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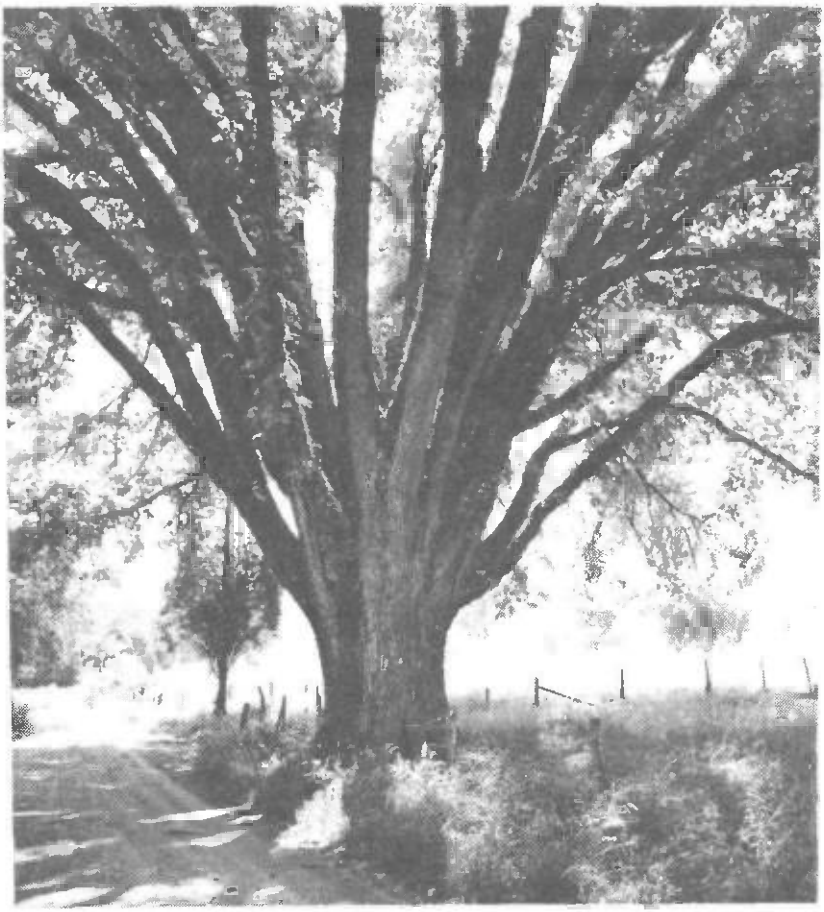

". . . he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water." Psalms 1:3.

To many this famous elm has become a living symbol of the Montgomery family. Situated in Blount County near Greenback, on land granted to John Montgomery, May 28, 1855, it has had considerable publicity as the largest elm of this species in the world. Waters of Nine Mile Creek and protection by Montgomery families for more than a hundred years have no doubt helped make possible its growth and survival.

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John and Esther Houston Montgomery

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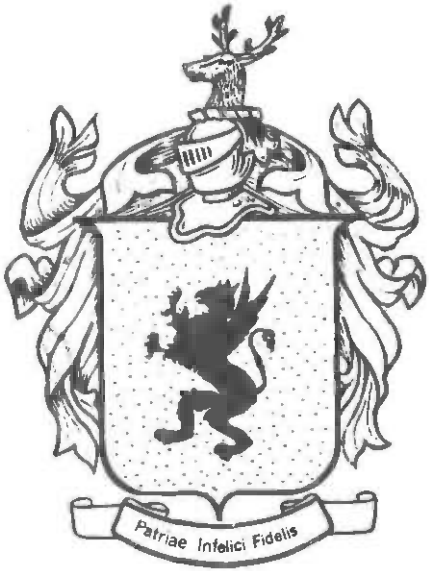

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INTRODUCTION

Accuracy cannot be proven for all parts of this compilation, but we have aimed at the highest degree possible. When they were available we have consulted records from historical sources, family Bibles and grave markers. In many instances we had to rely on personal memories when there was no written record. When information from two or more recognized sources agreed, we have felt that truth is established. Furthermore, there will always be inaccuracies; every reporting and every copying of materials adds another chance of error.

Our efforts are centered on giving factual data rather than judgment of personality or giving acclaim to our people. We can boast of no great fame for them as a group, though some have given outstanding service to their nation, to churches, schools, and to their fellow men. Being human they had their weaknesses; doubtless, some would be considered failures as this world measures failure or success. By far, the greater number have been people who tried to provide for their families, to serve God and to live honest lives. Whenever a cause needed defending, they were no cowards. Many stories are known of personal bravery to protect family and property, to stand for the right, and to fight for their country. As frontiersmen and as defenders of personal and national rights, we know our ancestors were often equal to occasions we would simply avoid in the 70's. We believe they were also willing to forgive when personal wrong had been done.

The amount of details or allotted space on any individual is not determined by that one's worth or importance. It is largely due to information available. Especially of the first families, more knowledge is needed. Where families are known personally, it is

difficult to limit what is included. On the other hand, some families of later years have not provided the facts needed.

Recognition must also be given to the fact that each individual family is formed from uniting two lines of inheritance. For each Montgomery, husband or wife, there is a spouse who brings to the home strengths and weaknesses which affect their own and future generations. We acknowledge this by including background of the Houston family and when possible giving something of the background of each person who married into our family. There are no "pure" lines of ancestry. From many nationalities and circumstances we get our strengths and our weaknesses.

Strength of family ties have helped to build and hold together these historical families, to bring us the heritage we have today. Let us have faith this study will inspire other generations to love and to experience family closeness and strength of character which will in turn carry them through good and bad times.

This is an unfinished compilation. There was really no specific point of beginning. It was impossible to get all the information that should be included; some lines we could not trace. And it has no ending. What will happen to those now living and the influence of those who have died will continue to bring about change. There will be new families formed, new lives to be lived so long as the descendants of John and Esther Houston Montgomery live.

Throughout the generations many men of this family have answered the call of duty and taken up arms when their country needed them. Others have felt sent by God to do what was needful, even when personal desire would have led them elsewhere. To honor these, and to illustrate how we have sought to be people of God, we include the brief sermon and prayer of the Rev. Samuel Doak whose wife was Esther Montgomery.

The reader should bear in mind that we now see from another perspective the people who fought in the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812 for national freedom. They fought in wars most serious for them, later considered as minor involvements: the French and Indian War, Jackson's Campaign in Florida against the Seminoles, the Mexican War, Spanish War, the Texas War for Independence, and much later the Korean, Vietnam and other military entanglements. After 1850, a different generation experienced the terrible difficulties of the Civil War period when family members actually fought on opposite sides when each had strong convictions and urgings to stand for what he believed to be a just and righteous cause. Others participated in World Wars I and II, where many made the supreme sacrifice.

Around 1780, during the course of the Revolution, the fate of our country seemed to rest in a balance and all might be lost. A special challenge had been made to the settlements "overmountain," where many of our ancestors were living. The challenge -- if their leaders "did not desist from their opposition to the British Arms, he would march his army over the mountains, hang their leaders, and lay waste the country with fire and sword."

Sept. 25, 1870 was the date of the great muster of men under John Sevier and Isaac Shelby who would be part of this campaign to meet and stop the British troops. Around 500 men from Washington and Sullivan Counties of Tennessee and 200 others from Virginia gathered. Their destination was the now famous Battle of King's Mountain, South Carolina, where it seemed the mountain men really helped turn the tide of the war toward victory. Records indicate that all the sons and sons-in-law of John and Esther Montgomery were there.

The men gathered in companies for a religious service conducted by Rev. Doak. The sermon and prayer which follow is the only dedication of our book.

SAMUEL DOAK'S FAMOUS SERMON AND PRAYER
At Sycamore Shoals Muster
September, 1780

"My countrymen, you are about to set out on an expedition which is full of hardships and dangers, but one in which the Almighty will attend you.

"The Mother Country has her hands upon you, these American Colonies, and takes that for which our fathers planted their homes in the wilderness – OUR LIBERTY.

"Taxation without representation and the quartering of soldiers in the homes of our people without their consent are evidence that the Crown of England would take from its American Subjects the last vestige of Freedom.

"Your brethren across the mountains are crying like Macedonia unto your help. God forbid that you shall refuse to hear and answer their call –

but the call of your brethren is not all. The enemy is marching hither to destroy your own homes.

"Brave men, you are not unacquainted with battle. Your hands have already been taught to war and your fingers to fight. You have wrested these beautiful valleys of the Holston, and Watauga from the savage hand. Will you tarry now until the other enemy carries fire and sword to your very doors? NO, it shall not be. Go forth then in the strength of your manhood to the aid of your brethren, the defense of your liberty and the protection of your homes. And may the God of Justice be with you and give you victory."

"Let Us Pray"

"Almighty and gracious God! Thou hast been the refuge and strength of Thy people in all ages. In time of sorest need we have learned to come to Thee – our Rock and our Fortress. Thou knowest the dangers and snares that surround us on march and in battle.

"Thou knowest the dangers that constantly threaten the humble, but well beloved homes which Thy servants have left behind them.

"O, in Thine infinite mercy, save us from the cruel hand of the savage, and of Tyrant. Save the unprotected homes while fathers and husbands and sons are far away fighting for freedom and helping the oppressed.

"Thou, who promised to protect the Sparrow in its flight, keep ceaseless watch, by day and by night, over our loved ones. The helpless women and little children, we commit to Thy care. Thou wilt not leave them or forsake them in times of loneliness and anxiety and terror.

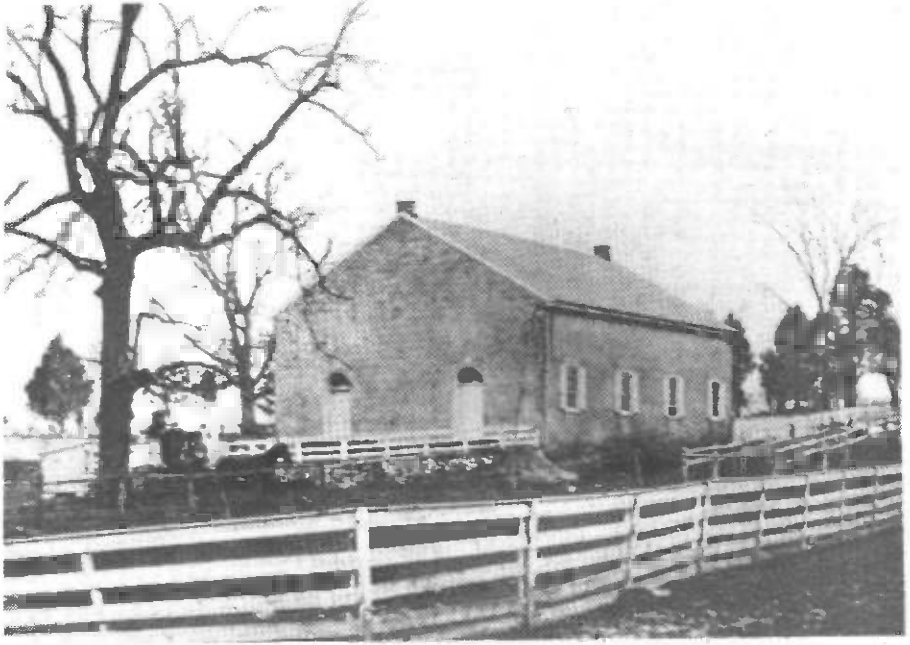
"O, God of Battle, arise in Thy might. Avenge the slaughter of Thy people. Confound those who

plot for our destruction. Crown this mighty effort with victory, and smite those who exalt themselves against liberty and justice and truth.

"Help us as good soldiers to wield the SWORD OF THE LORD AND GIDEON."

"AMEN"

The sermon and prayer of Samuel Doak are used through the courtesy of Mrs. Rollo H. Henley, Washington College, Tennessee. It is taken from the scrapbook of her father, J. Fain Anderson.



PEQUEA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Lancaster, Pennsylvania

The site where Esther Houston and her family worshipped during their sojourn in Pennsylvania. This church is still active. 1974 marks its 250th anniversary.

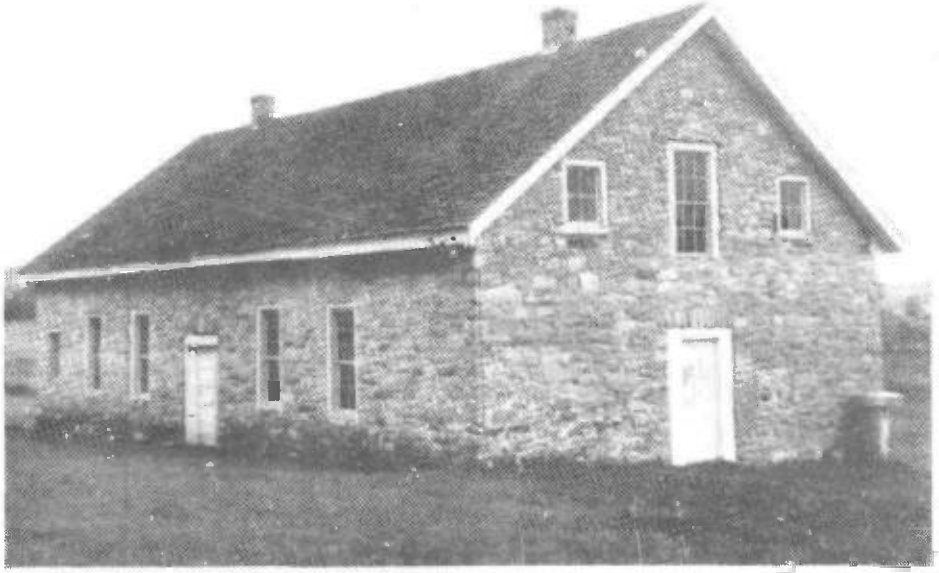
CHAPTER 1
JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

(Documented early history by John F. Montgomery; story and more general compilation by J. Esther Montgomery.)

The record of the descendants of John Montgomery and Esther Houston has involved the participation of many of their progeny. Ten of their children who grew to adulthood, four sons and six daughters, married and left descendants. Two children, the names of whom could not be discovered, supposedly died young.

It is well established that John Montgomery and Esther Houston were married by the Reverend Johann Casper Stoever, Jr. in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, on July 2, 1738. This marriage was confirmed as late as November 7, 1973, by Dr. John F. Montgomery of Lewisburg, West Virginia. On this date he visited the Lancaster County Historical Society in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, where he personally examined the recorded marriages of the Reverend Johann Casper Stoever, Jr.

Whether or not John and Esther were married in the Pequea Presbyterian Church is a matter of question. However, it is known that this was Esther's church and that John Houston, her father, lived in the vicinity of this church at the time of the marriage. By 1747 both the John Montgomery and the John Houston families had moved to Virginia and had acquired adjacent farms in the Burden Tract in Augusta County between Staunton and Lexington. A deed from Benjamin Burden to John Montgomery for a tract of 247-1/2 acres is recorded, Book 1, page 361, in the county records of Augusta County, Virginia, dated August 20, 1747. An additional adjacent tract of 160 acres was



OLD PROVIDENCE CHURCH
Augusta County, Virginia

This church was built near the homes of John Montgomery and John Houston. It was first known as "Providence." In later years, a new imposing brick church was erected some five miles south of this location near the present village of Brownsburg. To this new structure the name "New Providence" was given. The stone church then became known as "Old Providence."

acquired by John Montgomery in 1756. All available evidence indicates that John and Esther resided at this location until 1779 or later. On November 17, 1779, records in Augusta County show that John and Esther conveyed two tracts of land, one of 252 acres and the other of 250 acres, to James Montgomery. It is supposed that this was their son James who married Margaret Weir.

It is known that James and Margaret had moved to Tennessee and were established by 1788 in Blount County. No records of John and Esther exist beyond the date of November 17, 1779, the date of their conveyance of the two above mentioned tracts of land to James Montgomery. Diligent search in the records of the New Providence Presbyterian Church, its cemetery, and in the cemetery adjacent to the stone meeting house, now known as "Old Providence," revealed no evidence of their death or burial in the vicinity of their homesite or in the cemetery of the church where they worshipped.

Since James was the eldest son and since their home estate was deeded to him, one's first guess would be that they accompanied him, possibly to the Abingdon, Virginia area first, and thence to Blount County, Tennessee. But they could have stopped off with one of their other sons or daughters, almost all of whom moved into southwest Virginia or on into Tennessee. At any rate, there is no record of their having gone with James to Tennessee.

Much confusion has arisen as to the place of burial of John and Esther by reason of the John Montgomery who was buried at Fort Chiswell, Virginia. He was indeed a contemporary of our John, and his birthplace, travel to America, coming first to Augusta County, Virginia by way of Pennsylvania, all closely parallel the record of our John. However, there are other distinct facts that set the Fort Chiswell John Montgomery apart from our John Montgomery. These are set down in "The Historical Society of Washington County, Virginia," Publications Series II, No. 5, Fall, 1967, by Agnes Graham Sanders Riley, Lexington, Kentucky and Irvine, California. The record of this John Montgomery, 1717-1802, states he was born in Donegal,

Ireland. His parents were James and Anne Montgomery. In 1746 a James Montgomery was Justice of the Peace in Augusta County, Virginia, in all probability this same James. Later he appears to have lived in Botetourt County, Virginia, some two miles west of Fincastle. Other children of James and Anne Montgomery were William, Joseph, James (an officer in the Revolutionary War) and probably Robert, Samuel and Elizabeth, who married John Crockett II.

This John Montgomery, son of James and Anne Montgomery, married Agnes Anne Crockett in 1753. In some historical records this date has been assigned to the marriage of our John Montgomery and Esther Houston. But their marriage, as stated previously, has been well established in 1738. Some further confusion may have arisen in tracing the descendants of these two Johns by reason of the same names given to their children.

Children of John and Esther Montgomery	Children of John and Agnes Montgomery
James	James
Mollie	John
John	Samuel
Ann	Joseph
Dorcas	Silas
Jane	Stephen
Robert	William
Esther	Robert
Alexander	Esther
Isabella	Catherine
	Rachel
	Elizabeth
	Anne

I, John F. Montgomery of Lewisburg, West Virginia, made a trip to Fort Chiswell, Virginia on 29 October, 1973, to make a final search relative to the report coming out of Sevierville, Tennessee (Historical Notes of Joe Sharp) that John Montgomery was buried at Fort Chiswell, Virginia. This reference appears to be the source of information that

has given rise to the supposition that John Montgomery and Esther Houston were buried at this place. I contacted a descendant of the Fort Chiswell John Montgomery and was driven by her husband, Mr. Garnet Davis, to the old cemetery site where I viewed a marker placed on a large limestone rock. This marker was to John Montgomery, 1717-1802, his wife Agnes, and their children. Search of Wythe County records and wide inquiry brought no trace of another John Montgomery having been in or buried at Fort Chiswell.

I have dwelt at length with this matter because of the persistent confusion and widespread belief that John and Esther were buried at Fort Chiswell. Having to my complete satisfaction eliminated this possibility, I can only conclude that the question of the sojourn of John and Esther in their latter years, and the place of their burial, must remain unanswered.

Many of the descendants of our John Montgomery have sought to determine his ancestors but were not able to do so in a conclusive manner. Recently, this writer came upon pertinent recorded information in the History of Chester County, Pennsylvania, and Genealogical and Biographical Sketches by J. Smith Futhey and Gilbert Cope, 1881. This is the only recorded record that has been found referring to a John Montgomery whose wife was Esther. A portion of the record, pages 661-62, is reproduced below:

> Alexander Montgomery and William Nevin received patents, April 18, 1744, for two tracts of land in Londonderry, containing together 650 acres. The will of Alexander Montgomery, of Mill Creek, New Castle Co., dated Sept. 10, 1746, gave his moiety of the land to his sons William and Daniel, they paying something to the other children. Oct. 13, 1761, John Montgomery and Esther, Moses Montgomery and wife Elizabeth, William Montgomery and Margaret Montgomery, released to Daniel his share of the land, and on the 26th of the same month Daniel Montgomery of Philadelphia City, glazier, sold to his brother William of Londonderry. The latter was about ten or eleven years old at the time of his parents' death. Daniel and Margaret are said to

have removed to Northumberland County at the same time as their brother William.

The same resource material gives an extensive biography of William Montgomery (brother of John as mentioned above). "William Montgomery was a man of excellent character and of great influence in his day. Nothing of importance in his section of the country without consulting with him. He was the Nestor of the early settlers, and his advice was law to them." Born August 3, 1736, died May 1, 1816, was married first to Margaret Niven, second Isabella Evans, and third Hannah, the widow of Matthew Boyd. A total of eleven children were born to the first two wives. His son Daniel, 1765-1831, was recognized as a prominent citizen of the region around Danville, Pennsylvania, which was supposedly named in his honor.

The will of Alexander Montgomery, 1746, indicates that a portion of his estate had already been given to some of his children. William and Daniel being minors still, ages 10 and 15, were specifically provided for in his will. It appears that the estate was finally settled in 1761, at which time John Montgomery and wife Esther, Moses Montgomery and wife Elizabeth, William Montgomery and Margaret Montgomery (Strawbridge) released to Daniel his share of the land.

Since the above quoted article makes only one reference to John and Esther, it gives credence to the fact that they did not remain in Pennsylvania or Delaware. Had they done so, they would no doubt have been mentioned in the latter portion of the article. Thus all parts of the puzzle now seem to fall in place, giving reasonable proof that our John Montgomery who married Esther Houston in 1738 and went to Augusta County, Virginia in 1747 was the son of Alexander Montgomery.

A historical sketch of "Major John Montgomery," some twenty-three legal size typed pages prepared by James M. Rice, Esquire, Peoria, Illinois, in the late 1800's, gives convincing evidence that Major John Montgomery was the father of Alexander, and hence the grandfather of our John Montgomery. Mr. Rice himself was a descendant of Wil-

liam Montgomery, a son of Alexander.

According to Mr. Rice, Major John Montgomery had emigrated from Scotland to Ireland prior to the Battle of the Boyne Waters in which he distinguished himself. About 1720 he came to America, landing either at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, or New Castle, Delaware. His sons are listed as John, Robert, Alexander, and Thomas. Rice surmises that Alexander married Mary McCullough. To this union was born John, Moses, William, Daniel, and Margaret. This John Montgomery, as stated previously, appears without doubt to be the John that married Esther Houston.

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HOUSTON ANCESTRY

The Houston Family lines have been carefully traced; articles compiled by Professor S. G. Hawfield for the Monroe (North Carolina) Journal have been studied along with "Bold Legacy" by Cleburn Huston and other references. For the sake of brevity, statements are not all annotated but are supported by one or more of these sources. The parents of Esther Houston who married John Montgomery were John Houston (1) and Margaret Cunningham. John was born in Northern Ireland around 1690, came to the United States in 1730, having experienced a hectic encounter on the ship with piratical captain and crew. With him was his wife, Margaret Cunningham, four sons, two daughters and his widowed mother. The elder Mrs. Houston must then have been still spry, around 80 years of age; she died at age 97.

They landed at New Castle, Delaware, settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, about 100 miles inland from Philadelphia. John lived there for seventeen years but the urge of the pioneer was still in his blood, leading him to join the Scotch Irish settlers pushing southward and west-

ward into western Virginia. This move of about 200 miles doubtless was made by wagon train across the Potomac and up the Shenandoah River. They reached Augusta County, Virginia, where the combined family (John plus sons John, Samuel, Robert and Matthew) became the largest holders of land in Augusta County.

John Houston I helped to form the New Providence Church in the northern part of what is now Rockbridge County, Virginia, and later helped one of his sons and their neighbors to build Timber Ridge Church to the east of the New Providence where old Sam Houston was born.

He also helped to found Liberty (Augusta) Academy at Timber Ridge, which later became Washington and Lee University at Lexington, Virginia.

Though he gained wealth and such degree of comfort as the frontier afforded, Houston remained the active pioneer until the moment of his death (1755). Having survived many dangers on sea and land, his death came suddenly and tragically. At age 65, helping to clear land for new fields, he stopped under a tree which was blazing at the top. A heavy branch fell from the tree, its point foremost, and pierced his skull, causing instant death. It is known that Margaret outlived her husband. His will was probated May 15, 1755, Augusta County, Virginia. See "Books of Wills," no. 2, page 40.

