Jesse William Miller) whose children had all married and gone, so he was sure she would be well taken care of and better off."

Abstract of the Will of John Miller as concerns the home place, "Mountain Green".  
Will Book A, page 395, dated June 16, 1840; recorded August 9, 1841, Culpeper County.

I, John Miller, senior, considering the uncertainty of life, and the duty of being prepared for death, do make and ordain this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made.

1st - I give and devise to my wife the house in which I live, and so many of my slaves, to be selected by her, as may be necessary to do the cooking for her family, wait upon her, and perform the usual household services; to have and to hold the said house and slaves for her life; if any of the slaves selected by my wife shall die, or become infirm, it is my desire that my wife shall select such others in their place as she may think proper; and I do hereby declare that this and the subsequent provisions herein made for my wife, shall be in lieu of her dower and distributive share of my estate.

2nd - I give and devise to my wife forever, all of my household and kitchen furniture, one third of the provisions laid in for the consumption of my family, and one third of the crops growing on the farm on which I reside, and on the farm near Washington purchased by me from James Wheeler; and the remaining two thirds of the said provisions and crops I give and devise to my son, Franklin Miller, forever.

3rd - I give and devise to my son Franklin Miller, the residue of the tract of land on which I now reside, and the said tract of land near Washington, with all the slaves, horses, cattle, stock of every kind, and agricultural implements used upon the said tracts of land (except such slaves as I have herein before bequeathed to my wife) to have and to hold the said slaves and tracts of land and other property to him for and during the life of my wife, upon condition that he gives to my wife one third of all that is raised upon the said tracts of land, and furnishes her with the necessary firewood; (the meat of which she is also to have one third, to be fattened before the corn is divided) and on his failing to do so, I give and devise to my wife the said tracts of land, slaves, horses, cattle, stock of every kind and agricultural implements used upon said tracts of land, to have and to hold for her life.

4th - Upon the death of my wife, I give and devise to my son, Franklin Miller, the tract of land upon which I now reside, the choice of one of my slaves, all the horses, cattle, stock of every kind and agricultural implements used upon the said tract of land near Washington, and the growing crops upon the said tracts of land, to have and to hold to him and his heirs forever.

JOHN MILLER I

Born, 2-5-1762, Philadelphia; died, 8-2-1841, Virginia.  
Father - Henry Miller I  
Mother - Susanna Sibler

Married, 12-16-1789 to NANCY HITT.  
B. 6-14-1774, Fauquier Co., Va.  
D. 9-26-1859, Washington, Va.  
Father - Peter Hitt II  
Mother - Sarah James

It is possible that John Miller served in the latter days of the Revolution in Captain David Anell's Company, No. 5, and was mustered out as a sergeant in 1783. He and Nimrod Hitt could have served together in this unit.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND NANCY MILLER:

- I. James, b. 10-22-1791, twice married, no known issue.
- II. Peter, b. 3-14-1793, married Helen Singleton, daughter of John Singleton and Miss Boggess, his wife. They went West.
- III. Elizabeth (Betty), b. 2-14-1795, died 1847, married 12-10-1809, Joseph Settle (1785-1837).
- IV. Henry IV, b. 11-17-1796, d. 4-17-1862, married 11-1-1822, Elizabeth Roberts Crigler (1806-1852), daughter of William and Catherine Brown Crigler of near Boston, Culpeper Co., Va.
- V. George, b. 9-29-1798, d. 2-13-1837, in Robertson County, Tennessee, m. 11-7-1825, Eleanor R. Allensworth, b. 8-8-1805, d. 9-2-1880.
- VI. Sarah (Sallie), b. 7-16-1800, d. 1878, married, 1817, George Thornton Wheatley (d. 1858) of Fauquier County.
- VII. John ("Poplar") III, b. 3-2-1802, d. April, 1882, married 12-10-1835, Mary Jordan, daughter of Absalom Jordan, who was the son of Thomas Jordan. Both John and Mary Jordan Miller are buried in the Jordan graveyard.
- VIII. Charles, b. 3-1-1804, d. 12-2-1832, unmarried; buried at Mountain Green.

- IX. Nancy, b. 3-14-1806, married I: Dr. Johnson Taylor, married II: a Mr. Carter.
- X. Mary (Polly), b. 2-13-1808, d. 4-25-1868, married I: George W. Jones, no issue, married II: her cousin, Jesse William Miller (1793-1865), no issue.
- XI. Lucy, b. 12-17-1809, d. 1-14-1877, m. John Hayward Wood.
- XII. Eliza, b. 12-16-1811, d. 2-17-1899, m. James Brereton Jones.
- XIII. Asenath, b. 5-19-1814, d. Aug. 1838, unmarried.
- XIV. Benjamin Franklin, b. 2-11-1817, d. 5-9-1882, married to Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning.



THE HITT FAMILY

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In 1714, the little village of Germanna, named for the Germans and Queen Anne, was founded by Governor Spotswood. It became the first county seat of Spotsylvania County, Virginia, and was located above the falls of the Rappahannock River, on the southern branch of said river, called Rapid Ann, on the edge of what is now known as The Wilderness. At one time it was a thriving, industrious community, but it is now fallen into utter decay, with not a single inhabitant and only a few ruins left to indicate one of the landmarks of American history.

Governor Spotswood wanted miners, and Baron de Graffenreid, who was in Virginia after his escape from the Indian massacre in North Carolina, made arrangements with the Governor to get miners for him from Germany. The colony was gathered together from the neighborhood of Musen, in the province of Nassau-Siegen, in Westphalia, where were some of the most celebrated iron mines in Germany. There were twelve heads of families, consisting of about fifty persons: John Kemper, Jacob Holzclaw, John and Harman Fishback, John Hoffman, Herman Utterback, Tillman Weaver (Weber), John Joseph Martin (Merdtten), Peter Hitt (Heite), Jacob Coons (Countz), ----- Wayman, ----- Handback. They worked in the mines at Germanna and began to build to the great advantage of the colony and the security of the frontiers in those parts against the intrusion of the Indians. They were exempt from taxation for seven years.

These Siegen Germans, who came to Virginia in 1714 and left in 1719, were Calvinists (Reformed Lutherans - Baptists) and are not to be confused with a second group of Germans who accidentally came to Virginia (being driven by a storm), landing there in 1717, though originally intending to go to Philadelphia. This second group of Germans were Lutherans (German Protestants). Governor Spotswood took them, also, into his mines, but by 1725 they, too, had moved on to the present Madison County, Virginia, where they built the first Lutheran Church in the South -- Mt. Hebron of the Robinson River. (See Hebron Lutheran Church in Appendix.)

Peter Hitt's group, being unable to secure land at Germanna (which land the governor had taken up for himself) decided in 1719 to secure a permanent settlement for themselves in Fauquier County, Virginia. Thus twelve heads of families appeared on April 7th and June 2nd, 1724, at a court held for Spotsylvania County in order to prove their right to take up land according to royal charter. They made oath that they had come to Virginia in 1714, and asked that certificates be granted them to take up fifty acres of land for each member of their families. According

to court records, one of these was Peter Hitt and his wife, Elizabeth. The result of this hearing was the granting of 1805 acres of land to them, which later became the Germantown Community. One hundred acres were granted to Peter and his wife.

The new settlement was called Germantown (sometimes spoken of as New Germantown, to distinguish it from Germantown in Pennsylvania) and it was located about nine miles southeast of Warrenton, Va. Midland, a station on the Southern Railroad, is thought to be located on the Germantown tract. They sent a representative to Europe to collect money for a church and a schoolhouse in the new settlement. Thus they became the builders of the first Reformed Church in America.

A Moravian missionary named Gottschalk, in 1748, said of Germantown, "It is like a village in Germany, in which the houses are far apart. It is situated along a little creek called Licking Run. The settlers are from the Siegen district and are all Reformed people (Calvinists or Baptists). They live about ten miles from the little fork of the Rappahannock River. Each family pays thirty pounds of tobacco a year as salary to their church reader." Also in 1748, Bishop Spangenberg said of the settlers, "they live quietly together and are nice people."

In 1759, the county of Fauquier was set off from Prince William County, showing that the lands about Germantown were fast filling up with settlers - English, of course - and Germantown itself was soon swallowed up in this flood of English immigration. This fact appears in many ways, and in none more surprising than in the many marriages contracted by the members of the third generation of all these families with their English neighbors - Amiss, Armitage, Ball, Beverly, Hathaway, James, Morgan, Rogers, and many others.

Dr. Benjamin C. Holtzclaw (a descendant of Peter Hitt II's daughter, Miriam), Dean of the Graduate School of the University of Richmond, in his 1961 history of the German settlers, The Germanna Record, quotes the will of Peter Hitt I, which was dated March 23, 1772, and probated July 27, 1772, and in which he "mentions his sons, John, Joseph, Harmon and Peter, daughter Mary Rector, to whom he leaves 100 acres 'on which I now live'; son Henry 100 pounds cash; after death of his wife, Elizabeth, the estate to be sold and divided among all the children but Henry; test. Harmon Rector, Joseph Taylor, John Morgan." (page 9)

The Prince William County Rent Rolls of 1753-1754 show Hitt landowners as follows: Peter - 500 acres; John - 216; Joseph - 218; Henry - 200; and Peter II - 275. (Holtzclaw, page 8).

For some time the Hitt family could not be found by Mr. Willis Miller Kemper on his visit of research to Germany about 1900. But the pastor of the little Protestant church, dating back to 1585, at Ferndorf, a village on the highway between Siegen and Musen, finally solved the difficulty. (Siegen lies about sixty miles southeast of Cologne, a little east of the direct line between Cologne and Frankfort.) When asked about a family by the name of Hitt in his parish, the pastor said there could be no German family by that name, for all German family names mean something, and Hitt means nothing in German. Finally, however, he said, "Oh, it is Heite". He pronounced the "ei" long "i", and the final "e" so short you could hardly hear it. Heite means a "meadow man", and the name is still to be found in the meadows about Ferndorf. It is related in origin to the English word "heath".

Years later the earliest record found by Dr. Holtzclaw of the Heite family in Nassau-Siegen goes back to the year 1624, in the villages of Trupbach (from which a number of the 1714 settlers to Germanna came, and Seelback, very close to Trupbach. . . Heites were listed in the tax list of the village of Trupbach for the year 1624.

The following is the ancestry of Nancy Hitt, who married John Miller, and whose descendants' names are to be found in the following chapter.

- 1 - JACOB HEITE, and his wife, CATHRIN, lived in Rehbach, Siegen Parish, a Protestant family in a largely Catholic area. They had seven children, the first born in 1652, the second, Cathrin, born in 1653, followed by three whose sex and names are unknown, then Johann Jacob, born in 1660, and finally, Peter, born in 1665.

- 2 - JOHANN JACOB, son and sixth child of Jacob and Cathrin, was christened on Trinity Sunday, 1660, in the Nicholas Church in Siegen. He had, among other children, a son, Peter, who was born in 1683.

- 3 - PETER, son of Johann Jacob, born in 1683, was married on Epiphany Sunday, 1707, to MARIA LIESSBETH FREUDENBERG (later Anglicized to Elizabeth) who was born in 1687, the daughter of Johann Henrich Freudenberg of Ferndorf. . . Peter and Elizabeth came to Virginia in 1714. He died in Fauquier County, Virginia, in 1772. He had the following children:

1. John, born in 1715, married Sarah Pace.
2. Joseph, born 1717, married Mary Coons.

3. Harmon, born in 1721, married Mary Weaver. They were the parents of the Peter who fought in the Revolution and married Hannah James.
4. Mary, born in 1723, married Harmon Rector.
5. Henry, born in 1719, married Alice Holtzclaw.
6. Peter II, born in 1726, married on 4-27-1759 to Sarah James.

Peter Hitt II had a nephew named Peter, the twelfth child of Peter II's brother, Harmon. Our Peter II was born in 1726, married in 1759 to Sarah James, and died in 1809. His nephew was born in 1755, was married in 1783 to Hannah James, and died in 1802. It is well documented that he fought in the Revolution. The similarity in names has caused much confusion, and several family members have mistakenly gone into the DAR on the record of the wrong Peter. However, I believe that though the Peter who married Sarah James was over fifty at the time of the Revolution, that fact does not necessarily weigh against his having taken part in the war - as witness Henry Miller, who enlisted at the age of fifty-three and served for eighteen months.

- 4 - PETER II, born 1726 in Fauquier County, died December, 1809. On April 27, 1759, he married SARAH JAMES, the daughter of John James and Dinah, his wife. They had the following children:

1. Elizabeth, born 3-12-1760, married John Arnold.
2. Nimrod, born 7-21-1762, died 1825. He fought in the revolution. There is a tradition in the family that John Miller I also took part in the Revolution. I have wondered if they may have served in the same unit, and if that is how John met Nimrod's sister, Nancy. Nimrod, in his will, dated August 8, 1825, and probated September 19, 1825, mentions his sister, Nancy Miller, and his brother-in-law, John Miller, of Culpeper County, and his nephew, Franklin Miller. (Will Book #E, page 170, Culpeper County, Virginia.) Nimrod is buried in the "Mountain Green" cemetery.
3. Dinah, born 4-15-1764, married 10-22-1779, Tillman Kemper, died 7-18-1842.
4. Joel, born 2-26-1766, married Elizabeth -----, died in Kentucky before 1810.
5. Miriam, born 1-14-1769, married, 1-6-1786, Archibald Holtzclaw.
6. Mary (Polly), born 1-6-1772, married, 1-12-1789, Joseph Barnett.
7. Nancy, born 6-14-1774, married, 12-16-1789, John Miller, died 9-26-1859.

8. Peter III, born 4-14-1776, married 8-23-1796 to Lucy Rossner, died 1806-7.
9. Reuben, born 8-25-1778, married Fanny -----

Peter Hitt kept an ordinary, or general store, in Fauquier County. His account book is still extant. The original is in the Warrenton Library, but a photostatic copy is in the library of the Virginia Historical Society at the University of Richmond. It indicates that he was a prominent member of Carter's Run Baptist Church. Most of the records, in which he apparently mingled contributions to the church with his own accounts at the store, appear to be from the 1770's and 1780's, though a few are earlier. (Holtzclaw, page 37.)

The record of settlement of the estate of Peter II mentions Mrs. Barnett, Joel Hitt's representatives (he was in Kentucky), Nimrod Hitt, Mrs. Holtzclaw, Mrs. Miller (Nancy Hitt), Mrs. Arnold, Reuben Hitt, Peter Hitt's representatives (Peter had died two or three years before), Mrs. Kemper, and a relative, evidently, of his wife's, George James. The division included 12 Negroes and 360 acres of land.

JOHN AND DINAH JAMES had ten children:

1. Thomas
2. Benjamin
3. John, who married Elizabeth -----.
4. Susannah, who married Isaac Eustace.
5. Sarah, who married Peter Hitt, II.
6. Ann, who married Rodham Tulloss.
7. Hannah, who married Charles Humes.
8. Elizabeth, who married John Bradford.
9. Mary, who married Peter Conway.
10. Dinah, who married James Thompson.

John James' will, dated 11-6-1777, and probated 5-25-1778, mentions his ten children and two grandchildren: his sons, Thomas, Benjamin and John; daughter Susannah James; grand-daughter, Hannah Finnie; grandson Benjamin James; wife, Dinah James; daughters Sarah Hitt, Ann Tullis, Hannah Humes, Elizabeth Bradford, Mary Conway, Dinah Thompson. (Fauquier Co. Will Book I, p. 331)

JESSE WOODSON JAMES  
(1847-1882)

Jesse Woodson James was a bandit who terrorized Missouri for twenty years. He was born at Centerville (now Kearney), Missouri and near the end of the War Between the States, he joined the Confederate guerrilla force of William Quantrill. Quantrill was killed in 1865. Jesse James was severely wounded, but recovered. In 1866 he and his brother, Frank, formed a band of outlaws. They began robbing trains and banks. The state of Missouri finally offered a reward of \$10,000 for James' capture, dead or alive. He was treacherously killed in his home by a member of his band. Stories about him became a part of American folklore.

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It has, of course, always been known that there is a connecting link between the family of Jesse James and the Rappahannock Millers. No secret has ever been made of the fact. The exact relationship has never been determined, but it is apparently very remote.

Seven Miller families went West to Missouri in the early days. It is said that Achsah Miller Dudley, daughter of Jesse and Frances Corbin Miller, used to tell of Jesse James staying at her sister's ranch in Missouri. She had two sisters who moved out to Missouri, Mary Eliza, who went with her husband (and cousin), Aylett Miller; and Lucy, with her husband (and cousin), Jackson Miller, so we do not know to which sister she was referring.

History tells us that it was at "The Miller Ranch" at Joplin, Missouri, that Jesse shot several officers who tried to trap him there. Blood is, of course, thicker than water, but no one imagines that Jesse James' presence at that Miller ranch was any great comfort to the family. However, Jesse was merely a product of the times and should not be condemned too harshly in these days of atomic bombs and wholesale slaughter.

History also tells us that two Miller boys -- Clell and James -- rode with the band. I have not been able to find them on the family tree.

THE BROWNING'S OF RAPPAHANNOCK

There is a bit of confusion about the relationship of the first two Brownings known to have come to Virginia. It seems to me the following solution is plausible:

1. CAPTAIN JOHN BROWNING, born in England ca. 1588. Married in 1614. Sailed from Gravesend, England, on the ship "Abigail", for America, in 1622. Settled in Elizabeth City, Virginia.
2. WILLIAM, son of John Browning. Born in England, ca. 1615. Came to America on the ship "Bona Nova" about 1623. Could have been sent to his father after the death of his mother. Married ca. 1645 at Jamestown.
3. JOHN II, born about 1646 in Jamestown. Married at Jamestown, 1665-1675.
4. JOHN III, born ca. 1666-1676 at Jamestown. Married ca. 1699 in Jamestown. Had seven sons, one of them:
5. FRANCIS, born ca. 1700 in Caroline Co., Va., married ca. 1723 to Elizabeth Lloyd, of Maryland. They settled near Gaines Cross Roads, Va., in 1735. There are frequent references to Francis I in land records of Spotsylvania, Orange and Culpeper Counties. Orange County Deed Book #4, p. 447, lists a deed dated 1740 in which Francis Browning deeds 100 acres of land to Francis, Jr., near the Little Fork of the Rappahannock River, near Hickman's Mountain. In Deed Book #11, p. 71, Orange County, dated 1748, another deed gives land to Thomas Washborne in which is mentioned "Nicholas Browning, son of the said Francis Browning". Apparently Thomas Washborne was Nicholas Browning's father-in-law, he having married a Sarah Washburn.

From Nicholas and Sarah Washburn Browning are descended several well-known Rappahannock Miller families, among them the following:

Elizabeth Browning, married Benjamin Lillard:

1. Lucy M. Lillard, m. James M. O'Bannon.
  - a. Roberta J., m. S. L. Cooper.
  - b. Presley Henry, m. Anna Josephine Miller, daughter of Middleton and Anna Miller.
2. Silas B. Lillard, m. Mildred Duncan.
  - a. Laura Lillard, m. S. R. Browning.
  - b. Lizzie Lillard, m. George Pulliam.

c. Lucy E. Lillard, m. John James Miller, son of David Darius Miller, M.D.

William Jennings Bryan's father's name was Silas Lillard Bryan. His grandfather, John Bryan, married Nancy Lillard.

Tabitha Browning, sister of Elizabeth, m. Cornelius Smith.

1. Lucy Mildred, m. Henry Ashford Wood.
2. Rebecca, m. John Byron Miller.
3. Hugh Mercer, m. Mary Elizabeth O'Bannon, daughter of Walter and Elizabeth Eggborn O'Bannon. Lived at "Clover Hill".
4. Carrie Lee Smith, m. Luther Eastham.

5. FRANCIS, continued:

FRANCIS AND ELIZABETH LLOYD BROWNING'S CHILDREN:

- a. Francis, Jr., married Frances Norman.
- b. Nicholas, married Sarah Washburn.
- c. John, married Miss Demarest.
- d. Jacob, married Elizabeth Bywaters
- e. Mary, married Courtney Norman, must have been a brother to Frances, above.
- f. Ruth, married William Duncan.
- g. Daughter, married ----- Turner.

6. FRANCIS, JR., born ca. 1724, died 2-19-1761, married Frances Norman, daughter of Isaac Norman and his wife, Frances Courtney. She died about 4-17-1786. Isaac Norman of "Norman's Ford", Fauquier Co., Va., patented land in 1726 on the Culpeper side of the Rappahannock River, which land he later sold to Robert Carter, known as "King Carter".

Francis Browning, Jr.'s will dated 12-30-1760, and probated 2-19-1761 (in Will Book #A, p.242) was witnessed by Nicholas Browning, his brother, Thomas Bywaters, and John Browning, another brother. In it, he leaves "to my beloved wife, Frances, all my nigros (sic), all my lands, my stock and all my household furniture induring her lifetime. After her decease to be sold and equally divided between my children without exception." They lived at "Riverside" which had been deeded to him by his father.

Frances Norman Browning died about 4-17-1786, which is the date of the settlement of her account, according to Will Book #C, p. 281, Culpeper Co., Va. In this settlement, the property of each of the legatees to

the amount of 95 pounds, 17 shillings, 7 pence was to be accounted for by Charles Browning (her son, of "Greenfield") and Francis Browning. This son is said to have died in the Revolution, but he may have been made executor if the will was written prior to his death.