Combined sources of information show further that John and Margaret Houston had two children after coming to America. Complete data is not available.

James, died young
John, b. 1716, d. 1798, married Sarah Todd
Esther, married John Montgomery
Robert, b. 1720, married Margaret Davidson
Isabella, married first John Henderson, second William Gillespie
Samuel, married Elizabeth McCroskey
Matthew, married Martha Lyle
Mary, married ——— Blair

Detailed records are available showing the history of John Houston who married Sarah Todd. One of the sons, the

Rev. Samuel Houston, was father of General Sam Houston who made great contributions in the early history of Tennessee and later of Texas. (General Sam Houston the same generation as our Samuel Montgomery and wife Elizabeth Gillespie of Baker's Creek area of Blount County.)

John Houston II, 1716-1798, born in Ulster, Ireland, died in Logan County, Kentucky, while visiting his son Robert, attending meetings which may have been the starting point of the great "Revival of 1800." Sarah Todd Houston died in Blount County, Tennessee, May 25, 1795. Samuel Houston, son of John II, married Elizabeth Paxton. They had nine children, including (General) Sam. After the death of Samuel, Sr., Sarah Todd Houston and children left Timber Ridge settlement in Virginia and moved to Blount County, Tennessee, near Maryville. The farm was in the area known as Houston Community (near Highway 129). She was buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery, but exact location of her grave is not known. A memorial marker has been erected by C.A.R. in this cemetery.

THE SCOTCH-IRISH PHASE

These beginnings are quoted from Clifford Sims' "Order and Signification of Scottish Surnames."

"The name 'Montgomery' is of Norman origin. Roger de Montgomerie came into England with William the Conquerer; his son Philip de Montgomerie, who settled in Scotland, where he received a grant of the lands of Eaglesham in Renfrewshire and died in 1140, was the ancestor of the Scottish family of Montgomery.

"From the parish of Houston in Renfrewshire, in the reign of Malcolm IV, 1153, Hugh Padvinan obtained the barony of Kilpeter from Baldwin of Biggar, Sheriff of Lanark, hence called Hughstown, corrupted to Houstown."

The daughters of the Houston knights and barons almost universally married into noble families, many of them within Renfrewshire. Thus neighboring families were tied

together through marriage, providing a helpful influence for peace where there were so many sources of contention and bitter strife. Among the most important marriage relations of the times were those between the Houstons and Hamiltons. These connections had great influence in the settlement of large numbers of Houstons in Northern Ireland in the early seventeenth century. Most, if not all, of the Houston marriages were with Scottish Lowlanders . . . the Highland clans, next to the English, were the people most detested.

From the beginnings in the Lowlands of Scotland, the course of family history moved to Ulster in Northern Ireland. Settlers in the Glens of Antrim -- the promoters, Montgomery and Hamilton -- were generous landlords, allowing low rents and providing ministers, churches and schools with surprising energy and devotion. Very few English and no Irish or Scottish highlanders were settlers here. This has been described as a century of growth and tempering which flows on to America for its full development into a progressive people of courage, honor and an approach to greatness.

Migration from Ulster to America followed the English "War of the Revolution" for reason of religious and political differences, trade barriers and rack-rates. Once the movement was under way, it was a kind of contagion, one family moving, causing relatives and friends to follow. Poor crops in 1727 and 1740 and loss of fertility of the soil in Ulster gave great emphasis to the movement.

These emigrants from Ulster were a new people, decidedly different from the Scots in the homeland and with no resemblance to the native Irish. Arriving in America from Ireland they were often called Irish, and being of Scottish descent they were sometimes called Scots. Eventually they came to be called Scotch Irish and were distinct peoples by the beginning of the eighteenth century.

The first who came to the New England colonies failed to find the freedom they sought. The Northern stream, the movement in which we are interested, landed in Philadelphia and pushed past the Quakers and Germans to the dangerous

Indian frontier on the edge of the wilderness. They chose these remote areas for freedom of worship without any state church, a minimum of government regulation and land was cheap, where large families could be supported at small expense.

Two interesting quotations attributed to their own members may apply to many of their descendants of the twentieth century. "Lord, grant that I may always be right for Thou knowest I am hard to turn." "The Scotch-Irishman is one who keeps the commandments of God, and every thing he can get his hands on."

The Scotch-Irish of the Revolutionary War were praised by General Washington as his best fighting men. Their valiant spirit had been fortified through centuries of battling for freedom -- never quite achieved. They had fought the Highland raiders in Old Scotland, the Irish and the Jacobites in Ulster, the Indians and French in America. But somehow, their arch enemies through the centuries had been the English. Here again they faced their ancient antagonists. This truth was evident in the high percentage of men who fought in the American Revolution and in the War of 1812.

THE LIFE OF JOHN AND ESTHER

The family story of John and Esther Montgomery begins with their marriage July 2, 1738, in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. Esther Houston was the daughter of John and Margaret Cunningham Houston who came to the United States from Ireland in 1730. Her birthdate may have been 1718, though it has been quoted as 1724. The Houstons seem to have been much more concerned with keeping records of sons than of daughters. Her brother John was born 1716 and Robert 1720; exact order or birthdate of the

*Much of the Houston background comes from Cleburn Huston's BOLD LEGACY, The Story of Houston-Huston Ancestors, 1150-1800.

other six children is not shown in historical charts.

Attempts have been made to piece together all information possible on their lives and to reconstruct from the general literature enough to give the reader some feeling of happenings of their time.

Their first child, James, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1740. So, we have parents and a young son as they made the move to Augusta County, Virginia.

THE LIFE OF JOHN AND ESTHER AND CONNECTING COMMENTS

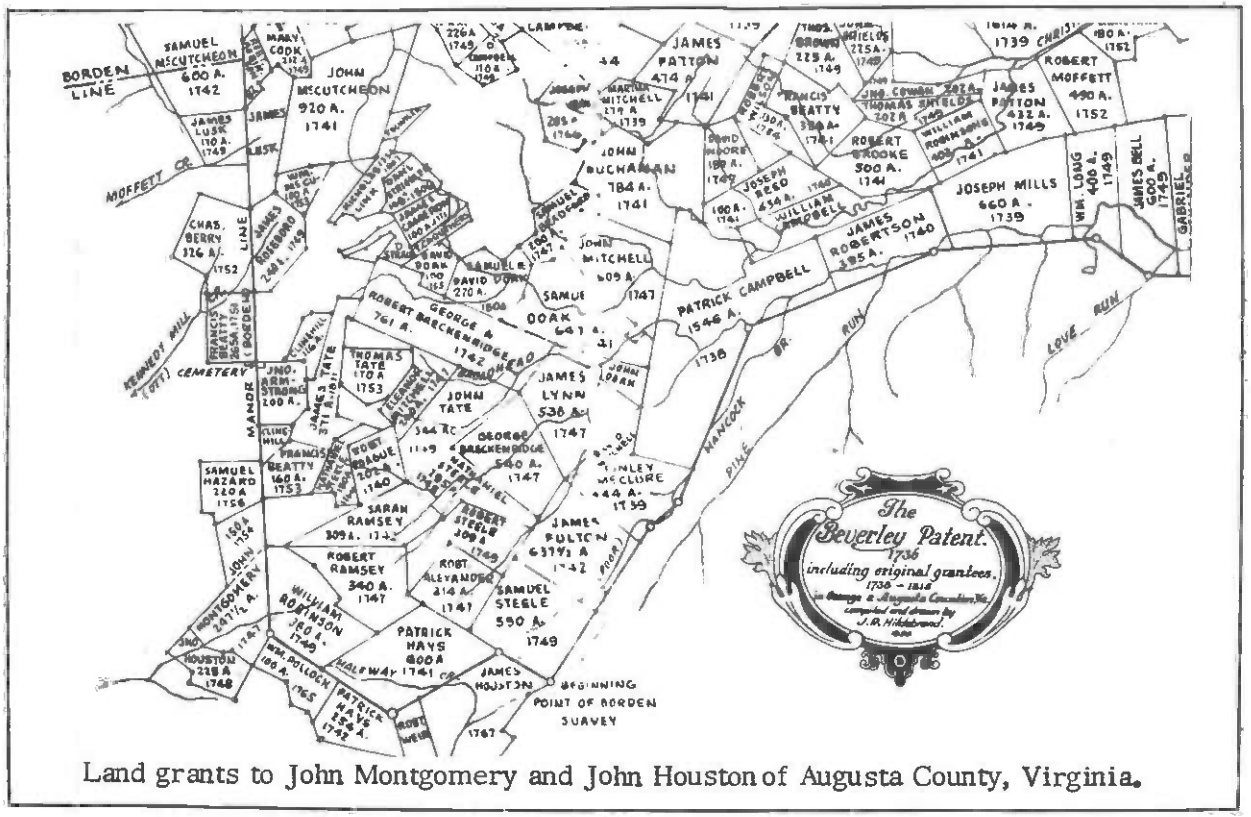
According to Cleburn Huston, our Montgomery and Houston families lived for awhile in Pequea, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. We find it described as "a fertile valley where Pequea Creek flows, settlers living there in 1720." The name is found on maps of 1973, near the Susquehanna River, not far from the Delaware line.

Around 1747 their further migration was to Augusta County, Virginia, an area called "Timber Ridge, between the present cities of Staunton and Lexington, Virginia. Foote in his "History of Virginia" has this description:

> "The neighborhood was called Timber Ridge, from a circumstance which guided the location. This part of the valley, like that near the Potomac, was mostly destitute of trees, and covered with tall grass and pea vines. The forest trees on this ridge guided these pioneers in their choice and in the name."

Historically, this is referred to as Burden Land. One Benjamin Burden (Burdin, Borden) was given a patent on a large territory by the Governor of Virginia. He was thus a trader of land for his own financial benefit, helping to secure a line of settlements in towns or neighborhoods west of the Blue Ridge "to extend the providence, increase the revenues and render more secure the counties east of that Ridge."

John Montgomery and his father-in-law, John Houston, owned adjoining tracts of land. An early map shows John



Land grants to John Montgomery and John Houston of Augusta County, Virginia.

Montgomery 247-1/2 acres, 1747, and John Houston 228 acres, 1748. Their plots were then in the very southwest tip of the Burden Tract. Further study of that map shows land owned by other men who were related to the families of John and Esther. In fact, the roster of family names shows many names now carried by families of East Tennessee.

Both John Montgomery and John Houston were active in the early church of Timber Ridge. One report states the first services were held in John Houston's Stockade, probably a fort. A wooden building was erected about three miles north of the stone building used in 1855. A quote from John Houston concerning the naming of the church (Presbyterian) seems appropriate. "We are indebted to Divine Providence for it. Let us call it Providence." Years later a "New Providence" church was established which became a "large rural" church in the twentieth century.

There is evidence these families were also much concerned with the education of their sons. W. H. Foote, in "Sketches of Virginia," 1850, is quoted: "Accordingly a small school was formed in the neighborhood of Old Providence, composed of Samuel Doak, John Montgomery, James Houston, and others." "April 12, 1775 the Presbytery commenced its Spring Session at Timber Ridge . . . Oct. 27 of the same year, Mr. John Montgomery, late from Princeton College appointed as assistant to Mr. William Graham to continue with care and tuition of school in Augusta . . . Augusta Academy was (1776) placed at Timber Ridge . . . the Revolutionary War led to complete abandonment of this project." Wilson, who wrote a history, "The Tinkling Spring," records that its name was changed to Liberty Hall; at a later date it was moved to Lexington and became Washington and Lee University.

We can only theorize on the life of these early settlers and depend on generalities of earlier writers. "The Making of Pennsylvania" by Fisher in 1896 helps us to do this.

> "The Scotch-Irish wanted the land as their own and would have no neighbors but their own people. When asked to move farther West they always eagerly accepted. They were delighted when, in 1768, the land

West of the Alleghenies was opened for settlement and immediately began to throng through the mountains to reach it.

"Some of the first arrivals went into Bucks Co. and Lancaster Co. They also occupied Octoraro Creek, Pequea, Donegal and Paxton.

"It was a wild life and a rough one, but it had its compensations. The people were hardy, vigorous and full of strong animal enjoyment. They were masters of their own destinies. No one was unsexed or degraded; there were no sweating systems; no mill work; no man devoted his life to making pin heads. Everyone was a jack-of-all-trades, his own black-smith, his own carpenter, his own cooper, his own gunsmith, and his wife his own weaver of linsey cloth."

Unless a written record exists the exact date or burial place is likely to remain unknown. Mrs. Catherine S. McConnell's "High On A Windy Hill," 1968 (King Printing Company, Bristol, Tennessee), catalogs thousands of records from 333 cemeteries in Washington County, Virginia. Graves of several Montgomery family members are located but not those we seek. In writing of the difficulties of her studies, she has comments we can appreciate.

" . . . locations of little private graveyards which were usually found high on a windy hill often under evergreen trees. In many instances a church yard.

"In general, the cemeteries are well kept even though many stones have become shards. In the springtime hyacinths, daffodils, lilies and roses bloom from a carpet of periwinkle entirely covering some of the small abandoned cemeteries. There are others overgrown with briars, scrubby plants and fallen trees where only by using garden implements could some of the stones be found."

A paraphrase of an old inscription from a tombstone in Shenandoah Valley could be phrased in this way:

"Here lie the remains of John Montgomery, who braved crossing the Atlantic, lived in Pennsylvania, pioneered in Augusta County, Virginia, furnished five sons and

illustrious sons-in-law to fight the battles of the American Revolution and to promote the success of a great nation."

Children of John and Esther who survived into adult life are well established by name. We read that twelve children were born, but find listings which include only ten. Several sources indicate order of birth is not known and year of birth for certain ones does not check out with all source material. This listing, with dates, is from Ann Montgomery's compilation, "Montgomerys of East Tennessee."

1. James, born 1740 in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, died 1809, Blount County, Tennessee.
2. John, born December 5, 1752, died February 10, 1819.
3. Mollie, born 1754.
4. Esther, born February 27, 1755, died 1807.
5. Ann, born August 15, 1756, died March 13, 1829, Sevier County, Tennessee.
6. Dorcas, born 1758.
7. Jane, born 1763, died February 11, 1843, Owen County, Indiana.
8. Robert, born 1764, died 1813.
9. Alexander, born 1767, died 1815.
10. Isabella, born 1769, died 1792 in Rockbridge County, Virginia.

Each of the above children is traced to whatever degree that was possible. In 1973, direct descendancy could be traced through Ann who married John Lowry, completing eleven generations from John and Esther. This, or more, may be possible with other families.

MONTGOMERY ANCESTRY OF EARLIER TIMES

The connecting link between John Montgomery who married Esther Houston in 1738 with direct Scottish lines tends to be elusive but historians are sure it exists. There is no doubt that he was one of the Scottish immigrants who came to America from Ulster, Ireland. It is generally assumed

that most, perhaps all, of the Montgomery immigrants of that time were of the Skelmorly line.

An interesting and informative volume, "Origin and History of the Montgomerys," by G. de Montgomery (English) was published in 1970. He states that all the European peoples originated in the Scandinavian countries, that in early history individuals had only one name and knew little or nothing of family lines. He traces the early Nordic, French, English, Scottish, Scandinavian and Irish lines of this family. He continues with details on how some lines died out " . . . but the Scottish line was more resistant. It is still alive and has sent its members to many parts of the world." He mentions only a few individuals who came to America. Except for parts otherwise accredited, his book has been the major resource used in our study. (His work is supported largely by Master James Fraser for the Scottish History Society, 1905.)

The first member of the family who is known with certainty to have used the surname was Roger de Montgomery of Normandy, the son of Hugo, the son of William who was the eldest son of Gomeric of Normandy. Roger was a cousin of William the Conqueror. He commanded an advance division of the Norman Army and furnished sixty vessels for the expedition when William the Conqueror invaded England in 1066.

Roger de Montgomery's first wife, Mabile de Bellome, bore five sons and four daughters. His second wife, Adelaide, was mother of Everard, Chaplain to the Kings William Rufus and Henry I.

Arnulf "Cimbricus," son of Roger, Earl of Pembroke, married Princess Lafracoth of Ireland in 1101, died about 1130.

Robert de Montgomery, the first member of the family who settled in Scotland, married Marjory, daughter of Walter the High Steward. He died about 1179, leaving sons Alan, William and Hugh.

Alan died about 1237, leaving sons Robert, who succeeded him, and John, who succeeded Robert.

Sir John II succeeded his brother Robert about 1260. He

married Margaret Murray and left sons John, Murthaw, Alan and Thomas.

Sir John III succeeded his father about 1285. He married Janet of Erskine, left one son Alexander.

Sir Alexander, who was knighted by Robert Bruce, married Margaret, daughter of William, first Earl of Douglas. To quote from Fraser, "It is clear . . . he was a man of great ability, and undoubted honour and integrity."

Sir John IV de Montgomery (1370-1401) was ninth at Eaglesham and first Lord of Androssan. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Hugh of Eglinton, and through this marriage acquired the Baronies of Eglinton and Androssan. He had sons John and Alexander.

Sir John V de Montgomery (1401-29) was born about 1360, married, first Agnes of the Isles who died in 1413, and second, Margaret of Caerlaverock. He was involved in political and military action between England and Scotland at the time. He had sons Alexander, Robert of Giffen and Hugh.

Alexander, first Lord Montgomery (1429-70) was named July 3, 1445, as one of the Lords of Parliament. He was decidedly a man of peace, being instrumental in negotiating peace between Scotland and England. He married Margaret of Kilmarnock and had three sons: Alexander, who predeceased his father, George, ancestor of the Skelmorly line, John of Giffen, and Thomas, rector of the University of Glasgow.

Alexander, Master of Montgomery (1430-52) married Elizabeth of Hailes and had sons Alexander, Robert and Hugh who were all ancestors of well-established family lines.

Hugh, second Lord Montgomery (1470-83), was born about 1435, married Catherine, daughter of Gilbert, Lord Kennedy, and had sons Hugh, John and James.

Hugh, third Lord Montgomery, first Earl of Eglinton (1483-1545) was born about 1460, died in 1545. He married Lady Helen Campbell and in this marriage had six sons and eight daughters. The sons were:

1. John, Master of Eglinton, who predeceased his father.

2. William, ancestor of the Montgomerys of Greenfield and Stand.
3. Sir Neil, of Lainshaw, ancestor of various branches in America and one branch in France. He died around 1547 at Irvine.
4. Hugh, killed in the battle of Pinkie in 1547.
5. Robert, Bishop of Argyle.
6. Alexander, who died young.

From Munsell's American Ancestry, Volume VI, we can trace this lineage six generations farther to a known migrant to America.

Sir Neil, second Laird of Lainshaw.

Sir Neil, third Laird of Lainshaw, died prior to 1621.

William of Brigend, died about 1652.

John of Brigend.

Hugh of Brigend, died 1710.

William of Brigend, came to America 1701-1702, was founder of Eglinton, New Jersey, and ancestor of a family which Munsell traces through three generations, into the late eighteenth century.

B. G. de Montgomery has references to American branches which may apply. "It seems likely that John Montgomery, who sold Lainshaw, emigrated to America, perhaps also his brothers William and Neil of whom there is no trace either in Scotland or Ireland." "One William Montgomery seems to have emigrated in 1692 and another in 1701. The latter was the son of Hugh Montgomery of Brigend, a great-grandson of Sir Neil Montgomery, third Laird of Lainshaw. From Hugh Montgomery of Brigend are descended the most numerous of all branches of the family."

LEGAL RECORDS

This record of land transfers shows that certain members of this family either were present or owned property in Washington County, Tennessee, late in the eighteenth century.

Washington County, Tennessee

Volume 5, pages 78-79-80, May 6, 1792. Samuel Doak to James Montgomery, both parties of Washington County, Territory of the U.S. South of the Ohio River. Considera-

tion: 16 thousand pounds Congress money. A tract of land containing 176 acres more or less, being a tract of land originally granted to James Graham adjoining John Gillelen, Lyle, etc.

Signed Samuel Doak

Witnesses: John Shield, Julia Doak

Volume 6, pg. 50, Nov. 1796. James Montgomery of Blount County, Tennessee, to Adam Lowery of Washington County, Tennessee. A conveyance of the above tract.

Signed James Montgomery

Witnesses: William Mitchell and James Witherspoon

This property was lying on a branch of Little Limestone Creek in Washington County. I have another Montgomery deed witnessed by John W. Doak. Our William Montgomery's property was on the Big Limestone Creek.

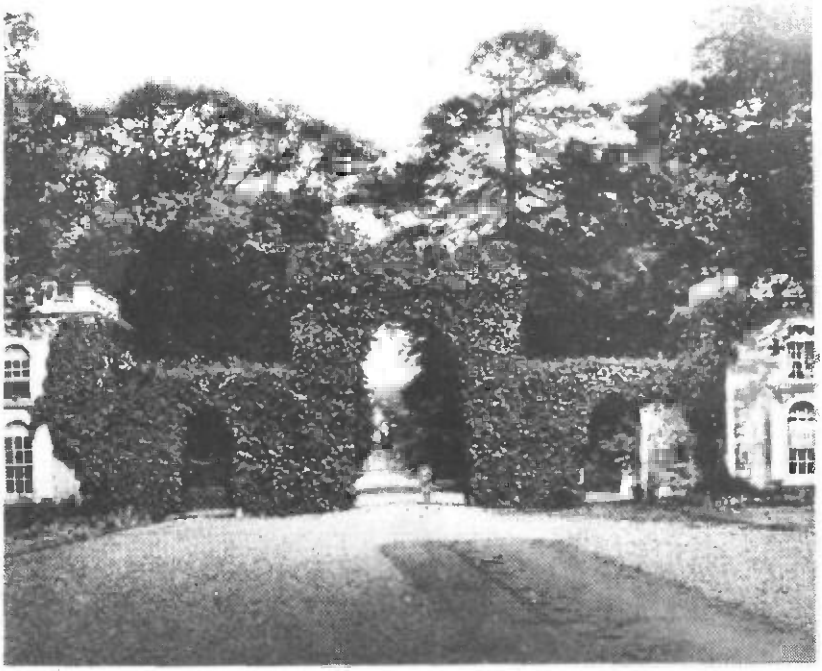
There was also an Alexander Montgomery on the Big Limestone Creek who sold to Richard Jones, May 21, 1793. I have always thought that it might have been the Alexander Montgomery who went to Sevier County, Tennessee.

EVIDENCES OF POSITION AND INFLUENCE
By Dr. John F. Montgomery

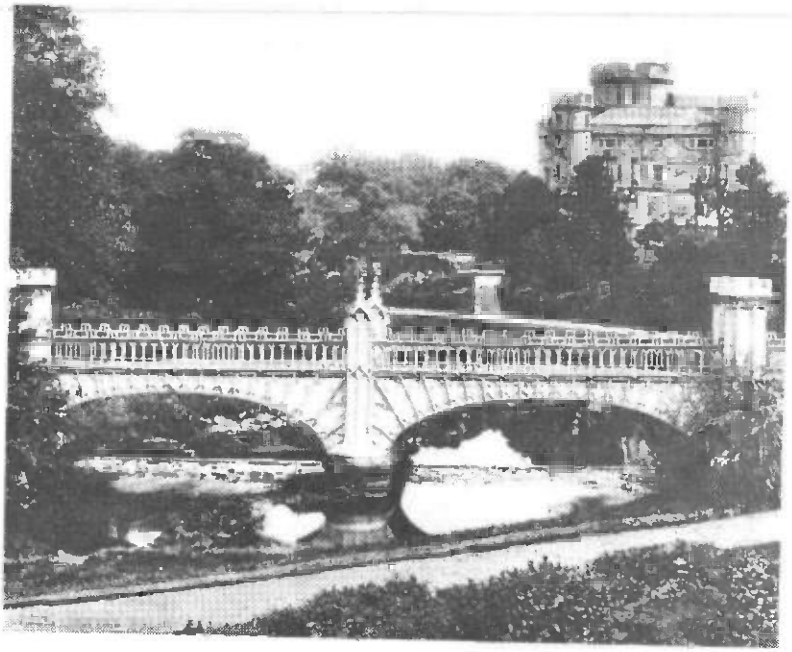
While position and influence cannot be measured solely by wealth or the edifice in which a family or clan resides, both are to some extent measures of the greatness of a people. This was even more so in the past centuries when our Montgomery ancestors achieved an enviable position of trust and esteem in their beloved land of Scotland.

Perhaps "Eglinton" was the most renowned of the numerous Montgomery estates. The ruins of "Eglinton Castle" may yet be seen in the lowlands of Scotland in the County of Ayrshire, a few miles east of the town or Irvine.

In the early spring of 1968 the writer, John F. Montgomery, his wife Edith, and his daughter Mary visited the castle grounds. They found the castle in ruins, much to their dismay. The present owners of the residue of the



Entrance Gates and Watch Towers
Eglinton Castle



EGLINTON CASTLE
Irvine, Scotland
Famous Tournament Bridge in Foreground.

huge estate, now only about 300 acres, told them the following story of its destruction.

The castle was occupied until 1926. By that time the taxes had become too burdensome for the "Earl of Eglinton" to bear. In order to obtain a reduction in his taxes he must declare the castle a "ruin." In order to make this declaration he had to remove the roof. With the roof removed the castle was soon in a state of rapid deterioration. During World War II the beautiful, lush, rolling acres of the estate grounds served as a military training base. Soldiers were reportedly allowed to fire at the handsome stone structure during target practice. Many parts of the massive walls gave way to this onslaught.

The Wilson Canning Company, present owners, gave serious thought to the complete restoration of the castle but gave up the idea because a very thick seam of coal had been mined beneath it. However, an official of the company stated that a low outline wall of stone was contemplated along with the restoration of the gardens.

But all has not been lost. The quaint entrance gates with their vineclad watchtower still stand in good condition some one and one-half miles east of the castle. The beautiful stone stables, built in 1774, remain in a remarkably splendid state of preservation. The structure itself, built in the form of a hollow square with a spacious courtyard, serves as offices for the canning company. These offices are charmingly furnished and beautifully decorated. Many mementos of the estate in its days of elegance and glory have been preserved and are on display. The spacious interior courtyard has been roofed over to serve the canning operation. As one approaches, the well manicured lawns and beautiful building give no evidence of the industry inside. In the foreground a statue of Robert Burns, a friend of the Montgomerys of Eglinton and a frequent guest at the castle, looks out serenely as though in contemplation of a glorious day long since past.

Much of the elegance and glory once found on the Eglinton estate has been captured by Ian Anstruther in "The Knight and the Umbrella," Geoffrey Bles, London, 1963. This is

an account of the Eglinton Tournament held in 1839, no longer in print. Fortunately, this writer was able to secure a copy with considerable effort. Having been advised in a neighboring town that Walker's Bookstore in Irvine had the book, I proceeded at once to this store. Upon arrival I found the last copy had been sold. Mr. Walker, the proprietor, got on the phone and called a friend in a neighboring town some five or six miles beyond Irvine. His friend had one copy which he agreed to hold for Mr. Walker. While my family and I visited the castle grounds, Mr. Walker drove to the neighboring town and picked up the book. My urging could not induce him to accept any pay for the time and expense of the trip. Later efforts to secure additional copies have all failed.

This is not the place to dwell at length upon the contents of this fascinating account of the tournament. I only call attention to the fact that the tournament attracted the nobility of all Europe as well as that of Scotland and England. The Earl of Eglinton had built a stadium to seat 4,000 and a banquet hall to seat 1,000, all at his own expense. Estimates of the enormous crowd that assembled range as high as 100,000. The tournament itself was a disaster. Minutes before it was ready to begin, a torrential rain began to fall and did not cease during the rest of the day and night, hence the title of the book, "The Knight and the Umbrella."

John F. Montgomery
Lewisburg, West Virginia

CHAPTER 2
FIRST FAMILY DESCENDANTS OF JOHN AND ESTHER MONTGOMERY
(Compiled by Committee on Writing)

Records of ten children born to John and Esther and the marriage of each except Alexander has been recorded. If there were twelve as stated by some historians, we must assume that two did not live or died in their youth. These ten are grouped together so we may better understand the lineage. Records do not agree on dates of birth; even relative order of birth is debatable. Where more details are available, each descendant is taken up later.

JAMES MARRIED MARGARET WEIR

James, the first son of John and Esther Montgomery, was born 1740, while they still lived in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He married Margaret Weir of Rockbridge County, Virginia. A christening record found in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, shows that Margaret, daughter of Hugh and Margaret Weir, was christened in 1749. John, first son of James and Margaret, was born in Virginia. The date of their coming to Blount County was around 1788.

Their home in the Baker's Creek area was where homes were burned and crops destroyed by Indians from 1790 to 1793. At times families were forced to stay in nearby forts for protection while these marauding attacks took place. It has been told that the stagecoach route, along or near present Highway 411, was burned over by the Indians every year.

Governor Blount from Knoxville, Tennessee, came to their rescue. He spent two days at Henry's Station at Brick Mill around April 9, 1793, with John Watts and about sixty

Key
1- Blackhouse
2-Boyds
3-Brick Mill-Bakers Creek
4-Calderwood
5-Carpenters
6-Chota
7-Cloverhill
8- Eusebio
9-Friendsville
10-Greenbock
11-Happy Valley
12-Kinzel Springs
13-Louisville
14- McGhee
15-Middle Settlements
16-Meadow Springs
17- Morganton
18- Rockford
19- Six Mile
20-Townsend
21- Tuckaleechee
22- Unitia
23- Vonore-2
24-Walland
25-Walnut
26-Mint
Map adapted from Ted Tindell's
"Blount County Communities we Live in"
North Carolina
Knoxville
Knox Co.
Sevier Co.
Sevierville
Alcoa
Maryville
Louisville
Louden Co.
Lenoir City
Loudon
Great Smoky Mountains National Park
Cades Cove
Monroe Co.
Madisonville

Indians, some of them chiefs. It was a friendly meeting with much eating and drinking but accomplished very little.

By 1795, the Indians were subdued to the point that nice homes were built in the area. About that time the "Old Montgomery Brick" was finished.

The land grant of James Montgomery was surveyed April 28, 1807, signed by Governor John Sevier "the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at Knoxville on the 19th day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eight and of American Independence the thirty-second. R. Houston, Secretary."

His will, dated September 2, 1809, has been made available through Mrs. Sledge Allen of Indianola, Mississippi. This was written after all the children were married and the sons had homes of their own.

WILL: JAMES MONTGOMERY Blount County, Tennessee; dated September 2, 1809.

I James Montgomery being in perfect health and sound mind do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby make (void) all others by me heretofore made. In the first place I leave my bed and furniture to my Daughter Peggy Henry, to my Grandson James Montgomery Son of Hugh I leavy fifty Dollars in property, my plantation with all my farming utensils, with all my Stock and household furniture together with all the residue of my Estate I leave to my son Samuel -- and I do hereby appoint James Houston Son of Matthew and my Son John Montgomery Executors of this my last Will and Testament, in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 2nd day of September 1809.

(signed) James Montgomery

Test.
A. Montgomery
Will proven and filed 22nd of June, 1812.

Due to the significance of this family in our study, descendants are discussed in other chapters. Their children were:

John, born 1778, died after 1830, married Mary Love

Hugh, born 1779, married Susan Cowan, second Jane

Stewart
James P., born 1781, married 1802, Charity Garretson
Jane (Peggy), married May 5, 1802, William Moore
Margaret, married William Henry
Mary (Polly), married April 23, 1800, Capt. James Cowan
Samuel, born 1785, died May 23, 1843, married Elizabeth Gillespie
Esther, married July 5, 1802, William Craig

MOLLIE MARRIED WILLIAM EDMONDSON

Mollie, daughter of John and Esther Montgomery, married Col. William Edmondson. He was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. History records five Edmondson men, all officers, who fought in the Battle of King's Mountain.

From Parham's Collection of Old Wills and Records we find "Col. William Edmondson married Margaret, or Mollie Montgomery, had seven children as follows:

1. John Montgomery Edmondson, married Margaret Robinson
2. Esther Edmondson, married Capt. Robert Campbell Kennedy
3. Thomas Edmondson, married Margaret Buchanan
4. Mary Edmondson, married Rev. Ebeneezer McEwen
5. William Edmondson, married Nancy Montgomery of James Montgomery and Mary Robinson
6. Ben Edmondson, married Elizabeth Waddy, their daughter married Elijah Brown
7. Archibald Edmondson, married Blanche Ann ————, their daughter married Thomas Connistant."

It is likely this family was older than other grandchildren of John and Esther, thus some or all may have remained in Virginia.

ANN MARRIED JOHN McCROSKEY

Ann, daughter of John and Esther Montgomery, lived about 1750 to 1843, married around 1777 John McCroskey, who lived about 1757-1843. Parham records show he was a Corporal in the Virginia troops at King's Mountain. Both

were born in Virginia, came to East Tennessee through Jefferson County and settled near Eusebia, which is now in Sevier County. He was pensioned in Sevier County, 1832. They were in Monroe County for some time, but no dates are available.

John was a trustee of one of the early schools. With R. L. McNutt, P. H. Clark, T. D. Edington and J. W. Cates, they made up a special committee concerned with upkeep and building of Masonic Female Institute connected with Masonic Lodge.

McCroskey family members are on the first roll of church membership of Eusebia, which claims to be the first church established in Blount County. John and Ann are buried in Eusebia Cemetery, about twelve miles east of Maryville.

No Bible records are available, but there is evidence the following were children of the family. There may have been others.

1. Samuel, married Mary McCollum
2. John, married Priscilla McCrary
3. Robert
4. James
5. Lavinia, married ———— Eagleton
6. Elizabeth or Lizzie, married ———— Clark
7. ————, another daughter, married ———— McNutt

Parham also records the Eagletons and the Clarks are buried in Clark's Grove Cemetery, but no specific record is established. He also states that John Clark, a Revolutionary Soldier, is buried there.

Descendants of this family were successful as pioneers in Monroe County, Tennessee. Goodspeed's Early History of Tennessee has rather complete biographies (1886) of several, including interesting data, too lengthy for this compilation.

Samuel, son of Ann and John McCroskey, married Mary McCollum. He was among the first settlers of Monroe County, and was there at the time of its organization. In 1820, he was elected high sheriff of Monroe County and held this office ten consecutive years. Goodspeed records

"he was a staunch democrat, serving about forty years as an elder of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church."

Samuel married November 12, 1816, Mary McCollum of Blount County. They had a daughter, born December 26, 1817. He married, second, Elizabeth C. Grant of Monroe County, who died August 23, 1824, leaving two children, of whom the son died quite young. His third wife, Sarah Tucker, was the mother of six of his nine children. (Sarah Tucker was of German descent.)

Samuel died in 1848, leaving a will on record at Madisonville, Tennessee. The will includes the names of the following children:

Solon, born January 11, 1830
Samuel
Hettie, married ——— Hammontree
Crepely, married ——— Renshaw
Elizabeth (from Parham, an Elizabeth McCroskey Clark, 1831-1926)
Leona
Sophronia
Sarah Josephine

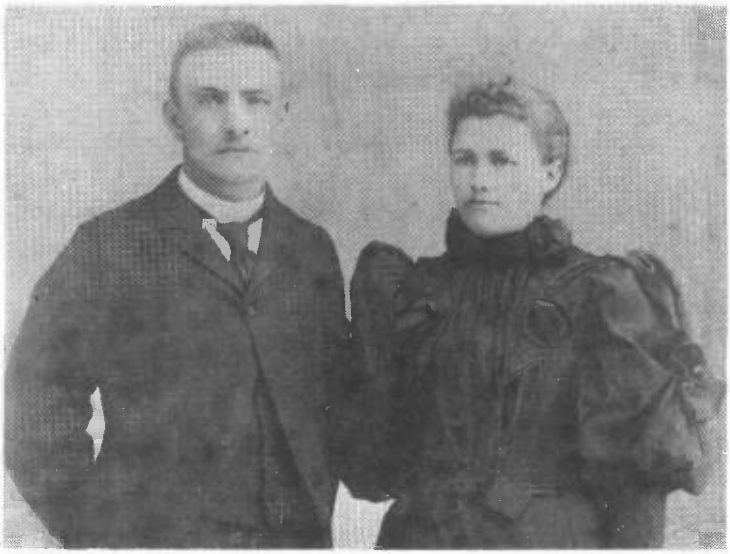
Solon, son of Samuel and Sarah Tucker McCroskey, married first Nancy J. Mayo of Monroe County, born July 17, 1828, died November 27, 1874. There were eight children by this marriage; three died young. He married November 16, 1875, his second wife, Siebbie E. Eagleton,

Solon entered the ministry at thirty-one years of age, 1860, went with his wife and five children to Ewing and Jefferson College, later known as Holston College in Blount County, and attended school two years. He returned to Monroe County, had several congregations in Monroe, Blount and McMinn counties as Cumberland Presbyterian minister. He visited relatives in Washington state, preached there but never made it his permanent home. He organized a church in Blount County, near Maryville.

Children of Solon include:

John A. McCroskey, a minister in Greene County, Missouri
Samuel, born 1860, migrated to Whitman County, Wash-

JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY



Samuel Mayo McCroskey, great-grandson of Ann Montgomery McCroskey and wife Margaret Cochran McCroskey, great-granddaughter of Dorcas Montgomery Lowry.

ington, in 1883
Ewing, later of Olympia, Washington
W. E., of Spokane, Washington
Harriet, married ———— Orrison of Los Angeles, California

Samuel M., son of Solon and Nancy Mayo McCroskey, died in his home in Colfax, Washington, February 13, 1953. His obituary gave considerable information of biographical nature. He was ninety-three years of age, and was survived by three children and his wife, Margaret, who died only forty days later (March 25, 1953).

"He came to Colfax as a teacher, was one time superintendent of schools of Whitman County. He served two terms as Whitman County auditor. He retired from the job of City Clerk here in 1941, after holding the position for more than fifteen years. He was also a justice of the peace in Colfax.

"He was affiliated with the Congregational Church, Kiwanis and Woodmen of the World."

The marriage of Samuel and Margaret McCroskey, December 1, 1886, is of considerable interest in this Montgomery story. Margaret Alice Cochran, the great-granddaughter of Dorcas Montgomery and John Lowry, born July 3, 1863, in Monroe County, taught in the public schools, married Samuel Mayo McCroskey, the great-grandson of Ann Montgomery and John McCroskey. They were married at the home of her brother, John Cochran, who had lived in Washington for thirty-four years. Another has said, "Samuel and Margaret McCroskey established a home of strong Christian faith on the planes of Eastern Washington. He gave years of his life founding an educational system in the state."

To review and clarify dates, Margaret Alice Cochran was born July 3, 1863, died March 25, 1953. Samuel Mayo McCroskey was born December 28, 1859, died February 13, 1953. They were buried in Colfax, Washington. Their family as follows:

1. Oscar Eugene, born October 9, 1887, died June 1, 1894.
2. Lois Ann, born February 22, 1891, married June 6, 1922, Earl Dunlap. One child, Earl, died November 15, 1964. Second son, Richard Dunlap, born July 18, 1924, married December 28, 1947, Patricia Dingle. Richard graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point.
3. Samuel Lusker, born February 4, 1893, died 1960, married Helen Stevens. He was a career man in the U.S. Army, retired as Brig. General. Their daughter, Betty, born February 2, 1920, married Robert Harlan. They have two children: Robert Harlan, Jr., born June 27, 1943, and Judith Elizabeth, born January, 1947.
4. Zelma Claire, born June 20, 1901, married April 27, 1926, John Peddycord. They have a daughter, Joan, born July 5, 1927.

John, son of Ann and John McCroskey, Sr., married in 1836 Priscilla McCrary, born December 28, 1808, died November 23, 1879. John died in 1866. They were in Sevier

County and settled in Monroe County, where both died. They had eight children, but full records are not available. We know of:

1. Henry M.
2. Thomas E. H., born July 13, 1843 (fifth child)

Henry M. married Mary E. Pearce, a native of Chester County, Pennsylvania, in 1862. He was a graduate of Hiwassee College. Around the age of twenty-two, he enlisted in Company D, sixty-second Tennessee Regiment Infantry (Confederate Army) and served throughout the war. He was a farmer, taking over the old homestead after his father's death. They had three daughters and three sons.

Thomas E. H., son of John and Priscilla McCroskey, married June 11, 1872, F. Pauline Barratt from Abbeville, South Carolina. In 1873, students of law were permitted to "read law" under Thomas E. H. McCroskey in his office at Madisonville and receive law credit under the Seal of Hiwassee College. They had six children: John B., Thomas E., Henry, Blanche H., Mary E., and Pauline, who died as an infant. The old "McCroskey Highway" from Madisonville to Maryville was named for him.

A great-granddaughter of John and Ann McCroskey, Annie McChesney McCroskey, married Sam Cox, a prominent citizen of the Eusebia Community. They were parents of Dr. John M. Cox, a dentist in Maryville for many years.

JOHN MARRIED AGNES HUGART

Rev. John, son of John and Esther Montgomery, was born December 5, 1772, in Virginia, died February 10, 1818, married in January, 1752, to Agnes Hugart, also of Virginia. Born January 24, 1762, died February 8, 1824, she was the daughter of Col. Thomas and Rebecca Estill Hugart. The Rev. John and his wife are buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Rocky Springs, Virginia. Children:

1. Rebecca Ann, born December 19, 1783, died October 7, 1802. Never married. Lived at Deerfield, Virginia.
2. Esther (Hetty S.), born June 19, 1785, died February 24, 1850, married Rev. James C. Willson of Tinkling Springs and Waynesborough, Virginia.

3. John, born January 18, 1788, died August 6, 1829, married Elizabeth Nelson, November 11, 1813, of Poplar Grove in Augusta County.
4. Thomas, born February 16, 1790, died September 5, 1848, married Julliet Dalhouse, lived at Deerfield, Virginia.
5. William H., born October 23, 1792, died April 20, 1827, lived at Lexington, Virginia, never married, physician.
6. Nancy Hugart, born May 25, 1794, died May 24, 1797, lived at Deerfield, Virginia, never married.
7. James, born September 1, 1796, died September 8, 1796.
8. Isabella, born August 25, 1798, died November 11, 1878.
9. Hugart, born August 21, 1801, died October 24, 1844, never married, physician.

Considerable data concerning members of this family has been charted by Mrs. Bess Montgomery Aubel and her brother, Dr. John F. Montgomery of Lewisburg, Virginia. He is completing a study of their descendants, this data to make up another chapter.

DORCAS MARRIED JOHN LOWRY

Dorcas, the fifth child of John and Esther Montgomery, was married before 1800 to John Lowry. He was a soldier of the Revolutionary War, having fought in the Battle of King's Mountain. They lived in Rockbridge County, Virginia; presumably their children were born there. Eventually they settled in Monroe County, Tennessee, roughly six miles east of Madisonville. In 1925 when their great-grandson John E. Cochran and wife Emmaline visited from Colfax, Washington, he reported the house and barn were still there. They "went to the cemetery where Cochrans and Lowrys are buried, tombstones stand at all the graves." Their children were:

1. John Montgomery Lowry
2. David Lowry
3. Robert Edmondson Lowry, married Elizabeth Moore
4. James Lowry
5. William McClelland Lowry

JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

Extensive data is available on the descendants of William Lowry, see later chapter. From his line we find families and individuals who have contributed greatly to progress in such varied areas as churches, schools, farming and later, engineering. Their influence has spread to many different parts of the nation.

Perhaps the member of this family most widely known in Tennessee and surrounding states is Joseph E. Lowry, grandson of William McClellan above. The Rev. Joseph E., born 1868, died 1937, served as President of Hiwassee College for twenty-seven years. For the interesting story of his varied and most valuable help during some very difficult years in the life of that institution, see "The Hiwassee Story" by Robert L. Hilten, published 1970. It has been said he struck the keynote or formed the true direction of the college, which was basic to his own character as well. That keynote was worded by him in the 1905-1906 "Hiwassee Catalog":

> "This institution is peculiarly the friend of struggling youths; and insofar as practicable, all in need of help will be assisted. Children of ministers of all denominations, and young men preparing for the ministry will be given special rates."

JANE MARRIED SAMUEL NEWELL

Jane (Jean), daughter of John and Esther Montgomery, was born September, 1763, in Augusta County, Virginia, died February 11, 1843, in Owen County, Indiana, married September 30, 1782, in Augusta County, Virginia, Samuel Newell, born November 4, 1754, died September 21, 1841, of Frederick County, Virginia. The father of Samuel Newell was Samuel Newell, Sr., who came from Ireland in 1754, was married to Mrs. Elizabeth Colville Black, died in Knox County, Tennessee, in 1794.

Pension papers show that Samuel Newell enlisted April, 1776, in Captain John Shelby's Company, Washington County, Virginia, and became a sergeant. He was at King's Mountain as a lieutenant from Washington County, Virginia, and was wounded there in Captain Montgomery's Company. He

was on the Tennessee pension roll on March 2, 1810.

When Sevier County, Tennessee, was first established separate from Greene and Jefferson, the courts were held at Newell's Station, near the head of Boyd's Creek, about fifteen miles southeast of Knoxville, later on a farm owned by Edward Hodges, Esq. In later developments toward independence of the county, Newell's Station is again mentioned as a meeting place of the militia company supervising official matters. Newell was one of the group appointed to locate the seat of justice, he was chosen chairman of the first court in Sevier County, and his brother-in-law, Alexander Montgomery, was appointed surveyor.

Before Knoxville was "laid off," Newell's Station was a frontier post, which was reached by emigrants passing the trace from the mouth of the French Broad to the lower settlements on Nine Mile and Pistol Creek (both are creeks in Blount County).

The first session of Knox County Court on the 16th of July, 1792, was attended by Samuel Newell. The first legislature of Tennessee, March 28, 1796, members of the House of Representatives included Spencer Clark and Sam Newell from Sevier County. In 1796, Sevier County Justices appointed included Samuel Newell and Alexander Montgomery.

The date of his migration from Tennessee is not known. In 1833, at the age of seventy-eight, he was living in Pulaski County, Kentucky. He went to live with his son, William, in Owen County, Indiana, in 1837, and died there around 1841. They lived in Montgomery Township. His name is on a monument in Crawfordsville, Indiana. On October 2, 1794, Samuel Newell and his wife, Jean, conveyed land in Lee County on the waters of Powell's River, Lee County.

Their children were:

1. Esther Montgomery Newell, born September 30, 1783, married January 28, 1812, Jessie Evans. In 1844, she was living in Owen County, Indiana.
2. Samuel Newell, born March 24, 1785, married April 4, 1809, Nancy Owens. In 1844, Samuel was of Pulaski County, Kentucky. He had a large family, but only the

name of Samuel A. Newell is known.

3. Margaret E., born June 3, 1788, married March 9, 1815, William Owens. In 1844, Margaret was of Pulaski County, Kentucky.
4. John Montgomery Newell, born September 20, 1790, in Virginia, married February 1, 1820, Peggy Beattie. In 1844, John was of Pulaski County, Kentucky.
5. Susannah, born November 4, 1792, married September 9, 1819, Andrew Evans. In 1844, Susannah was in northern Indiana.
6. Dorcas Evans Newell, born March 7, 1795, died unmarried September 7, 1824.
7. Elizabeth Colville Newell, born August 27, 1797, died unmarried, August 7, 1831.
8. Joseph Black Newell, born July 28, 1800, married January 24, 1824, Jane Kinkead. In 1844, she was in Pulaski County, Kentucky.
9. William T. Newell, born May 7, 1803, married September 9, 1830, Pelina Farr.
10. Jane (Jean) Newell, born March 13, 1806, married April 20, 1837, James Evans of Boone County, Kentucky. In 1844, Jane was near Miami Reserve, Indiana. (Source of above charts shows first three children were born in Augusta County, Virginia, and all others in Pulaski County, Kentucky. This would not allow their time in Tennessee, which seems to be well established by historians such as Goodspeed, Virkus, Ramsey and others.)