CHILDREN OF FRANCIS AND FRANCES NORMAN BROWNING:

- a. Shadrack, of "Riverside", married Margaret Routt.
  - (1) John Routt Browning, married his second cousin, Mary Eleanor Browning. Her grandmother, Ann Routt, who married LeRoy Dulaney and had a daughter, Mary Routt Dulaney, who became the first wife of John Dabney Browning, of "Mt. View", was sister of Mary Eleanor's husband's mother, Margaret (Polly) Routt. Their daughter, Mary Woodford Browning, granddaughter of John Dabney Browning and Mary Routt Dulaney, married William S. M. Anderson, of Quincy, Illinois, and among their children was Mrs. Jennye Drummond Anderson Brown, of Denver, Colorado, with whom Flossie exchanged much family information.
- b. Charles Browning, 1749-1839, married Mary Wade Strother, known as "Molly". Her sister, Elizabeth, married Charles' brother, Captain John Browning, of the Revolution. They were daughters of John Dabney Strother, born in 1721 in Hanover, Va., and his wife, Mary Willis Wade. Charles was captain of the Virginia Line during the Revolution, and lived at "Greenfield", then in Culpeper County. The original grant for "Greenfield", dated 1735 and signed by Lord Fairfax, hangs on the wall of the present house.
  - (1) Willis Browning, who was evidently a son of Charles, rebuilt the house in 1820, after the original home was destroyed by fire. Willis purchased the mahogany furniture for the house in 1853.
    - (a) John Armistead Browning, Sr., son of Willis, married Mary Lewis Willis, great-great-granddaughter of Betty Washington Lewis, sister of George, and also niece of Prince Achilles Murat, nephew of the first Napoleon. They had nine children, among them:
      - (a1) Mary Landon, died age 6.
      - (a2) Willis
      - (a3) Fannie Lewis

Children of Francis and Frances Norman Browning, continued:

- (a4) Elizabeth (Bessie) who married William Grimsley Wood.
- (a5) John Armistead, Jr., b. 5-24-1865, died 2-22-1929, m. 10-16-1915, Elizabeth Frances Boyd, of Washington, D.C. Lived at "Greenfield". She died 5-15-1957.
- (a6) George Landon, b. 4-3-1867, d. 8-36-1947. M. 2-28-1906, Mrs. Evelyn Byrd Hill Ransom, who died in Mar. 1940. He was one of Virginia's outstanding jurists, having been a member of the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals for seventeen years. At the time of his death, he was serving his second 12 year term.
  - (a6a) Armistead Willis, Chadds Ford, Pa.
  - (a6b) Dr. George Landon, Boston, Mass.
  - (a6c) Francis H.
- (a7) Belle, m. Daingerfield Lewis of "Cleve".
- c. William, m. Milly Roberts.
- d. James, m. Miss Deane, went to Kentucky.
- e. Reuben, m. Ann Hickman, went to Kentucky.
- f. Captain John Browning, Revolutionary War veteran, m. Elizabeth Strother, sister of Mary Wade who married his brother Charles.
- g. Isaac, m. a daughter of Joshua Browning of the Virginia State Line.
- h. Francis, III, died in the Revolution.
- i. Molly, m. James Duncan.
- j. Sarah, m. ----- Duncan.
- k. Asenath, m. Benjamin Duncan.

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Continuing the line of descent from John I, William, John II and John III, Francis I and Francis II:

- 7. CAPTAIN JOHN BROWNING, b. 4-16-1749, d. 9-25-1818, m. August 1774, Elizabeth Strother, daughter of Captain John Dabney Strother, of "Wadefield", in Culpeper County, (he was born in 1721 in Hanover County) and his wife, Mary Willis Wade. John Browning served in the Revolution.  
Patriot: in list of public claims allowed by Court of Culpeper County for provisions furnished the army, the following certificate appears: "I hereby certify that I have received for public use, of John Browning, three hundred and seventy-five pounds of beef, for which payment at the rate of 24 pence shall be made

according to the assurance continued in the Resolution of Assembly of November 15, 1780. Given under my hand this 29th day of December, 1780.

John Slaughter, Commander"

Elizabeth Strother was born at "Wadefield" on 1-18-1758, and died in Logan County, Virginia, 10-1-1823.

- a. Mary, b. 1776, m. George Yates, went west.
  - b. Lucy, b. 1778, m. Nimrod Duncan.
  - c. Frances (Fanny), b. 1780, m. Frederick Whitescarver.
  - d. Elizabeth, b. 1782, m. Cornelous Whitescarver, went to Kentucky.
  - e. Anne (Nancy), b. 1784, m. John Duncan.
  - f. Melinda Wade, b. 1786, m. Elijah Bruce, went west.
  - g. George, b. 1789, m. Gila Anne Covington, went to Kentucky.
  - h. JOHN DABNEY, b. 2-25-1791, m.I: Mary Routt Dulaney, m.II: Cassandra Haynie.
  - i. Sally Strother, b. 1793, m. Robert Whitescarver.
  - j. William Winston, b. 1794, m. Sarah Smith Farrow.
  - k. Charles Dirk, b. 1796, m. Rebecca Moor, went to Missouri.
  - l. Oliver Wallace, b. 1799, m. Amelia Bowyer, went to Ohio.
  - m. Francis Strother, b. 1800-1805, m. Hannah Reid, went to Illinois.
8. JOHN DABNEY BROWNING, of "Mountain View", born 2-25-1791, Married I: Mary Routt Dulaney, daughter of LeRoy and Ann Routt Dulaney. LeRoy was the son of William Dulaney, Jr., and Elizabeth Butler. Ann Routt was the daughter of John and Mary Withers Routt. Married II: Cassandra Haynie, daughter of Mark Anthony Haynie and Sarah Williams, who were married in 1787.
- Issue by marriage to Mary Routt Dulaney:
- a. Mary Eleanor, m. her second cousin, John Routt Browning.
  - b. Margaret Browning, m. John Carr.
  - c. Eliza, m. Benjamin Franklin Eastham.
    - (1) Robert Warren, b. 2-28-1842, d. 4-7-1924, m. Mollie Read, b. 1843, d. April 1922.
    - (2) Emma, died unmarried.
    - (3) Franklin Dabney, of "Buena Vista Farm".  
M. Virginia Fisher Eastham, his 1st cousin.
      - (a) Robert Francis, b. 8-24-1882, died 2-9-1926, m. Mary Beale Browning, his cousin.
        - (al) Robert Browning, m. 10-15-1949, Lillian Elizabeth Bucklin.

- (a2) Lucy Beale, b. 3-9-1917.
- (a3) William Judson, died young.
- (a4) Mary Frances, m. 3-31-1951, to Nathaniel William Brown.
  - (a4a) Robert, b. 9-19-1952.
  - (a4b) Thomas
- (b) Mary Frances ("Honeybee"), b. 10-29-1888, d. 10-14-1968, m. Jacob Edward Keyser. (See Noah Keyser family).
- (c) Edwin Marion, m. Fannie Pullen, daughter of the Methodist minister, the Rev. Mr. Pullen.
  - (c1) Virginia Fisher
  - (c2) Edwin Marion, Jr., M.D., m. Alene Hamrick.
    - (c2a) Edwin M., III, m. Gloria Jean Hawkins, 11-25-1966.
    - (c2b) Linda Lucille
    - (c2c) James
  - (c3) William Guerrant ("Dunny"), m. Jacqueline Miller Massie, 10-30-1946. (See David D. Miller, M.D., family)
  - (c4) Frances, m. Marvin Russell Bradford ("Boo").
    - (c4a) Marvin Russell, Jr.
    - (c4b) Virginia Yates
  - (c5) Thomas, m. Louise Green.
  - (c6) Philip, m. ----- Wright, two children.
  - (c7) Dabney McGee, m. Margaret Hughes of "Horse Shoe Farm", 9-15-1951.
- (d) Franklin Dabney, Jr., m. Mary Pullen, whose sister, Fannie, married his brother, Edwin.
  - (d1) Mary Virginia, m. Randolph Hicks Carter.
  - (d2) Franklin Dabney, III
  - (d3) Ann Pullen, m. 5-5-1951, Rothwell Jackson Lillard.
  - (d4) Thomas Granville
  - (d5) Robert Woodford
  - (d6) Jane Byrd, m. John Rottier, 1952.
  - (d7) Richard G.
  - (d8) Patricia Anne, m. Kenneth H. Hall, 9-3-1949.
- (4) Philip Byrd, b. 1848, d. 1934, m. 1898 to Mafie Roberta Deatherage, b. 1873, d. 8-26-1947. Mafie was the daughter of Major William Achilles Deatherage of "Horse Shoe", ancestral estate deeded to the Carter-Deatherage families by the King of England before the American

Revolution. His wife was Susan F. Eastham, and besides Mafie, a younger daughter, there were Lucy, who died 4-14-1947 at the age of 90, and Nina Maude, who died 4-6-1950, aged 86, and Ora Winona, who died 5-29-1952 at the age of 85. Philip Eastham fought with Col. John S. Mosby's Rangers in Northern Virginia and the Shenandoah Valley. (See picture in Noah Keyser family).

- (a) Mrs. P. Freeman Kennedy, Front Royal, Va.
- (b) Mrs. Willis B. Schuler, Brunswick, N.J.
- (c) Mrs. William J. Coleman, Lynchburg, Va.
- (d) Mrs. Cary Cecil Harrison, Fort Worth, Tex.
- (e) Elizabeth Deatherage Eastham, m. Deward Edgar Walker, Sr.

- (5) John R., died unmarried.
- (6) Edwin L., died unmarried.
- (7) Annie Mary, died unmarried.
- (8) Ada Virginia, m. James William Miller (See family of David and Abigail Miller)
- (9) Charlie C., m. Ruth Eva Alexander.
  - (a) Virginia, m. ----- Hand.
  - (b) Warren F., m. Julia Settle.
    - (bl) Warren Conrad, m. Ann Briggs.  
Divorced.
      - (bla) Warren Franklin, II
      - (blb) Nancy Ellen
    - (b2) Mary Beckham (Becky), m. William A. Nuckles.
      - (b2a) Rebecca
  - (c) Ruth, m. Captain James Philip Cook.
    - (c1) Warren, has son, Philip Edward.
    - (c2) Robert
    - (c3) Marvin Claude
      - (c3a) Claude Richardson
      - (c3b) Linda Burnette
    - (c4) Margaret Browning, m. 4-16-1955, Jack Ray Roberson.
    - (c5) Evelyn Gordon, m. Maurice D. Walker, 1950.
    - (c6) Wilmer Barry
  - (d) Mamie Eastham
  - (e) Ada, m. William Bowersett.
    - (e1) Ruth,
    - (e2) Virginia
    - (e3) William, Jr.
  - (f) Emma, m. ----- Coppage.
    - (f1) Braxton
    - (f2) Eugene

d. Fannie Browning, m. Victor Mayberry, went to Missouri.

8. JOHN DABNEY BROWNING, continued:

Issue by marriage to Cassandra Haynie:

- e. Sarah Eusebia Neville, b. 2-10-1824, d. 2-13-1911.  
M. Benjamin Franklin Miller.
- f. Mark Anthony Haynie, m. Miss Kendrick, went to Texas.
- g. Dr. John Strother, b. 2-15-1828, d. 7-28-1887.  
M.I: 9-10-1850, Delia Maria Deatherage (1834-1862).  
M.II: 1864, Elizabeth Roberts; her sister, Nellie,  
married Brereton Jones Wood.

Issue by 1st marriage:

- (1) Johnnie, 1853-1871.
- (2) Infant son, born and died in 1854.
- (3) William Judson, 1856-1920, m. Lucy Hannah Roberts, sister of his father's second wife.
  - (a) Mary Beale, b. 12-19-1884, d. 5-9-1957.  
M. 2-22-1913, her cousin, Robert Francis Eastham. Her grandmother was a second cousin of Aaron Burr.

Issue by 2nd marriage:

- (4) Dr. Edgar Roberts, m. Lucy G. Turner, daughter of Smith Turner.
  - (a) John Smith, m. Georgia Kay.
    - (a1) John Bagby
    - (a2) Edgar Kay, Ph.D., m. Jacqueline M., Ph.D., both are professors of Economics; he at University of Virginia, she at Sweet Briar College.
  - (b) Robert Turner, m. Alice Wilkie, no issue. He died 2-20-1969.

h. Captain George Judson Browning of the Confederate Army, m. Sally Thomas.

- (1) Robert Dabney
- (2) Judge Alexander Thomas, b. 1873, d. 4-13-1951.
  - (a) John Judson, m. Nancy Harper Saltsman, 12-8-1944.
    - (a1) John Judson, Jr., b. 10-5-1946.
  - (b) Adra B.
  - (c) Alexander
- (3) George Judson, b. 1870, d. 10-23-1942.  
M. Elizabeth Ricketts, 6-18-1902.
  - (a) Emma, m. ----- Claude.
    - (a1) A son
- (4) William, died before 1942.

i. Henrietta Browning - It is believed that this was the beloved "Aunt Darling", a dwarf. After the death of her mother, Cassandra Haynie Browning, Sarah Browning Miller took Aunt Darling to live with her at Mountain Green. When Aunt Darling lay dying, another of her sisters, Sophronia Browning Wood, sent messages by her to Heaven, to her own two little girls who had recently died of diphtheria.

- j. Emily Sophronia Browning (Aunt Soph), m. William S. Wood, of "Red Hill".
- (1) Annie Cassandra, b. 2-3-1858, d. 9-7-1862.
  - (2) Jane Burrell, b. 9-2-1859, d. 9-21-1862.  
(These are the two children who died of diphtheria, to whom their mother sent messages to heaven by their Aunt Darling, the "Little Person").
  - (3) Flora, b. 1862, d. Feb. 1935, m. Eugene Brooking.
    - (a) William Brooking, of Orange, Va. He has a family.
    - (b) Daughter Callie, m. a Mr. Newman.
    - (c) and (d) Daughters, names unknown.
  - (4) Emma, unmarried.
  - (5) John Browning, d. June 1936, unmarried.
  - (6) Willie E. (daughter), died Feb. 1941, unmarried.

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#### SUMMARY OF BROWNING GENERATIONS

1. Francis Browning, married Elizabeth Lloyd of Maryland.
2. Francis Browning, Jr., of "Riverside", married Frances Norman.
3. John Browning (Captain in the Continental Army), married Elizabeth Strother.
4. John Dabney Browning, of "Mountain View", married the second time to Cassandra Haynie.
5. Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning married Benjamin Franklin Miller.

I cannot resist adding here an article which I read in the Maryland Historical Magazine, Volume 76, number 4, of December, 1981. It is by Dr. Curtis Carroll Davis, and is about a heroine in the American Revolution, who happens to be my great-great-great-great-grandaunt, a sister of Frances Norman who married Francis Browning, Jr. I quote it here, and reproduce a picture of a statue erected to the lady on the Guilford Court House Battlefield in North Carolina.

"The Battle on March 15, 1781, at Guilford Court House, a tiny county seat four miles north of today's Greensboro, North Carolina, marked the beginning of the end of the British presence in the South. The opposing commanders -- General Greene for the Americans and Lord Cornwallis ("Old Corncob" his troops sometimes dubbed him) for the Redcoats -- of course did not know this. My Lord, indeed, whose units held the field as the rebel forces withdrew, claimed that he had won; but over in England an opposition leader in Parliament, Charles James Fox, was moved to observe that 'another such victory would destroy the British army.'

"It has been estimated that in this obstinate and sanguinary combat, the American losses, both Continental and militia, came to thirty-one officers and 389 men killed, wounded or missing. Among these casualties were soldiers of the 1st and 5th Maryland regiments, under Colonels Gunby and Ford, respectively, and among them were one or more of the offspring of Mrs. James Turner. Mrs. Turner claimed that she was descended from William the Conqueror, but that is not the most remarkable thing about her, since many a family in the southern colonies doggedly asserted an exalted heritage. No, a more remarkable thing about the lady, born a Norman in Spotsylvania County, Virginia, in 1733, is that her planter father Isaac, and mother, Frances Courtney, in a spasm of religiosity, christened her Kerenhappuch. This is a Biblical name -- its original bearer was the youngest daughter of the Old Testament figure, Job -- and means 'horn of beauty.'

"Following her marriage to James Turner, Kerenhappuch emigrated with him from the Old Dominion to the colony of Maryland. There, as the Revolution gradually engulfed the land, these parents saw their male offspring enlist in the patriot forces. One of those sons became a casualty at the Guilford engagement, and when news thereof reached the old house, the really remarkable thing about Kerenhappuch came to the fore. Here is the story, as

related by the orator of the day -- the Greensboro lawyer and former State legislator, George Samuel Bradshaw -- on the occasion of the unveiling of a monument to her at the battle site in 1902:

"Among the brave women who hastened to the field of the battle of Guilford Court House to minister to the wounded and the dying, was Mrs. Kerenhappuch Turner, whose sons and grandsons were with General Greene in this battle. Mrs. Turner was the wife of James Turner, one of the early settlers of Maryland, possessed of his courageous spirit as well as noted for her skill in nursing the sick, and her wisdom, tact and energy.... One of her sons received a fearful wound in the battle of Guilford Court House, but the brave mother came to him, riding on horseback all the way from her home in Maryland, and herself nursed him back into life and service. Placing him in a log cabin...upon the floor, beneath the bare rafters, she bored holes in tubs which she suspended from these rafters above the ghastly wounds, and keeping these tubs filled with cool water from the "Bloody Run" nearby, the constant dripping upon the wound allayed the fever, and she thus improvised a treatment as efficacious as the "icepack" of modern science.'

"Now, it must have required, at the very least, three to four days for news of the battle to reach the Turner household up in Maryland, and as much for the anguished mother to gallop down to North Carolina...the distance involved is approximately three hundred and fifty miles... And to add lustre to an accomplishment hardly requiring such, Turner family tradition would have it that Kerenhappuch, now in her forty-eighth year, made the journey all the while nursing her newest-born babe. The infant expired en route. The mother buried it by the side of the road, remounted and cantered on...In North Carolina today, Kerenhappuch Turner's statue stands tall, not far from the visitor center, in what is now Guilford Court House National Military Park...At the time of its erection, it was apparently the earliest such tribute to a Revolutionary woman. The life-size figure depicts her in her role as nurse...In her left hand she holds a plate on which a cup once sat. Over her right arm a towel once hung. Vanished with the years are cup and towel...The monument has been shot at twice and suffered other vandalisms. To a dame of Kerenhappuch's calibre, such annoyances would rate as little better than a tick bite. She lived, tis said, to the matriarchal age of one hundred and fifteen years, and died in North Carolina.

"There in Tarheelia, imperturbably she stands, this Maryland matron. But where she lies buried, nobody knows."



A HEROINE OF '76  
MRS. KERENHAPPUCH TURNER,  
MOTHER OF ELIZABETH  
THE WIFE OF JOSEPH  
MOREHEAD OF N.C. AND  
GRANDMOTHER OF CAPTAIN  
JAMES AND OF JOHN MOREHEAD,  
A YOUNG N.C. SOLDIER UNDER  
GREENE, RODE HORSE-BACK FROM  
HER MARYLAND HOME AND AT  
GUILFORD COURT HOUSE NURSED  
TO HEALTH A BADLY WOUNDED SON.

II. PETER MILLER

Born 3-14-1793, "Mountain Green"

Father - John Miller I

Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married HELEN SINGLETON.

Father - John Singleton

Mother - Miss Boggess

They went to Texas.

CHILDREN OF PETER AND HELEN MILLER:

- A. Ann Agnes, b. 2-20-1821, d. 5-1-1895, m. 1837, James Madison Gatewood, b. 12-6-1811, Luray, Va., died 12-9-1867, Sherman, Texas.
  1. Clinton Miller, died an infant.
  2. Mary Franklin, m. W. H. Lankford.
  3. Helen Singleton, m. Dr. Thomas J. Allen.
    - a. Arthur Singleton
    - b. Minnie
    - c. Jamie
    - d. Juanita
  4. Charles Henry, m. 6-10-1867, Virginia Lewis in Indian Territory, now Oklahoma.
    - a. James Howell
    - b. Annie E.
    - c. Mollie Franklin
    - d. Thomas Allen
    - e. Virginia Verna
  5. Stonewall Jackson, deceased.
  6. Lucy (Lutie) Agnes, m. J. T. Cunningham.
    - a. Lutie Zepherine
    - b. Eclesia (Clepie)
    - c. Thomas Nelson
  7. Nancy Elizabeth, m. Tony Chamberlain.
    - a. Nelson
    - b. Willie
    - c. Theresa Hazel
  8. James K. T.
  9. Sarah Katherine (Letty), m. William Henry Lankford.
    - a. William Henry, Jr., b. 4-23-1889, at Sherman, Texas.
    - b. John Gunby, b. 6-14-1892, d. 7-15-1916.
    - c. Ann Consuelo, b. 3-23-1895, m. John E. Meador, D.D.S.
  10. Orienna Belle, m. 7-25-1882, Dr. John Silas Lankford.
    - a. Lettie S.
    - b. Miller Earle
    - c. Eugenia Franklin
    - d. Anna Lucy
    - e. John Silas, Jr.
    - f. Esther Belle
  11. Silas Wright, deceased.

III. ELIZABETH (BETTY) MILLER

Born, 2-14-1795, "Mountain Green", died 1847.

Father - John Miller I

Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married, 12-10-1809, JOSEPH SETTLE.

Born 1785, died 1837.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND ELIZABETH SETTLE:

- A. John James, b. 1-24-1811, m. his cousin, Achsa Miller. They went to Missouri in a covered wagon, the trip taking nine weeks. (For issue, see David Miller family)
- B. Peter Miller, b. 3-4-1814, d. 8-7-1885, m. Nancy Jett, b. 1819, d. 2-20-1898. Lived in Missouri.
  1. William Joseph, b. 6-19-1837, d. 1-30-1917.
    - a. Charles
    - b. Emmet
    - c. Edwin
  2. Woodford, b. 1-22-1846, d. 11-9-1922.
    - a. Bessie
    - b. Cleo
    - c. George
    - d. William
    - e. Nannie
    - f. Leta
  3. Charles Peter, b. 4-23-1848, d. Jan. 1919.
    - a. Etta
    - b. Blanche
  4. John Miller, b. 11-5-1856, d. 10-21-1924, unmarried.
  5. Jett, b. 7-10-1864.
    - a. Nancy, b. 7-3-1898, m. James Brantley Marshall.
      - (1) Zenobia Jane, b. 8-2-1917.
      - (2) John Dorsey, b. 9-14-1919.
      - (3) Winnie Martha, b. 3-18-1922.
    - b. Winnie Miller, b. 8-11-1900, m. John Chester Anderson.
- C. Woodford, died unmarried.
- D. Benjamin Franklin, b. 1820, killed 6-15-1865 in Civil War, m. Nov. 1847, Lucy Jane Freeman, 10-14-1827--1858.
  1. Annie Josephine, b. 7-22-1849, unmarried.
  2. George Carter, b. 5-12-1851, d. 1862.
  3. Lucy Henry, b. 8-29-1853, d. 8-5-1930, unmarried.
  4. Elizabeth Virginia, b. 7-14-1855, d. 8-13-1930, m. 3-13-1879, Stretchley Beaty.
    - a. John Paul, m. Emma Compton.
      - (1) Pauline, m. Frank Peebles.
- E. Ann Fannie, b. 6-24-1830, d. 7-17-1882, m. 5-9-1847, Charles William Wellington Rixey, b. 12-24-1823, died 6-16-1870.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth Settle, continued:

1. William Joseph, b. 9-28-1848, went to Missouri when about twenty. M. 5-25-1869, Mary Catherine Harper, b. 4-17-1852, d. 2-27-1930, lived in Mexico, Mo.
  - a. Annie Harper, b. 5-27-1870, m. Frank P. Van Ness, b. 5-27-1865, d. 1925.
    - (1) Harper Elliot, b. 1-3-1887, m.I: Ethel Stover, 7-12-1896--11-23-1919, of Fauquier County, Va. M.II: Peyton Meng, b. 4-8-1893.  
Issue by 1st marriage:
      - (a) Harper E., Jr., b. 7-2-1919Issue by 2nd marriage:
      - (b) Anna Margaret, b. 5-24-1926.
      - (c) Mary Elizabeth, b. 9-2-1928.
      - (d) Frank Peyton, b. 11-22-1930.
    - (2) Gladys, b. 11-30-1892, unmarried.
    - (3) F. Pauline, b. 8-14-1900, m.I: Francis William Ramsey, divorced. M.II: Herschel Schooley.
  - b. Fannie Cordelia, b. 5-23-1873, m. Charles Hardy Chambliss.
    - (1) Cecil Houx, d. 11-18-1918 of flu in camp during World War I.
  - c. William Hardin, b. 4-27-1880, d. 5-27-1917.  
M. Bettie Sims, b. 10-18-1879.
    - (1) William Sims, b. 12-30-1899, m. 8-18-1928, Ruth Elaine Hargrave.
      - (a) Billie Jean, b. 5-18-1929.
    - (2) Harold Clark, m. Bess Casey, 1-4-1930.
    - (3) Frances
2. Wellington Woodford, b. 11-25-1850, d. 2-5-1925.  
Went to Missouri. Married his cousin 1st: Margaret Virginia Miller, on 1-26-1871. Married 2nd, Mary James Settle, another cousin on 10-17-1878.  
(For issue, see family of Achsah Miller)
3. Mary Elizabeth, b. 9-14-1852, d. 12-31-1928.  
M. 7-7-1868, Col. Silas Mortimer Newhouse, 4-21-1844 to 7-27-1925.
  - a. Josie L., 5-20-1870, lived only one day.
  - b. Virginia Elizabeth, b. 2-13-1872, d. 1-15-1894, unmarried.
  - c. Lavinia Hill, b. 9-17-1873, d. 4-29-1950.  
M. 6-7-1899, Cary Aurelius Humphries, b. 1871, died 1-14-1950.
    - (1) Charles Powell, b. 9-7-1900, m. Elizabeth Brown, no issue.
    - (2) Kemper Hill, b. 2-22-1904, d. 3-20-1939.  
M. 9-15-1928, Ann Green.
      - (a) Cary Hill, b. 10-17-1929.
      - (b) Lucile Dove, b. 2-25-1932.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth Settle, continued:

- d. Fannie Belle, b. 2-12-1875, m. her cousin, Samuel Francis Rixey in a double ring wedding with her sister, Lavinia, on 6-7-1899.
  - (1) Samuel Wise, b. 10-16-1900, m. 3-17-1928, Marian Virginia Wilkins, b. 7-3-1906, died 9-8-1968.
  - (2) Frances Elizabeth, b. 2-24-1904, m. 7-16-1928, Elmer Webster Anderson, born 8-2-1900.
  - (3) Mae Newhouse, b. 6-9-1906, m. 11-7-1927, Malcolm Thompson Moore, b. 9-25-1905.
    - (a) Malcolm Thompson, Jr., b. 1-16-1928, m. 1952, Harriet Payne Witt.
  - (4) Dorothy St. Clair, b. 3-15-1910, m. 10-27-1928, Thornton Carter Melton, born 11-14-1899.
- e. Charles Henry, b. 8-19-1877, d. 10-16-1905 of fever in South Africa.
- f. Eva Rixey, b. 7-3-1880, d. 10-17-1948, m. 4-27-1904, Addison C. Hudson, d. 12-11-1942.
  - (1) Addison C., Jr., b. 4-5-1905, d. 2-24-1935.
  - (2) William, b. 11-6-1906, d. 1948, m. 5-9-1926, Margaret Wallihan.
    - (a) Ann Wallihan, b. 9-8-1928.
  - (3) Robert, b. 10-29-1908, m. Leola Smith, d. 1-15-1940.
  - (4) Mary Ellen, b. 11-5-1916.
- g. Lucy Katherine, b. 12-10-1883, d. 10-12-1918, m. 10-12-1905, Sayre Jennings Thompson.
  - (1) Katherine Gregg, b. 3-18-1907, m. Guy Smith.
- h. Mary Mortimer, b. 9-5-1886, m. 7-22-1908, James Stewart Brand, b. 6-25-1874, died 8-25-1942.
  - (1) Ethel Mary, b. 9-12-1913, m.I: 1-23-1932, Gerald Dodge Curtis, divorced.
    - (a) Gerald Dodge, Jr., b. 12-28-1932. M.II: Marion F. Klutey.
  - (2) Ann Stewart, b. 9-9-1920, m. 10-25-1943, James W. Brown, Jr.
- i. John Hambleton, b. 6-29-1889, m. 1-11-1919, Mary Elizabeth Shanabrook, b. 3-13-1896.
- j. Willie St. Clair, b. 9-5-1891, d. 7-4-1971, m. 4-22-1914, her cousin, William Miller Yancey, b. 5-3-1892, d. 5-3-1939.
  - (1) William Miller, Jr., b. 4-15-1920, d. 3-18-1962, m. Elaine Loving Brown.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth Settle, continued:

- (2) Hamilton Newhouse, b. 5-29-1923, d. 10-3-1923.
- (3) Katherine Powers, b. 12-6-1925, m. 4-10-1947, William Matthew Eddy, Jr.
- k. Georgie Mildred, b. 1-13-1893, m. Reid McCarty Pierce, b. 8-20-1887, d. 9-12-1933.
  - (1) Mildred St. Clair, b. 11-7-1921, m. 9-19-1942, Lt. John Seymour Kerr IV.
    - (a) William Yancey, b. 9-1-1943.
- 4. Lavinia Adelaide, b. 9-20-1854, m. 9-8-1875, Edgar Wayland, b. 4-18-1850, d. 11-8-1927.
  - a. William Wellington, b. 7-27-1876, m. Ethel W. Fray, 1909.
  - b. Fannie Settle, b. 4-16-1879, a twin, unmarried.
  - c. Charles Rixey, b. 4-18-1879, a twin, married 10-3-1907, Lillie Montgomery.
    - (1) Charles Vernon
  - d. Clifford Orville, b. 5-22-1882, m. Ruby Lee Spivey, 1910.
    - (1) Clifford Henry, b. 5-11-1912.
    - (2) Aubrey Wellington, b. 3-21-1918.
    - (3) Harris Lee, b. 1-25-1922.
  - e. Mary Elizabeth, b. 3-29-1884, d. 8-17-1892.
  - f. Edgar Woodford, b. 10-26-1886, m. 1-22-1913, Selena Bell Barnett, b. 6-10-1889.
    - (1) Selena Lavinia, b. 11-6-1915.
    - (2) Edgard Woodford, Jr., b. 8-23-1926.
- 5. Ann Eliza, b. 3-8-1856, d. 3-15-1858.
- 6. Silas Henry, b. 7-29-1857, d. 8-9-1857
- 7. Charles Hunton, b. 1-26-1858, d. 10-12-1862, diphtheria.
- 8. Franklin M., b. 1860, d. 10-22-1862, diphtheria.
- 9. Fannie Settle, b. 3-23-1862, d. 4-14-1878.
- 10. Olivia L., b. 8-22-1866, d. 10-7-1943, m. Dr. James Maxwell Caskie on 10-24-1883, b. 6-3-1860, died 11-4-1930.
  - a. Fannie Dimmock, b. 8-24-1884, m. 12-21-1904, Marvin Randolph Bowen, b. 3-28-1880.
    - (1) Margaret Alexander, b. 10-21-1905, m. 1926 Francis Keedy.
      - (a) Betty Jane, b. 10-26-1927.
      - (b) Kathleen, b. 5-29-1929.
    - (2) Robert Cecil, b. 12-28-1907.
    - (3) Marvin Maxwell, b. 12-8-1914.
    - (4) Anita Dimmock, b. 5-6-1919.
  - b. Alice Lavinia, b. 3-24-1887, m. 11-7-1906, Harry Lee Stinnett, b. 3-28-1880.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth Settle, continued:

- (1) Thelma Rixey, b. 10-30-1907, m. 7-24-1935, Dickerson Griffith.
- (2) Lucille LaToure, b. 10-12-1909, m. 7-2-1938, Dr. Arthur B. Hersberger.
- (3) Harry Caskie, b. 8-25-1911, m. 3-22-1931, LeBaron Coleman.
- (4) James Maxwell, b. 2-26-1927, d. 11-9-1937.
- c. Anita Brent, b. 3-4-1889, d. 5-11-1962, m. 6-22-1910, Basil Charles S. Bennett, born 9-23-1885.
  - (1) Elizabeth Campbell, b. 1-28-1916, m. Edward L. Alsop.
  - (2) Olive Rixey, b. 2-2-1919, m. 11-8-1935, Edward Armistead Walter, Jr.  
M.II: Tucker Butler.
  - (3) Sarah Moore, b. 8-31-1921, m.I: 8-9-1937, John Franklin Myers, m.II: 1946, David N. Davidson.
  - (4) Jane Caskie, b. 2-22-1923, m. 4-13-1940, Howard Leslie Caton.
- d. Marion Maxwell, b. 7-29-1890, d. 11-3-1966, m. 12-4-1912, Helen E. Euess.
  - (1) Marion Maxwell, Jr., b. 10-7-1913, d. 8-11-1970, m. Claire Robison, b. 1912.
    - (a) Marion Maxwell III, b. 9-30-1936.
  - (2) Nelle Comer, b. 5-26-1917, m. 11-16-1946, Edwin Funston Gulick.
  - (3) Charles Dimmock, b. 10-23-1921.
  - (4) Warren Watts, b. 1-13-1925, a twin.
  - (5) Challen Ellis, b. 1-13-1925, a twin.
- e. Thelma Rixey, b. 9-17-1899, unmarried.
- F. Charles Joseph, b. 1834, d. 1893, m. 1858 in Missouri to Anna Maria Arnold, 1843-1868.
  1. Thomas Woodford, b. 3-24-1863, d. 6-8-1896, m. Harriet Kelly of Missouri (10-16-1863--3-8-1930)
    - a. Anna Arnold, b. 2-20-1883, d. 8-9-1918, m. 1904, Harry Willis Thomas.
    - b. Elizabeth, b. 1-7-1887, m. 1916, Joseph Earl Denham.
  2. Charles Witmer, b. 1865, m. 1889, Annie Jane Martin, b. 1869, lived at Hollins, Va.
    - a. Kitty May, b. 1890, m. 1930, Milton Richie Morgan.
    - b. Charles Woodford, b. 1891, m. 1913, Elizabeth Cash of Tennessee, lived in Centralia, Mo.
      - (1) Elizabeth Jane, b. Sept. 1917.

IV. HENRY MILLER

Born 11-17-1796, "Mountain Green", died 4-17-1862, Brandy Station, Virginia.

Father - John Miller I  
Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married, 11-1-1822, ELIZABETH ROBERTS CRIGLER

Born, 1806, died 1852.

Father - William Crigler, of near Boston,  
Mother - Catherine Brown Va.

They lived on their plantation "Villemont", near old Mt. Salem Baptist Church in Rappahannock County, Va. They then moved to Fleetwood, near Brandy Station, Culpeper Co., Va.

CHILDREN OF HENRY AND ELIZABETH MILLER:

- A. William Gideon, b. 11-2-1824, d. 2-2-1890, m. 7-21-1850, his cousin, Helen Ann Miller, b. 10-2-1826, d. 3-13-1898. For issue see family of John Miller II.
- B. John James, b. 7-1-1825, died an infant.
- C. Anna Catherine, b. 9-29-1826, d. 7-28-1887, m. 1-21-1847, her cousin, John Green Miller, 2-16-1821 to 10-19-1888. For issue, see family of John Miller II.
- D. Mary Eliza, b. 2-14-1829, m. 12-22-1859, Thornton Stringfellow, had one child who died an infant.
- E. John Roberts, b. 1-9-1831, d. 12-24-1876, unmarried.
- F. Charles Franklin, b. 4-26-1833, d. 3-13-1906, unmarried, lived in Cheyenne, Wyoming.
- G. Henry Judson, b. 8-6-1835, unmarried, lived in Danville, Va.
- H. Louisa Ellen, b. 10-27-1873, d. 9-18-1885, unmarried.
- I. Julia Frances, b. 5-29-1840, d. 6-3-1901, m. 1-15-1862 Major Charles Waite.
  1. Elizabeth Henry, b. 10-22-1862, d. 8-7-1931, unmarried.
  2. Mary Louise, b. 4-30-1866, d. 1-18-1933, unmarried.
  3. Frances Poindexter, b. 3-22-1868, d. 9-30-1933, married 11-28-1888, Henry Davis Blake, b. 9-21-1862 died 3-7-1933.
    - a. Julia Miller, b. 3-18-1890, m. 6-6-1915, Baxter Lee Fentress, b. 10-23-1889.
      - (1) Frances Ogburn, b. 6-11-1918, married 12-7-1940, Edward Westray Chappell.
      - (2) Baxter Lee, Jr., b. 8-19-1924.
    - b. John Bennett, b. 12-29-1891, d. 5-30-1892.
    - c. Charles Joseph, b. 10-1-1894, m. 11-13-1920, Lucy Louise Leavell, b. 8-2-1897.
      - (1) Charles Joseph, Jr., b. 12-3-1921.

Children of Henry and Elizabeth Miller, continued:

- d. Henry Davis, Jr., b. 4-27-1896, m. 1-21-1937, Blanche Newton Leavell, b. 8-13-1900.
  - (1) Frances Byrd, b. 8-11-1939.
- e. Lucy Person, b. 4-4-1898, m. 12-21-1921, Henry Maclin, III, b. 9-24-1897.
  - (1) Henry Maclin, IV, b. 1-28-1924.
  - (2) Nelson Blake, b. 7-13-1929.
  - (3) Charles Waite, b. 12-14-1934, Ordained an Episcopalian minister, m. 6-21-1959.
- f. Emma Roberts, b. 3-30-1899, m. 11-1-1935, Frank Cabineas Pollard, b. 7-23-1899.
- 4. Charles Miller, b. 10-14-1870, m. 11-12-1902, Catherine Payne, 9-29-1876 - 2-26-1943, daughter of Crimora Yancey Payne.
  - a. Crimora Yancey, b. 7-2-1906.
  - b. Julia Miller, b. 6-28-1910, m. Dr. John Lewis Walker.
    - (1) John Lewis, III, b. 11-7-1942.
  - c. Catherine Payne, b. 7-22-1916, m. 12-12-1944, Henry de Rosset.
- 5. William Crigler, b. 4-28-1878, d. 11-28-1941.
- J. George Brereton, b. 7-14-1842, d. 10-18-1903, unmarried.
- K. Bettie James, b. 7-12-1845, d. 6-3-1864, unmarried, attended Hollins College, 1863-64.
- L. Lucy Brown, b. 2-28-1847, d. 8-5-1864, unmarried.
- M. Emma Asenath, b. 7-29-1850, d. 1919, m. 2-15-1872, Major William Henry Fray, d. 1-24-1927.
  - 1. William Henry, Jr., died 6-26-1946, m. Eva Beard, lived at Fort Smith, Ark., no issue.
  - 2. John Miller, b. 8-18-1887, Col. U. S. Army, married Evelyn Green.
    - a. Evelyn Green, m.I: 3-4-1943, Lt. Lloyd Eugene Terry, m.II: 5-29-1948, Matthew Williamson Watts.
    - b. William Henry II, m. 2-28-1942, Harriet Anne Taylor.
    - c. Elizabeth Green, m. 6-9-1944, Louis Gamble.
  - 3. Louise, m. John Nicholas Bickers, (1888-1948). No issue.

V. GEORGE MILLER

Born 9-29-1798, "Mountain Green", died 2-13-1837, Robertson  
County, Tennessee

Father - John Miller I

Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married, 11-7-1825, ELEANOR R. ALLENSWORTH.

Born, 8-8-1805, died, 9-12-1880.

George Miller was preparing for a sale before moving from Robertson County, Tennessee, to Mackinaw, Illinois, when he was kicked by a horse and killed. He is buried in a cemetery located in the front yard on the Allensworth-Kay farm at Guthrie, Kentucky. His widow moved to Mackinaw, riding side-saddle all the way, and holding her son, Philip J. F. Miller, about three months old, on her lap. She married her dead sister's husband, who was also her cousin, Philip Allensworth, and had several children. After Philip died, she was married a third time, to Vivian Holmes. It is said that from her three marriages she had a grand total of twenty-three children! However, they did not all live. Eleanor sometimes entertained Abraham Lincoln when he visited in Mackinaw, and some of her descendants have cut glass dishes that she used when he was her guest. She is buried at Gaines Cemetery, south of Mackinaw. We are concerned with only the following two of her alleged twenty-three children:

- A. Elizabeth -- of whom nothing is known.
- B. Philip J. F., b. 11-4-1836, in Tennessee, d. 10-8-1892 of cancer. M. Martha Frances Adams, of Christian County, Ky., b. 4-4-1835 at Little Mountain, Ill., and died 7-15-1925.
  - 1. Ida Pamela, b. 3-13-1857, d. 1-3-1920, m. 12-13-1877, Lyman P. Dunham, a farmer, b. 1848, d. 1934.
    - a. Myrtle Eddice, b. 9-6-1878, d. 2-5-1945, m. 9-26-1900, William W. Speece, a farmer.
      - (1) Frances, b. 11-1-1901, m. 11-14-1925, Paul R. Workman, both taught school at Pekin, Ill.
        - (a) Mary Ellen, b. 10-19-1926, married 4-29-1949, William H. Orth.
          - (al) Margaret Ann, b. 9-9-1957.
    - b. John Lyman, b. 8-15-1881, d. 4-25-1890, unmarried.
    - c. Mabel, b. 2-18-1886, m. 10-15-1909, Sherman Littler.

Children of George and Eleanor Miller, continued:

- (1) Mark Dunham, b. 9-3-1911.
- (2) John Robert, b. 6-29-1921.
2. Elizabeth Kay, b. 12-5-1858, d. 3-20-1922, married 10-28-1885, Francis Albert Puterbaugh, 1855-1924.
  - a. Martha Frances, b. 8-13-1887, d. 12-21-1944, m. 12-7-1904, Ben Hoffman, b. 12-22-1882, died 1-17-1947.
    - (1) Bernard Francis, b. 5-20-1912, married 3-26-1938, Helen Mae Latwiller.
      - (a) Barbara Sue, b. 8-16-1943.
      - (b) Sally Lou, b. 11-24-1946.
  - b. Eva Delores, b. 7-3-1892, m. 2-16-1915, Lester B. Ewins, b. 7-23-1889, d. 5-14-1919.
    - (1) Elizabeth Ann, b. 12-26-1916, m. 8-12-1943 Lyndon B. Smith, divorced in 1950.
3. George Adams, b. 10-19-1860, d. 10-21-1920, m. 1-1-1885, Mary Jane Haybarger, b. 8-25-1861, died 12-25-1951.
  - a. Lettie Mae, b. 6-8-1888, m. 1-25-1912, Lee Boyle, b. 4-25-1882.
    - (1) One child, died an infant.
  - b. Philip Earl, b. 1-8-1891, m. 9-23-1912, Elizabeth Kearby.
    - (1) Elizabeth, b. 10-10-1917, m. 2-19-1943, Earl Geiger.
      - (a) Kay Beth, b. 6-1-1944.
  - c. John Walter, b. 1-9-1898, m. 1-30-1919, Emma Anna Caroline Schultz.
    - (1) Harold Alvin, b. 1-8-1921, m. 11-23-1944, Jessica Elinore Bogar. No issue.
    - (2) Donald Eugene, b. 11-20-1922, d. 4-2-1929.
    - (3) Roland Lee, b. 10-13-1924, m. 3-30-1947, Maxine Sims.
      - (a) Claude Eugene, b. 6-9-1948.
      - (b) Darrel Lynn, b. 8-19-1950.
      - (c) Paul Stuart, b. 3-19-1953.
4. Mary Eleanor, b. 10-26-1863, d. 11-11-1936, m. 10-28-1885, Smith Karnes, d. 9-7-1939.
  - a. Robert Miller, b. 5-18-1888, d. 3-26-1949. He was a sheep-buyer and rancher and was always called "Miller". He married Rella F. Appleman on 1-2-1908. They were divorced. He married 2nd, Marie Love, and after her death, he married Allicia Seamans, 7-2-1938. Issue of his first marriage:
    - (1) Robert Madison, b. 7-14-1909, m. 6-1-1936.