In Virkus' "First Families of America, Compendium of American Genealogy, Vol. VII," we find Joseph B. and Jane Kinkead Newell had a son, David, who married Mary, daughter of John Williams. Their daughter, Mary Jane (1828-1896), married Dr. Samuel R. Owens (1824-1901) of Somerset, Kentucky. They had a daughter, Grace Marie Owens, born in Somerset, July 23, 1888, married name Mrs. Oscar Layton.

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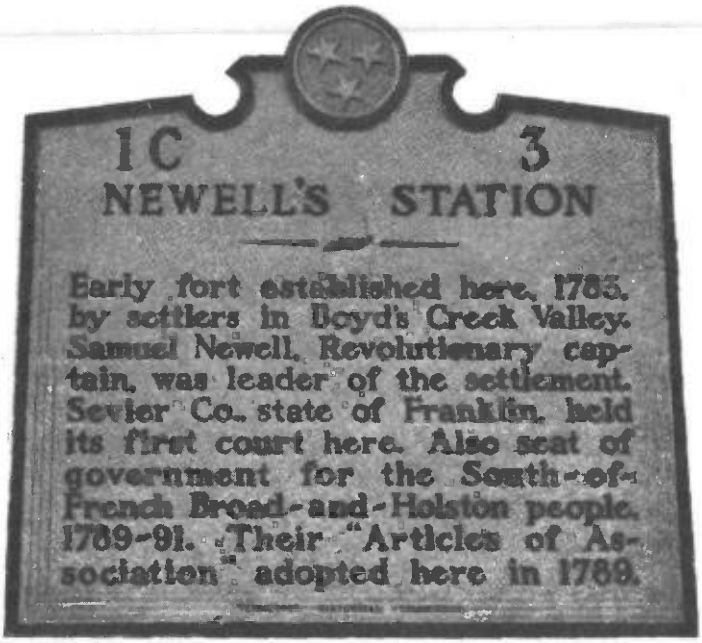


ROBERT MARRIED SARAH J. COLVILLE

Robert, son of John and Esther Montgomery, was born in Augusta County, Virginia. He married 1784, Sarah J. Colville of Augusta County, who died 1839 in Washington County, Virginia. She was the daughter of Andrew Colville, Sr. and wife, Mary Craig of Augusta County, Virginia. Andrew died 1797. Mary's death is established by her will, signed December 8, 1834, probated October 28, 1839, in Washington County, Virginia. Robert Montgomery's will was probated October 30, 1813. Robert was a Revolutionary soldier in the Battle of King's Mountain, from D.A.R. record no. 35013. Children of Robert and Sarah Colville were:

1. Juliet, married John W. Craig before 1813
2. Andrew, born December 23, 1793, in Washington Coun-

ty, Virginia, died June 25, 1874, in Blount County, Tennessee. He married October 24, 1822, Ann M. Houston, born May 22, 1803, died February 28, 1832; married, second, March 28, 1833, Eveline C. Green, born September 20, 1809, died July 18, 1853; married, third, Rebecca M. Thompson Porter, who was a widow. He came to Blount County in 1820, settled on a farm near the present Maryville Post Office. The father of Hettie who married Samuel Montgomery, his descendants are further discussed.

3. John C., married before 1822, Elizabeth Craig
4. Polly
5. Jane Hays
6. Sallie, married ———— Roper
7. James W., a soldier of the War of 1812, his wife was Mary; he bought land in Fayette County, Kentucky.
8. Esther, also called Hettie and Holly, married September 4, 1800, David Hays, who died in 1806 in Nashville, Tennessee. He was a son of Andrew Hays. They had two children.

ESTHER MARRIED REV. SAMUEL DOAK, EDUCATOR

Esther (1760-1807), daughter of John and Esther Montgomery, married November 30, 1775, Rev. Samuel Doak (1749-1830). His parents were Samuel and Jane Mitchell Doak, who came from Ireland in the early 1800's. Histories of Tennessee mention Samuel Doak as a great frontier leader and biographical material has been included in several books. See "The Life of Samuel Doak, 1749-1830" by William Gunn Calhoun.

At about sixteen years of age, Samuel, Jr. made a profession of religion and had a radically different outlook on life. He became determined to acquire an advanced education. His father objected at first. The son overheard his parents discussing their distribution of their lands at their death. Samuel, Jr. asked for his portion of the family estate for educational expense instead of land. His father reluctantly agreed, so by living frugally and teaching on the



WASHINGTON COLLEGE

First established as Martin Academy by the Rev. Samuel Doak in 1780, it was later called Dr. Doak's Log College and in 1795 received its present name on motion by John Sevier. Dr. Doak died in 1829, at the age of eighty, and is buried on the campus.

side, he was able to graduate from West Nottingham Academy.

Later, while attending Princeton College, he became an intimate friend of Rev. John Montgomery, son of John and Esther. While visiting in their home, he fell in love with the younger sister, Esther. The same year of his graduation from Princeton, 1775, he married Esther Houston Montgomery.

He became a tutor and student of theology under Rev. John Blair, later studied under Rev. William Graham at Timber Ridge, Virginia. He was then well prepared for the ministry. He was officially ordained in October, 1777. He began preaching in Washington County, Virginia.

While riding one day in the forest near Little Limestone River (present Washington County, Tennessee), he came across a group of men felling trees. Learing that he was a minister, they asked him to tarry and address as many as they could get together. He complied, using his horse as a pulpit. He impressed his hearers so favorably they urged him to settle there.

He bought land and erected three log buildings, one each for home, church and school. He taught for three years in his private school, in 1789 obtained a charter from the legislature of North Carolina under the name of "Martin Academy," in honor of then Governor Alexander Martin. He is given credit for bringing to Tennessee its first library — the books he carried through the mountains in his saddle bags.

His school became, according to Theodore Roosevelt in his "Winning the West," the first institution of learning south of the Alleghenies. The academy became a college on July 6, 1795, named "Washington College" with special permission of his good friend, General George Washington.

Once when Samuel was about thirty miles away getting supplies, Indians attacked his home. Esther, his wife, heard dogs barking and ran with her sleeping child and hid in a hollow tree. She saw her home pillaged and burned, being in mortal fear lest her baby cry and divulge her whereabouts. When Doak returned, he was delighted to find his

wife and baby alive, but was discouraged at the loss of his home. Esther bravely urged him to rebuild and to "carry on," which he did.

After Esther's death, Samuel married a second wife (McEwen); there were no children of the second marriage. Children of Esther and Samuel Doak were:

1. Julia, born August 10, 1776, died 1857, married Adam Lowry of Washington County. He was born in County Derry, Ireland, around 1765, died 1826.
2. John Whitefield, born October 18, 1778, died October 6, 1820, married Jane H. Alexander.
3. Lucinda, born May 23, 1782, died 1825 in Illinois. She married Rev. M. D. Baldridge.
4. Samuel Witherspoon, born March 24, 1785, died February 3, 1864, married March 3, 1808, Sarah Houston McEwen, his step-sister, born June 17, 1792.
5. Jane Rowe, born September 13, 1787, died January, 1828, married David Rice.
6. Nancy, born June 9, 1790, married first, William Mitchell (1771-1827), married second, Adam Broyles, 1829.
7. Mary (Polly) Montgomery Doak, born June 19, 1792, married ———— Davit.

From "The Overmountain Men; Early Tennessee History, 1760-1780," we quote: "Samuel Doak, preacher and teacher, lived a life of service. History records that his students loved and served him. His imprint of idealism, character and high morals is still in evidence. He burned the torch of learning and kindled the spirit of evangelism in the hearts of Overmountain men and women. His students and their descendants were destined to blaze the emblem of new statehoods in the Western trek." B. E. Hanes, in writing of the Doak family, states the degree of D.D. was conferred on him by both Washington and Greeneville Colleges in 1818.

Goodspeed's "History of East Tennessee," 1887, gives specific facts concerning his work and the influence of his family. Other references are responsible for data on his descendants also recorded here to show the continuation of

this influence.

a. The first preaching in the first church of Greeneville, Tennessee, was done by Rev. Samuel Doak in 1780.

b. About 1790, Rev. Samuel Doak and Rev. Hezekiah Balch organized Hebron Church, four miles east of Jonesboro (Jonesboro, the first capital of Tennessee).

c. Dr. Samuel Doak served as President of Washington College after its establishment in 1795, until 1818. His son, John Doak, was one of the first graduates. Three of his sons who succeeded him in that office were: John W. Doak, second President, 1818-1820; S. W. Doak, President, 1838-1840; A. A. Doak, President, 1842-1850.

d. In 1818, Dr. Samuel Doak came to Greene County, Tennessee, and established Tusculum Academy, which was incorporated 1842, with Samuel W. Doak, his son, as President.

e. In 1868, Dr. W. S. Doak became President of then Greeneville and Tusculum College.

f. Robert Ebeneezer Doak, grandson of Samuel, began teaching at Hiwassee College 1849, became President of both the school and the Board of Trustees and continued as President for six years, teaching Greek two years after poor health forced him to decrease his load of responsibility. A small brick building at the present campus entrance is said to be a room of the original Doak building which was constructed in 1849.

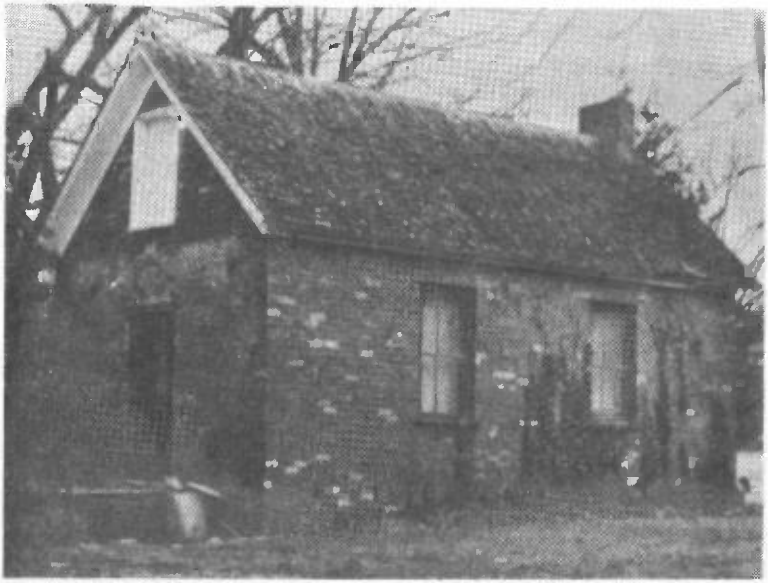
g. In 1857, Samuel S. Doak, brother of R. E. Doak, was taking the place of his brother on the faculty of Hiwassee College.

h. In recent years, the Jane Doak Rice Library has been erected on the campus of Washington College in memory of his daughter, Jane Doak, who was librarian there for many years.

i. Rev. A. S. Doak, a retired Presbyterian minister of Huntsville, Alabama, wrote in 1931 of his family line, being the fourth generation of ministers in the direct line. Rev. Archibald Alexander Doak, D.D., was his father, a son of Dr. John W. Doak (B.E. Hane's book).



The Doak building of Hiwassee College, named for the first president, was constructed in 1849. It was torn down about 1910. The small brick at the present campus entrance is said by many old timers to be a room of the original building.



JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

From "The Hiwassee Story" by Robert H. Hilten we have this historical sketch of R. E. Doak.

> "Robert Ebeneezer Doak, A.M., had been teaching in a nearby academy. He was well-liked as a teacher and citizen. A grandson of famed educator Samuel Doak, he had a keen mind which had been sharpened by study at Tusculum College. He was a Presbyterian, but the original design of Hiwassee was not sectarian, so this was no problem. Born March 4, 1824, in Washington County, Tennessee, Professor Doak was twenty-five years of age and of rather delicate health when he became first President of Hiwassee. It is of interest to note that Mrs. Doak, formerly Annie C. Kreger, was from Abingdon, Virginia. She was just nineteen years of age when her husband became President of the College. In time there were seven children.
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> "Professor Doak fitted right in with the plans of the founders. He continued as President as long as his health permitted (1854). He stayed on to teach Greek for two more years.
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> "Dr. R. E. Doak died during the Civil War while serving as Quartermaster for the Southern Army near Memphis."

This statement from B. E. Hanes' "Doak Family History and Genealogy," 1931, seems appropriate:

> "Doak's in America have been described as quiet, unobtrusive, law-abiding; lovers of country, of home, of their families. They are clannish -- fond of the name Doak, and deeply interested in their relatives. They are sociable, charitable, hospitable, helpful to all, and each possesses a large circle of friends."

ISABELLA MARRIED CAPT. WILLIAM BUCHANAN

Isabella Montgomery, daughter of John and Esther Houston Montgomery, married Captain William Buchanan, January 24, 1764. They remained in Augusta County and lived on Walker's Creek at the original homeplace of James Buchanan and Martha Allison. Issue:

1. Martha Buchanan married Robert Beard

2. James Buchanan married Margaret Hanna
3. Esther Buchanan married William Caldwell
4. John Buchanan married Martha Wilson
5. Alexander Buchanan
6. Ann Buchanan married John McCampbell
7. Rebecca Buchanan married James Hanna
8. Mary Buchanan married William Hanna

(The above information was obtained through the courtesy of John A. Blakemore of Emory, Virginia, himself a descendant of a collateral Buchanan line. He also has a voluminous genealogy list of the descendants of Isabella and William. Since dates and places of residence were not a part of this list, only the children of Isabella and William are recorded here.)

ALEXANDER MONTGOMERY

Alexander Montgomery is listed as a soldier of the Revolutionary War and having participated in the Battle of King's Mountain.

From Goodspeed's History of Tennessee, we know an Alexander Montgomery was official surveyor when Sevier County was separated from the larger area of Greene County. This may well be John and Esther's son; the time was the same as when their son-in-law, Samuel Newell, was chosen chairman of the first court in Sevier County.

From Ramsey's Annals:

> *"He was a Justice of Peace for Sevier County in 1796, was a Ranger 1794-96. He lived across the Little Pigeon River from Col. Samuel Wear. The story of his fighting in the Battle of King's Mountain under Col. Wear was passed to Alexander's son William, who repeated it to his son Robert. Robert's son George told it to Joe Sharp, thus establishing a record of four generations of descendants in Sevier County."

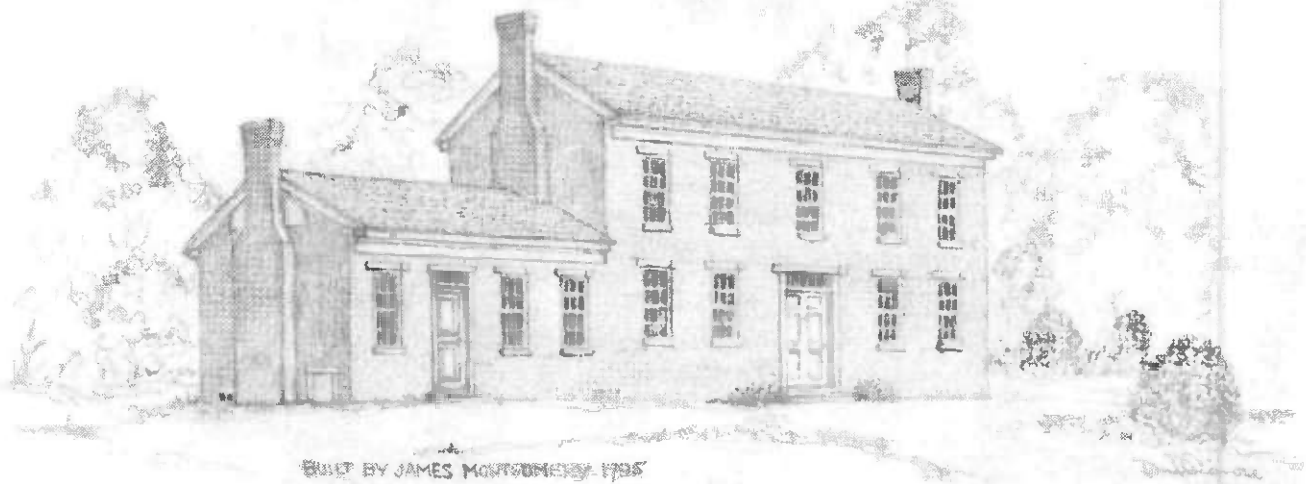
William Montgomery, George and others of the same

*Other historians, including Joe Sharp of Sevierville, Tennessee, have interpreted this to have been a different Alexander Montgomery.

family name were, for many years, publishers of the Sevier County News.

"An Alexander Montgomery on the Big Limestone Creek sold to Richard Jones, May 21, 1773. I have always thought it might have been the Alexander Montgomery who went to Sevier County, Tennessee." Copied from Virginia Records by Parham.

James Montgomery, born January 11, 1797, died January 22, 1825, age twenty-eight years, buried near Abingdon, Virginia, may have been the son of Alexander. This from Parham's record of burial of James Montgomery, Abingdon, Virginia.


BUILT BY JAMES MONTGOMERY 1795

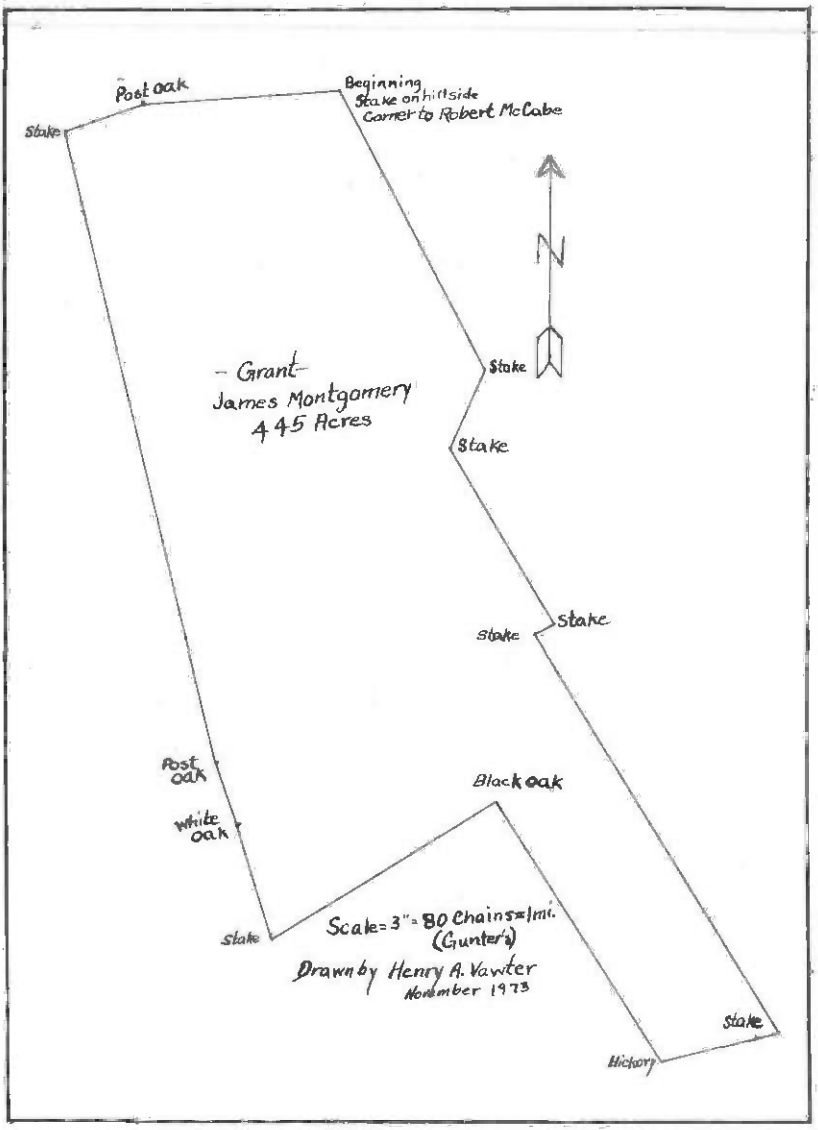
CHAPTER 3
THE FAMILY OF JAMES AND MARGARET WEIR MONTGOMERY
(Compiled by Beulah H. Anderson)

James Montgomery and wife, Margaret, were pioneers of Blount County in the truest sense. We find many references to James Montgomery in the period of this family's migration, but find it difficult to be sure which James is indicated. The first son of John and Esther, born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, married in Virginia to Margaret Weir of Rockbridge County and receiving a land grant in the southwest area of Blount County, Tennessee, he must have sought a good location for home and freedom. He sold two tracts of land in Virginia, 200 acres on Wolf Creek in 1788 when he went to Blount County, and 176 acres bought from Samuel Doak in 1792 was sold, probably by a son, November 10, 1796, to Adam Lowry of Washington County, Virginia.

A Captain James Montgomery chose not to remain with other families inside Black's Fort on the South Fork of the Holston River when history would place this family in Southwest Virginia. Having received word of a group of marauding Indians, he traveled eight miles with his family to the fort the same night their homes were plundered and burned. This not only saved the lives of those outside the fort, it warned others and led to capture of the Indians who were massacred. This may not be the same James, but it is felt to be in the spirit of our family traditions.

The land granted to James Montgomery and heirs, at a purchase price of $1.00 per acre, proved to be valuable. For their homes and for production of crops, it must have been excellent, as much of it is still good farming land. In

JAMES AND MARGARET WEIR MONTGOMERY



the Brick Mill area, some of it bordering Highway 411, certain lots have been priced $1,000, even $10,000 for choice commercial sites, per acre.

From the family of James and Margaret Montgomery, influences have reached into many parts of the nation, even helped to determine its destiny. Strong individuals and strong families have made contributions to churches, schools and communities.

Of their children, also listed in a previous chapter, there has been considerable historical information:

John, born 1778, died after 1830, married Mary Love.

Hugh, born 1779, married Susan Cowan; second, Jane Stewart.

James, born 1781, married Charity Garretson.

Jane, married William Moore (went to Franklin County).

Margaret (or Peggy), married William W. Henry in 1805.

Mary (Polly), married Capt. James Cowan.

Samuel, born 1785, married Elizabeth Gillespie, born 1889. 1789

Esther, married William Craig, July 5, 1802.

JOHN MONTGOMERY MARRIED MARY LOVE

John, the first son of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, was born in Virginia, 1778, married around 1798 Mary Love, daughter of Samuel and Mary Love who also came from Virginia. The fact of his death after 1830 is established by the date of his will, August 27, 1830.

In 1809, he bought 225 acres of land which was probably his first home, adjacent to James Edington and James Berry. His home was across from the present Maryville Post Office (1973), supposedly bought from his in-laws.

He fought in the War of 1812, a soldier in the Company of Captain John Alexander.

Evidence of his success as a business man is shown in his will, to be summarized later.

He helped with establishment of educational institutions in Blount County, as shown from these facts given in Inez Burns' "History of Blount County." In 1806, when Ten-

nessee legislation first chartered twenty-seven academies in the state, Porter Academy was established with Gideon Blackburn, John Montgomery, John Lowry and Andrew Kennedy as trustees. In October, 1813, when an act was passed establishing a female academy in Maryville, he was an official of that organization, along with Isaac Anderson. Financial difficulties, and other troubles, resulted in this academy becoming part of the Southern and Western Theological Seminary, for which in 1822 state funds were made available, supplemented by John Montgomery's gift of a lot across from the site of the old court house. Eventually this land was used for the "old" New Providence Cemetery and other property of Southern and Western Theological Seminary, and was used by Rev. Isaac Anderson in the early beginnings of Maryville College.

In John's will, a rather lengthy document, witnessed by William Poole and Robert McNutt, we have evidence of the seven children. He wills to his children cash; various slaves by their names; land, with consideration of timber which affected the value of certain plots; horses, wagon, harness, tools, etc.; household goods and furniture, library and mill (grist mill on Pistol Creek). Appreciation for his family members and concern for their special needs is shown: (a) "I name and appoint my sons James P. and John Montgomery guardians of my little sons William and Robert," (b) . . . "as special reward to my daughter Betsy Thompson for her attention to me in my sickness and as a testimonial of my affection for her services to myself and my two little sons who may require much attention in their raising," (c) "To my little Grand daughter Martha Jane Colwell . . . ." and (d) . . . "certain property set aside to provide education for my little sons."