Children of George and Eleanor Miller, continued:

- (a) Cleo, b. 3-9-1938.
- (b) Carl Robert, b. 12-13-1940, twin.
- (c) Rosalie Ethel, b. 12-13-1940, twin.
- 5. Susan Frances, b. 4-2-1867, d. 10-2-1870.
- 6. Benjamin Franklin, b. 12-7-1871, d. 5-13-1944.  
M. 3-29-1893, Maud Pearl Hittle, d. 8-30-1948.
  - a. Hazel Juanita, b. 4-30-1895, m.I: 1925,  
Ernest Stent (1894-1938), m.II: Howard Ray Fluegel.
  - b. Sophanna Marie, b. 8-9-1899, m. 4-7-1920,  
Charles Jacob Johnston, b. 1-28-1886,  
died 11-5-1958.
    - (1) Rada Jeanette, b. 4-8-1921, m. 12-12-1949,  
Harold Richard Lay, b. 5-13-1925.
      - (a) Jeanette Marie, b. 2-12-1953.
      - (b) Julie Ann, b. 8-11-1954.
  - c. Philip Teaford, b. 10-30-1907, m.I: 9-7-1929,  
Edith White, divorced, no issue, m.II: Mrs.  
Helen Schuppy Gordon, on 8-12-1934, born  
12-1-1905.
    - (1) Her son, born in 1929 to a former marriage,  
was adopted by Philip on 2-25-1944, and  
his name was changed to Philip Teaford  
Miller, Jr.
  - d. Harold Franklin, b. 4-12-1911, d. 4-15-1911.
- 7. Charles R., b. 9-8-1874, d. 1-11-1877.  
He choked to death on a bullet.

VI. SARAH MILLER

Born, 7-16-1800, "Mountain Green", died, 1878.

Father - John Miller I

Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married 1-16-1817, GEORGE THORNTON WHEATLEY.

Died about 1858.

They lived at "Homeland".

CHILDREN OF GEORGE AND SARAH WHEATLEY:

- A. Nancy, married Richard N. Johnson, of Fauquier Co., Va.  
1. Juliet A., b. 1854, d. 1902, unmarried.  
2. Kate, d. ca. 1933, unmarried.  
3. Nellie, b. 1860, d. 1878, unmarried.  
4. Benjamin Franklin, m.I: Lucie Margaret Davis,  
m.II: Blanche T. Wynne. He owned the largest  
publishing house in the South, located in Richmond.  
5. Dollie, m. William H. Aylor, of Madison Co., Va.  
6. Josephine, d. 1930, unmarried.
- B. Elizabeth E., m. the Rev. Robert Leachman of near  
Manassas, Va., no issue.
- C. George, m. Jane Brown. They went to Texas. Nothing  
is known about his family except that he left two  
children who died without issue.
- D. John Henry, m. Tabitha Johnson, no issue.
- E. Amanda, m. 1865, Nimrod Greene, a member of the Black  
Horse Cavalry, which was formed in 1858, "largely of  
the flower of Fauquier County, the young farmers of  
the county, and citizens of Warrenton, Va., all of  
whom were chivalrous, patriotic and brave."  
1. Mary Ashton, b. 1866, m. William Isaac Steele.  
a. Virginia Katherine, m. her cousin, John Webb  
Fry, Jr.  
b. Kyle Bear, m. Marjorie Coates.  
(1) Kyle Whitney  
(2) Marjorie Ashton, m. Jean Claude Maurice.  
c. William Isaac, Jr., m. Maria Randolph Carter.  
(1) Claiborne Carter  
(2) William Beverly  
(3) Shirley  
d. Jefferson Milton, m. Harriet Cowling.  
(1) Mary Louise  
(2) Jefferson Milton, Jr.  
(3) Annie DeWitt, died young.  
e. Joseph Wallace, b. 1904, d. 1913.  
f. John Ashton, m. Lulu Williams, no issue.
2. Sarah Lee, died 1904, unmarried.

Children of George and Sarah Wheatley, continued:

3. Caledonia Rush, m. Milton Lightner.
  - a. Gordon Hitt, m. Amelia Bain, no issue.
  - b. Lillian, m. Joseph E. Norman.
  - c. Louis Woodward, m. Estelle Burgess.
  - d. Virginia Lee, deceased.
  - e. Wheatley Milton, m. Hazel Sturgel.
  - f. Samuel Nimrod, m. Bernice Thomas.
  - g. Caledonia Jane, m. Robert D. Walker.
  - h. George Greene, deceased.
  - i. Thomas Ashton L., m. Benson Terrell.
4. Elizabeth Brierly, m. Robert Fravel.
  - a. Paul, m. Hilda Lotts.
  - b. Robert, m. Rhone Smith.
  - c. Elizabeth, unmarried.
  - d. Louise, m. Alexander Gordon.
5. Milton Erastus, m. Janie Trimble.
  - a. Frances Virginia, unmarried.
  - b. Sarah Jane, m. Philip A. Groll.
  - c. Mary, m. David Bell.
  - d. Nimrod Milton, m. Lelia Painter, divorced.
  - e. Joseph Trimble, m. Madeline Vines.
- F. Sarah, died at age of 18, unmarried.
- G. Mary, m. Reuben B. Hitt.
  1. Fannie, m. Alexander Davis.
  2. Louisa, m. ----- Helfin, five children, names unknown.
  3. Emma, m. Ferdinand Cockrell, 6 children, names unknown.
  4. Wheatley, died in Mexico.
  5. Asenath, died unmarried.
  6. Belle, unmarried.
- H. Asenath, m.I: William Jett of Fauquier Co., Va.  
m.II: ----- Baker.
- I. Emily, m. Joseph Johnson of Prince William Co., Va.
  1. Infant child died.
  2. Josephine, died young.
  3. George William, m. Mrs. Hannah Smiddey, four children, names unknown.
  4. Sarah Elizabeth, unmarried.
  5. Annie Miller
  6. Joseph Benjamin, m. Fannie Simpson.
    - a. Emily James
    - b. Joseph Henley
    - c. Wheatley Miller, of Manassas, Va.
    - d. Elizabeth Johnson
    - e. Joseph Benjamin, Jr.
    - f. Infant child died.

VII. JOHN MILLER ("POPLAR JOHN")

Born 3-2-1802, "Mountain Green", died April, 1882, at "Mount Vernon", his home on the Thornton River.

Father - John Miller I  
Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married, 12-10-1835, MARY JORDAN.

Father - Absalom, son of Thomas Jordan.

John built a home which he called "Mount Vernon", on the Thornton River.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND MARY MILLER:

- A. Eastham Jordan, b. 10-13-1836, d. May, 1861, in the Confederate Army, unmarried.
- B. Ann Elizabeth, b. 10-28-1838, d. 11-11-1839.
- C. Eliza Edmonia, b. 6-28-1840, d. 2-24-1901, m. her cousin, Edward Thompson Jones, b. 12-26-1831, d. 11-6-1920, son of Eliza Miller Jones.
  1. Edward Bartow, b. 6-7-1861, m. Elizabeth Harnsberger of Point Pleasant, W. Va.
    - a. Edward Bartow, Jr., m. Nedra Wilhelm in 1931.
  2. John Brereton, b. 6-4-1864, d. 8-5-1951, married 10-21-1885, Helen Morton Eastham, Huntsville, TX.
    - a. Edward Byrd d. John Brereton, Jr.
    - b. Morton Norrine e. Elsie, died young
    - c. Helen Liddella f. Austin Miller
  3. Annie Washington, b. 9-18-1866, d. 9-27-1944.

M.I: Rev. Samuel C. Clopton, Baptist minister.

    - a. Edward Jones, b. 11-12-1893, m. 4-2-1929 Alexina Isabella Bell, b. 12-18-1902, Baltimore, Maryland. Father - George Allison Wetherall Bell, Mother -- Mabel Stevens.
      - (1) Edward Jones, Jr., b. 10-4-1930, m. 11-29-1957, June Joy Liberty, b. 6-27-1932, Newport News, Va.
        - (a) Terri Ann c. Edward Jones, III
        - (b) Sandra Lee d. Charles Scott
    - b. Eliza Turpin, b. 6-27-1901, m. Aug. 1925, Henry Watkins Anderson, Jr.
      - (1) Henry Watkins, III, b. 7-7-1932.
      - (2) Anne Clopton, b. 4-2-1935, m. 6-25-1950, William Bellinger Northrop.

M.II: her cousin, William Grimsley Wood, b. 3-3-1861, no issue.
  4. Jesse Franklin, b. 7-21-1870, d. 4-24-1944, married 10-10-1910, his cousin, Willie Gates Moffett, born 3-18-1884, d. 9-20-1961. For issue see family of Jesse and Frances Corbin Miller.

Children of "Poplar John" and Mary Jordan Miller, cont'd:

5. James Tuloss, b. 7-14-1874, d. 11-21-1933, married Edith Virginia Green, of Markham, Va. She died 12-18-1922.
  - a. James Robert Green, b. 7-14-1909, married, 1-25-1936, Anna Mae Rudik, b. 10-26-1916.
  - b. Edith Virginia, b. 7-27-1912, m. 7-31-1937, James Mulford Pharr.
    - (1) James Mulford, Jr., b. 4-20-1941, m. 10-20-1966, Sandra Marie Thomas.
  - c. Katherine Rogers, b. 1915, m. 4-23-1938, Theodore Clay Lake.
    - (1) Elizabeth Rogers, b. 5-21-1940, died July, 1947
    - (2) Tuloss Ludwell, b. 5-21-1940.
- D. Robert Emmett, b. 1-2-1843, d. 3-8-1928, m. 11-26-1874, Elizabeth Rust, b. 5-7-1854, d. 10-1-1949.
  1. Mary Marshall, b. 3-19-1876, m. M. Cabell Woodward, who died 3-6-1940, lived at "Elden".
    - a. M. Cabell, Jr., b. 7-1-1902, d. 1-30-1981, married Feb. 1926, Anna Cary, of Baltimore, Md.
      - (1) M. Cabell, III, b. 1-29-1929, m. Helen Boushet of Wilmington, N.C.
      - (2) Wilson Miles Cary, b. 8-30-1930, married 6-26-1959, Margaret Simons Clarkson.
        - (a) Cama Clarkson, b. 10-15-1963.
        - (b) Mary Marshall, b. 1-9-1969.
    - b. Elizabeth Marshall, b. 2-12-1906, d. 7-8-1933, m. Nov. 1928, George H. Cornelson.
      - (1) George H., Jr., b. 7-14-1931, m. 10-6-1956, Ann Shaw.
  2. Caroline Rust, b. 3-27-1878, d. 3-2-1966, m.I: 11-26-1912, Rev. Williams James Reynolds, who died 7-12-1921.
    - a. Jane Blair, b. 12-1-1913, d. April, 1914.
    - b. Robert, b. 10-31-1915, m. 12-21-1940, Harriet Sharwood.  
M.II: 1-9-1926, Holmes Hall, 1879-1943, no issue.
  3. Robert Warwick, b. 10-31-1879, m. 10-28-1909, Louise Funston Kinsey, b. 1890, d. 5-30-1962.
    - a. Robert Emmett, b. 10-1-1910, d. 2-8-1966.
    - b. George Kinsey, b. 5-19-1915.
    - c. John Rust, b. June, 1928.
  4. John, born and died in 1881.
  5. William Rust, born and died in 1890.
- E. John Byron ("Polk"), b. 9-26-1844, d. 10-12-1915, m.I: 12-3-1868, Rebecca Smith, b. 9-13-1847, died 12-3-1885, daughter of Cornelius and Tabitha Browning Smith.

Children of "Poplar John" and Mary Jordan Miller, cont'd:

1. Bertha, b. 10-13-1869, d. 10-15-1918 in flu epidemic, m. 9-26-1904, Joseph Hill O'Bannon, born 4-30-1869, no issue.
2. John Clifford, b. 3-12-1871, d. 5-28-1927, married 11-4-1903, Mary Lucile Nelson, b. 11-6-1875. She was the daughter of Lewis Porter Nelson and his third wife, Mary Elizabeth Grinnan.
  - a. Margaret Belle, b. 10-31-1904, d. 11-15-1927, unmarried.
  - b. Rebecca Smith, b. 6-1-1906, m. 9-10-1932, Collins Denny, Jr., b. 6-10-1899.
    - (1) Collins, III, b. 12-5-1933, m. 6-26-1957 to Katherine Anne Carples, b. 2-14-1934.
    - (2) Clifford Miller, b. 6-5-1937.
  - c. John Clifford, Jr., b. 2-5-1908, m. 10-26-1935, Barbara Lizora Schoolfield, b. 10-29-1913.
    - (1) Lizora Schoolfield, b. 10-27-1937. M. 10-10-1962, Samuel McClay Yonce.
  - d. Lewis Nelson, b. 8-8-1912, m. 10-26-1940, Debora Ballinger Smith, b. 5-24-1914.
3. Hugh Byron, b. 6-25-1875, d. 2-12-1931, m. 4-25-1906, Cordelia Vaughan Ewing, b. 9-18-1885.
  - a. Margaret Anna, b. 3-5-1911, m. 8-22-1936, John Mercer Slaughter, b. 10-4-1907. M.II: 11-11-1908, his cousin, Mary Virginia Miller, a descendant of Adam Miller. No issue. They lived at "Mt. Vernon".
- F. Mary Ann, b. 1-12-1848, m. Major T. Towson Smith. She attended Hollins College 1862-1865.
  1. Louise Jordan, art teacher, died unmarried.
  2. May Eleanor, musician, died 1-12-1846, unmarried.
  3. Edith Blackwell, died young.
  4. Towson Eastham, b. 1880, d. 7-10-1956.

IX. NANCY MILLER

Born, 3-14-1806, Mountain Green.

Father - John Miller I

Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married first 2-20-1823, DR. JOHNSON TAYLOR.

Born 1-12-1797.

Died 11-1-1824.

Father - Timothy Taylor, of

Loudon County, Virginia.

Apparently Nancy and Johnson had to get married. They had a little boy who lived only six days (Nov. 13 to 19, 1823) and who died unnamed. A year later Dr. Taylor died. Nancy later married a Mr. Carter. There was no issue from this marriage.

Concerning the death of the little boy, the following appears in the Miller family Bible. Who composed the verses and who wrote them in the Bible is unknown. We can only guess that it was Nancy, and after all these years our heart goes out to her in her suffering.

Sweet babe, oh whither hast thou fled -  
To regions of unfading bliss?  
Yes, Heaven's downy pillows form thy bed,  
And there, thy Saviour thou canst kiss.

'Tis done -- the debt is paid, to pay no more,  
And earth thy body now contains.  
To Heaven thy spirit now wilt soar  
And there be freed from earthly pains.

Angels, unbar the Heavenly gates --  
Let my sweet babe draw nigh,  
Admit him to your golden plates,  
And feast with him on high.

XI. LUCY MILLER

Born, 12-17-1809, Mountain Green, died 1-14-1877.

Father - John Miller I

Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married, 1825, JOHN HAYWARD WOOD.

Born 1793, died 1843.

Father - William Wood

Mother - Mary Ann Clark

(In 1761, a John Wood lived in Fauquier County, Va., on the road from Delaplane up Goose Creek to Manassas Gap.)

John and Lucy lived at "Oak Hill", Sperryville, Va.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND LUCY WOOD:

- A. Mary Amanda, b. 1826, d. 1912, m. 9-19-1842,  
Dr. Adolphus W. Read (1818--1893).
1. Mollie, b. 1843, d. April 1922, m. Robert W. Eastham, b. 2-28-1842, d. 4-7-1924, the grandson of John Dabney and Mary Routt Dulaney Browning.
    - a. Eliza Eastham, died young.
  2. Annie, b. 3-24-1845, d. 2-7-1922, m. 9-2-1879,  
James William Wayman, b. 10-11-1835, d. 8-10-1906.
    - a. Cullen E., b. 5-15-1880, unmarried.
    - b. James W., Jr., b. 10-19-1881, unmarried.
    - c. Hugh, b. 1-9-1884, d. 5-28-1884.
    - d. Clara, b. 6-9-1885, m. 4-19-1911, Claude D. Teer, b. 10-5-1881.
      - (1) Annie Faye, b. 3-22-1912.
    - e. Austin, b. 7-9-1888, d. 7-22-1888.
  3. John W., b. 11-18-1846, m. I: Mary L. Low,  
who died Jan. 1876.
    - a. Louise, b. 1-7-1876, m. 12-21-1898, Charles Ernest Van Meter, b. 11-26-1876.
      - (1) Dorothy, b. 3-9-1900, m. 10-10-1922,  
Raymond E. Raymond, b. 4-30-1900.
        - (a) Nancy Louise, b. 10-13-1927.
      - (2) John Read, b. 2-22-1902.
      - (3) Walter Lee, b. 1-22-1904.
      - (4) Margaret Louise, b. 6-19-1911.
- M. II: 4-25-1878, Margaret M. Williams, who died 4-18-1917. He served the last year of the Civil War in Mosby's Command.
- b. Mary Lee, b. 3-1-1879, m. 11-21-1900, Francis Slaughter Read, b. 6-18-1860, d. 8-8-1928.
    - (1) Helen, b. 8-29-1902, m. 12-1-1926,  
Arthur Stumpe.

Children of John and Lucy Wood, continued:

- c. Ella, b. Sept. 1881, m. 6-22-1904, L. B. Bass, born 9-20-1879.
  - (1) Sarah E., born and died March 28, 1915.
- d. Charles Austin, b. 10-11-1883, m. Margaret Markell McNew, b. 4-28-1894.
  - (1) Margaret Ruth, b. 2-15-1923.
- e. John W., Jr., b. 1-19-1887, m. 9-26-1914, Julia Kirtley, b. 7-12-1889.
  - (1) Martha, b. 1-24-1917.
- f. Margaret W., b. April 1892, unmarried.
- 4. Charles, died in Georgia, m. Mary Brent.
  - a. Herbert
- B. Ann, b. 1827 or 1828. First wife of her cousin, Middleton Miller, no issue.
- C. Charles Burrell, b. 10-18-1829, d. 11-5-1901, married 11-17-1853, his cousin, Mary Elizabeth Miller, born, 7-31-1835. She was the daughter of Warner and Lucy Miller. For issue, see family of Henry II and Achsah Warner Miller.
- D. Sarah Catherine (Kate), b. 11-4-1831, m. 1853, her cousin, Henry Brent Miller, b. 10-7-1821, the son of Henry Miller III and his wife, Lydia Moore. For issue, see family of Henry II and Achsah Warner Miller.
- E. John William, b. 12-14-1833, d. 10-3-1923. He was the first member of the family to be born at "Oak Hill". M: 9-6-1859, Eliza Ann Hopkins, b. 12-11-1842, died 12-11-1929. Charles N. Wood, his son, who follows, wrote in 1933 that his father once told him that his mother, Lucy Miller Wood, gave him a horse, saddle and bridle and \$1000 in gold in 1852, when he was 19 years old, and started him on his way west. He arrived at Platte City, Mo., near Kansas City, and drifted north to Linden, Atchison Co., Mo., where he and others from Rappahannock County started a string of four or five stores along the "California Trail". He married Eliza Ann Hopkins at Linden, Mo., on 9-6-1859. In 1865, they moved to Magnolia, Iowa, where he was interested in a store, and served four years as county treasurer. In 1877, the family moved to "Highland Farm", near Logan, Iowa, and in 1900, to Logan. They raised a family of eleven children.
  - 1. Charles Nelson, b. 3-15-1861, m. April 1893, to May Phelps.
    - a. Bina, unmarried, b. 7-24-1894, lived in Chicago.
    - b. James Phelps, b. 5-3-1896, lived in New York.
    - c. Quintan, b. 5-31-1897, unmarried, lived in Logan, Ia.

Children of John and Lucy Wood, continued:

- d. Elizabeth Ann, b. 9-20-1899, unmarried, a twin.
- e. Ann Eliza, b. 9-20-1899, a twin, m. Merle Wetton.
  - (1) Victoria Hoover, b. 6-29-1933.
- f. Ashford Miller, b. 11-7-1903, m. Barbara Dewell.
- g. Venita Virginia, b. 1-6-1910, unmarried.
- 2. Mary Alice, b. 9-15-1862, m. John E. Mellett, 5-19-1892.
  - a. Will Wood, b. 9-21-1896, m. Mildred Freeman.
    - (1) Georgia Lee, b. 1932.
  - b. John Ernest, b. 12-29-1900, m. Edith Forsythe.
- 3. William Henry, b. 2-15-1864, d. 1-3-1927, married 12-20-1892, Mary Adams.
  - a. John Adams, b. 8-9-1895, d. 1902.
  - b. Frank Quincy, b. 12-1-1897, m. Gladys Jones.
    - (1) John William, b. 1926.
- 4. John Franklin, b. 3-16-1866, d. 7-12-1932, married 1-9-1895, Margaret Musgrave, had a family.
- 5. Catherine Hopkins, b. 1-14-1868, d. 1881.
- 6. Anna Eliza, b. 2-11-1870, d. 12-19-1919, married 1-9-1896, William Samuel Baird, d. 1933.
  - a. John William, b. 1-13-1897, m. 1929, Lucy Jane Robinson.
  - b. William Samuel, Jr., b. 4-21-1899, died 1925.
  - c. Lucy Wood, b. Sept. 1901, d. 1911.
  - d. Robert Michael, b. 2-21-1905, m. 1933, Dorothy Burton.
  - e. Donald Patrick, b. 9-9-1908.
  - f. Margaret, b. 6-28-1912, d. 1922.
- 7. Lucy Miller Wood, M.D., b. 9-20-1871, unmarried. Practiced medicine in Logan, Iowa.
- 8. Eleanor Virginia, b. 9-22-1873, m. 9-8-1897, Frank E. Phelps.
  - a. Frank N., Jr., b. 3-22-1907, unmarried.
- 9. Effie Louise, b. 4-24-1876, d. 10-19-1903.
- 10. James Brereton, b. 1-19-1879, m. 6-17-1908,
  - a. Bonar Brereton, b. 2-7-1910
- 11. Edward Jones, b. 8-5-1881, d. 8-14-1931, married 11-1-1906, Eleanor Herren.
  - a. Eleanor Herren, b. 11-12-1908, unmarried.
  - b. John William, b. 1910, d. 1912.
  - c. James Nelson, b. 12-26-1912.
  - d. Edward Jones, Jr., b. 10-28-1915.
  - e. Robert Hayward, b. 4-7-1926.
  - f. Richard Carroll, b. 9-2-1929.
- F. George Miller, m. Martha Grimsley, daughter of the Rev. Barnett Grimsley, Baptist minister, and his wife, Ruth.

Children of John and Lucy Wood, continued:

1. William Grimsley, b. 3-3-1861, d. 1-29-1946, m.I: Elizabeth ("Bessie") Browning. No issue. They were divorced. He married second, his cousin and childhood sweetheart, Annie Jones Clopton, widow of the Rev. Samuel Clopton. She was born 9-18-1866, and died 9-26-1944. They lived at "Ivy Hill". For her issue, see family of "Poplar John" Miller.
2. Lucy, died unmarried.
3. Annie Ashworth, b. 1865, d. 1-21-1941, unmarried.
4. Mary Ruth, b. 1866, d. 1-14-1941, m. William Millan.
  - a. Frank, died unmarried.
5. John Hayward, b. 1868, d. 5-15-1950, he left the county on 8-2-1892 and never returned.
6. Susie, d. 1927, m. Charles Edward Johnson, D.D.S., who was born in 1865, died 4-21-1951.
  - a. Wood, died of flu in France in World War I.
  - b. Lucy Miller, b. 1898, d. 9-1-1934, m. Bernard Varner.
  - c. Charles Edward, Jr., m. 6-1-1935, Elizabeth Branch.
    - (1) Charles Edward, III, b. 6-14-1936, m. 6-24-1961, Paula Lee Dohme.
    - (2) Elizabeth Hertzog, b. 9-2-1939, m. 8-15-1959, Harold Wayne Jones.
  - d. Frank Daniel, U.S. Navy.
7. James Barnett, m.I: Nellie Johnson, b. 1874, died 7-5-1942, she was a sister of Dr. C. E. Johnson who married her husband's sister, Susie. They were divorced.
  - a. Henry Barnett, m. Julia Quaintance.
    - (1) Henry Barnett, Jr., m. Betty Ann Blanton, 8-27-1963.
      - (a) Henry Barnett, III
  - b. James Hill, b. 1895, d. 2-24-1961, married Virginia Browning.
    - (1) James Hill, Jr.
    - (2) Jean Browning, m. 8-18-1948, Joseph Ivan Brown.
- M.II: Nellie Coates Grady, a divorcee.
  - c. Ann Grimsley, m. 11-9-1946, Edward Gordon Hilldrip.
8. Georgie, b. 1874, d. 2-21-1963, m. William Cary Stout, b. 3-11-1879, d. 12-12-1954.
  - a. Anne Davis, m. 3-2-1940, James Robert Adams. They have three children.
9. Thomas Amon, b. 1878, d. 10-27-1938, m. Daisy Sealock, b. 8-29-1886, d. 11-7-1945.

Children of John and Lucy Wood, continued:

- a. Mildred, m. Robert Earl Many, first, then William Henry Mantz, second. Issue from first marriage.
    - (1) Rachel Jeanette, b. 1-20-1939.
    - (2) Sue Jacqueline
  - b. Irene, m. I: Charles Russell Anderson.  
M. II: Larry Buckley.
  - c. George Warren, b. 1912, d. 3-10-1961,  
m. 8-21-1948, Mary Ann Nethers. No issue.
  - d. Kitty, m. Charles E. Huff, Jr.
  - e. Rebecca, m. 7-17-1937, Walter Otway Jones.
  - f. Rachel Emogene, m. 5-25-1946, John Andrews Piehler.
- G. Henry Ashford, m. Lucy Smith, sister of Rebecca, who was John (Polk) Miller's first wife.
1. J. Hunton, d. 5-14-1938, unmarried, lived at "Meadowside". Served in the House of Delegates from Page and Rappahannock Cos., 1904-5.
  2. Frank, died unmarried.
  3. Charles Russell, b. 6-20-1872, d. 12-20-1949. M. 1899, his cousin, Eliza R. Wood, lived at "Woodlawn". No issue.
  4. William Henry, d. 4-24-1945, m. Mary Hunter, who died 6-14-1960.
    - a. William Henry, Jr., m. 1-9-1939, Myra Elizabeth Wayland.
      - (1) William Henry, III, b. 10-28-1939, m. 5-28-1966, Carole Jean Miller.
      - (2) Dorothy Jean, b. 1-4-1941, m. Glenn V. Binns.
    - b. Dorothy Hunter
- H. James Madison, b. 8-17-1840, d. 7-4-1924, m. 4-8-1868 to Anna E. Bragg, b. 8-21-1848, d. 10-28-1928.
1. Frances Claire, d. 4-14-1943, m. Dr. William Jackson Smith.
    - a. James Fielding, b. 1899, m. 1-17-1942, Launah Fulton, b. ca. 1899.
    - b. Anna, m. James Rodes Brown.
      - (1) Frances Reid, m. her cousin, Philip Lee Thornton, Jr., Feb. 1941.
      - (2) James Rodes, Jr., m. 9-22-1947, Margaret Lyle Thornton, sister of Philip Lee Thornton, Jr.
      - (3) William Jackson, m. 9-14-1951, Helen Louise Button.
      - (4) Ann Bragg, m. 4-29-1950, Rev. Paul Thompson.

Children of John and Lucy Wood, continued:

2. John Walton, b. 7-23-1877, d. 5-28-1948, married 9-9-1903, Sarah ("Susie") Hamrick Swindler, b. 4-3-1876, d. 2-28-1943.
  - a. Lois, b. 7-23-1905, d. 11-21-1968, m. 5-4-1925, her cousin, Benjamin Franklin Miller, U.S.A., b. 7-8-1880, d. 3-30-1959.
  - b. Mary Ann, b. 8-19-1908, m. 12-2-1933, Lowrie White Richardson, b. 9-21-1903.
    - (1) John Hillery, b. 11-22-1938, m. 4-14-1962, Barbara Pinder Rand.
- I. Brereton Jones, m. Nellie Davis Roberts, d. 2-9-1925. He was born in June, 1842, and died 8-13-1929.
  1. Martha ("Mattie"), m. her cousin, Robert Edward Miller, no issue.
  2. Eliza Roberts, m. 4-26-1899, her cousin, Charles Russell Wood, b. 6-20-1872, d. 12-20-1949, no issue.
  3. Lucy Henry, b. 8-6-1878, d. 2-3-1958, m. 6-14-1911, her cousin, Charles Dudley Wood, b. 8-14-1881, d. 4-19-1926. For issue, see family of Jesse and Frances Corbin Miller.

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XII. ELIZA MILLER

Born 12-16-1811, "Mountain Green", died 2-27-1899.  
Father - John Miller I  
Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married, JAMES BRERETON JONES  
Born, 2-1-1804, died, 2-14-1867.

A Brereton Jones lived in Fauquier Co. in 1759 - on the road from Falmouth to Winchester...On Dec. 20, 1828, William Bryan conveyed land to John Miller, adjoining that of, among others, James Jones. (Deeds #VV, p. 80)... They had two children:

- A. Edward Thompson, b. 12-26-1831, d. 11-6-1920, married his first cousin, Eliza Edmonia Miller, b. 6-38-1840, d. 2-24-1901, daughter of his uncle, Poplar John Miller. For issue, see Poplar John Miller family.
- B. Annie A., b. 7-1-1839, d. 8-18-1857, unmarried.

XIV. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN MILLER

Born 2-11-1817, "Mountain Green", died 5-9-1882, also at  
"Mountain Green".

Father - John Miller I  
Mother - Nancy Hitt

Married, 5-5-1842, SARAH EUSEBIA NEVILLE BROWNING.  
Born, 2-10-1824, died 2-13-1911.  
Father - John Dabney Browning  
Mother - Cassandra Haynie

CHILDREN OF FRANKLIN AND SARAH MILLER:

- A. Annie Cassandra, b. 3-14-1843, d. 11-11-1935, married 12-18-1867, Noah Hampson Keyser, b. 8-3-1830, d. 10-10-1894. For issue, see Noah Keyser family.
- B. A baby girl, died unnamed.
- C. Laura Frances, b. 1-2-1846, d. 10-27-1909, married 11-28-1866, Rev. James Foley Kemper, b. 5-20-1846, died 4-5-1913. He was a member of the V.M.I. class of 1864. He served as a private in Mosby's Battalion in the Civil War. He was a lawyer, and a Baptist clergyman. He was a trustee of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary...Shortly after their marriage, Laura had a mental breakdown, and had to be put into the psychiatric hospital in Staunton, Va., where she spent the rest of her life. Foley led a lonely life...He is buried at "Mountain Green". Laura attended Hollins College from 1861-1865. She may have graduated.
- D. Alice Sophronia, b. 12-16-1847, d. 2-12-1916. She attended Hollins College for three years, 1863, 4, and 5. She, too, had a mental breakdown -- the family thought because she had lost her sweetheart in the Civil War, and grieved too much. She never married.
- E. John James, b. 8-26-1849, d. 6-22-1923, m.I: 6-12-1879, Susan Watson Taylor, b. 11-3-1856, d. 4-23-1898. M.II: 1-18-1900, Evelyn May Tyler, b. 5-20-1869, died, 4-29-1956.
- F. Cora Eusebia, b. 3-5-1852, d. 10-17-1933, she attended Hollins College in 1864 and 1865. She married, on 12-21-1870, Andrew Tutt Botts, b. 9-13-1840, died 12-12-1928.
- G. Ella Brereton, b. 2-1-1854, d. 3-11-1925, m. 11-14-1877, Samuel Ringgold Armstrong, b. 12-10-1846, died 6-8-1923.
- H. Ida Franklin, b. 2-18-1856, d. 1-31-1941, in Fayette, Missouri, m. 12-21-1887, in Missouri, to John Newton Keyser, b. 9-17-1841, d. 6-29-1912. For issue, see family of Jacob Keyser.

Children of Franklin and Sarah Miller, continued:

- I. Florence Browning, b. 5-26-1860, d. 3-11-1943, in Culpeper. She attended Hollins College from 1878 to 1882, when she graduated. Shortly before she died, she returned to the college for its one-hundredth anniversary celebration, and she was honored as the college's oldest living alumna....On Sept. 16, 1887, she married James William Yancey, b. 4-18-1852, died 5-26-1924, and they lived at "Arlington", in Culpeper County, Virginia. They had three children:
  - 1. Ethel May, b.6-26-1888, died in 1904.
  - 2. James Powers, b. 3-11-1890, d. 6-8-1965, unmarried.
  - 3. William Miller, b. 5-3-1892, d. 5-3-1939.
    - M. 4-22-1914, his cousin, Willie St. Claire Newhouse, (b. 9-5-1891, d. 7-4-1971) a great-great-granddaughter of John Miller I of Mountain Green. They had three children:
      - a. William Miller, Jr., b. 4-15-1920, died 3-18-1962. M. Elaine Loving Brown.
      - b. Hamilton Newhouse, b. 5-29-1923, d. 10-3-1923.
      - c. Katherine Powers, b. 12-6-1925, m. 4-10-1947, William Matthew Eddy, Jr.
- J. Rosa Lee, b. 6-8-1862, d. 6-30-1935, m. 10-20-1885, William Clarke Benton, b. 3-2-1858, d. 11-23-1936.

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Franklin Miller was apparently an enlightened man for his age, for he saw to it that his daughters who wanted it received as good an education as was then available to women in the South. Until she was eleven years old, Annie, his oldest daughter, attended the little red brick schoolhouse in town called "The Academy", or later, "The Rabbit Gum". Just before the Civil War the teachers at The Academy were a Mr. and Mrs. Dow from somewhere up north. Instead of returning to their homes at the outbreak of hostilities, they endeared themselves to the whole community by casting their lot with their Southern neighbors. When a hospital for Union soldiers was established in their schoolhouse, they tended the wounded men who were brought to it, but their loyalty to the townspeople never wavered.

When she was eleven years old, Annie's father enrolled her in a boarding school for girls at "Kenmore", the lovely old home in Fredericksburg that Colonel Fielding Lewis had built for his bride, Betty, sister of George Washington. Hard times had befallen it and it had been

sold out of the family and turned into a "genteel" school for young ladies by Dr. William F. Broaddus, a retired Baptist minister who had started his preaching career at the old Mt. Salem Baptist Church which the Millers attended. It may have been here that Annie received instruction in drawing and painting that resulted in the numerous pictures that are now scattered among her grandchildren...Years later, when the ladies of Fredericksburg formed the Kenmore Association, and bought the lovely old mansion and planned to restore it to its original beauty, they visited Annie, then an old lady, and asked her many questions about the house as it was when she was a student there.

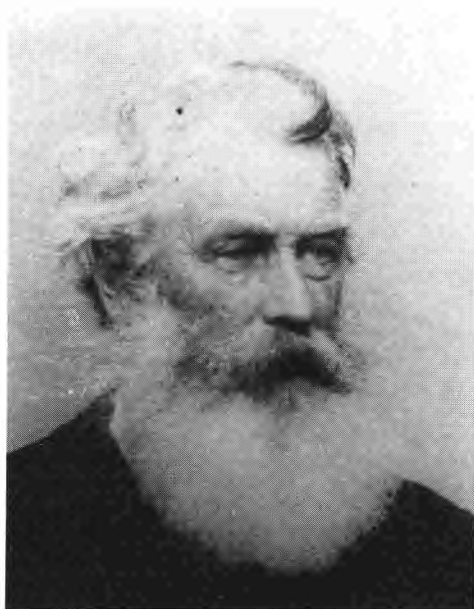
Just before the Civil War broke out, Annie and Laura entered Hollins College, and with them their cousin, Mary Ann, daughter of their father's brother, "Poplar John" Miller. (Hollins had been started as a Female Academy, on the outskirts of Roanoke, by a Baptist minister in 1842, but apparently had not been well managed, so a young Professor Cocke had taken it over in 1846, and it was so successful that it became Hollins College and bestowed its first degree in 1855.) After the beginning of hostilities Laura became ill with scarlet fever, and Annie had to take her home by stage coach - a long trip and much responsibility for the older sister....Laura and Mary Ann attended college for the next four years, and in 1863 were joined by Alice and Bettie James Miller, another cousin, the daughter of Franklin Miller's brother, Henry, and in 1864 by Cora, and Annie apparently returned for the years 1864 and 65. The last three years they were enrolled from Albemarle County, where Franklin Miller had moved his family to escape the harsh rule of the Federal General Pope, whose army was encamped just a few miles from Mountain Green. They "refugeed" there until 1865. What a tremendous job it must have been to move such a large family, with two babies! (Florence was just three and Rosa was one year old.) They buried the family silver beneath the bricks of one of the fireplaces, and left a few slaves in care of the house, and when they returned in 1865, everything had been well cared for.



Sarah Eusebia  
Neville Browning  
Miller

(Mrs. Benj. F.)

Benjamin Franklin  
Miller





Sarah Eusebia  
Neville Browning  
Miller

Alice Sophronia  
Miller





Florence Miller  
Yancey



James Foley  
Kemper

E. JOHN JAMES MILLER

Born, 8-26-1849, "Mountain Green" died 6-22-1923, also  
at "Mountain Green".  
Father - Benjamin Franklin Miller  
Mother - Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning

Married I: 6-12-1879, SUSAN WATSON TAYLOR.  
Born, 11-3-1856, died, 4-23-1898.  
Buried at Mountain Green Cemetery.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SUSAN MILLER:

1. Benjamin Franklin, b. 7-8-1880, d. 3-30-1959, married 5-4-1925, his cousin, Lois Wood (great-granddaughter of Lucy Miller and John Hayward Wood), b. 7-3-1905, died 11-21-1968. He was a colonel in the U. S. Army. Both are buried at Arlington National Cemetery.
2. Henry Taylor, M.D., b. 9-23-1881, d. 2-7-1943, m. Florence Katherine ("Flossie") Skinner, of Massachusetts, b. 3-26-1891, d. 1977, buried in Masonic Cemetery, Washington, Va. No issue. Henry was a prominent physician in D.C.
3. John James, Jr., b. 10-20-1883, d. 10-17-1918, no issue.
4. Mary Watson, b. 10-30-1884, d. 5-14-1885.
5. Sarah Browning, b. 8-19-1886, d. 10-28-1921, unmarried.



Susan Watson Taylor Miller



Seated: Benjamin Franklin, Henry  
Standing: Sarah, John, Jr.

Children of John and Susan Miller

E. JOHN JAMES MILLER

Born 8-26-1849, "Mountain Green", died 6-22-1923, also at  
"Mountain Green".

Father - Benjamin Franklin Miller

Mother - Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning

Married II: EVELYN MAY TYLER, in Governor's mansion,  
Richmond, Virginia. She was sister of  
Governor Hoge Tyler, of Virginia, and  
double first cousin of Susan Watson Taylor  
Miller. Born 5-20-1869, died 4-29-1956.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND EVELYN MILLER:

6. Julia Magruder, b. 11-23-1900, m. 6-6-1923, James  
Minor Settle, b. 1-3-1896, d. 9-30-1963.
7. George Tyler, b. 7-25-1902, m.I: 5-7-1929, Katherine  
Gray Weaver, b. 1906, d. 9-30-1935.  
M.II: Mrs. Elise Reaguer Shirey, b. 10-11-1912,  
d. 5-16-1956, m. 7-25-1947.  
M.III: Mrs. Elizabeth Thaxton Mauzy, 8-17-1968.
8. William Arthur, b. 12-12-1903, d. 5-24-1981, m. 12-18-  
1931, Emily Louise Brent, b. 2-28-1913. ~~d. 7-21-1983.~~
9. Nancy Washington, b. 11-15-1905, m. 12-24-1929,  
Charles Loomis Booth, Lt., U.S.Army, b. 10-24-1901.
10. Coleman Browning ("Bunny"), b. 6-10-1908, d. 9-20-1939,  
unmarried.

HON. JOHN JAMES MILLER

Hon. John J. Miller, one of the best known and most highly esteemed citizens of Rappahannock County, Virginia, died June 22, 1923, at Garfield Hospital, Washington, D.C., after a long and painful illness.

He was a most distinguished, prominent, and influential citizen; a refined, cultured, Christian gentleman whose passing is a great loss to all Rappahannock.

He was well known throughout the state, and was a progressive citizen, always in the lead in all good works. He owned large tracts of land and was one of the largest fruit growers in the county of Rappahannock. At the time of his death he was a vestryman in the Episcopal Church and a leader in all church affairs.

At one time he had served Page and Rappahannock Counties in the Lower Branch of the Legislature, and when he died, he was a member of the State Senate from the same district. He was a member of the Committee on Roads and Internal Navigation and the Committee on Agriculture, Mining and Manufacturing, also serving as chairman of the Committee to examine the Treasurer's Office during the 1922 session.

Governor Trinkle had the flag of the State Capitol placed at half-staff on the morning of June 24th, where it remained until after the funeral the following day.

The following are the Resolutions offered by the Virginia Senate: Whereas, since the last session Senator John J. Miller, of the County of Rappahannock, has departed this life; and whereas, the late Senator Miller, as a member of the Senate and a member of the House of Delegates, rendered valuable and important service to the State and to his constituents; and whereas, he was in all the walks of life a high-minded and honorable gentleman, and was without blame both in his public and private life; and whereas, the Senate of Virginia desires to place upon its records its admiration for his character and sorrow for his death --

Be it resolved, that the sympathy of the Senate is hereby extended to the relatives of Senator Miller, and that, when today the Senate adjourns, it will do so in honor of his memory, and it is further resolved that the clerk of the Senate be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to the family of Senator Miller.



John James  
Miller

Evelyn May Tyler  
Miller



THE SETTLE FAMILY

Years ago, a daughter of Absalom Jordan and his wife, an Eastham, married a Settle, and had a son Thomas. He married Caroline Barbee, whose lineage I do not know. They had two children:

Mary Russell, who married Joseph Reid. (For their issue, see the Keyser Family, Frank D. Wood)  
George, who married Minnie Beckham, and whose only child was James Minor Settle, husband of Julia Magruder Miller.

6. JULIA MAGRUDER MILLER

Born, 11-23-1900, "Mountain Green".

Father - John James Miller

Mother - Evelyn May Tyler

Married, 6-6-1923, JAMES MINOR SETTLE.

Born, 1-13-1896.

Died, 9-30-1963, Flint Hill, Virginia.

Father - George W. Settle

Mother - Minnie Beckham

He was Clerk of Rappahannock County for some years.

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND JULIA SETTLE:

- A. Mary Minor, b. 6-23-1924, m. 8-21-1943, Charles Franklin Bowersett, b. 9-21-1917.
1. James Franklin, b. 6-16-1945, m. Sue Ann Richardson.
    - (a) Laura Eileen, b. 7-26-1971.
    - (b) Daniel James, b. 3-2-1974.
  2. Jane Kathryn, b. 4-9-1947, m. David Bruce Hobart.
    - (a) David Bruce, Jr., b. 9-16-1970.
    - (b) Amy Kathryn, b. 4-16-1973.
  3. John Minor, b. 5-9-1952, m. 11-26-1977, Kathleen Tierney Boland.
  4. Julie Carol, b. 10-18-1962.
- B. James Minor, Jr., b. 6-19-1925, m. 9-22-1951 at St. Mary's City, Maryland, to Dorothy Helen Baroniak, b. 8-13-1928.
1. Thomas Slator, b. 9-28-1952.
- C. Evelyn Tyler, b. 1-30-1927, m. 12-18-1948, Robert James Peterson, b. 3-26-1926.
1. Susan Jean, b. 8-20-1951, m. 12-29-1973, at Fort Myer Chapel, Virginia, David Remlin McLaughlin.
  2. Robert James, b. 12-19-1953, at Fort Benning, Ga.
  3. Kenneth Edward, b. 5-14-1956, at Frankfurt, Germany.
- D. Carol Magruder, b. 7-30-1929, m. 2-3-1951, to Roswell Sedwick Bowersett, b. 2-15-1926 (brother of Charles Franklin, who married Mary Minor Settle). He is a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine in Silver Spring, Md.
1. Carolyn Dunbar, b. 7-19-1954, m. 12-20-1980, Edward Dillard, of Dillard, Georgia.
  2. Catherine Beckham, b. 2-28-1957, m. 7-24-1976, Philip Ward Myers, b. 12-25-1956.
  3. Roswell Sedwick, Jr., b. 1-4-1962.
  4. Cynthia May, b. 5-7-1963.