JOHN AND MARY MONTGOMERY AND
THEIR SEVEN CHILDREN

1. John, born around 1797, died around 1880.
2. James, born 1800.
3. Elizabeth or Betsey, May 29, 1821, married Jesse Thompson, born May 26, 1795, died May 16, 1860. They

were married by Isaac Anderson.

4. Margaret married January 16, 1823, by Isaac Anderson to St. Clair F. Colwell. One daughter, Martha Jane Colwell.

5. Susan Montgomery, married after 1830, William W. Martin.

6. William Montgomery, born 1815, went west.

7. Robert H. Montgomery, born January 31, 1818, died December 5, 1886. His family to follow.

FACTS ABOUT JOHN, SON OF JOHN AND MARY LOVE MONTGOMERY

These facts have been pieced together by Mrs. Beulah Anderson from various sources. He received from his father's estate the farm whereon he was living in the year 1830, together with stocks, tools and slaves and a division of cash. He was to share with his three brothers in his father's library.

His father made a request that two younger brothers receive an education from a certain farm located on upper Nine Mile Creek. This farm, six hundred and fifty acres of good farm land, was sold by James Montgomery (executor of his father's estate) to Henry brothers around 1840. John was co-owner with William and Robert, his younger brothers, in this property. This record can be found in Blount County court records. Some records say he never married, and that he was a farmer who likely suffered a severe loss during the war years. A story told by Mr. Parham leads us to believe he was living with his brother James in 1860, but in later years he lived in the Fort Craig area and lost his eyesight during that time. He had no immediate family; at least, there was none with him during his later years. He had loving care from the McCroskey cousins and Montgomery nephews, probably sons of his brother James, to whom he left a part of his small estate at his death.

SECOND SON, JAMES MONTGOMERY

James Montgomery, born around 1800, qualified as executor of his father's large estate in January, 1831,

received by his father's will a farm and equipment, two slaves by name, cash and a share in the library. Also the Montgomery Grist Mill on Pistol Creek, known as one of Maryville's better assets of that day. The mill in later years was known as Williams' Mill. James had a family; no direct contact with them in 1973.

On April 13, 1860, a metallic coffin was ordered by James Montgomery and hauled from Loudon, coming from Nashville, as his brother John was thought to be dying. John lived for some time, and the coffin remained at a neighbor's, then was later used. Dr. William D. McKenzie of Morganton was the doctor.

The seventh child, Robert H. Montgomery, son of John and Mary Montgomery, was born January 31, 1818, died December 5, 1886, in Mississippi. Information on this family is supplied by his great-granddaughter, Mrs. Sledge Allen, Indianola, Mississippi. He represented Holmes and Madison Counties of Mississippi at the Constitutional Convention of that state. He was prominent in educational work in Holmes County, and in the Masonic Lodge. He served in the Mexican War with Sam Houston; returned to Durant, Mississippi, as a physician.

Robert married, first, Claramon Rae, 1830-1859. Their children were:

1. John Sharkey, born 1853, married Della T. Red, 1859-1916, daughter of Samuel W. and Jane Sharp Taylor Red.
2. Usher, born 1855.
3. Pattie, born 1857, died 1864.

He married in 1860, Martha Horton, born 1834. Their children were:

1. Clara, born 1861, married William J. Brown.
2. Wilma George, born 1861. She was a teacher, never married.
3. Robert H., Jr., born 1868.

DAUGHTERS OF JOHN AND MARY LOVE MONTGOMERY

The third child, Elizabeth (Betsy), the oldest daughter of John and Mary Montgomery, married May 29, 1821, Jesse Thompson, born March 6, 1795, died May 16, 1860. One child died in 1874, and they were evidently parents of Mrs. John Toole.

It seems he, like his father-in-law, was also a successful business man. He served as trustee of Blount County, 1820-1836. He is credited for having discovered the mineral springs of Montvale, along with Jesse Wallace. In 1850, the administrators of Jesse Thompson and James M. Toole sold 3,840 acres, including the Sulphur Spring tract, to Asa Watson of Mississippi. This later became Montvale Springs Resort.

Jesse and Elizabeth Montgomery Thompson were charter members of the Forest Hill Presbyterian Church. They are buried in Clark's Grove Cemetery.

A daughter of Jesse Thompson seems to have married John E. Toole of the James M. Toole and Company, which was a leading business in Maryville during ten or fifteen years before the Civil War. He owned the former site of Carson Hospital. John E. entered the profession of law about 1845 and soon won a high reputation as an Advocate . . . he won his position by indomitable energy and great tenacity of purpose. Early in the Civil War he was made Provost Marshal by the Confederate States Government, and after the Federal occupation of East Tennessee, he went south and never returned. (Goodspeed, 1887).

The fourth child, Margaret, the second daughter of John and Mary Montgomery, married January 16, 1823, St. Claire F. Colwell, a tailor by trade; also married by Rev. Isaac Anderson. From John's will, we know they had a daughter, Martha Jane Colwell, both remembered in John Montgomery's will of 1830. Colwell was probably from Jefferson County; he may have returned.

The fifth child was Susan Montgomery. The youngest daughter remembered in her father's will to share equally

with her older sisters in cash and to have a young slave by name, was married sometime after 1830 to William Martin and received from her father's estate such a settlement.

The sixth child, William Montgomery, born 1815, was also the concern of his father in regard to his education. This son went west, but kept in touch with his younger brother in Mississippi.

CITY OF MARYVILLE

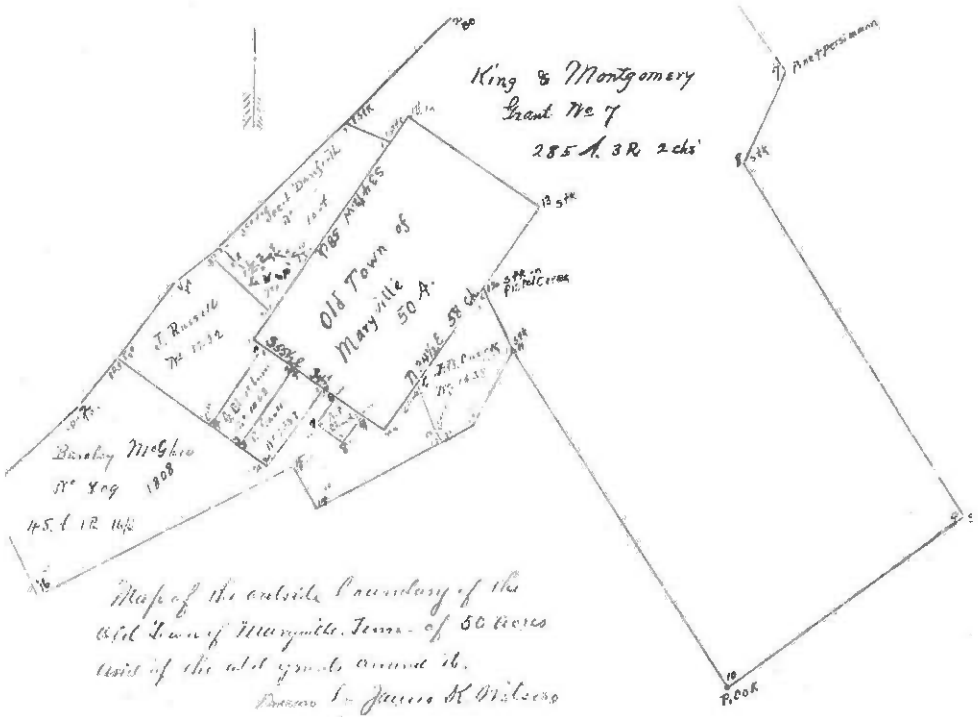
Maryville was laid out in 1795. The first merchants were John and Josiah Nichol, Lowry and Waugh and King and Montgomery. (Lowry and Montgomery are important to this study.)

By the Compact of 1806, it became possible for landholders to get title to their lands. It appears that commissioners of Maryville did not get title to the plot as a unit, but that it became an individual matter. That was the reason for the survey made June 18, 1895, part of which we are enclosing, a survey which was the basis of later legal action made by the City of Maryville.

In 1807, by an Act of Legislature, a Board of Commissions was appointed for the City of Maryville, composed of John Montgomery, John Wilkinson, John Lowry, merchant, and John Lowry, attorney, Andrew Thompson, Sam Love, hatter, and David Russell. They were to (1) have lots surveyed and corners set according to the original plan. The Cedar Spring was never to be sold but reserved for use of the town. They were (2) to keep the streets in repair, tax property, prevent damage by fire, suppress horse running and collect fines.

The family history cannot be complete unless we take a closer look at the part John Montgomery above had in developing the city. We see from a plot of the land grants that he owned many acres in the direction the city would expand (1895).

William Parham, in a noted lecture on land grants and old buildings, made the statement, "It (East Maryville) was all on land of the King and Montgomery Grant, including Maryville College and Calamity Corner out to the



Map of the outside Boundary of the Old Town of Marysville. Town of 50 Acres exist of the old grants around it.

Drawn by James H Wilcox

June 1895.

Southern Railway overhead bridge."

We find in John Montgomery's will the grist mill on Pistol Creek, last operated as William's Mill, was designated for his son, James P. Montgomery.

His home is remembered and described by people living today. Known as "Five Oaks," it stood on a hill northeast of the new Maryville Post Office (Old Knoxville Highway). It was a large colonial style house, white with green shutters. The slave quarters in back of the residence were dozens of small buildings. One can well imagine the care which was taken of such a lovely home and the hospitality which was extended, especially to people of the churches and schools which he helped to promote. In his will, he referred to the home as his "Colonial mansion."

There is special reason for contrasting Maryville of the early days with Maryville, 1973. The Maryville City Council meeting September 4, 1973, passed a formal resolution commending Joe B. Montgomery II for his services as a member of the Maryville City Council. He was first elected to the group in 1965 as a City Commissioner, same office as John Montgomery in 1807. In the years from 1965 to 1973, the form of city government was re-organized as the title of this office indicates. Maryville experienced tremendous growth. The changes most noticeable have been development of shopping centers, new street systems and conversion of the old Main Street to "Now Town." The latter has had nation wide publicity.

Physical size is only one contrast, but the total acreage incorporated has grown from 50 to 638. The boundaries extend roughly six miles in each direction.

SISTERS JANE AND MARY WITH FAMILIES IN FRANKLIN COUNTY

Jane, daughter of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, married May 5, 1802, William Moore. They were married in Blount County. He was teaching at Porter Academy in Maryville in 1809. Record has been found of their sale of land, 160 acres on Nine Mile Creek to Magnus Tulloch for

$800. This is thought to be land she inherited from her father. They later moved to Franklin County, Tennessee. Mr. C. W. McCord, who married into the Cowan family, has records they were there. They paid tax there in 1812 and were listed in the 1830 census. A William Moore, thought to be their son, was in the War of 1812, in the company of Captain John Cowan.

Mary (Polly), daughter of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, married April 23, 1800, Captain James Cowan. They were married in Blount County with Samuel Cowan on her bond. The next record we have is in Franklin County, Tennessee. His will is dated October 15, 1814; death was not long after, but exact date is not know. Presumably he is buried at Cowan. The town of Cowan, Tennessee, formerly a rail junction (1973, a town of approximately 2,000 population) was named for this family. By 1840, Polly had moved to Lincoln County, Tennessee, with the Harvey Cowan family. Their children were:

1. Rev. Samuel Cowan, married Nancy Clemens, had one child, James C. Cowan, living in Tullahoma, Tennessee.
2. Bessie, married William Montgomery, her cousin, son of Hugh. See their story later.
3. Ann, married Alfred M. Cowan.
4. Julia Doak Cowan, married John Davis, had children: Elizabeth, Mary Polk, Nannie, Thomas and Samuel.
5. Martha M., married first John C. Griffith, second C.W. McCord. They have one child, Donna McCord.
6. John Cowan, married Anna Brown, they had a son, William Cowan.

HUGH MIGRATED TO FRANKLIN COUNTY

Hugh, second son of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, was born in 1779 in Virginia and came with his father's family to Baker's Creek around 1788. He married first Susan Cowan, who died young, and is thought to be buried in the old family cemetery with his parents. Their three children, who were small at her death, were left for some time with his parents:

1. James, who was remembered by his grandfather in his

will, married Dorcas Bussell in 1817 (same family name as Sarah, wife of his cousin John who lived on Nine Mile Creek). James and his brother William are listed in the muster of Capt. John Cowan's Company in the War of 1812 as Tennessee volunteer gun men, Gen. Coffee's brigade, October, 1814.

2. William Montgomery, married before 1823, Bessie Cowan, his first cousin. Goodspeed's History, published in 1887, confuses the record of two families, but indicated that William lived with his grandparents until attaining the years of majority, that he moved to Franklin County in 1806 and farmed until his death in 1829. Their children were:
   a.) James Chester, may be Goodspeed's Jno. C., who was living in 1886, married to Nancy Cowan, successful as local leaders and land owners. They had nine children, five of whom were living in 1886.
   b.) Mary Ann, who married Nathan B. Forrest, see story at end of this chapter. They were survived by son, Captain William Forrest. (Goodspeed mentions also Ellen and Kittie, but is not clear whether they were daughters of William or James Chester.)
   c.) Eva, married Rev. Lewis C. Taylor, had no children.
3. Patsy, married James Cowan, who also served in Captain John Cowan's Company mentioned above.

Hugh's second marriage was to Jane Stewart, the mother of nine children. Further records show this second family to be of Franklin, Tennessee. The children are known through the record of his will and data of the Milton family by correspondence of Mrs. Beulah Anderson. Their children were:

1. Peggy
2. Betty
3. Carolina
4. Samuel
5. Milton

6. Campbell
7. John Stewart
8. Cowan
9. Child unborn at writing of the will

Several facts are known of Hugh's whereabouts and his way of living through various records. Records of the September session of Blount County Courts, 1795, show the court ordered that James Montgomery, Jr., James Montgomery, Sr., Hugh Montgomery, James Wear and James Buchanan with seven others survey a public road from Maryville to Tellico Block House to the intersection with the Indian Boundary Line.

In 1798, Hugh and his brother, James, Jr., were among those who had passports to enter Cherokee Country (East Tennessee).

Hugh received a grant of land in Brick Mill area, which he sold to Alexander Hale before he received his legal title. As part of his trade, Hugh paid a price of $600 for "a well trained negro mammy" to care for his three small children in the home of their grandparents.

In 1806, a sale was made for Hugh Montgomery of 176 acres on Nine Mile Creek for the sum of $1,000 to William Pugh of Carter County. This different from above tract might be the land near Oakland Church, now Monroe County, long known as Pugh property.

He was in the War of 1812 with Captain Cowan's Company.

When in 1807 Franklin County was formed from parts of Warren and Bedford (these had previously been White County), many settlers were attracted from East Tennessee. At this time Houstons, Cowans, Moores and Hugh Montgomery settled an area which came to be known as Cowan, Tennessee. An old cemetery at Cowan contains many graves; it is known that Hugh Montgomery donated land for this and that with members of his second family he is buried there.

The will of Hugh, dated September 9, 1823, shows his concern for all members of both first and second families, even specifying what shall be for his unborn child if a girl, or if a boy. The girls are each to have a bed and furniture,

a horse with saddle and bridle, and two cows or calves. His wife, Jane, is to have the plantation, or tract of 150 acres, plus the balance of his stock, household and kitchen furniture and plantation utensils and equipment for her support and education of the children who remain with her until they marry. At her death, what remains is to be equally divided between the sons.

A family of Franklin County, Milton Montgomery is THOUGHT to be the son of Hugh Montgomery. Their burial place seems to be Cherry Cemetery, Roarks Cove, Franklin County, Tennessee.

Milton Montgomery, born April 2, 1811, died September 30, 1872, married Nancy Austin, born September 10, 1821, died March 9, 1887. Children:

1. Mary Jane, born August 27, 1849, died May 3, 1883, married September 23, 1867, Joseph Crownover, born June 27, 1849, died 1924, had son John, who married Annie Gossett, daughter of William and Mary Gossett. (A Joseph Crownover of Franklin was a Revolutionary pensioner, probably father of Joseph above.)
2. Laura, born November 15, 1851, died March 5, 1882, married January 25, 1874, William (Buck) Crownover, born February 7, 1851, died October 11, 1935, the son of William Milton and Hannah Isabel Berry Crownover. He married, second, Unity Parton.
3. Bettie ————, married Jim Buckner, lived at Dechard, Tennessee.
4. Stewart
5. William (Billie), married Lula Walker
6. Hugh (Huey)
7. John Austin, born April 18, 1863, died March 6, 1920.

Mary Jane and Joseph Crownover had John, who married Annie Gossett; William, married Mary Gossett; Bill, married Lula Walker; Margaret Elizabeth, married Henry Russell Kuykendall; Matthew, married first Daisy D. Kuykendall, second Gladys Kuykendall Wheeler; Sallie Howard, married Simon Wright.

Laura and William (Buck) Crownover, Jr., had Arthur; Mary, married ———— Baker; H. L., mar-

ried Pearl Finney; Sallie, married Hal Black; Patsy, married John Bass; Charles W., married Maud Swan; William, Jr., married Pearl Collins; Gailor (C.G.), married first Lucille Tollett, second ———— Gillian (C.G. lived 1891-1954).

MARY ANN MONTGOMERY MARRIED NATHAN B. FORREST

(Biographical material from Robert Selph Henry's "First With The Most, Forrest," 1944, Bobbs Merrill.)

"Nathan Bedford Forrest, born July 13, 1821, in the Duck River Country of Middle Tennessee, at the hamlet of Chapel Hill (Marshall County), was the first son of William Forrest, and his wife Mariam Beck. Ancestors were of English, Scottish and Irish stock. His great-grandfather, Shadrach Forrest, removed from Western Virginia to Orange County, North Carolina, about 1730. Shadrach's son Nathan, born in North Carolina, there married a Miss Baugh, and early in the new century, emigrated with his family, including the ancient Shadrach, to Tennessee, to settle in the county of Sumner and then in Bedford.

"Riding on a Sunday morning in the summer of 1845, he rescued Miss Mary Ann Montgomery and her widowed mothered from their carriage stuck in the mud of a creek crossing near Hernando, Mississippi. The carriage was driven by negro slaves. There was a quick courtship; after he proposed to Mary Ann, Nathan had to win the consent of her uncle and foster father, the Rev. Samuel Montgomery Cowan of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, considered 'a mighty man of God in these parts.' Persistence won and they were married September 25, 1845, when Mary Ann was nineteen years of age. Their children were William, born 1846, and Fanny, born 1847, who died at five years of age.

"From Hernando, they moved to Memphis, he was a successful business man, kindly and considerate dealer in slave trading, a cotton planter who participated in city government and matters concerned with law and order.

"On June 14, 1861, at forty years of age, he enlisted as a private in the service of the Confederate States of America. He quickly progressed in leadership, eventually becoming General Forrest whom Grant described in his memoirs as 'probably the ablest Cavalry officer in the South.' His 'get there first with the most men' was revived as a slogan during World War II.

"In 1875, Nathan Bedford Forrest turned to the faith of his wife, Mary Ann. He united with (Memphis) Court Street Cumberland Presbyterian Church November 14, 1875. He died October 29, 1877, at age fifty-six."

MARGARET MARRIED WILLIAM W. HENRY

Margaret (Peggy), daughter of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, born 1784, married in 1805, William W. Henry. They lived on land bordering that of James Montgomery. The land grant made by the state of Tennessee in 1808 shows 250 acres which was a part of the land grant made in 1794 to his father by the state of North Carolina. Peggy died February 20, 1820, and is buried in the James Montgomery family cemetery, where the stone could be found a few years ago but seems to have disappeared since.

William W. Henry married in 1820, Sarah Utter, who died 1822. He married a third time, 1823, to Mrs. Jane Tulloch (once Miss Logan). After his marriage he moved to Polk County, Tennessee. They were parents of nine children, which are not included in this study because they have no blood relationship to the Montgomery family.

Children of Peggy and William Henry were:

1. Mary, born July 13, 1806, died 1854.
2. James Montgomery Henry, born December 17, 1808, died August 20, 1875.
3. Margaret, born December 18, 1811, died May 23, 1815.
4. Martha, born November 18, 1814.

Descendants of this family are given in more detail in another chapter.

ESTHER MONTGOMERY MARRIED WILLIAM CRAIG

Esther Montgomery married William Craig, July 5, 1802, witnessed by Alexander Montgomery is a statement found in Tennessee Marriages, Greene County (before Blount was separated from Greene).

The current search for this family is disappointing. It is family tradition that Esther, the youngest daughter of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, born around 1788, probably after they came to Blount County, married July 5, 1802, William Craig of Blount County. They seem to have lived in both Blount and Knox counties. No family Bible or exact records have been found.

Sam Craig, who lived in Fairview Community for the past fifty years, may have been a descendant from this family. The Friendsville family bearing this name includes Sam. He had two brothers. One of them, Ralph of Knoxville, a veteran of World War I, had by his first marriage a daughter, Esther (name carried through Montgomery generations). Ralph had a second marriage, to Annie Giffin Henry, who was a teacher in Blount and Knoxville school systems.

Sam's son, Claude, of Fairview Community, had a grocery store there for many years. His widow, formerly Imogene McClure, is now an employee of Proffitt's Department Store in Alcoa. They had three sons: Michael (Mikey), James and Sam.

JAMES I. MONTGOMERY MARRIED CHARITY GARRETSON

James, Jr., or James I., third son of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, was born 1781 in Virginia. He married in 1802, Charity Garretson. No other family history has been found.

He was the first Postmaster of Maryville, working in this position some time before his official appointment in 1803, and continuing to serve for several years. Some records give John and James, but family belives James

was Postmaster.

His grant of about 271 acres of land near Brick Mill was sold to Alexander Hale of Sullivan County for $1,000, September 29, 1810.

He served in the War of 1812, went to Franklin County after his military service. He was there by 1830, as shown in the U.S. Census.

SAMUEL MARRIED ELIZABETH GILLESPIE

Samuel, the youngest son of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, was married to Elizabeth Gillespie around 1805 or 1806. The story of their family is included in the following chapters.

CHAPTER 4
DESCENDANTS OF MARGARET (PEGGY) MONTGOMERY AND WILLIAM W. HENRY
(Condensed from "Descendants of James and Samuel Henry")

Margaret (Peggy), daughter of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, married in 1805, William W. Henry, born March 25, 1781. He was the first son of Samuel and Polly Beal Henry, his father a Revolutionary War soldier, born in Hanover County, Virginia, died July 13, 1824, is buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery where he gave land for the church and cemetery from his original grant. Peggy and William W. Henry lived on land bordering that of James Montgomery, her father. The land grant to William W. Henry made by the state of Tennessee in 1808 shows 250 acres, which was part of the grant made in 1794 to his father by the state of North Carolina. Peggy died Feb. 20, 1820, and is buried in the James Montgomery family cemetery with her parents. This small cemetery is on Baker's Creek in the Brick Mill area. They had four children:

Mary, born July 13, 1806, died 1854

James Montgomery, born Dec. 17, 1808, died Aug. 20, 1875

Margaret, born Dec. 18, 1811, died May 23, 1815

Martha, born Nov. 18, 1814.

William W. Henry married Oct. 7, 1820, Sarah Utter, who died Jan. 17, 1822. They had no children.

William W. Henry married Dec. 25, 1823, third, Mrs. Jane Tulloch. They moved to Polk County, Tennessee; in 1832, they moved to the Ocoe purchase of the Cherokee Indians in Polk County until 1854 when, with part of his children, he moved to Belton, Texas. Jane Tulloch Henry,

who died May 27, 1854, is buried at Ocoe Church in Polk County, Tennessee. He died in Belton, Texas, and is buried there. Children of this marriage are listed but not traced; they are not of Montgomery lineage. They can be found in the Henry genealogy, which has served as resource material for all of this family.