7. GEORGE TYLER MILLER

Born, 7-25-1902, "Mountain Green".  
Father - John James Miller  
Mother - Evelyn May Tyler

Married I: 5-7-1929, KATHRYN GRAY WEAVER.  
Born, 1906, Front Royal, Virginia.  
Died, 9-3-1935  
Father - William Weaver

Tyler graduated from V.M.I. in 1923. He has since had a distinguished career in education, starting out as principal of the Washington, Virginia, high school for several years. In 1927, he was appointed Superintendent of Schools of Warren and Rappahannock Counties, a post he held for seventeen years. In 1944, he was appointed City School Superintendent of Charlottesville, Virginia, and in 1945 he became State Superintendent of Public Instruction. In 1949, he was installed as President of James Madison College, in Harrisonburg, Virginia. In twenty-one years he saw it grow from an enrollment of eleven hundred students to forty-three hundred, with an attendant campus growth. He enlarged the curriculum to include the granting of master's degrees in eighteen fields. He retired January 1, 1971. A few years later the college was granted university status. The enrollment in 1981 is 9600.

CHILDREN OF TYLER AND KATHRYN MILLER:

- a. George Tyler, Jr., b. 10-18-1931, Front Royal, Va.  
M. 8-22-1953, Marlene Celeste Martin. He graduated from V.M.I., and is a PhD. He was on the faculty and then head of Chemistry Department at Hampton-Sydney College. Then he was appointed full professor at St. Andrew's Presbyterian College in Laurinburg, N.C. In 1981 he is living on a farm near Moncure, N.C., and is a consultant and has written seven or eight scientific textbooks, and is in the process of writing more.  
(1) William Tyler, in college majored in electronics and music.  
(2) David M., in commercial television.  
(3) Gregory, is a student at Berkley School of Music.
- b. William Weaver, b. 9-1-1933, Front Royal, Va.  
M. 3-22-1958, Ruth Elizabeth Niemann. He took a pre-med course at V.M.I., then graduated from the University of Pennsylvania Medical School in 1958. As a captain in the Army Medical Corps, he served in pediatrics in a military hospital in Germany.

Children of Tyler and Kathryn Miller, continued:

Back in this country, he studied at the Harvard Research Center. He was Assistant Director of Children's Hospital in Philadelphia, and then was the head of the Department of Pediatric Cardiology at Southwestern Hospital in Dallas, Texas. He is now (in 1981) Professor of Pediatric Cardiology at the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond.

- (1) Walter
- (2) Rachel

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Married II: 7-25-1947, ELISE REAGUER SHIREY.  
Born 10-11-1912, Culpeper, Va.  
Died 5-16-1956.  
Father - William Reaguer

Elise was Supervisor of Music in the Norfolk, Virginia, elementary schools.

They had one child:

- c. Elise Browning, b. 6-28-1948, m. ----- Scopp, lives in Palo Alto, California.
- (1) David, b. ca. 1976.

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Married III: 8-17-1968, ELIZABETH THAXTON MAUZY.  
Born, Massey's Mill, Nelson Co.,  
Virginia.

They are retired and living in Harrisonburg, Virginia.

8. WILLIAM ARTHUR MILLER

Born 12-12-1903, "Mountain Green".  
Died 5-24-1981, Washington, Virginia.  
Father - John James Miller  
Mother - Evelyn May Tyler

Married, 6-18-1931, EMILY LOUISE BRENT.  
Born 2-28-1913, Richmond, Virginia.  
Father - Andrew J. Brent  
Mother - Gussie M. Reinhard  
Died = 7-21-1983

Arthur was in real estate business in Washington, Virginia.

CHILDREN OF ARTHUR AND EMILY MILLER:

- a. Barbara Mason, b. 12-7-1932, Washington, Va., died 5-30-1933.
- b. Evelyn Tyler, b. 3-18-1940, m. 4-4-1959, James Stewart Willis, Jr., U. S. Army, b. 2-9-1936, in Macon, Ga.  
His father was Brig. Gen. James Stewart Willis.
  - (1) Evelyn Michelle, b. 4-30-1961.
  - (2) James Stewart, III, b. 2-28-1964.

9. NANCY WASHINGTON MILLER

Born, 11-15-1905, "Mountain Green".

Father - John James Miller

Mother - Evelyn May Tyler

Married, 12-24-1929, CHARLES LOOMIS BOOTH.

Born, 10-24-1901.

Loomis was at the time of their marriage a lieutenant in the Army. He was a general when he retired. He and Nancy live part of the year in Spain and part in Washington, D.C.

CHILDREN OF LOOMIS AND NANCY BOOTH:

a. Charles Loomis, Jr., b. 8-6-1933.

b. Elizabeth Tyler, b. 3-11-1937, m. 6-25-1959, Jerome Villalba, b. 4-10-1936, in Madrid, Spain. They make their home in Paris, France.

(1) Bettina, attended Smith College, in Massachusetts.

(2) Stephanie, attended Smith College.

(3) Jerome, Jr.

(4) Louise Maria

THE BOTTS FAMILY

Joseph Botts was born in Stafford County, Virginia, won the title of Captain in the War of 1812, married Jane Ford, of Fredericksburg, Virginia, and moved to Woodville, in Rappahannock County. . . . They had two sons, who went West; a son, William, who married Governor Kemper's sister, Maria; another son, Daniel, who married Catherine Tutt; Lewis, who married Jennie Crigler; and a daughter, Ann Elizabeth, who married Captain James Smith Stark, who built "Mont-Medi".

The son, Daniel, who married Catherine Tutt, was a merchant in Woodville, and had two children, a daughter, Mary, who married James French Strother, a judge of the Rappahannock County Court, and Andrew Tutt, who married Cora Miller.

F. CORA MILLER BOTTS

Born, 3-5-1852, "Mountain Green".

Died, 10-17-1933, Woodville, Virginia.

Father - Benjamin Franklin Miller

Mother - Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning

Married, 12-21-1870, to ANDREW TURNER TUTT BOTTS.

Born, 9-13-1840, Woodville, Va.

Died, 12-21-1928.

Father - Daniel Botts

Mother - Catherine Tutt

He later dropped the "Turner" in his name.

Cora attended Hollins College for the years 1864 and 1865. Andrew served in the Civil War, as a corporal in the Sixth Virginia Cavalry. He was wounded in the Battle of Yellow Tavern, the same battle in which Jeb Stuart was killed.

On May 2, 1929, a tornado tore through the village of Woodville, doing much damage. Among other houses that were destroyed, Aunt Cora's was blown down as she lay in bed, and she was not harmed.

CHILDREN OF ANDREW AND CORA BOTTS:

1. Lucie Dunkum, b. 6-26-1875, d. 5-11-1952, m. 6-15-1899, Fayette Jones King, b. 4-13-1871, d. 10-27-1922. They lived in Zanesville, Ohio, and are buried there. His father was John Curle King, and his mother, Eleanor Lester Adams.
  - a. Marshall Botts, b. 4-1-1900, m. 8-7-1930 to Mary Thomson, b. 3-26-1906. He died 7-7-1982.
    - (1) Elizabeth Fayette, b. 4-7-1935, m. 7-15-1955 to Charles Taylor Lewis.
      - (a) Marshall Turner, b. 4-22-1963.
      - (b) Charles Taylor, Jr., b. 9-30-1964.
  - b. Eleanor Miller, b. 9-6-1901, d. Dec. 1966, married 6-25-1927 to Willis Fay McMartin, b. 9-8-1901.
    - (1) Duane Adams, b. 9-1-1929, m. 8-4-1956 to Graciello Juneo, no issue.
    - (2) Duncan King, b. 2-12-1936, m. 1961 to Carole ----.
      - (a) Duncan Scott, b. 9-15-1962.
      - (b) Ruthellen, b. 9-3-1963.
      - (c) Leianne, b. 2-7-1969.
    - (3) Virginia Packer, b. 10-7-1939, m.I: 8-3-1957 to Gerald McCafferty, b. 8-19-1938. Divorced Oct. 1967.

Children of Andrew and Cora Botts, continued:

- (a) Timothy Gerald, b. 7-9-1958.
  - (b) Catherine Gibson Gates, b. 12-7-1962.
  - (c) John, b. 1-1-1965.  
Married II: 3-15-1968 to Gordon Hall, born  
5-29-1940.
  - (d) Christopher, b. 2-7-1969.
  - c. Alice Curle, b. 7-18-1910, d. 8-14-1910.
  - d. Catharine Browning, b. 3-25-1912, lives in  
Alexandria, Virginia.
  - e. Billy, stillborn, 9-25-1914.
2. Frank Daniel, b. 11-25-1877, d. 1-16-1945, m.I: 1907  
to Hetty Owens, who died in childbirth in 1909.  
M.II: 1912 to Anne Sehon, no issue.
  3. Alice ("Polly") Rosa, b. 6-1-1879, d. 11-8-1925,  
m.I: Mark Stevenson, who died a few years after their  
marriage. M.II: James Gravely, no issue.
  4. Andrew ("Dick"), Jr., b. 7-17-1882, d. 11-30-1934,  
m. Mae Bailey, no issue.

Following is a letter written on June 9, 1902, by Cora Miller Botts to her sister, Ida Miller Keyser, in Fayette, Missouri.

Woodville  
June 9th, 1902

My dear Ida,

For some weeks I have intended writing you, but as usual each day I would have so many interruptions I was unable to execute my good resolutions. I feel right tired this evening, but as I am alone, will chat you a few minutes.

Mr. Botts went to court this a.m., it will soon be time for him to return. My cook left me the middle of March and went to see her sick sister in Stealton (sic) Penn., so I have only had a small boy since, and this season of the year there is so much to do of course I have been quite busy. And have had right many comers and goers. I went to Culpeper in May to see Rose, Alice and the twins. They are certainly pretty fine looking children. I was disappointed that Alice didn't stay and go to Orange with Ma and then come to Rapp'k., but she seemed to think Rose couldn't get on without her. I told her she couldn't tear herself away from the twins. She was complaining so much of her feet, such dreadful bunions, that she said she wouldn't enjoy herself visiting. She is certainly Aunt Eliza's image, even stoops over like her. She says she is certainly sorry she has feet like her . . . Jud Browning (Aunt Sally's son) will be married to Miss Ricketts of Orange the 18th of this month. Haven't things changed! Years ago his family would have cut up much, but the Ricketts down there stand better than the Flint Hill ones, although they are nearly related.

Ethel Yancey's health is not very good. She is coming up with Ma and will spend some time at Sister Annie's. Think the mountain air will be beneficial. Dr. said she needed a change. She joined the church a few weeks since.

Sadie and Rena are at home. Both look a little thin. Ella has been suffering very much all winter with rheumatism. Seems somewhat better now. Ringgold has his same position in Upperville.

Sister Annie had quite a pleasant visit in Baltimore. Went there to meet Ida on her return from school. She said Dr. Biedler was as nice as possible, did everything to make her a pleasant time. His wife was also very polite

and nice, notwithstanding they don't speak to each other, don't eat at the same table.

I expect you noticed an account last winter of Frank Biedler's having several ribs broken in a wreck near Albany. He is suing the railroad for \$50,000. They offered him \$10,000 but he refused it.

Sister Annie said she felt very sorry for Andrew Biedler's wife. You know he is dead, and left her, I expect, quite poor. Her oldest daughter is married, but is a real society woman, and this troubles her mother more than anything else. She was a very fast young girl.

Ida Keyser looks right well, but I don't think she cares to return to New York. I suppose she saw something of the world by going. Spent a week or more with Annie Bitting. (My note: Mrs. Bitting was Annie Biedler, Dr. Biedler's sister, I think.) Was quite pleased with Ashby Biedler's wife.

Sister Annie will get Miss Mary Snead to teach next year. She employed her seven or eight years ago, and liked her so much. She is related to Hatcher (?) - Augusta (?) ----- . She will pay her \$75 next session. Her brother will come with her, so of course his board will help some . . . . She thinks Jacob is better off going to school at home than if she sent him away. He is not fond of his books. Ida and Annie will go to school to her, too.

Johnnie went on to West Point to see Frank graduate. I expect Ma has written you Evelyn expects next month. (Tyler was born July 25, 1902.) I believe one ----- as well. Many young will ----- to have their number anyway.

My girls and boys are well. I look for them in August, but am afraid they can't stay long. I must close to attend to my evening duties. Write soon. Love to all,

Your fond sister,  
C. E. Botts

Note: This letter was sent to me by Aunt Ida Keyser's granddaughter, Ida Elizabeth Creson Hunter. It was so badly mildewed that in spots words were unintelligible, but it is interesting because it is full of family news.



Andrew Tutt  
Botts



Cora Eusebia  
Miller Botts

THE ARMSTRONG FAMILY

The Armstrongs of Woodville are descended from John Armstrong, from Newcastle-on-Tyne, in England. He came to this country at the beginning of the War of 1812, and immediately volunteered to fight for the country of his adoption. In this service he must have met Captain William Slaughter, of War of 1812 fame, whose daughter, Sarah Catherine, John Armstrong's son, William Cleminson, later married. They lived in Woodville, on the road to Sperryville, and they had a son, Samuel Ringgold. He married Ella Brereton Miller, and they lived in the house of his father.



Cora Miller  
Botts



Ella Brereton Miller Armstrong  
Ethel Virginia Armstrong          Harold Franklin Armstrong



Samuel Ringgold Armstrong



Frank Miller Armstrong

G. ELLA BRERETON MILLER

Born, 2-1-1854, "Mountain Green", died 3-11-1925, Woodville,  
Virginia.

Father - Benjamin Franklin Miller

Mother - Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning

Married, 12-14-1877, SAMUEL RINGGOLD ARMSTRONG.

Born, 12-10-1846, Woodville, Va.

Died, 6-8-1923.

Father - William Cleminson Armstrong

Mother - Sarah Catherine Slaughter

He served in the Civil War under Mosby.

CHILDREN OF RINGGOLD AND ELLA ARMSTRONG:

1. William Cleminson, II, b. 1-8-1879, d. 12-21-1936.  
M. 11-26-1902, Mary Lou Moffett, d. 9-1-1947.
2. Frank Miller, b. 12-13-1880, d. 11-5-1915, married  
9-11-1906, Louisa Matilda (Lulu) Reichart.
3. Sarah Browning ("Sadie"), b. 7-28-1882, d. 3-24-1958.  
M. 11-18-1922, George Tate Greer, b. 1871, died  
2-8-1937.
  - a. George Tate, Jr., b. 5-10-1925, d. 5-27-1945,  
in World War II.
4. Catherine Kelley ("Rena"), b. 4-9-1884, d. 4-17-1936.  
M. 3-26-1921, Joseph Hill O'Bannon, b. 4-30-1869.  
They lived at "Clover Hill", on the outskirts of  
Woodville.

1. WILLIAM CLEMINSON ARMSTRONG, II

Born 1-8-1879, Woodville, Va.; Died 12-21-1936.

Father - Samuel Ringgold Armstrong

Mother - Ella Brereton Miller

Married, 11-26-1902, MARY LOU MOFFETT.

Died, 9-1-1947.

"Will" read law while a clerk of the Rappahannock Court, and passed the bar without attending law school. He was a member of the law firm of Weaver and Armstrong, in Front Royal, Virginia. His son, William C., III, followed in his footsteps.

CHILDREN OF WILL AND MARY LOU ARMSTRONG:

a. William Cleminson, III, b. 1905, m. 11-25-1933,

Mildred Kathryn Borden, b. 1902.

(1) Sarah Lou, b. 12-22-1934, m. 12-27-1958,

Jesse Willard Reid, Jr.

(2) Kathryn, m. Oct., 1959, Garland Edmond Johnson, Jr.

b. Mary Moffett, m. J. Hanson Beall.

(1) Mary Elizabeth, b. May, 1929, d. 3-1-1935.

(2) Moffett Armstrong, b. ca. 1936.

2. FRANK MILLER ARMSTRONG

Born, 12-13-1880, Woodville, Va.; Died, 11-5-1915.

Father - Samuel Ringgold Armstrong

Mother - Ella Brereton Miller

Married, 9-11-1906, LOUISA MATILDA ("LULU") REICHART.

Born, 4-25-1889, died, 12-13-1945.

CHILDREN OF FRANK AND LULU ARMSTRONG:

- a. Harold Franklin, b. 9-20-1907, d. 4-10-1925.
- b. Ethel Virginia, b. 12-6-1909, d. 6-17-1927.
- c. Alfred Ringgold, b. 7-6-1911, m. 10-6-1934 Martha Wallace Barber, b. 12-3-1916, Father - Samuel Barber, Mother - Lily O'Bannon.
  - (1) Robert Miller, b. 7-22-1938, m.I: Ruth Messer Green, 6-19-1961.
    - (a) Susan Martha, b. 5-31-1962, m. 1-9-1982, William Lawton Maner, III.
  - M.II: Elizabeth Kirkpatrick Michael, no issue.
  - (2) Alfred Barber, b. 8-31-1940, m.I: 11-10-1960, Joan Anna Elizabeth Wimmer.
    - (a) Thomas Scott, b. 3-6-1961.
    - (b) Linda Gail, b. 12-27-1965.
  - M.II: Linda Cowell Sandler on 12-22-1979.
  - (c) Shannon Barber, b. 2-12-1981.
- d. Robert Miller, b. 2-26-1914, m. 8-16-1947, Amelia Hope Hannigan, living in Melrose Park, Pennsylvania.
  - (1) Dale Hope, b. 2-24-1954.

At the death of his father, Alfred Armstrong went to Texas to live with a great-uncle, Edward Arsby Armstrong. When he was in his teens, he returned to Rappahannock and lived at "Clover Hill" with his father's sister, Rena Armstrong O'Bannon, and her husband, Joseph Hill O'Bannon, who was Alfred's future wife's uncle. He distinguished himself in school, and has been the recipient of many scholastic honors. Dr. Armstrong has been Professor of Chemistry at William and Mary College. Although he retired a year or so ago as the department head, he is still (1981) serving on the faculty.

4. CATHERINE KELLEY ARMSTRONG

Born, 4-9-1884, Woodville, Va.; died, 4-17-1936, "Clover Hill".

Father - Samuel Ringgold Armstrong  
Mother - Ella Brereton Miller

Married, 3-26-1921, JOSEPH HILL O'BANNON.

Born, 4-20-1869.  
Father - Walter O'Bannon  
Mother - Martha Eliza Lucas

The O'Bannons lived at "Clover Hill", which had been built by the Slaughters around the time of the Revolution. Cousin Rena O'Bannon was a granddaughter of Sarah Catherine Slaughter Armstrong, and thus a direct descendant of the Slaughters of "Clover Hill".

CHILDREN OF J. HILL AND RENA O'BANNON:

- a. Joseph Hill, Jr., b. 12-12-1921, d. 12-15-1921.
- b. John Maurice III, b. 7-4-1923, m. 11-30-1946,  
Louise Menefee Rudasill, Father - Luther Rudasill.  
(1) John Maurice, IV, b. 2-14-1948.

THE O'BANNONS OF RAPPAHANNOCK

In the year 1710, Bryan Boru O'Bannon came from Ireland to Harper's Ferry, West Virginia. He had a son, Captain William O'Bannon, who was a soldier in the Revolution, and who married Ann Neville, of Fauquier County.

Their son, Bryan, married Polly Morris in 1798, and moved to Culpeper County.

John Maurice O'Bannon, I, was a son of Bryan and Polly. He married Harriet Ann Corbin in 1830. Their son, Walter, married Martha Eliza Lucas of Fredericksburg. Walter and Martha were the parents of John Maurice, II, Joseph Hill, and Lily, who married Samuel Barber, and whose daughter, Martha Wallace, is now Mrs. Alfred Ringgold Armstrong.

J. ROSA LEE MILLER

Born, 6-8-1862, "Mountain Green".

Died, 6-30-1935, Loudon County, Virginia.

Father - Benjamin Franklin Miller

Mother - Sarah Eusebia Neville Browning

Married, 10-20-1885, WILLIAM CLARKE BENTON, in Washington Baptist Church, Virginia.

Born, 3-2-1858.

Died, 11-23-1936.

Father - William Hyde Benton

Mother - Sarah Clarke

William C. Benton was born at "Spring Hill", near Middleburg, Virginia. His grandfather, William Hyde Benton, was a personal friend of President James Monroe, and helped build "Oak Hill", Monroe's home near Leesburg. The Bentons are buried in Sheron Cemetery, Middleburg, Loudon Co., Virginia.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND ROSA BENTON:

1. Florence Wharton, b. 1888, d. 1902.
2. Grace Browning, b. 10-11-1890, d. 5-4-1974, unmarried.
3. Frank May, b. 2-17-1893, d. 9-13-1963, m. Aug., 1918, Louise Mosby Snead, b. 1894.
  - a. Rosalie Virginia, b. 10-5-1928, m. 2-5-1948, John Maxim Lee, of Hartford, Conn.
4. Alice Luck, b. 9-9-1897, d. 9-19-1897.
5. Rosalie Miller, a twin, b. 3-11-1900, m. Oct., 1926, Henry Baker Chamblin, b. 5-18-1879, d. 6-18-1941. She lives alone and runs a 150 acre farm, "The Highlands" at White Post, Virginia. No issue.
6. William Kemper, a twin, b. 3-11-1900, d. 11-8-1972, m. 12-27-1922, Mary Lois McConnell, b. 1900.
  - a. William McConnell, b. 12-13-1925, m. Alwilda Cochran, of Elkins, W. Va., b. 10-25-1923.
  - b. Robert Clarke, b. 1-13-1929, m. 9-29-1950, Bonnie Hughes, b. 9-6-1929.
  - c. Richard Douglas, b. 9-27-1932, m. Rita Elizabeth Simons, b. 12-3-1930. He taught at the University of Mississippi in the School of Engineering.



Rosa Lee Miller  
Benton



William Clarke  
Benton



Rosa Lee Miller Benton  
1934

Farewell.

Oh! Annie do not say Farewell,  
Though we be doomed to sever,  
Tis like the sullen passing bell,  
Of pleasure gone forever,  
At first a gentler language than  
The mournful truth to tell,  
Say parted friends may meet again,  
But do not say Farewell.  
No Sue Sewell.

Kenmore January 24<sup>th</sup> 1857.

HOLLINS COLLEGE



HOLLINS COLLEGE, VIRGINIA

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

February 23, 1967

Mrs. R. L. Cockey
211 Longwood Road
Baltimore, Maryland 21210

Dear Mrs. Cockey:

The only records we have prior to the early 1900's are the catalogue listings and, sometimes, the academic program carried by the students. Listed below is the only information I have been able to find concerning students whose last name was Miller from either Rappahannock or Albemarle County from 1861 through 1865 and 1878-1879. This information was obtained from the catalogues of these years.

1861-62

Annie C. Miller Rappahannock County
Laura F. Miller " "
Mary A. Miller " "

1862-63

Mary A. Miller Rappahannock County
Laura F. Miller " "
Literature, Math, English & Music

1863

L. F. Miller Albemarle County
A. S. Miller "
\* M. A. Miller Rappahannock County
Bettie J. Miller Rappahannock County
\* daughter of John Miller II ("Papa John")

1864

Laura F. Miller Albemarle County
English, Literature, French & Math

Also listed for Albemarle in 1863-1864:

Anna Miller (probably Annie C.)
Alice Miller
Cora Miller
Mary A. Miller Rappahannock County
Bettie J. Miller Rappahannock County -
daughter of Henry Miller IV

1864-65:

Anna Miller Albemarle County
Laura F. Miller " "
Alice Miller " "
Cora Miller " "
Mary A. Miller Rappahannock County
Bettie J. Miller " "

1878-79

Florence Miller Guardian: F. M. Miller
Washington, Virginia

I realize this information is not complete and I am sorry I cannot be of more help to you. It may interest you to know that in 1863 the school opened on the 20th of May and ran through the summer and closed on December 10th. The catalogue carried a statement that this session was adapted in view of the prospective difficulty of obtaining supplies.

Sincerely yours,

Margaret Eldridge

Margaret Eldridge
Registrar

ME:jm

ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR STUDENT ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

July 14, 1977

Mrs. R. L. Cockey  
211 Longwood Rd.  
Baltimore, MD 21210

Dear Mrs. Cockey:

Thank you for your letter of July 11. Our college catalogs and academic records go back to about 1850; and from these it appears that Annie C. Miller of Rappahannock County entered the Hollins Institute for the second quarter of the 1861-62 academic session. It appears that she entered as a junior in the Preparatory Division. She does not appear among the list of graduates, nor does her name turn up earlier than this. According to the Academic Ledger, she studied English, with a grade of 4.50; Arithmetic, 4.36; Mathematics, 4.22; Bible, 4.36; Department, 5.

During the third quarter she took English, 4.12; Music, 3.92; Arithmetic, 4.61; Mathematics, 4.50; Composition, 4.10; Bible, 4.37; Department, 5.

During the fourth quarter, she is listed only for Music, 3.97.

The grading system appears to be a five point scale, and so I gather that Miss Miller was a good student with flawless conduct.

I hope this information will be of use to you. Please let me know if there is anything else we can do.

Yours most sincerely,



David W. Holmes



THE OLD DORMITORY

*Hollins College*



Hollins College, 1891



SUSANNA CATHERINE MILLER

SARAH MILLER

MARGARET MILLER

Susanna Catherine - or Sarah - or Margaret

Miller Backster

A daughter of Henry and Susanna Sibling Miller was said to have married a Mr. Backster, whose first name was probably Jesse.

It might have been any one of their three daughters named above, about whom practically nothing is known.

According to the Hebron Church Birth Register, Susanna Catherine Miller was born December 4, 1763. She was, thus, the sixth child of Henry and Susanna Miller. No date is given of her christening. Nothing definite is known of her, and there is, of course, the possibility that she died young and unmarried. She was confirmed on April 7, 1776.

In the account of the settlement of her father's estate, the following is noted:

"Cash paid to Jesse Backster, one of the legatees, 30 lbs."

Since the proceeds from the sale of Henry I's property was, by his will, to be divided between his widow and their daughters, the above Jesse Backster was evidently representing one of the daughters as her husband, as was the custom in those days. That daughter could have been either Susanna, Sarah, or Margaret, and could have died before her father. Or she may have been living and the other two apparently died before their father's settlement.

A John Baxter lived in Fauquier County, Virginia, in 1748.

Frances Carter Smith, a Miller descendant, said that she was "almost certain" that the Backsters went North to live, but gave no reason for thinking so.

DESCENDANTS OF GEORGE MILLER

GEORGE MILLER

According to the Hebron Church Birth Register, George Miller was born February 6, 1766, one of twins. He and his twin sister, Margaret, were christened on January 17, 1772. Georg Utz was one of his sponsors, for whom he was undoubtedly named.

George settled first at what is now known as "the Old Jackson place", about one and a half miles above Washington, Virginia, and situated between the "Sunnyside" home place of his brother, Henry, and "Mountain Green", the property of his brother, John. This land was part of the property purchased by his father, Henry Miller, I, in 1780.

This land is mentioned as a boundary in the deed of gift - dated March 21, 1785 - of property given Henry Miller II by his father - "580 acres of land lying on Fodderstack Mountain, thence to the corner of George Miller's land." (Deeds #H, p. 342, Culpeper Co., Va.)

On April 19, 1788, 585 acres of land lying between John Miller's lines and Henry Miller's lines (which would be George Miller's land) was sold by Henry and Susanna Miller to Richard Jackson for the sum of 180 lbs., current money of Virginia. (Deeds #O, p. 314, Culpeper County, Virginia)

It seems evident that he kept in touch with his father, for when the latter's estate was settled in 1807, it was recorded that cash amounting to 106 lbs, 10 shillings, 3 pence, was paid to George Miller by chancery decree. This was probably due him because of the sale of his property in Virginia, though it does not cover the full amount of the sale price.

Apparently George Miller left Virginia sometime between 1786 and 1788. He is said to have gone west, some say to Kentucky. The names of his wife and family are unknown. However, there were a number of marriages between Millers named George and Peter and members of the Broyles family (formerly of Madison, Virginia) in Tennessee. It is possible that the above George is one of those.

It is believed that George Miller's land in Virginia was a gift to him by his father, Henry Miller I. Undoubtedly, a search in the record books of deeds in Culpeper County, Virginia, would reveal that a deed of gift was made to George, also. The remaining son, Adam, was left the "plantation" where Henry I had lived.

DESCENDANTS OF ELIZABETH MILLER LECAMPION

NOTES FROM MISS AMANDA NEWTON, great-granddaughter of Elizabeth ("Betsy") Miller LeCampion.

A paper in Miss Newton's possession states:

This certifies:

Whom it may concern that Mr. Francis LeCampion and Miss Betsy Miller were legally joined together in the bonds of holy matrimony at Philadelphia, Pa., on the evening of the Lord's Day April 18th in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Two,

by me,

Thomas Ustick  
V.D.M.

Francis LeCampion, who married Betsy Miller, was a Frenchman from Normandy. He was six feet tall, and had blond hair and blue eyes. He was a Catholic, and his descendants are in possession of a church register copy of the date of his baptism.

His mother's maiden name was LaClaire. Francis LeCampion was an officer in the French Army prior to his coming to America, about 1790. He was once presented with a sword by Marshall Ney - which sword is in the possession of the family.

He had evidently become a Protestant at heart, for on his death bed, when asked if he wished to have a priest, he said "God is my priest".

LeCampion had an art shop in Philadelphia, dealing in French pictures, etc. Betsy had taken up tailoring and followed this profession in Philadelphia. Her shop adjoined the art shop, and thus she became acquainted with Francis LeCampion. The shop was at 324 N. Front St.

Miss Newton said she had often heard her mother (Betsy's granddaughter) talk of her visits to Quaker relatives in Bucks County, Pa. She also said that she was told Susanna Sibling, Betsy's mother, came from Tulock on the Rhine. Other sources, chiefly the German birth certificate of Susanna, give Langensteinbach-Baden as her home. It could be that she was born in the latter place, and then moved later to Tulock. Both Baden and Tulock are on the Rhine. Miss Newton had heard that Susanna had a sister, Mary, and possibly another sister.

Betsy Miller was herself quite a bold, brave lady. She used to go hunting with her brothers and sit around the night fires, built to keep away the wild cats. Once while riding horseback alone, a rattlesnake appeared, which she immediately killed and left in the road without removing the rattles. It is said she was on the way to a dentist to have an aching tooth removed.

ELIZABETH ("BETSY") MILLER

Born, 12-8-1767, Philadelphia.  
Father - Henry Miller I  
Mother - Susanna Sibler

Married, 4-8-1802, "when she was well along in years",  
in Philadelphia, FRANCIS LECAMPION.  
Born in Normandy, France.  
Mother's maiden name, LeClaire.

CHILDREN OF FRANCIS AND BETSY LECAMPION:

- I. Sarah Ann, m.I: Charles E. Hubbs, son of Rebecca Crispen Hubbs, an Orthodox Quaker preacher. His mother's father, Paul Crispen, was related to William Penn.
- M.II: Robert E. Martin
- A. Amanda Almire Hubbs, m. Isaac Newton, Jr., whose father was the first Commissioner of Agriculture in Washington, D.C.
1. Annie Elizabeth, m. Frederick B. Dalrymple.  
a. George Newton, died aged 21, unmarried.  
b. Alfred Newton, m. Ida Illingsworth.  
(1) John  
(a) John, Jr., b. Jan., 1934.  
(2) Alfred Newton, Jr.  
c. Dora (called herself Dorothy) May, married Gerald M. Johnson, no issue.  
d. Rosalie Sunderland, m. J. Howard Wygant.  
(1) James Dalrymple
2. Dorothy Burchell, m. George Alexander Nixon.  
No issue.
3. Ellen Hupfeldt, m. James P. Pritchard.  
a. Newton, died unmarried.  
b. Eleanor Newton, m. Lt. Com. Earl Everett Stone, U.S.N.  
(1) Ellen Newton, b. 12-5-1921, married 12-17-1941, Philip Smyth Haring.
4. Francis LeCampion, died in infancy.  
5. Amanda Almire Newton, d. 6-9-1943, unmarried.
- B. Anna Louisa A. Hubbs, m. her cousin, Middleton Miller, d. June, 1886, for issue see Middleton Miller family.
- Issue by 2nd marriage: After 15 years of widowhood, Sarah Ann LeCampion Hubbs Martin had three children.
- C. Josephine Caspar, died unmarried.  
D. Aralinda, died aged 6.  
E. Francis LeCampion, died in infancy.



DESCENDANTS OF ADAM MILLER

The Ancestry of Mary Wilhoit, wife of Adam Miller

Mary Wilhoit's ancestors lived around the old Lutheran Church (Mt. Hebron). It is near the junction of Robinson and White Oak Rivers, or at the foot of the Blue Ridge Mountains near by, that we find these hardy ancestors. They never moved from this locality, although the name of the county they lived in was changed four times from 1734 to 1792:

1720 - Spotsylvania County

1734 - Orange County

1743 - Culpeper County

1792 - Madison County

1. John Gar, a weaver, "a humble and devout man", born 11-17-1657, died 5-22-1738, m. Elizabeth -----, in Bavaria.
2. Andreas Gar, their son, the immigrant, born 6-14-1685, m. Eve Seidelmann, daughter of George and Barbara Seidelmann, in Germany, 2-23-1711. They came to Philadelphia with their children, landing there 9-12-1732.
3. Elizabeth Barbara Gar, their daughter, born 2-11-1730, m. Michael Blankenbaker, son of Nicholas Blankenbaker and Apalonia, his wife.
4. Elizabeth Blankenbaker, their daughter, born 1753, m. John Wilhoit, son of Adam Wilhoit, one of four immigrant brothers from Germany, and his wife, Catherine.
5. Mary E. Wilhoit, their daughter, b. 12-17-1771, died 4-10-1838, m. Adam Miller, b. 12-17-1768, d. 7-5-1812, son of Henry and Susanna Sibler Miller, both of Germany.

ADAM MILLER

Adam Miller inherited the home of his father on Robinson River in the present Madison County. This is the place where his father died, and where Adam himself lived until he left there to fight in the War of 1812, in which he was killed. This home remained in Adam's branch of the Miller family for four generations, Joseph Miller being the last owner.

Lewis Miller, son of Adam, ran a tannery there. Yowell, in his book about Madison County, says it is not known when this tannery was begun, but it must have been some time before the Civil War. (Lewis Miller died in 1873). Mr. Joseph Fray was the last one to operate the tannery, and it ceased to be used about 1885.

Adam Miller died in Norfolk in the War of 1812. The family is in possession of his sword, feather, etc. Mrs. Charles Butts, of Washington, D.C., a great-granddaughter, has many documents of interest concerning Adam Miller, among which is the following:

Madison Co., Va., 24th Oct. 1825

Rec'd of the estate of Adam Miller, deceased, one sorrel mare, valued at eighty dollars, which amount can be charged to me.

Edmund Clore

(Edmund Clore was the husband of Adam's daughter, Nancy.)

It is believed that Adam Miller died intestate.

Madison County Will Books

- #3, page 4. Adam Miller - administrator's bond \$10,000. Mary Miller, his widow, administratrix, Jonas Blankenbaker, Paschal Early. August 26, 1813.
- #5, page 25. Adam Miller Sale of estate, total \$1201.81-3/4, Dec. 19, 1825. Sales to Edmund Clore, Thomas Weaver, Ezekial Miller, Charles Strother, Allen Utz, Adam Wayland, Lewis Miller, Salathiel Yager, Lovel Crigler, Aaron Blankenbaker, James Berry, Sr., Jacob Reager, Warner Miller, Daniel Utz, William Clore, John Kehler, William Jordan, Lewis Carpenter, Andrew Carpenter, Sr., Frederick Handslew, Thomas Gambree, Norman Taylor, John Miller, Jr., Michael House.

- #5, page 227. Adam Miller, Division of land, etc., to Mary Miller, his wife, "the land on which she now resides, called the mansion tract" (10-1/2 acres her full and equal third part as dower of said dec'd's land.) Also allotted to Mrs. Miller, the negroes Billy, George, Nancy, Sally, Evaline, and Gusta as her third. Also \$1100.44. Also divided other slaves - gross am't of Adam Miller's estate, real and personal, after widow's third - \$10,727.38.
- #6, page 403. Mary Miller - inventory, June 11, 1838. \$1267.31-3/4 and six negroes held in name of estate of Adam Miller, \$2500.
- #6, page 405. 8 bonds due estate of Mary Miller \$919.55. John W. Miller, administrator.

ADAM MILLER

Born, 12-17-1768, Philadelphia; died, 7-5-1813, Norfolk, Virginia, in War of 1812.

Father - Henry Miller, I  
Mother - Susanna Sibler

Married, 11-11-1790, to MARY E. WILHOIT.

Born, 12-17-1771.

Died, 4-10-1838 at Madison, Va.

Father - John Wilhoit

Mother - Elizabeth Blankenbaker

CHILDREN OF ADAM AND MARY MILLER:

- I. Lewis, b. 1-15-1792, d. 6-12-1873, m. 4-15-1847 to Martha Ann Tannehill, b. 10-31-1815, d. 7-6-1880.
- A. Mary Ann ("Mollie"), b. 2-22-1848, m. 10-31-1883 to William Solomon McGee, b. 11-24-1837, no issue.
- B. Joseph Lewis, b. 3-8-1850, d. 4-18-1907, m.I: Sarah Ann Clore, b. 1-26-1849, d. 8-8-1892.
1. Lelia Rhoda, b. 8-9-1870, d. 9-11-1891, unmarried.
2. Joseph Lewis, Jr., b. 7-5-1877, m. Margaret Webster Pope, b. 1875, d. 12-1-1940.
- a. Sallie Jewell, m. Jack M. Millman, Jr.  
(1) John Lewis  
(2) Joseph Miller, b. 6-17-1938.
3. William Ernest, b. 9-27-1878, m.I: Miss Wayland, m.II: Name of wife unknown. Issue by both.  
M.II: his cousin, Mary Virginia ("Jennie") Miller, b. 3-10-1868, no issue.
- C. Ezekial, died unmarried.
- II. Elizabeth, b. 3-3-1793, d. 7-8-1873, m. Thomas Weaver.
- A. Viranda, b. 3-30-1814, m. Jonas Racer.
1. Rhoda, m. Mr. Sims.
2. Alice, m. Mr. Bourland.
3. Fannie, m. Mr. Collins.
4. Lucinda, m. Mr. Burnsides.
5. Mary, m. Mr. Dark.
6. John
7. Sarah, m. Mr. Matlock.
8. George, m. Miss Hunt.
- B. Ann, b. 9-16-1815, m. Paschal Racer.
1. Annie, m. Mr. Sims.
- a. William
- C. John Adam, b. 6-16-1817, died unmarried.
- D. John Thornton, b. 5-27-1819, died unmarried.
- E. Almira, b. 5-27-1820, died unmarried.
- F. George Warner, b. 4-28-1822, m. Eliza Ann Roberts, b. 11-17-1825. They had 75 great-grandchildren!!

Children of Adam and Mary Miller, continued:

1. John William, b. 1-26-1850, d. 1917, married Virginia Ozella Rosson, b. 1856, d. 1-8-1937. They had 11 grandchildren.
  - a. Elmer Y.
  - b. Nellie, m. Roy Cleveland Aylor.
    - (1) Dorothy Marie, m. 2-13-1938, Bennie Booton Shotwell.
  - c. Lelia A., m. G. E. Smith.
2. Thomas Welsh, b. 1-11-1852, m. Sarah Frances Beahm. Had 26 grandchildren.
  - a. Harry, m. Gertie Clore.
  - b. Grace Maude, b. 11-23-1886, m. 12-27-1910, Robert E. Lee Fishback, b. 8-19-1881, d. 12-28-1931.
    - (1) Sarah Ellen, b. 1-24-1912.
    - (2) Ashbel Alexandris, b. 9-22-1913.
    - (3) Ruby Weaver, b. 7-8-1915.
    - (4) Raymond Edward, b. 4-11-1919.
  - c. Peoria, m. Beverly Ford.
  - d. Neva, m. Caspar Lohr.
3. Margaret Ann, b. 5-30-1857, d. 2-16-1885, m. William Sims. Had 16 grandchildren.
  - a. Mary Frances, m. Alexander Utz.
  - b. Almyra, m. Shelton Carpenter.
  - c. George, m. Jessie Carpenter.
  - d. J. T., m. Maude Murray.
4. Mary Frances, b. 4-7-1859, m. Jacob Utz, no issue.
5. Georgianna, b. 3-27-1862, m. W. C. Corbin, no issue.
6. James Albert, b. 5-22-1864, m. Alice Ford, had nine grandchildren.
  - a. Edith
  - b. Early
  - c. Annie, m. Grover Cave.
  - d. Arie Lee, m. Claude Lillard.
  - e. Edna, m. Bryant Clore.
  - f. Georgie, m. Johnnie Clore.
  - g. Reuben, m. Nannie Bell Lillard.
7. Elizabeth Catherine, b. 4-27-1867, m. John Kendrick, had twelve grandchildren.
  - a. Alice, m. Bernard Cook.
  - b. Mary, m. Ray Pickett.
  - c. Sam, m. Lillian Butler.
  - d. Dannie, m. Pearl Johnson.
  - e. Meade, m. Mary Harrison.
  - f. Jack, m. Rosella Jacob.
  - g. Hubert, m. Lena Embrey.