Margaret, born Oct. 28, 1824, never married, died 1894 in Belton, Texas, where she made a home for her father in his later years.

John Calvin, born Feb. 1, 1826, died Nov. 17, 1883

Samuel Houston Henry, born June 5, 1827, died Aug. 16, 1905, married Rosie Harris

Nancy Jane, born Jan. 11, 1829, never married

Sarah Malinda, born Nov. 22, 1833, died Aug. 2, 1868, married C. C. Whittenton

Lodosky A., born Aug. 21, 1836, married first Elijah Bunch, second W. Robert Armstrong of Texas

Isabella Texana, born May 21, 1838, married Rev. C. E. Maul

Euclid Waterhouse Henry, born May 20, 1846, died Dec. 20, 1873.

DESCENDANTS OF MARY HENRY AND REV. JAMES M. LOGAN

Mary, daughter of William W. and Margaret (Peggy) Henry, married Dec. 30, 1830, Rev. James W. Logan, born March 9, 1809. They lived near Marion, Alabama. Their children were:

Margaret J., born 1831, had three children

Mary, born 1833, had seven children. The oldest, James McDonald, was a Cumberland Presbyterian minister in Russellville, Kentucky.

Martha, born 1835, had four children

W. H., born April 30, 1837, died Aug. 14, 1921, had three children

Lucinda, born 1839, had four children

James, born June 24, 1841, had two children

Robert, born May 18, 1843, died before 1928. He married Melissa J. Young, lived in Tupelo, Mississippi, and

Wister, Oklahoma. Their children:

Mary E., Mrs. J. D. Burton, taught in Van Buren and Fort Smith, Arkansas. Children were Lucille Burton Good, also a teacher, mother of Hugh Durrell Good, born 1921, and of Durrell Burton;

Pearl Logan Wilbanks was a teacher in McAlister, Oklahoma. Her children were Mrs. Nola Wiseman (a teacher), Donald Wilbanks, a former County Judge of Hugh County, Oklahoma, and another son who was a druggist;

Edna Logan Perdue was first a Mrs. Merchant, mother of Orby Merchant, a druggist in Monroe, Louisiana. She lived in Fort Worth, Texas, with her second husband, Mr. Perdue;

Two sons of Robert Logan died before 1925;

Tom Logan and his wife were teachers at Mountain Grove, Missouri.

Elizabeth, born Feb., 1845, had six children

Samuel, born 1847, died single at age twenty-five

Susan, born 1849, had five children.

DESCENDANTS OF JAMES M. AND ANN HUTTON HENRY

James Montgomery, son of William W. and Margaret (Peggy) Henry, married Nov. 19, 1839, Ann Hutton, born Jan. 23, 1806, died April 15, 1882, the daughter of Josiah (born April 26, 1775) and Isabella McConnell (born Feb. 1, 1771) Hutton, who were married Jan. 7, 1796. When his father left Blount County, James M. stayed with his uncle, Samuel Henry. He bought land in 1838 joining Huttons, on Hutton Lane, later the Cam Gillenwater farm. He built a sturdy house which was used as a dwelling for more than a hundred years. He was a member of the Blount County Court and from 1848 to 1854 was sheriff of Blount County.

The story of his participation in the Civil War seems appropriate to illustrate the tragic involvement of families in this period. In 1863, James M. joined the Union Army and was Captain of Company L, Second Regiment of the Tennessee Cavalry. They never met in battle but after the

surrender of Johnson's Army, the son, William, Captain of the Second Regiment of Tennessee Cavalry, Company L, came through the Union lines as a parolled Confederate. His father did not recognize him until a friend said, "Captain Henry, that was your son, William." Captain James M. called his son and May 11, 1865, they came home to Baker's Creek together. There the son remained and the father returned after his discharge a couple of months later. James Montgomery Henry's health declined and he died in 1875.

Children of James M. and Ann Hutton Montgomery were:
William Hutton, born May 27, 1841, died 1910
Margaret Isabella, born Oct. 24, 1842, died Oct. 19, 1885
Hettie Jane, born June 21, 1844, died Dec. 4, 1884
Phebe McConnell Henry, born April 14, 1846, died Sept. 28, 1850
Josiah Nicholson Henry, born June 22, 1848, died April 25, 1926.

Descendants of William and Martha Tedford Henry

William Hutton Henry, son of James M. and Ann Hutton Montgomery, married in 1866, Martha E. Tedford, 1844-1905, of Maryville. He enlisted in the Confederate Army during his senior year at Maryville College, receiving a certificate of graduation then, his diploma later. He read law in Sidney Lanier's father's office in Atlanta, Georgia, but had to give this up because of his health; later he farmed and was in the real estate business. He was several times a candidate for Governor of the Prohibition Party. He was a member of the New Providence Presbyterian Church. Their children were:

Annie Jane, born Sept. 5, 1867, died Sept. 11, 1868
Flora Lee, born Dec. 5, 1868
Margaret Park Henry, born 1874, died 1935
Charles William, born Sept. 20, 1878, died Sept. 15, 1935.

Descendants of Flora Lee Hutton and
Herbert T. Hamilton

Flora Lee, daughter of William Hutton and Martha E. Tedford Henry, was an accomplished musician, taught music and was organist of her church. She married in 1900,

Herbert T. Hamilton. Their children were:

William Harvey, born Apr. 24, 1901, died June 20, 1901
Edward Henry, born July 13, 1902
James Tedford, born Oct. 23, 1906
Mary, born March 8, 1905, died Aug. 15, 1920

Edward Henry, son of Flora Lee and Herbert T. Hamilton, was born in Bellingham, Washington, married Annarine Atkins, born April 6, 1903, of Maryville, Tennessee. Both graduated from Maryville College. He attended Nashville Conservatory of Music in 1931, earned M.A. degree in music in New York University in 1941. He was State Student Secretary of Y.M.C.A. in 1926-28; director of orchestra and chorus, University of Tennessee, 1931-34; he was director of high school music and supervisor of music, Knoxville City Schools, 1932 until his retirement in 1957. He was minister of music, First Baptist Church of Knoxville, 1941-55, president of the Southern Division of Music Educators National Conference, 1950-52.

He is associate professor of voice and director of the Acapella Choir in Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, Texas. He is a "Fellow" of the American Academy of Teachers of Singing, and a charter member of the American Choral Directors Association.

An Edward H. Hamilton Music Education Scholarship Fund was established in his honor at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, in 1960, at which time he was also presented an award by the Mayor of the City of Knoxville.

His wife holds a M.A. degree from Hardin-Simmons University and has taught in Maryville College and in Hardin-Simmons University.

Their children are:

Edward Henry Hamilton, Jr., born March 15, 1926, in Maryville, Tennessee, graduated from University of Tennessee, is a Doctor of Dental Science, married Jane Peters of Knoxville, also a graduate of U.T. They have Edward Henry Hamilton, III, born Jan. 13, 1956, Mary Crowell Hamilton, born April 18, 1958, and Beverly Jane Hamilton, born Dec. 28, 1960.

Shirley, born Aug. 23, 1928, in Knoxville, married George

V. Farnham, Jr. They have Helen Denise Farnham, born Feb. 27, 1951.

Sylvia Ann, born Dec. 28, 1929, in Nashville. She graduated from the University of Tennessee, married James E. Williams, an engineer, lives in Kingsport, Tennessee. They have John Stephen, born Feb. 1, 1953, Mary Beth, born Aug. 5, 1956, James Edward, born Nov. 10, 1960.

Joan, born July 24, 1931, in Old Hickory, Tennessee. She graduated from the University of Tennessee and married Alexander George Foldeak and lives in Keene, New Hampshire. They have Sandra and Susan, twins, born May 21, 1955, Philip, born May 29, 1958, and Robert Alan, born Feb. 15, 1960, died July 18, 1960.

James Tedford Hamilton, son of Flora Lee and William Hutton Henry, married Carrie Whitehead, April 22, 1928, lives in Tacoma, Washington. They have Meryle Ann, born Feb. 22, 1933, and Richard Charles, born Jan. 3, 1936.

Descendants of Margaret Henry and
Converse A. Davis

Margaret Park Henry, daughter of William Hutton and Martha E. Tedford Henry, married Converse A. Davis, Dec. 26, 1875, 1895 at Maryville, Tennessee. Their children were:

Charles Henry, born Dec. 26, 1896, who married Mamie Alice, born Jan. 24, 1900, in Baltimore, Maryland. Their children are Lucille Elise, born May 26, 1921, Evelyn Della, born Dec. 29, 1923, and Norma Leola, born Oct. 12, 1929.

Lucille Winnifred, born Dec. 6, 1899, married Harold Frederick Golding, Oct. 7, 1922. A professional office worker, she was employed by lawyer Sam Johnson in Maryville, and after her children were in school worked for many years in the Capitol Building in Richmond, Virginia. Their two children are Harold Frederick Golding, Jr., born March 24, 1924, married Elizabeth Hall, June 5, 1955, a lawyer by profession. Living in Washington, D.C., they have Mark Frederick, born 1956, and Wayne Edward, born 1959. Charles William Golding,

born 1926, married Katherine Rose Alexander in 1955, is a lawyer. Living in Seattle, Washington, they have William A., born 1957, and Davis Frederick, born 1958.

Leola Barnes Davis, born Nov. 2, 1902, married Roy Neal Fowler, June 15, 1926. She was a graduate of Maryville College, a home economics teacher.

Martha Eleanor Davis, born July 4, 1909, a graduate of Maryville Polytechnic School, married Wayne W. Carringer, September, 1931, is now working as hostess for Blount Memorial Hospital.

Converse A. Davis, Jr., born May 27, 1913, married Mary Elizabeth Dygart, June 11, 1938. He graduated from McCallie School in 1932, received a B.A. degree from King's College at Bristol, Tennessee, in 1936, taught at McCallie 1937-1949, received the master's degree in education from VPI, 1955, and is now principal of Cave Springs High School in Roanoke County, Virginia. Their children are William Henry Davis, born March 20, 1941, married Betty Mason, they have Christina Marie, born Sept. 19, 1960, Mary Elizabeth, born April 1, 1964, and James Charles.

Descendants of Charles William and Martha E. Tedford Henry

Charles William Henry, son of William Hutton and Martha E. Tedford Henry, married January, 1904, Leola Clare Landon, born April 8, 1884, in Jerseyville, Illinois.

He was a graduate of Maryville College. He received the M.A. degree in college administration at Columbia University in New York City, 1928.

He founded Maryville Commercial College in 1901; in 1904, he purchased the Freedman Institute property for that school. The name was changed to Maryville Polytechnic School a few years later. This school served the community well as its first high school, providing living quarters as well as instructional facilities. Students came from many states and a few foreign countries. It offered an accredited four year program with special teaching and agricultural courses, fine arts and an athletic program. In

1926, the City of Maryville purchased the property for the Maryville High School.

Mr. Henry served two years as associate headmaster of McCallie School in Chattanooga, one year, same position, at Sullin's College in Bristol, Virginia. In 1931, he became president of King's College, which position he resigned in 1934 because of ill health. He returned to Maryville, where he lived until his death Sept. 15, 1935.

This biographical sketch from the Henry Family genealogy no doubt reflects his philosophy as it perhaps does for many of the descendants of John and Esther Montgomery who have been teachers through the years: "His influence will live for years to come in the hearts and lives of thousands of men and women in Tennessee and other states. He used to emphasize to his students the saying of Ben Franklin: 'Time is the stuff of which life is made, therefore waste not time.' He was a man of wide reading, keen observation and sympathetic understanding. He believed in righteous living. He believed in clean thinking. He was a friend to the ditch digger as well as to the man of affairs. He loved youth and believed in the youth of today."

His wife, Leola Clare Landon, attended Maryville and Monticello Colleges. She seems to have been a worthy co-worker and religious leader of their time. After her husband's death, she returned to Jerseyville to be with her aging parents; her father lived to be 101 years of age. In 1956, she returned to Maryville and lived near her daughters. Their children were:

Martha Etta, born Oct. 3, 1905

Charles William, Jr., born June 28, 1909, died Sept. 28, 1911

Irma Charles, born Sept. 28, 1911

Martha, daughter of Charles William and Leola Henry, graduated with a B.A. degree from Maryville College, 1927. She was an accomplished musician, having attended the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, and served as organist at New Providence Presbyterian Church more than twenty-five years. She married Dr. George W. Burchfield, Nov. 11, 1926. For a quarter of a century he operated an Eye, Ear,

Nose, and Throat Infirmary on Court Street in Maryville. He died Feb. 26, 1957. Martha married second, Dr. George K. Davies, April 6, 1973. Children of Martha and George Burchfield are:

Nancy Leola, born Jan. 17, 1928, a graduate of Stephens Junior College, Columbia, Missouri, and Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, obtained a master's degree in primary education from Peabody College in Nashville, Tennessee. She has taught at Kingsport, Tennessee, in the Anglo-American School in Athens, Greece and at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, and after her marriage in Seattle, Washington. She married Feb. 12, 1955, Rodney Lee Brewster, an engineer. They have Mark William, born June 26, 1958, and George Daniel, born Sept. 13, 1960.

Martha Virginia, born April 27, 1930, has a B.A. degree in education from the University of Tennessee. She married Dec. 1, 1950, John Wiley DeLozier, who died Oct. 8, 1959. They had John David, born June 8, 1952, and James Burchfield DeLozier, born Dec. 14, 1954.

Kathryn Sue, born Oct. 27, 1931, a graduate of Stephens Junior College, Columbia, Missouri, and the National School of Education at Evanston, Illinois. On June 20, 1953, she married Robert Moffatt, who is a vice-president of Webcor Manufacturing Company in Chicago. They have Scott Winston, born Oct. 26, 1955, Jay Edward, born Oct. 2, 1956, Lise Lynn, born Nov. 13, 1957, Tammy Kathryn, born Feb. 15, 1961, Allison and Barbara Moffatt.

Irma Charles, daughter of Charles William and Leola Henry, graduated from Sullins Junior College, 1931, and from King College, 1933, both in Bristol, Tennessee. She married May 15, 1937, Martin Lawrence Rockfield, an engineer with the Aluminum Company of America at Alcoa. They have Martin Lawrence II, born Feb. 26, 1940, and Sandra Lee, born July 3, 1944. The son, Martin Lawrence Rockfield, was in the U.S. Air Force. He married Sept. 16, 1962, Norma Louise Noe of Morristown, Tennessee, born March 10, 1943. They live in Oakland, California, where he

works in the Personnel Department of Pacific Gas and Electric Company. They have no children. Sandra Lee Rockfield married Jan. 8, 1966, William T. Gillespie, born April 22, 1938. They have children Mark T., born Jan. 17, 1969, and Charles William, born April 25, 1973.

Family of Isabella (Bell) and James H. McConnell

Margaret Isabella, daughter of James M. and Ann Hutton Henry, married James H. McConnell on Jan. 24, 1867, who was a minister. They lived near Mount Tabor. She is buried in the family lot, Baker's Creek Cemetery.

Descendants of Josiah Nicholson and Louise Howard Henry

Josiah Nicholson Henry, son of James M. and Ann Hutton Henry, married Jan. 27, 1876, Margaret Louise Howard, born Nov. 23, 1848, died June 4, 1893, the daughter of Albert Burton Howard (May 12, 1810-Oct. 30, 1882) and Euphemy Hall Howard, who were married Nov. 24, 1843. Being thirteen years of age at the beginning of the Civil War, he dropped out of school and worked at home to support the family while his father and only brother were in the strife. (His father was in the Union Army, his brother Confederate). He owned his first farm on Old Niles Ferry, sold to Una V. Payne's family and years later bought by Mills brothers, who operate a modern dairy there. He then moved west of Maryville, then to Rocky Ridge near Maryville, and finally to Miller Street in Maryville where he died.

He served as Justice of the Peace in Blount County. He was one of the first and most zealous advocates of rocked roads and was a member of the Blount County Court when the first "pike bonds" were voted. He was a member of the county court when the present site of the County Court House was decided upon and purchased.

He was first a member of the Clover Hill Church, then Baker's Creek and finally New Providence Presbyterian Church. He served each in responsible leadership; as an elder, trustee of Battle Branch (later Sunnybrook Mission), soliciting committee, etc.

Margaret L. was also an active church member and judging by the success of her family, a hard working and devoted mother. She is buried in Magnolia Cemetery. Their children were:

James Montgomery Henry, born Dec. 24, 1876, died April 29, 1957

Cora Elizabeth, born Nov. 22, 1878, died Jan. 22, 1950

Horace Burton Henry, born, Oct. 1, 1882, died June 19, 1961

Clemmie Jane, born Nov. 29, 1885

Ann, born Nov. 28, 1888, died Sept. 17, 1968

The second marriage of Josiah N. Henry on March 11, 1897, was to Lou B. Goddard, daughter of Nathaniel and Dorcas E. Morton Goddard. She was born August 5, 1783. A graduate of Maryville and former teacher, she was a member of First Methodist Church of Maryville, then New Providence Presbyterian. She was active in church and community organizations. She died July 23, 1948, is buried in Magnolia Cemetery, Maryville. They had three children who died in infancy and Bessie Lee, born Jan. 31, 1899.

James Montgomery Henry, son of Josiah N. and Margaret Howard Henry, married Dec. 20, 1897, Louise Stoffel of Knox County, born Sept. 19, 1874. Both attended Maryville College. They moved to Texas shortly after the first daughter was born. He worked with railroads there until his retirement, dealt in real estate, and operated a men's clothing store. They had a daughter, Helen, born Sept. 25, 1898, died Aug. 26, 1945. She married Willis Ernest Barrow of Texas on Oct. 26, 1920; they had no children, but adopted Marcia Barrow.

Cora Elizabeth, daughter of Josiah N. and Margaret Howard Henry, married June 8, 1904, William Jackson Huffstetler (his second marriage). He was born Nov. 26, 1866, was accidentally struck by a car and killed on Nov. 16, 1929. She seems to have carried, with great loyalty and devotion, a lot of the responsibilities of her parental family after the early death of her mother. He was manager of the local telephone company and at his death, was employed at the Aluminum Company of America in Alcoa. They had

William Jackson Huffstetler, Jr., born April 14, 1916, in Maryville, Tennessee. On Oct. 18, 1935, he married Katherine Porter, born May 8, 1918, in Eustis, Florida. He has worked toward a degree in engineering and is a maintenance foreman with the Aluminum Company of America at Alcoa. They have two sons:

William Jackson III, born Aug. 18, 1936, married Aug. 16, 1958, Nancy Miles West, born Aug. 21, 1938. He has a B.S. degree in mechanical engineering from Tennessee Technological University and works with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Department of Research and Development in Huntsville, Alabama.

James Edward, born Aug. 28, 1938, has a B.S. degree in industrial engineering from Tennessee Technological University. Commissioned as an Ensign in the U.S. Navy Nov. 17, 1961, he was in service in San Diego, California, in 1962.

William Jackson Huffstetler had married first, Grace Ophelia Fielder, born Nov. 30, 1881, died March 9, 1902. Their daughter, Grace Fielder Huffstetler, born Feb. 13, 1902, is not descended from the Montgomery line. (She married J. Victor Rowan. They had Helen Ray Rowan, who married Thomas Bryant Click, parents of Michael Rowan and Katherine Ray Click.)

Horace Burton, son of Josiah N. and Margaret Howard Henry, was married Nov. 4, 1919, to Olivia Brown, born Dec. 21, 1890. He devoted many years to Blount County Mutual Fire Insurance Co. as Secretary and Treasurer. He was well known by farmers and businessmen of Blount County. He was a member of the Magnolia Cemetery Board in Maryville and was instrumental in securing funds to increase an endowment for it. He is buried in Magnolia Cemetery beside their young son. Their children were:

Joseph Burton Henry, born Sept. 30, 1920. He was drowned June 23, 1934, in Abram's Creek in Cades Cove, Tennessee.

Margaret Louise, born June 18, 1923, graduated from Maryville College in 1945, B.A. degree. For two years

she worked with youth in First Presbyterian Church in Chicago Heights, Chicago, Illinois, in 1947-48 she attended Princeton Seminary, New Jersey, and in 1948 she came to First Presbyterian Church in Greeneville, Tennessee, as Director of Christian Education. On Dec. 27, 1952, she married Harry Borden Roberts, born July 8, 1914, of Greeneville. He graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1950, received the M.A. degree there in Administration in 1951. He served in the U.S. Navy for five years and is now teaching science in Mosheim High School near Greeneville. Their children are Richard Henry Roberts, born May 10, 1954, Olivia Jeanne, born April 6, 1956, Harriet Borden, born April 8, 1957, and Brent Burton Roberts, born July 23, 1959.

Clemmie Jane, daughter of Josiah N. and Margaret Howard Henry, received her education at Maryville Polytechnic School, Maryville College and completed a course in auditing and cost accounting. She taught in local schools and worked for thirty-two years at Maryville College as Director of Student Help, as Administrative Secretary and as Recorder of the Board of Directors. In 1950 she received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Maryville College.

She was active in positions of leadership in the New Providence Presbyterian Church, was the first woman to become its Sunday School Superintendent, was ordained an elder of the church in 1956 and served on the Session for a term of three years. She has also been active in the local chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Chilhowee Club and Delta Kappa Gamma.

Ann, daughter of Josiah N. and Margaret Howard Henry, married Oct. 20, 1921, Roy J. Hitch, born July 7, 1891. They lived in California. He died in El Centro, May 25, 1960, and is buried there. She died Sept. 17, 1968, and is also buried in El Centro. Their children are:

Joseph Andrew, born May 30, 1923, married Eva Evelyn Ward on Nov. 11, 1950. He holds a responsible position with the Convair Company in California. They have

Sharon Jo, born Aug. 2, 1951, Eva Rachel, born May 24, 1953, Donna Dee, born Nov. 10, 1954, and Robert Ward Hitch, born Aug. 28, 1956.

Elizabeth Jane, born July 27, 1925, married Oct. 11, 1953, David Jacob Bergen, a Navy pharmacist. They have Paul David, born Dec. 28, 1954, Henry Allen, born Jan. 2, 1956, and Donald Edward, born April 1, 1958.

Bessie Lee, daughter of Josiah N. and Lou B. Henry, graduated from Maryville Polytechnic School in 1916, from Maryville College in 1920, and received a M.A. degree from the University of Illinois. She taught in high schools in Illinois and Tennessee and for five years (1926-31) was associate professor of biology at Maryville College.

She married June 14, 1928, Dr. Lester C. Olin, born Aug. 30, 1899, at Alexis, Illinois, the son of Arthur and Mildred Graham Olin. He served in Europe during World War I as a private in the Rainbow Division. Both his B.A. and M.D. degrees were from the University of Illinois. He interned at the Knoxville General Hospital and practiced medicine in Maryville, Tennessee, for twenty-three years, until his death Oct. 22, 1952. They had two sons:

Joseph Henry, born Sept. 11, 1933, died Nov. 2, 1971. He graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1955 with a B.S. degree in Chemical Engineering. From 1955-59, he was a process development engineer with the Buckeye Cotton Oil Company of Memphis, Tennessee; following this, he was employed by the American Chemical Society in Washington, D.C., as an Assistant Editor on the Publications Staff. He worked in New York four years before his death. He continued church activities, participating in several positions of responsible leadership with the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church there. He died in New York, is buried in Grandview Cemetery in Maryville, never married.

Lester Graham Olin, born Dec. 11, 1936, received both B.S. and M.D. degrees from the University of Tennessee in March, 1960, at Memphis, Tennessee. On June 14, 1958, he married Patricia Manges at Alcoa, Tennessee. She was born Jan. 24, 1938, the daughter

of Ronald and Ruth McReynolds Manges. She received the B.S. degree in nursing from the University of Tennessee at Memphis at the same time her husband received his M.D. degree. He was an intern at the University Hospital in Knoxville; in 1961-62, they were in public health work in Eagle Pass, Texas. Their children are John Michael, born Nov. 7, 1966, Mary, born Jan. 5, 1969, and Pamelia D., born Sept. 26, 1971.

DESCENDANTS OF MARTHA HENRY AND DAVID KERR

Martha, daughter of William W. and Peggy Montgomery Henry, married David Kerr in 1830. They had four children: Mary Kerr Morelock, Martha Kerr Hambright, McLin Kerr, and Miller Kerr.

McLin Kerr is credited for building the old house known as Howard and later A. J. Kyker home, on Nine Mile Creek not far from Union Grove Baptist Church.

ELIZABETH PAXTON HOUSTON CHAPTER C.A.R. MAKES A PRESENTATION

May 16, 1969, Children of American Revolution made a special presentation of the book, "Bold Legacy," to the Sam Houston Memorial Association. Picture of the presentation shows Marilyn Anderson making the presentation to Mrs. Bessie Olin of the Association. Mrs. Olin represents the sixth and Marilyn the eighth generation of descendants of Esther Houston by her marriage with John Montgomery. This presentation took place at the Sam Houston School in Blount County, and in the background is the log building. Bessie Henry Olin is the great-granddaughter of Peggy Montgomery Henry, of this chapter. Marilyn Anderson is the great-granddaughter of Flora Montgomery Anderson of Chapter 11.



Elizabeth Paxton Houston Chapter C.A.R. Makes A Presentation

CHAPTER 5
SAMUEL MONTGOMERY, SR. – ELIZABETH GILLESPIE AND DAUGHTERS
(Compiled by Margaret M. Vawter and J. Esther Montgomery)

Samuel Montgomery, Sr., born 1785, died 5-23-1843, married around 1806, Elizabeth Gillespie, born 1789, died 7-11-1859.

Elizabeth was the daughter of John and Elizabeth Jane (Houston) Gillespie. They lived on Baker's Creek in the brick house which James, Samuel's father, had built for his family. They were both buried in the family cemetery on the farm. Some markers are readable (1973), but stones are gradually deteriorating.

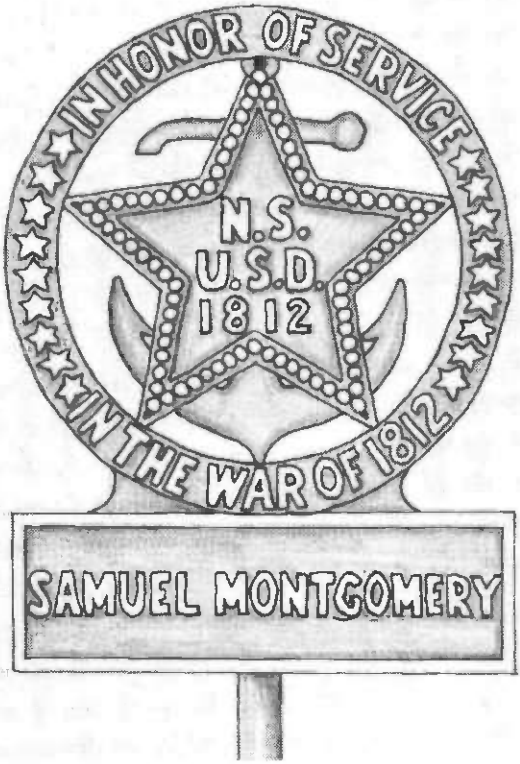
The descendants who settled in Blount and Loudon County and other nearby communities have had a reunion the second Sunday in June yearly since 1935. It has been loyally supported by these families. Frequently, family members from as far away as California and other distant states attend. It was this group who deemed it necessary to place a marker in Pine Grove Cemetery, on the Montgomery plot, in memory of James, Samuel and their wives. The marker reads:

In Memory of

James Montgomery	Samuel Montgomery
1740-1809	1785-5-23-1843
Margaret Weir	Elizabeth Gillespie
1749-	1789-7-11-1859

and others

Interred in family cemetery on Baker's Creek.



A marker placed by the D.A.R. on Samuel's grave reads: Veteran of War of 1812.

Samuel Montgomery gave the land for Pine Grove Cemetery.

Samuel reportedly attended a private school under J. C. Ritter; later, Holston College, which was in operation in 1793-1798. He would have been fourteen to fifteen years of age. The school closed in 1900. In our research, we found that all of these families were interested in schools and churches. These were important parts of their lives.

In 1821, a deed for Baker's Creek Presbyterian Church lot was recorded. William McClung, Samuel Montgomery, Robert Thompson and James Houston were Trustees.

He was a justice of the peace for Blount County and performed marriage ceremonies for numerous couples.

There are records of marriages which he performed for persons from Knox and Greene County, as well as Blount.

In 1849 deed book, Blount County, Vol. W., page 10, James Houston and John Montgomery (of Nine Mile Creek) sold to William Gillespie and Samuel Montgomery undivided interest in the land on which James last lived, being a part of the grant to James Montgomery of 445 acres by the State of Tennessee.

Records show that Samuel and Elizabeth Montgomery were in Washington County, Virginia, in 1796. We find a transfer to Adam Lowry, Washington County, Virginia, of 176 acres, that James Montgomery had bought from Samuel Doak in 1792. As Samuel and Elizabeth were there at that time, we assume that Samuel made the transfer for his father.

When Elizabeth first came to Tennessee from Virginia, at age sixteen years, she made the trip by horseback. It has been repeatedly told that she carried a sack of gold with her, probably the family savings from land sales. She was described as being a very brave and fearless woman.

The Houston, Gillespie, Henderson and Russell families gave the land on which Holston College stood. These families made the college a family project for later generations.

Samuel and Elizabeth had eight children:

1. James Houston Montgomery, b. 12-17-1809, d. 3-24-1897. Two infants stillborn.
2. Eliza Montgomery, b. 1812, m. Alexander Moore. Moved to Middle Tennessee. Had five children, but no data for them.
3. Mary Montgomery, b. 1815, m. Samuel Montgomery, 8-4-1832. Moved to Bradley County, Tennessee.
4. William Gillespie Montgomery, b. 3-30-1816, d. 6-14-1882. M. 10-1-1846 Jane Burton, b. 4-27-1825, d. 10-7-1902.
5. John Montgomery, b. 10-2-1818, d. 6-13-1860. M. 8-7-1845 Sarah Ann Bussell, b. 2-6-1826, d. 11-27-1905.
6. Samuel Montgomery, Jr., b. 6-4-1824, d. 4-2-1885.

M. 9-30-1852 Hettie Ann Montgomery, b. 7-12-1836, d. 11-23-1911. Both are buried in Pine Grove Cemetery in the Montgomery plot.

The four sons of Samuel and Elizabeth have separate chapters. We found it impossible to get that much data on the two girls and they follow this.

PINE GROVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, U.S.A.

A deed was recorded at the Loudon County Court House in 1840 from Jesse Kerr, to the Pine Grove Presbyterian Church by the elders and trustees, Leonard L. McFarland, Andrew Cowan, Samuel Montgomery and Joseph Hutton, for a church and campground. This same church is in use today and is located near Jena Station on State No. 95. At that time it was in Blount County, as Loudon County had not been formed. The oldest session records of Pine Grove



Pine Grove Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., near Jena Station (State Route 95), near Greenback, Loudon County, Tennessee.

begin in 1873. Pine Grove joined with the Presbyterian U.S.A. at the time of the Union in 1902. Presumably it was Cumberland Presbyterian until that time.

According to the Rev. A. H. Cropp, the congregation started renovating the building in 1956, while he was pastor there. They added Sunday School rooms to the back of the building. Later a new front was added, leaving the middle part with the steeple, the original building. The membership has refurnished the inside, adding new pews, an organ, piano, carpeting and electric heat. The Rev. Harry Mercer is the present pastor. Many of the Montgomery families worshiped here and some continue to do so.

DESCENDANTS OF ELIZA AND MARY MONTGOMERY
(Eliza married Alexander Moore, Mary married Samuel Montgomery)

Eliza, daughter of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, married Alexander Moore and moved to middle Tennessee. Mary, second daughter, married Samuel N. Montgomery and moved to Bradley County in East Tennessee. In the tradition of the times, there seems to have been lesser ties with the wife's family, where the sons tended to keep in closer touch, even lived near his parents.

Fortunately, links to their families have been found. These records are not as complete as for the sons, especially those in East Tennessee. Because this information is so limited, the two are combined in one chapter.

ELIZA MONTGOMERY MARRIED ALEXANDER MOORE

Eliza, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Gillespie Montgomery, married Alexander Moore and moved to middle Tennessee. "Colonial Families of the United States of America, Vol. IV" by George Nelson McKenzie, 1914, picks up the line of Joanna Moore of Lincoln County, Tennessee, daughter of Alexander Moore who fought in the Indian and Revolutionary Wars. Joanna, born 1787, died 1849, married

John Beattie of Williamson County, who died in 1850. Their daughter, Martha Fleming Beattie, born Aug. 19, 1808, died June 30, 1883, married Jan. 14, 1876, Thomas Joyce McClellan of Athens, Alabama, born July 2, 1811, in Lincoln County, Tennessee, died Oct. 14, 1887. His father, William McClellan, was born July 11, 1775, in Londoun County, Virginia, married Matilda Carolyn Joyce about 1738. They moved to Rockingham County, North Carolina, and finally to Tennessee, 1804-05. Children of Martha Fleming Beattie and Thomas Joyce McClellan were:

1. John Beattie, born Nov. 25, 1836, married Sept. 28, 1886, Elizabeth Harmon Hussey.
2. William Cowan, born April 23, 1839, died Dec. 9, 1869, married Oct. 18. 1866, Susan Elizabeth Strong.
3. Sarah Ann, born Jan. 24, 1841, died July, 1891, married 1860 (his second wife) Laurence Ripley Davis.
4. Robert Anderson, born Dec. 24, 1843, died July 27, 1898.
5. Matilda Joyce, born Feb. 5, 1845, unmarried.
6. Martha Katherine, born July 10, 1848, married 1873, Felix G. Buchanan.
7. Thomas Nicholas, born Feb. 17, 1853, died unmarried. At his death was Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama; had also occupied the position of Attorney General and Justice.

Robert Anderson, son of Thomas Joyce and Martha Fleming (Beattie) McClellan was born near Fayetteville, Lincoln County, Tennessee, admitted to the bar 1870, Mayor of Athens, Alabama, member of Constitutional Convention, 1875, of Alabama, member Alabama State Senate 1876-77, Charter Member Scotch-Irish Society of America. He married Feb. 7, 1872, Aurora Pryor, born May 28, 1846, daughter of Luke Pryor, born 1820, died Aug. 5, 1900 and Isabella Virginia Harris, born Jan. 7, 1826, died June 16, 1889. Children of Robert Anderson and Aurora Pryor McClellan were:

1. Thomas Cowan, born Jan. 11, 1873, married Dec. 20, 1894, Emily Horton, born 1875, died 1896, daughter of James Edward and Emily Donelson Horton of Athens,



Montgomery-Callaway Reunion 1935

MONTGOMERY-CALLAWAY REUNION, 1935

Bottom first row, left to right: Walter Randolph, Inez C. Randolph, Frank Callaway, Hugh Callaway, Luke Lea Callaway in Luke's arms, Eugene Callaway, Sue Marie Callaway in Eugene's arms, Marie Callaway, William Lloyd Callaway, Thomas C. Randolph, Robert Edward Callaway, Bozzie D. Callaway, Helen Saylors and son John Edward in arms, Andrew C. Montgomery, Henry Callaway, Jr., Betty Montgomery, Mary C. Moore and husband, Frances Randolph, Polly Ownby, Bobby Maynor.

Second row, seated: Mrs. A. B. Montgomery, S. O. Montgomery, Callie Montgomery Callaway, Mrs. S. O. Montgomery, Mrs. James Callaway, Sr., Margaret Thompson Callaway, James McCammon, P. B. Anderson, E. B. Tipton and wife Effie.

Third row: Stella Tipton and Robert Tipton, Mrs. Jim McCammon, Dr. Mary Lee Griffitts, Mildred Montgomery, Joe Montgomery, Myrtis Maynor, Ida Bryan, Edd Bryan, Ben Callaway, two unidentified, Annabelle Callaway, Lula Callaway, Elizabeth Calloway, two unknown, Joe Callaway, unknown, Dr. Henry Callaway, Sr.

Fourth row: two unknown, Sam Tipton, Ruth Tipton, Beulah Foster, Flora Callaway, Jim Foster, Carroll Montgomery, Robert Montgomery of Colorado, three unknown, Randolph brothers, unknown couple, Hetty Ownby, Horace McCammon, Annie McCammon, Paul Abel, Rev. Greer and wife.

Alabama. He married (second) July 16, 1904, Susan Ruth Phillips, born October, 1880, of Pulaski, Tennessee. He was educated at the University of Alabama; studied law at Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tennessee; admitted to the bar 1893; has served as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama and held other noteworthy offices. His two children were Robert, born Dec. 3, 1895, died Feb. 24, 1910, and Ruth, born July 29, 1905.

2. Aurora Anderson, born Feb. 16, 1876, died Sept., 1881.
3. Memory Pryor, born May 30, 1880, married Feb., 1898, Robert Henry Walker, son of William Harrison and Sarah (Ryan) Walker. They had a son, William McClellan Walker, born Nov. 12, 1902.
4. A son died in infancy.

DESCENDANTS OF MARY AND SAMUEL MONTGOMERY

Mary, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Gillespie Montgomery, married Samuel Nelson Montgomery, born Aug. 14, 1807, died Sept. 26, 1879, in Bradley County. The marriage was witnessed by Sarah Ware and Mrs. Bart Montgomery, whose names indicate it was performed in Blount County. The family of Samuel N. is believed to have come to Tennessee from Georgia. They went to Bradley County to live around 1849. He owned 160 to 200 acres of land and gave large tracts to his sons, William and Hugh. He willed the home place to his daughter, Elizabeth, after his wife's death. Mary and Samuel, son William Ramsey, daughter Elizabeth and her husband are known to be buried in Bradley County. Many old graves in the cemetery there cannot be identified; likely some are members of this family.

This chart of descendants of Mary and Samuel is quoted from Walter Goode of Cleveland. Issue:

1. Elizabeth Montgomery, born April 22, 1834
2. Campbell Montgomery, born 1836
3. Mary Montgomery, born 1838
4. Jane Montgomery, born 1840
5. Hester A., born 1842

6. Samuel O., born 1844, married Emeline L. Taylor, Nov. 14, 1866
7. William Ramsey Montgomery, born July 5, 1850, died June 3, 1921
8. Hugh N., born ———, married Mary Ellen Taylor, Dec. 18, 1873.

William Ramsey married three times; March 27, 1873, to Sarah Hana Taylor, born July 5, 1850, who was the mother of Elizabeth below; second marriage Sept. 5, 1875, to Martha Taylor, born Sept. 16, 1860, died Dec. 23, 1888, sister of Sarah; he married third, Mary Ellen Trewhitt, daughter of Levi Trewhitt, Jr. She was born April 17, 1858, and died Oct. 29, 1935.

Elizabeth Lena Montgomery, daughter of William Ramsey Montgomery and wife, Sarah Hanna Taylor, was born March 29, 1874, died March 2, 1942. She married April 23, 1896, James Waldon White, born 1872, died Feb. 1, 1927. This couple lived all their lives in Bradley County.

Information from Mr. Goode shows other statistics which may apply to this family:

1. Bradley County Census of 1840 shows one family there headed by Thomas Montgomery (40-50) which appears to be composed of wife and seven children under twenty years of age. The second family headed by William S. (age 20-30), an older female (40-50) and a child (15-20).
2. Lists of births and deaths not comparable to above:
   E. J. Montgomery, born March 29, 1874
   W. E. Montgomery, born Sept. 18, 1876
   S. A. Montgomery, born July 1, 187–
   A. J. Montgomery, born Sept. 19, 18—
   Verda Malinda, born March 20, 1887
   S. A. Montgomery, died May 30, 1845
   W. S. Montgomery, born Aug. 27, 1820, died Dec. 25, 1884.
3. Marriages not of persons mentioned otherwise:
   Sarah Montgomery, married ——— Ware
   Leila Montgomery married Frank Gilliland
   Eva Montgomery married Ramsey, moved to Texas
   Hettie Montgomery married Ramsey, moved to Texas

Hester Ann Montgomery married ——— Samples
Jane Montgomery married ——— Trewhitt
Mary Montgomery married ——— Kirkpatrick.

Personal inquiries and visits to cemeteries were made in the sixties by persons collecting family data. It seems that members of this family live in the Red Bank area. There is a Trewhitt Road in the Red Bank Community said to be named by the old Trewhitt family. A Miss Stella Montgomery, probably a late descendant of this family, said that her father and mother were buried in the Ebeneezer Cemetery, a small Baptist church on the road from Cleveland to Dalton, Georgia.

In 1971, we heard of an Esther Montgomery working in the office of Cleveland Utilities. The name may indicate a link with this family. (A letter of inquiry received no response.)

CHAPTER 6
DESCENDANTS OF JAMES HOUSTON MONTGOMERY, 1809-1907
(Compiled by Beulah H. Anderson and J. Esther Montgomery)

James Houston, oldest son of Samuel and Elizabeth Gillespie Montgomery, first married Martha Frow (pronounced Frew). They were married Oct. 1, 1835; she died 1847. Their children were:

1. Ann Eliza, born 1836, married Samuel Howard. They had a son, Samuel, who lived in Texas. He often visited in Tennessee because his mother, who lived here and loved the state so much, is buried here. There was also a daughter, Maggie Howard.
2. Martha Emaline, born Jan. 27, 1838, died Dec. 25, 1918.
3. Margaret Elvira, born 1845, died 1930.

Martha E., daughter of James Houston and Martha Frow Montgomery, married March 29, 1858, W. Rush Fulkerson, born 1836, died May 12, 1864. Mr. Fulkerson, a Confederate soldier, was a prisoner during the Civil War. Martha, his wife, fled from the family home near Montvale with her two small children, one a baby in arms. A Negro slave went with her; he built a log house for them in the vicinity of Greenback or Morganton. It has been told they were forced to prepare food for General Grant and officers with him as they were passing through; also that she had to watch as her father was cruelly beaten by Union soldiers. Their daughters were:

1. Annie E., born Aug. 27, 1860, died Jan. 16, 1944
2. Eva E., born Oct. 17, 1863, died April 15, 1947.

Ann (Annie), daughter of Martha E. and W. R. Fulkerson,

married Nov. 8, 1876, W. H. Keene, born Sept. 7, 1856, died Dec. 13, 1935. Their children were:

1. Finis, born May 10, 1878, married Feb. 12, 1905, Bessie L. Gaston. Their children were Bernice, born Aug. 5, 1907, married Dwight McDonald; Thelma, born Dec. 29, 1913; and Ruth, who married George Cox.
2. Roey Nevada (Neva), born Nov. 8, 1881, died Aug. 8, 1967, married Sept. 19, 1907, Mike Griffitts, born April 22, 1879, died March 9, 1973. Their children were an infant boy, born and died Feb. 9, 1909, Anna Elizabeth, married Cecil R. Brooks, born Jan. 23, 1905, Bessie Katherine, born Dec. 10, 1914, married July 14, 1940, John Fouche Henry, born Oct. 30, 1914. Two children, Patricia Gayle, born Aug. 1, 1941, married Sept. 8, 1962, Harry Walter Wilkerson, born March 26, 1939, and James Michael, born June 2, 1946.
3. Roy, born March 16, 1884, married June 4, 1913, Josie Burton, born July 27, 1893, died May 12, 1970. Their son, William Burton Keene, born Jan. 24, 1917, married July 8, 1944, Flora Mae Summitt, born March 5, 1918. They have two children, William Larry, born Aug. 22, 1946, and Cathy Deborah, born Nov. 10, 1951.
4. Eva Lee, born April 11, 1893, married Floyd Thurman Layman, who died Aug. 12, 1931. Their children were Evelyn Cleo, born April, 1915, married Harper E. Lyon; Elsie Marie, born Oct. 28, 1917, died Jan. 23, 1928; and Dorothy Geraldine, born May 12, 1921, married Jack H. Woody.
5. Elmer Hugh, born Nov. 18, 1886, died March 7, 1911.
6. Trula Mae, born July 29, 1897, died Jan., 1973. She was a teacher, remained single.
7. Ira Bliss, born Nov. 19, 1889, died Dec. 15, 1939, married Sept. 14, 1916, Mary Ross. Their children are Peter, born Jan. 23, 1945, married Lillian Ross; John married Helen Auge; Mary married Albert Burnett; and Margaret Eva.

Eva, daughter of Martha E. and W. R. Fulkerson, married Dec. 27, 1883, John L. Goddard, well-known businessman and politician of Maryville. He was Postmaster of the Mary-

ville Post Office for eight years and supposedly held other county offices. Their home on Goddard Avenue may have been the residence for which it was named. Eva was known to be a devoted mother and homemaker. They are buried in Magnolia Cemetery with the Bird family. Their children were:

1. Freddie, born Oct. 14, 1884, died Aug. 20, 1970. She graduated from Maryville College, 1904, taught in Blount County schools, married 1910, A. E. McCulloch, founder and owner of McCulloch's Jeweler on Broadway until his death, Feb. 28, 1943. The parents and Elenor are buried in Grandview Cemetery. Children were:
   a.) Lloyd, born 1911, currently with First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Maryville and with Travelers' Restaurant on Highway 411. There was a son, Drew, born to Lloyd and his first wife, Betty Sanford McCulloch. Drew, born 1947, is in school in Houston, Texas. Lloyd married second Merle Wallace. Their home is in Wallace Hills, west of Maryville.
   b.) Albert F., born May 14, 1913, married Enid Chandler, daughter of the florist Chandlers of Maryville. Both were graduates of Maryville College; he became a prominent dentist in Maryville. They attend New Providence Presbyterian Church, live on Broady Lane, have children Robert Stephen, born Nov. 15, 1944, an Air Force career officer, and Linda Gay, born June 9, 1946, a graduate student at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.
   c.) Elenor, born March 11, 1917, died Nov. 3, 1940, "a charming young woman," a home economics teacher in Spartanburg, South Carolina, on her first teaching assignment.
2. Romeo, born Oct. 17, 1887, died Sept. 12, 1939, is buried in Magnolia Cemetery with his parents. He was married to Addie Mae Keny, born Dec. 14, 1889, died Sept. 14, 1965. She survived him by many years, working as a practical nurse while carrying full responsibility for the home and their two children. Addie is

buried in Magnolia Cemetery with her family, the Keny's, who were also Maryville people. Romeo II, son of Addie and Romeo Goddard, married Rosetta Barzell. They lived in Kingsport, Tennessee, and had five children: Frank, who is married, works as a traveling salesman; Romeo III, who is successful in the field of electronics in Houston, Texas; Jerry, married, lives near his mother in Kingsport; Winnifred Mae (Peaches). Romeo II died 1970 and is buried near Kingsport. Louise, daughter of Addie and Romeo Goddard, married Jack Dameron. They have a son, Jack Dameron, Jr. All three worked with the Aluminum Company of America at Alcoa and were transferred to another plant.

3. Alora, born 1891, died April 13, 1972, married Frank Briscoe of Knoxville. They are buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Knoxville. She was survived by a son, Frank, Jr., of Knoxville, daughter, Dorothy (Mrs.) Sadler, of Harriman, Tennessee, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Other children died earlier.
4. David Lloyd, born 1894, died 1903 of rheumatic fever.
5. Kate Goddard, born 1896, died May, 1968, married Roy M. Bird, who was a wholesale grocer. She worked as a saleslady in Women's Ready-to-Wear with Proffitt's Department Store for several years. She was known by her pleasing personality and dignified manner, which were also traits of her mother.