Children of Adam and Mary Miller, continued:

- G. Mary Elizabeth, b. 2-7-1823, d. 5-24-1859,  
m. William Broaddus Clore.
1. Cremora Frances, b. 11-14-1852, d. 4-3-1932,  
unmarried.
  2. Henry Lewis, b. 2-6-1854, d. 1921, m.I: Millie  
Huffman, no issue. M.II: Rosa Hawkins.  
a. Henry Lewis, Jr.  
b. Mary Fanny
  3. Mary Jane, b. 1855, m. 1-12-1871 to William  
T. Sims.  
a. Julia Elizabeth, m. Lewis Weaver.
  4. Hester Ann, b. 4-14-1857, m. 11-22-1884,  
John W. Sprinkel.
  5. James William, b. 5-13-1858, unmarried.
- H. William Madison, b. 5-25-1830, m. 7-4-1852, to  
Elizabeth Thursa Burke, b. 1-31-1832.
1. Mulmora Frances, b. 9-17-1855, m. John R.  
Jeffries.  
a. Lillie B., m. John M. Burke.  
(1) Flora  
(2) Lucille  
(3) Reuben  
(4) Viola  
b. Claude, m. Sallie M. Curtis.  
c. Joseph, m. Robbie Lee Burke.  
d. Eppa Lee, unmarried.  
e. Russell, unmarried.  
f. Elizabeth, unmarried.
  2. John Franklin, b. 1-2-1862, m. 1-29-1891 to  
Cora Lee Hutcherson, b. 1-28-1871.  
a. Maude, m. Lewis Wise.  
(1) Beulah (4) Ellen  
(2) John F. (5) Jesse  
(3) Ethel (6) Thomas William  
b. Leila, m. David Pullen.  
c. Cecil, unmarried.
  3. Lucy Belle, b. 6-30-1865, m. 11-18-1887, to  
Thomas Andrew Newman, b. 3-6-1865.  
a. Delza, b. 3-2-1888, m. Charlie Sherman.  
(1) Elizabeth (2) Edna  
b. Ima, b. 2-16-1890, m. Hebron Carpenter.  
(1) Ethel, m. Edward Hawkins.  
(a) Winfrey (b) Wayne  
(2) John Thomas, m. Edna E. Burke.  
c. Andrew A., m. Myrtle Beahm.  
(1) Ruby (2) Russell  
d. Reva, m. Eric Peyton.  
(1) Ray (2) Jesse

Children of Adam and Mary Miller, continued:

4. James Michael, b. 10-12-1867, m. Ethel Bayne.
  - a. James B. d. Ruth
  - b. Katherine M. e. Hanway
  - c. William
5. William Nolle, b. 2-11-1870, m. Cora Lee Cook,  
born 2-11-1873.
  - a. Nellie Elizabeth, b. 12-22-1892, m. Walter F. Hoffman.
    - (1) Louise (4) Morris
    - (2) Laura Ruth (5) Gabriel
    - (3) George
- I. Franklin, b. 3-30-1832, married his cousin Frances ("Fannie") Clore, b. about 1833. They were married probably shortly before 1850.
  1. John William, m. Sarah Carpenter, no issue.
  2. James O., unmarried.
  3. Charles H., m. Bettie Mauck.
    - a. Embrey, m. Sudie Tucker.
      - (1) Ray (2) Dorothy
    - b. Hiram
    - c. Mamie, m. Tom Long.
      - (1) Tom, Jr. (4) Catherine
      - (2) Robert (5) Shirley
      - (3) Dorothy (6) Mary Sue
    - d. Robertie, m. Thurmond Reynolds.
      - (1) James
    - e. Bettie, m. Melvin Mayes.
      - (1) Bettie Jean
    - f. Gray, m. Carroll Riddle.
      - (1) Mary Virginia
    - g. Gladys, m. Watson Martin, no issue.
    - h. Aleck
    - i. Nathan, unmarried.
    - j. Charles H., Jr., unmarried.
  4. Joe Lewis, m. Nannie Gooding, no issue.
  5. Blanche, m. Virgil Waldon.
    - a. Ruth, m. Percy Tompkins.
      - (1) Percy, Jr. (3) Joan Alline
      - (2) Ruth Alice
    - b. Virginia Ethel, m. Allen Butler.
      - (1) Lucian (3) Mary
      - (2) Virgil
    - c. Lucy Pearl, m. Wallace B. Wilson.
      - (1) Wallace B., Jr.
      - (2) Kenneth Harold
    - d. Frank, m. Della Weakley.
      - (1) Billy

Children of Adam and Mary Miller, continued:

- e. Jessie, m. Harold Spillman, no issue.
  - f. Joe Lewis, m. Mary Shiplett.
    - (1) Mary Lew
    - (2) Douglas Fairbanks
  - g. John, unmarried.
  - 6. Lucy, m. Absalom Dressler.
    - a. Fountain
    - b. Lena, m. James Clarkson.
      - (1) James Hamilton
      - (2) Louise Virginia
  - 7. Jesse M., unmarried.
  - 8. Lucian B., m. Elizabeth L. Weiss, no issue.
- III. Anna, b. 8-14-1795, d. 7-4-1880, m. 5-6-1819 to Salathiel Wayland Yager, b. 12-12-1792, d. 7-4-1878. Salathiel Yager was the son of Godfrey Yager (6-6-1747 to 5-26-1819) and his second wife, Mary Wayland. Godfrey Yager was the son of Adam Yager (b. 9-29-1707) and grandson of Nicholas Yager, who emigrated from Frankenstein, Germany, with his family in 1713.
- A. Priscilla Sidney, b. 12-27-1820, unmarried.
  - B. Robert Carter, b. 2-26-1823, unmarried.
  - C. George Washington, b. 2-18-1825, m. 4-15-1851 to Fannie Irene Abbott, b. 5-26-1833.
    - 1. Mary Ann, b. 12-20-1852, m. 2-27-1878 to Columbus Harvey Farmer, b. 3-3-1844.
      - a. Ollie Verselle, b. 1-19-1879.
      - b. Jessica Ullie, b. 2-28-1881.
      - c. Marion Salathiel, b. 11-25-1883.
      - d. Fanny Lorine, b. 5-4-1887.
    - 2. George Alonza, b. 8-9-1854, m. 4-3-1879 to Leila Elvira Tyler, b. 7-22-1858. Married at Henrico, Va.
      - a. Lottie Wise, b. 6-27-1881.
    - 3. William Hamilton, b. 6-24-1856.
    - 4. Richard Oliver, b. 2-28-1858.
    - 5. Lucelia Australia, b. 12-17-1862.
    - 6. Edward James, b. 9-17-1864.
    - 7. Etta Wise, b. 10-29-1869.
    - 8. Clarence Linwood, b. 8-25-1870.
    - 9. Myrtle Fanny, b. 11-2-1873.
    - 10. Charles Morton, b. 3-7-1876.
  - D. James Madison, b. 12-12-1830, d. 7-1-1878, married Miss Gaines, no issue.
  - E. William Lewis, b. 4-13-1832, m. 11-16-1869 to Julia Boyseau, b. 12-20-1851.
    - 1. Herbert Salathiel, b. 12-11-1870.
- IV. Ezekial, b. 11-4-1798, m. Julia Clore, b. 7-31-1791. They had one child, name unknown; it was spoken of in a letter written Sept. 30, 1844.

Children of Adam and Mary Wilhoit Miller, continued:

- V. Lucy, b. 10-2-1800, d. 3-10-1879, m. 9-28-1820 to her cousin, Warner Miller, b. 6-10-1799, d. 1-27-1858, a son of Henry Miller II and Achsah Warner. For issue, see chapter on descendants of Henry Miller II.
- VI. Mary ("Polly"), b. 10-16-1802, d. 3-17-1883, married 4-1-1823, to Jacob Reager, b. 1797, d. Oct., 1849.
- A. John Adam, b. 3-14-1824, married, no information.
- B. Lewis Alexander, b. 8-27-1825, d. 1865, unmarried.
- C. Lucy Ann, b. 5-19-1827, m. 11-29-1849, to Charles Henry White, b. 3-1-1825.
1. Alfred Lewis, b. 12-21-1850, m. 9-14-1876 to Mary Acton Downing, b. 8-3-1855.
- a. Lucy Downing, b. 6-15-1877, m. Robert Leach.
- (1) Alfred, m. Canby Ray.
- (a) Benton (c) Alfred, Jr.  
(b) Elinore
- (2) Charles, died unmarried.
- (3) Robert, Jr.
- (4) Mildred, m. Byron Crawford Gayle.
- (a) Byron Crawford, Jr.
- b. Fannie Scott, b. 10-4-1878, m. Frank B. Tipton, b. 1874, d. 9-29-1942.
- (1) Virginia, m. Everett Phelps.
- (a) Barrie Glen
- (2) Ruth, m. Harrison Downing Bennett.
- (a) Barbara, m. Weaver Merriam.  
(b) Harrison Downing, Jr.
- (3) Frank B., Jr., b. 1918, m. 6-13-1953 to Melba DeLee Kile.
- c. Charles Henry, II, b. 9-25-1880, married 6-5-1907 to his cousin, Lavinia Warner Dudley, b. 7-23-1887, a great-granddaughter of Jesse and Frances Corbin Miller. Charles Henry White II, died 3-18-1964. For issue, see chapter on Jesse and Frances Corbin Miller.
- d. John Downing, b. 4-19-1882, m. Ella Downing.
- (1) John Downing, Jr., m. 12-13-1947, Jane Angus.
- (2) Evelyn
- e. Nannie Brooks, b. 5-10-1885, d. 4-26-1957, married 7-5-1917 to her cousin, Jesse William Dudley, II, b. 8-17-1892. He was a brother of Lavinia Warner Dudley. For issue, see chapter on Jesse and Frances Corbin Miller.

Children of Adam and Mary Wilhoit Miller, continued:

- f. Mary Acton, b. 9-27-1888, m.I: St. George R. Raby, then divorced. M.II: Capt. George V. Stewart, U.S.N.  
Issue by first marriage:  
(1) Dorothy (2) Winifred  
Issue by second marriage:  
(3) Barry
- g. Ann, m. Lawrence Swann.  
(1) Alice (2) Hazel
- D. Henry Warner, b. 5-15-1829, m. 12-22-1857, to Mattie Turner, b. 2-25-1840, d. 6-9-1873.
  - 1. Mary Jordan, b. 2-28-1859, unmarried.
  - 2. Jacob Brant, b. 9-28-1860, m. 12-30-1886 to Fannie Gertrude Crist, b. 9-10-1867.
    - a. Dollie Domette, b. 8-12-1889.
    - b. Warner, b. 7-26-1891.
  - 3. Annie Elizabeth, b. 12-16-1862, m. 12-25-1885 to John Hugh Robinson, b. 8-25-1856.
    - a. Mattie Bolling, b. 10-5-1886, d. 12-22-1963, unmarried.
    - b. Annie Mary, b. 12-19-1887, m. Herman H. Huyett.
      - (1) Dorothy Ellen, m. 5-6-1939, Thomas Rutherford Moore, Jr.
    - c. Georgia Turner, b. 2-19-1889, m. John Burns Huyett, brother of Herman, who married her sister, Annie.
      - (1) Elizabeth Ann, died young.
      - (2) John Burns, Jr.
      - (3) Lelia H., m. 11-17-1945, William White, Jr.
      - (4) Randolph
      - (5) John Robinson
  - d. Lucy Jordan, b. 12-28-1890, m. Morris Reamy.
    - (1) Ann Wycliffe (2) William Dangerfield
  - e. William Hugh, b. 2-21-1893, m. Esther Locks.
    - (1) William Hugh, Jr.
  - f. Cathleen Elizabeth
  - g. Virginia Olivia, m. Johnson Fristoe.  
No issue.
  - h. E. Cornelia, m. Lorraine Pancoast.
    - (1) Jane O'Bannon Pancoast
  - i. Ida Louise, unmarried.
- 4. Lewis Alexander, II, b. 11-28-1864.
- 5. Charles Clement, b. 3-12-1868.

Children of Adam and Mary Wilhoit Miller, continued:

6. Lucy Vatrusia, b. 6-6-1871, m. Addison Hudnall.
  - a. Betty, m. William Smith, no issue.
  - b. Richard, m. his cousin, Frances Walter. Richard was the great-great-grandson of Adam Miller, son of Henry I. His wife was the great-great-great-granddaughter of Mary Miller Haines, daughter of Henry Miller I.
  - c. Hilda, m. I; Shirley Miller Walter, no issue. M. II: Ross Smith, no issue.
  - d. Russell
- E. Connor Jacob, b. 5-21-1831, m. 1-25-1871, Ellender Ann Barton.
  1. Lucy Frances, b. 2-4-1872, married, had issue.
  2. Elbert Arthur, b. 6-7-1874.
  3. Effie Alzina, b. 9-12-1878.
- F. Mary Elizabeth, b. 3-24-1833, d. 3-19-1861, m. 9-28-1854, Richard R. A. C. Hudnall, b. 12-16-1817.
  1. Lucy Josephine, b. 7-14-1855, m. 9-26-1873, Edward Kingston Salisbury, b. 11-15-1845, no issue.
  2. Joseph Alexander, b. 12-19-1856.
  3. Mary Elizabeth, b. 2-16-1858, m. 10-27-1875, William Penrose Hicks, b. 7-21-1848.
    - a. Edith Peryl, b. 9-18-1876, died unmarried.
    - b. Richard Hudnall, b. 4-26-1879.
    - c. William Thomas, b. 1-10-1881.
    - d. Mary Greene, b. 9-5-1891.
  4. Fanny Scott, b. 6-19-1859, m. 10-25-1883, Edward Zollicoffer Thompson, b. 9-30-1861.
    - a. Georgia Hudnall, b. 5-27-1887.
    - b. Richard Edward, b. 3-9-1889.
- G. George Washington Reager, b. 1-18-1836, died 2-15-1873, unmarried.
- H. Frances Rhoda Reager, b. 3-11-1838, d. 6-27-1880. M: 1-26-1869, Middleton Elias Dodson, b. 1-19-1833.
  1. Maude Marie, b. 9-19-1871, m. D. A. Messner d. Jan., 1938.
    - a. Daniel Kingston, unmarried.
    - b. Marian, m. Joseph A. Grazier.
    - c. Richard Lee, unmarried.
  2. Charles Herbert, b. 3-4-1875, m. 1912 to Florence Martin, who died in 1918.
    - a. Marjorie Eleanor
    - b. Maude Alice
  3. Claude Duval, b. 8-14-1876, died early, unmarried.

VII. NANCY MILLER

Born 4-15-1805, Madison Co., Virginia; died, 6-30-1885.

Father - Adam Miller

Mother - Mary Wilhoit

Married, 1825, EDMUND CLORE.

Born 1799.

Father - John Clore, son of John, son of  
Michael, son of John, son of  
Michael Clore, the immigrant  
of 1717.

CHILDREN OF EDMUND AND NANCY CLORE:

- A. John Adam, b. ca. 1826, m. ----- Carpenter.  
1. John  
2. James  
3. William
- B. Albert, b. ca. 1827, served in the Confederate Army.  
Was wounded in battle. Married, wife's name unknown.  
1. Richard 4. Mary Ellen  
2. Thomas 5. Lou Anna  
3. Rena 6. "Sis"  
7. Julius
- C. Charles, b. ca. 1829, died unmarried. Probably the  
one who served in Company I, First Virginia Cavalry,  
in the Civil War.
- D. Franklin, b. ca. 1831, married and had two sons.
- E. Frances ("Fannie"), b. ca. 1833, m. ca. 1850, her  
cousin, Franklin Weaver, b. 3-30-1832, son of  
Elizabeth Miller, Adam Miller's daughter; thus they  
were first cousins. For issue, see No. II, Elizabeth  
Miller and Thomas Weaver.
- F. William C., b. ca. 1836. He is probably the one who  
served in Company L, Tenth Virginia Regiment, in the  
Confederate Army.
- G. Lucy A., b. ca. 1839.
- H. Mary ("Mollie"), b. ca. 1842, died unmarried.
- I. Jason O., b. ca. 1843, served in the Confederate  
Army, wife's name unknown.  
1. Benjamin 4. George  
2. Ashby 5. Robert  
3. Mumford
- J. Martha B., b. ca. 1846.

VIII. RHODA MILLER

Born, 5-31-1807, Madison Co., Va.; died, 8-15-1873.

Father - Adam Miller

Mother - Mary Wilhoit

Married, 1840 or 41, JAMES R. MILLER, her cousin.

Father - David Miller

Mother - Mary Wilhoit

Born, 4-18-1817.

Died, 12-23-1886.

For issue, see family of David Miller, son of Henry Miller, II.

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IX. JOHN WESLEY MILLER

Born, 4-10-1809, Madison Co., Va.; died 9-7-1905, Slate  
Mills, Va.

Father - Adam Miller

Mother - Mary E. Wilhoit

Married, 10-17-1833, MARY BLANKENBAKER.

Born 1808, died 8-6-1880.

Father - Jonas Blankenbaker.

John Wesley Miller moved to Slate Mills, Virginia, soon after his marriage in 1833. He was the patriarch of the family, dying at the age of 96. That evening in September, 1905, he was sitting on the porch, quietly admiring the lovely sunset, when he quietly passed away. A fitting ending to a respected and beautiful life. Some years before his death, the Reverend "Tommie" Grimsley, who is known to have been his great friend, suggested that he write a record of his family. He had known nearly all of them since the second generation. He took an interest in doing this piece of work, and it is on his outline of the descendants of the first Henry Miller that this Miller genealogy is based. The author takes pleasure in stating that in no instance was she able to find an error in name or data supplied by J. W. Miller. Every fact he gave has been proved by family Bible records, official records, and other sources of information.

According to record, John Wesley Miller, in 1854, paid a tax of only 60 cents on 3000 acres of land.

CHILDREN OF JOHN WESLEY AND MARY MILLER:

- A. Sarah Letitia, b. 8-1-1834, died at age of 7.
- B. Amanda Melvina, b. 6-19-1836, d. 2-16-1884, married 7-18-1861, George Quesenberry, b. 4-13-1827, died April, 1865.
1. George Oscar, M.D., b. 7-27-1863, m. 12-11-1889, Sallie Mobley, b. 6-27-1870.
- a. Lois Gertrude, b. 4-5-1891, m. Charles W. Ferrell, lived in Richmond, Va.
- b. Gladys M., b. 3-19-1893.
- C. Mary Elizabeth, b. 9-5-1838, d. 2-23-1909, m. 6-16-1861, Thomas Benjamin Amiss, M.D., b. 7-4-1838, of Luray, Va.
1. Thomas Jackson, b. 1-22-1864.
2. Frederick Taylor, b. 11-1-1866, d. 3-24-1942. M. Caroline Weaver.
- a. Thomas Benjamin, II, M.D.
- b. Edwin Miller, M.D.
- c. Ruth, m. Thomas Hamilton.
3. Nannie Leavell, b. 2-5-1871, m. Jesse B. Martin.
- D. James Nelson, b. 8-5-1840, d. 3-25-1919, m. 12-31-1863, Catherine Delia Payne, b. 11-7-1840, d. 2-25-1918.
1. James Hubert ("Hugh"), b. 8-2-1864, d. 10-14-1934. M. 9-19-1901, Jane Anderson, b. 9-19-1881.
- a. John Robert, b. 9-28-1902, m. 1-12-1933, Hulda Wiggington.
- (1) Elizabeth Jean, b. 6-5-1934.
- (2) William Robert, b. 5-8-1938.
- b. Mary Elizabeth, b. 1-16-1907, m. I: 8-2-1928, Roy Gray Foster, died 4-28-1934. M. II; Dec., 1940, Douglas Petersen, no issue from either marriage.
- c. James Hubert, Jr., M.D., b. 1-6-1914, married. (1) James Hubert, III
- d. Cora Anne, b. 12-19-1917.
2. John Franklin, b. 7-4-1866, d. 6-24-1892, he was to have been married July 4, 1892.
3. Mary Virginia ("Jennie"), b. 3-10-1868, died 8-12-1963. M. I: her cousin, Joseph Lewis Miller, b. 3-8-1850, d. 4-18-1907, on 4-23-1904. He was a grandson of Adam Miller. No issue. M. II: 11-11-1908, her cousin, John Byron ("Polk") Miller, b. 9-26-1844, d. 10-12-1915. He was a grandson of John Miller I of Mountain Green. No issue.
4. Lily Kate, b. 12-15-1870, d. May, 1956, married Harry D. Fisher, b. 7-3-1867, d. 3-12-1931.
- a. Thomas N., b. 11-8-1901, d. 11-19-1920.

CHILDREN OF JOHN WESLEY AND MARY MILLER:

- b. Catherine Margaret, b. 10-18-1904, married 9-23-1932, Reuben Lindsay Gordon, b. 4-20-1889, d. Dec., 1861.
  - (1) Edward Fisher, b. 10-13-1933.
  - (2) John Beale, b. 2-23-1935.
- c. Harry Miller, b. 12-8-1909, m. 5-5-1935, Martha Izard.
  - (1) Harry Haleston, b. 2-15-1938.
- d. Virginia Wells, b. 9-3-1914, m. Marshall Petty.
- 5. William Robert, b. 4-2-1872, d. 2-23-1912, unmarried.
- 6. Elizabeth Payne, b. 4-24-1874, d. 6-16-1960, unmarried.
- 7. Malvina Amanda, b. 9-14-1876, d. 12-17-1947. M. Charles H. Butts, b. 1-13-1874, d. 9-20-1951. No issue.
- 8. Nellie Amiss, b. 6-16-1878, d. 12-17-1947, married 2-4-1922, James Lillard Thornhill, b. 10-1-1871, d. 10-15-1934.
- 9. Bertha Moore, b. 10-15-1880, d. Oct., 1871, m. 11-29-1911, Carleton Wallace Reese, b. 7-29-1886, d. 5-18-1955, no issue.
- E. Lucille Gertrude, b. 3-19-1844, d. 8-23-1899, unmarried.
- F. Cora Alice, b. 6-30-1846, d. 10-23-1921, m. William Green.
- G. Oscar Decatur ("Kate"), b. 9-5-1848, d. 12-9-1907, unmarried.
- H. Fannie Florence, b. 12-28-1850, d. 3-28-1927, in church, unmarried.

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X. GEORGE WILHOIT MILLER

Born, 4-13-1812, Slate Mills, Va.; Died, May, 1870.  
Father - Adam Miller  
Mother - Mary E. Wilhoit

Unmarried

SOPHIA MILLER ROGERS

11. SOPHIA MILLER ROGERS

According to a translation of the Hebron Church Birth Register, Sophia Miller, eleventh child of Henry and Susanna Sibling Miller, was born October 23, 1771. She was apparently born in Pennsylvania -- probably all of the Miller children were born in Pennsylvania with the exception of the youngest and twelfth, Anna. Sophia was christened in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, but no date is given.

Sophia married Burgess Rogers of Culpeper County, Virginia, in 1792. In the account of the settlement of the estate of Henry Miller, I, the following is noted: "Cash paid to Burgess Rogers, one of the legatees, 30 pounds." The proceeds from the sale of the property of Henry Miller, I, was, according to his will, to be divided between the widow and his daughters. Hence, this was Sophia's share, paid to her husband, Burgess Rogers. It was customary in those days for the husband to take care of such transactions for his wife. This could have been the case, or Sophia might already have died.

Nothing whatever is known of the descendants of Burgess and Sophia Miller Rogers.

ANNA MILLER BERRY

12. ANNA MILLER BERRY

Anna Miller, twelfth and last child of Henry Miller, I, and Susanna, his wife, was born January 27, 1773 -- in Virginia -- the only child of Henry and Susanna to have been born there.

She married Jesse Berry, of Culpeper County, Virginia, in 1790. In the account of the settlement of Henry Miller's estate, no mention was made of her, as in the case of three of her sisters: Sarah-Catherine, Margaret, and Sophia. This could mean that Anna was dead. It could also mean that her inheritance was paid to her husband, as was customary in those days.

Nothing whatever is known of the descendants of Jesse and Anna Miller Berry.

In 1940, a Mr. Hiram Berry was living in Madison, Virginia, where a Mr. Hamp Berry once operated a clothing factory on Robinson River. There may be some connection between these Berrys and the family of Jesse and Anna Miller Berry, but the author has not examined into the matter.

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