Elvira, daughter of James Houston and Martha Frow Montgomery, married Sept. 28, 1880, Samuel Edward Thompson, born 1843, died 1916. They are buried in Knoxville. They were residents of Trigonia Community, where he owned the largest early store of the area (1889). He was outstanding in Masonic work; their lodge was early housed in the second floor of his store building. Elvira, known affectionately as "Viry," was noted for her industriousness and her dignified manner. Their children were:

1. Barbara Blevins, born 1881, married in 1907, Lon Kizer, son of John. They lived in Blount County, were noted for their strong Christian home. Their children



Barbara Thompson Kizer, oldest living grandchild of James Houston Montgomery, and her grandson, James Kizer Wood.

were: a.) Vivian, Mrs. Ivan Wood, who had James Kizer Wood, single, and Jan Stephanie, who married Aug. 12, 1972, Robert Pickens Redwine, son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Redwine; b.) John S. Kizer, died of a heart attack while working as an electrician in Ohio, survived by his wife, a son and a daughter; c.) Barbara T., married Edward Coker of Knoxville, has a son and a daughter; d.) Jane, married Joe LeBlanc of Columbus, Ohio, no children; e.) Charlotte, single, living with her mother.

2. Julia, born 1884, died 1887.
3. Katherine Russell (Kate), born 1887, married Edwin Templeton.
4. Nelle Thompson, born 1889, married Fred Denton, 1913.

5. First son born 1890, died as a child.
6. Margaret Ann, born 1892, married Homer Hamilton, 1913.
7. Jo Edward, born 1896, married Samuel Horner.

James Houston, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Gillespie Montgomery, married second Sarah B. Lawrence, born Dec. 1, 1820, died Nov. 1, 1904. She was a sister of Joseph and William W. Lawrence of Maryville. Both James and Sarah are buried in Oakland Cemetery. The following three generations are buried in Magnolia Cemetery in Maryville, Tennessee. They had two daughters:

1. Mary E., born March 5, 1849, died Aug. 15, 1934.
2. Jane K., born Dec. 8, 1851, died July 30, 1916. She never married, lived with her sister Mary's family and is buried with them in Magnolia Cemetery.

Mary E., daughter of James Houston and Sarah Montgomery, married W. B. (Bill) Howard. They lived in the Howard home described as the A. J. Kyker home (see Charles Montgomery family). From I. P. Martin's book, "A Minister of the Tennessee Valley," comes this description: "Perhaps the most prosperous home in the circuit (Louisville, 1890) was the Will Howard home on Nine Mile Creek. Will was occupied with the prosperous farm; but his wife loved her church and always loaded the preacher with gifts from her pantry."

Floyd N. Howard, son of Mary E. and W. B. Howard, was born Oct. 17, 1872, died Oct. 18, 1961. He married Casta Henley, born Sept. 17, 1875, died Jan. 1, 1952. They lived in the Howard home with his parents. Their grandmother, Sarah Lawrence Howard, lived there some years before her death; so when the children were born, it became a four-generation household. Around 1910, the Howard family moved to a farm west of Maryville located on Howard Road, where they lived for the rest of their lives. Their children were:

1. Nelle, born March 31, 1897
2. Ada Henley, born 1900
3. Kenneth, born 1903
4. Floyd Norman, born Oct. 17, 1909, died May 9, 1969



THE FLOYD N. HOWARD FAMILY, 1956

5. Evelyn, born Oct. 17, 1909, died Jan. 19, 1972
6. Infant daughter born and died July 17, 1911.

Nelle, daughter of Floyd and Casta Howard, lived in Maryville with her grandparents, the W. B. Howards, while she attended Maryville Polytechnic School. She was second or third of the home demonstration agents in Blount County when one of its primary purposes was to promote home preservation of foods. She married Aug. 25, 1917, Howard Fielding Lamon, the son of Fielding Lamon, an attorney in Maryville. Howard's occupation was farming. Their children were:

1. Howard Fielding Lamon, Jr. (H.F.), born July 29, 1918
2. Ada Margaret Lamon, born Nov. 15, 1920.

H. F. Lamon married May 20, 1941, Ruth Crawford, born March 1, 1918, daughter of Hugh Crawford of Crawford-Caldwell Hardware. Both are graduates of Maryville College and active members of New Providence Presbyterian Church. He is an insurance representative and farmer, living on the Old Niles Ferry Highway. Their children are:

1. Lester Crawford Lamon, born Oct. 12, 1942. Has a B.A. degree in mathematics from Vanderbilt University, working toward Ph.D. from University of North Carolina. He is teaching, 1973, at the University of Indiana. He married June 12, 1965, Elizabeth Luton, born March 18, 1942. They have a son, Ward Harper Lamon, born June 21, 1968, and a daughter, Katherine Crawford Lamon, born Feb. 20, 1972.
2. Howard Lamar Lamon, born Dec. 2, 1945, has a B.A. degree from Tennessee Wesleyan Collage and M.A. from the University of Tennessee, and is teaching in Bristol, Tennessee. He married April 12, 1968, Ann Wallace and they live in Johnson City, Tennessee. He teaches in Milligan College. Their children are Adrienne Susanna, born Jan. 8, 1970, and Andrew Howard, born Sept. 16, 1972.
3. Sharon Ruth Lamon, born March 1, 1950, married June 3, 1972, Samuel Jackson Kyker, born Feb. 2, 1950. She has a B.A. degree from Tennessee Wesleyan College. Both are teaching in Blount County schools, she

at John Sevier School and he at Union School.

Ada Margaret Lamon, born Nov. 15, 1920, is a graduate of the University of Tennessee. She has taught in the Maryville school system several years, is slated principal of Sam Houston School, 1973-74. She married Sept. 8, 1940, Willard Lee Cooper, born May 9, 1918. They live on a farm in Blount County; he is a salesman for Mason Candy Co. of Knoxville and they raise cattle. Their children are:

1. William Larry, born Oct. 4, 1941, died young.
2. Richard Henley Cooper, born April 19, 1943, a graduate of the University of Tennessee, principal of Fairview School in Blount County.
3. Henry Hamilton (Hank) Cooper, born May 22, 1949, married March 30, 1973, Linda Stover. They live in Dyersburg, Tennessee, where he is editor of the "Dyersburg Mirror." They live on Country Farm Road and attend Broadway Methodist Church.

Ada Henley, daughter of Floyd and Casta Henley Howard, graduated from Maryville Polytechnic School in 1915. She was an unusual person for spreading joy among her friends. She married Lon Leith, Oct. 22, 1922. He was an employee of Standard Oil Company, son of Barcley and Lillian Headrick Leith of Newport, Tennessee, of Scotch ancestry. Lon died in 1943, is buried with his family in Newport, Tennessee. Ada remarried in 1948 Mr. Jerry Thomas, a retired building contractor of Elizabethton, Tennessee. He had two sons by a former marriage. Children of Ada and Lon Leith were:

1. Louise, born 1924, married W. B. Marsh in 1945. They have children: Norman, born 1948, had four years of military service, has a four-year-old son and is now in school; William B., born 1951, is studying law at the University of Tennessee; Amanda, born 1953, married a Mr. Franklin in 1972.
2. Julia Nelle, born 1926, married Kent Hartel. They live in Lake Charles, Louisiana, have son Kent, Jr., born 1956, and daughter Leith Hartel, born 1958.

Kenneth, son of Floyd and Casta Howard, married Mary Spivey around 1929. She has been described as a "worthy

lady from Texas." She died in 1970. They had a son, Kenneth II, born 1932, married April 30, 1948, Mary Wheeler. She is a saleslady at Minton's Clothing Store in Maryville. They have two sons, Kenneth III, born April 17, 1949, and Stephen Lewis, born September 9, 1950. The sons work with their father, Kenneth II, in a Knoxville business firm.

Norman, son of Floyd and Casta Howard (twin to Evelyn), was a First Lieutenant 1850-SVC-COM-D Unit, World War II. His death was caused by failure of his pacemaker, the heart control which he had patiently depended upon for six years. He married March 24, 1947, Louise Richardson, daughter of Dr. Richardson of Williamsburg, Kentucky. There were girls, Norma Evelyn and Sarah Louise, born Feb. 10, 1949. Norma attended the University of Tennessee at Knoxville and works as X-ray technician in Baptist Hospital, Knoxville. Sarah Louise married June 10, 1972, Lee Rainey. They live in Chicago. There was also a son, Mike, a senior in Cumberland College of Williamsburg, Kentucky, who lives with his grandparents. Norman's wife, Louise, was working as a newspaper woman when he died in 1969, and is now a technical secretary at U.T. Hospital. She maintains her home in Maryville, commuting to her work with Sarah Louise. They attend Broadway Methodist Church.

Evelyn, daughter of Floyd and Casta Howard (twin to Norman), continued to live in the Howard home until her death. She married Richard E. Goddard, born June 5, 1907, died November, 1966. A Maryville attorney, working with an insurance company, he was killed instantly in an automobile accident. She worked as a secretary, died in 1973 as the result of a fire in her home. Her father, Mr. Floyd Howard, lived with Evelyn for many years after her mother's death.



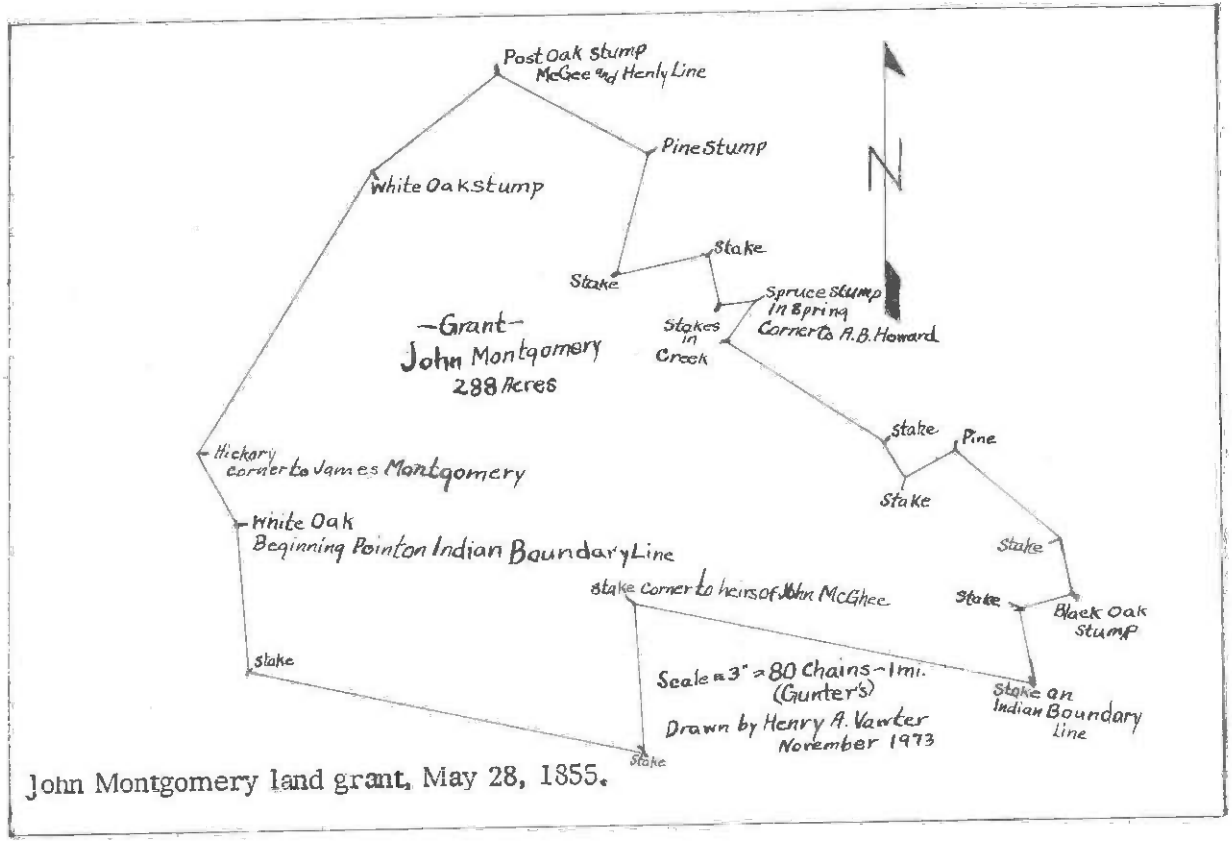
Sarah Ann Bussell Montgomery Cash at the grave of her husband, John Montgomery.

CHAPTER 7
*DESCENDANTS OF JOHN MONTGOMERY AND SARAH ANN BUSSELL
(Compiled by J. Esther Montgomery)

John Montgomery, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Gillespie Montgomery, was born October 2, 1818, probably in Virginia, died June 13, 1860. He married, August 7, 1845, Sarah Ann Bussell, born Feb. 6, 1836, died Nov. 27, 1905. Her mother Elle Carpenter's birth is recorded in Hebron Church records in Madison County, Virginia. After John's death, she was married to a Reverend James I. Cash, who died March 10, 1885, at eighty-four years of age. She then lived with her son, James W., in their original home place. They are buried, with their young son Alexander, in a small cemetery which was formerly a part of their land, on Nine Mile Creek, northeast of Oakland (Trigonia) community.

A Tennessee land grant, dated May 28, 1855, signed by Andrew Johnson, then Governor of Tennessee and later President of the United States, gives title of 288 acres of land to John Montgomery, family and/or heirs. One of the boundaries of the grant was that of the Indian Boundary line. His grandchildren could remember Indians walking through this property with children and supplies many years later. There is a story of a small cemetery without markers, situated near the creek, which was ploughed over rather than left in a disrespectful state of neglect. Many believe this was a burial place used by slaves. The land was subdivided, some sold, and parcels given to each of the six

*Unless otherwise noted, members of this family are assumed to be of Blount County, Tennessee, or nearby areas.



John Montgomery land grant, May 28, 1855.

surviving children. Three heirs, James W., Samuel B. and Elizabeth who married Alex Cook, made their homes and reared their families on each of their adjoining tracts. The home site continued to be owned by Montgomery descendants (later Ed and wife Ida, followed by their daughters Mae, Kate, and Aline, who were joint owners for many years). At this writing, J. Wright Rhyne, Sr. owns a plot which was part of Cook's share, which seems to be the only part remaining as property of direct descendants.

This "home place" where James W. reared his family is the site of the now famous "Montgomery elm," believed to be the largest elm tree in the world. The property is in an area planned as a future public park. Measures are being taken to protect this famous tree. The family hopes that effort will also be made to preserve other features. Both house and barn have suffered neglect in recent years. The somewhat primitive, but interesting, arrangement of the house must have served those first rather large families uniquely. For instance, "Squire Jim's" family of six children also was home of both grandmothers in later years. At least one grandmother had her own living area where one son must always build her fire when it was needed. An old version of the split level house, it had three separate parts on the ground level. Most interesting, too, was the windlass and pulley device which made it possible for part of their water supply to be drawn by bucketfulls from a spring across the creek (Cook's side), a distance of two or three hundred feet.

Children of John and Sarah Montgomery:
Samuel Bradford, July 24, 1846, d. Nov. 12, 1916
Elizabeth E., Dec. 25, 1847, d. Aug. 26, 1938
James Wyatt, March 16, 1850, d. Dec. 8, 1924
Virginia Ann, Feb. 16, 1852, d. July 28, 1920
Mary Cordelia, Feb. 16, 1854, d. Nov. 13, 1935
John Alexander, Jan. 31, 1856, d. July 10, 1861
Charles McGhee, Dec. 20, 1858, d. May 18, 1946.

Considerable interest has been expressed in the Bussell family, known locally by the Bussell Ferry near Lenoir City, Tennessee. This was one of the first families to

settle and develop an estate in that area. W. E. Parham refers to theirs as "one of the old brick homes of Revolutionary soldiers." The site of house and ferry is very near; perhaps the same as the new Tellico Dam.

Mrs. Bussell, the mother of Sarah Ann (John Montgomery's wife), was Elle Carpenter of German ancestry; her birth is recorded in Hebron Church records in Madison County, Virginia. Nelda Brietigam claims to have "the Bussell line traced back, via the wives, to Charlemagne (German ruler around the turn of the eighth century)."

Sarah Ann was a first cousin of Jane Burton (William Gillespie Montgomery's wife), who was "raised" by Sarah's family. There is evidence that Susan Cowan who married Hugh Montgomery is also a cousin. Mrs. Ruth McCollum of Greenback and the former Dr. Beulah Kittrell of Maryville were also great-granddaughters of Elle Carpenter Bussell.

Mrs. Sam Wilson (Willie Bussell), a direct descendant of this family, lives in Loudon, Tennessee. Mrs. Georgie Stephenson, granddaughter of William Gillespie Montgomery, who lives near Maryville, has a handmade "coverlet" made by her great-grandmother Bussell which is in an excellent state of preservation (1973).

James I. Cash, second husband of Sarah Ann Bussell Montgomery, is not in the direct line of ancestry. From the biographical material available, it seems appropriate to include more details on his life. (See Holston Methodism, Vol. V, by R. N. Price.) This James I. Cash was grandfather of James I. Cash, Jr., who in 1910 was a circuit rider in the Holston Methodist Conference. James I., Sr., was born in 1800 on Little Limestone Creek, some three miles south of Jonesboro, Tennessee. It is also known that his grandfather was James I. Cash and that his father was a soldier under General Washington. He seemed to have experienced poverty as a child . . . fought in the Florida War . . . attended school near Jacksboro, Tennessee . . . accumulated a large private library.

"He became a Christian in his early married life, was licensed to preach, but never entered the itenerancy. He

made his own appointments for preaching, and attended them at his own expense. He was unusually active and diligent as a local preacher. He was successful financially, and in his old age was in 'easy circumstances.' He was a man of positive convictions and strong will. In his business and in his religion there was no double dealing."

He married first Miss Anna Key, a well-educated lady of German extraction, second Elizabeth Thomas of Rhea County, and third (April 18, 1878), "Mrs. Sarah Montgomery who lived in Blount County near Fort Loudoun. She belonged to an old and respected family. He spent his last years on his farm near Rhea Springs, Rhea City, Tennessee." The family cemetery, known as "Foust-Cash Cemetery" near Spring City, is the place of burial. (James I. Cash, born Feb. 18, 1801, died March 10, 1885; Anna Cash, wife of James I., born Dec. 25, 1807, died Dec. 15, 1842.)



Counterpane by Elle Carpenter Bussell, owned by Georgie James.

DESCENDANTS OF SAMUEL AND KITTIE THOMPSON MONTGOMERY

Samuel, son of John and Sarah Montgomery, was "christened in Niles Ferry Church Dec. 20, 1873," was later a member of Oakland Methodist Church. He married Sept. 20, 1868, Kiturah Williams (Kittie) Thompson, born Dec. 17, 1851, died July 25, 1927, the daughter of Samuel Bradford and Mary Ann Taylor Thompson. Her brothers, Sam and Green Thompson, were well known in this area. They lived until their family was grown and both died on their farm which was part of John's original land grant, adjacent to his brother James' family who were in the original "old home place." We know that Samuel was a soldier in the Civil War. He fought with the Confederate Army but for unknown reasons he had a discharge from the Union Army, having been taken as a prisoner. He received a small pension. He carried the old mail route by horseback from McGhee to Allegheny. They are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Their children were:

Allie Williams, born July 13, 1869, died Oct. 28, 1952

John Bradford (Bee), born Aug. 8, 1871, died April 10, 1948

Green Blevens (Bleve), born June 13, 1874, died March 29, 1952

Joseph Edward (Ed), born June 30, 1876, died Nov. 3, 1924

Charley Lee, born June 25, 1879, died June 27, 1949

James Franklin (Frank), born Feb. 8, 1882, died Dec. 26, 1958

Mary Annie (Ann), born Aug. 27, 1885, died March 11, 1927

Fred Thompson Montgomery, born March 31, 1890, died May 4, 1967

Robert Love Taylor Montgomery, born Nov. 12, 1892, died Nov. 21, 1947.

Descendants of Allie and Richard (Dick) Delashmitt

Allie, daughter of Samuel and Kitty Montgomery, married Richard Frank (Dick) Delashmitt, who is said to be

from the area of Tellico Plains. He was born Jan. 21, 1867, died Nov. 18, 1950. They made their home on a farm near that of her parents. Except for Charlie who survives, all of this family is buried in Oakland Cemetery.

Samuel W., born Sept. 24, 1894, died Feb., 1895

Ernest Franklin, born Sept. 6, 1896, died Feb. 22, 1952

Cora Lee, born April 20, 1899, died Dec. 19, 1922, single

Charles Edward, born Nov. 2, 1901

Kittie, born Sept. 20, 1905, died June 14, 1906

Ernest, son of Allie and Richard Delashmitt, married May 30, 1935, Louie Charles Goddard, daughter of Hurdle J. Goddard, Sr., and Mary Eva Goddard of Maryville. Louie Charles married second, Fred Horton of Maryville.

Charles (Charlie) married Aug. 12, 1944, Ruby Porter, born April 22, 1907, daughter of Frank and Mandy Jones Porter. Charlie and Ruby lived in the parental home and cared for Dick and Allie as long as they lived. They now operate their own farm in the Rush Strong Community of Blount County. She has taught in Rush Strong School. They have one child, James Richard, born Feb. 2, 1947, married Patricia Jane Drew, born April 23, 1949, daughter of Joe and Martha Crane Drew. He received an M.D. degree from the University of Tennessee in June, 1973, at Memphis, and is beginning his internship at University of Tennessee Hospital in Knoxville.

Descendants of Bee and Mandy Montgomery

John Bradford (Bee), son of Samuel and Kitty Montgomery, married Sept. 15, 1912, Amanda Hutton, the daughter of James Cope and "Bam" Hutton. They owned their farm between Vonore and Sweetwater. After "Mandy's" death, Bee lived with Bessie Mae at Trigonia until he died. Bee and Mandy are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Children:

Bessie Mae, born Aug. 29, 1922, married Dec. 19, 1953, John Cochran of Greenback. They live on their farm adjoining Highway 411, South of Maryville.

Bert Montgomery, their foster son, married ———— Conner, daughter of Floyd Conner of Loudon, Tennessee. He is retired from the U.S. Navy. They live in Lenoir City, have three children.

Family of Bleve Montgomery

Green Blevens (Bleve), son of Samuel and Kitty Montgomery, married Dec. 30, 1907, Emma Steele, born July 2, 1879, daughter of James A.C. Steele (June 3, 1850-Sept. 5, 1935) and Karen E. Pate Steele (Aug. 25, 1855-Jan. 13, 1929). They lived near McGhee in Monroe County. She died April 11, 1925. He married second, Nancy Jane Ritchie, born May 24, 1878, died Dec. 13, 1961. Her parents were Elizabeth Jane Rudd and Samuel S. Ritchie. Bleve was retired from the U.S. Navy and for many years operated his farm near Greenback. Bleve and both wives are buried in Oakland Cemetery, no children of either marriage.

Descendants of Ed and Ida Montgomery

Joseph Edward (Ed), son of Samuel and Kitty Thompson Montgomery, married Sept. 13, 1903, Ida Mae Hutton, born April 8, 1883, died Feb. 1, 1940, the daughter of James Cope and "Bam" Hutton. Ed was a farmer, owning part of the original John Montgomery grant where the famous Montgomery elm still stands. After his death, the family lived there for many years and the daughters owned the family home until the 1960's. When they sold this place it ended a period of more than a hundred years and four family generations who held rights of ownership of this spot which must have truly been the "promised land" to its first owner in 1855. Both Ed and Ida are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Their children are:

Mamie Sue, born Sept. 9, 1904

Katie Williams, born March 22, 1909

Nell Aline, born Jan. 16, 1916

Mae, daughter of Ed and Ida Hutton Montgomery, married June 6, 1931, James Clarence Shirley, son of Samuel Lee and Mary Downey Shirley, also of Blount County. They lived in Hamilton County for years, Mae teaching in East Brainard and Clarence working for Sabin Chemical Company. Later they were divorced and Mae is making her home with Aline in Chattanooga.

Kate, daughter of Ed and Ida Hutton Montgomery, married May 5, 1934, Jess Kagley of Maryville. Kate has taught in different schools in Blount County, having been at Rock-

ford several years before her retirement in 1973. Jess has retired from his work with the Aluminum Company of America. They live in Mimosa Heights, along the "New Knoxville Highway."

Aline (Jill), daughter of Ed and Ida Hutton Montgomery, married Willard Frank Hammond of Chattanooga on July 12, 1936. He is the son of William Lafayette and Minerva Patton Hammond. They live in Chattanooga; Aline works with the Coca-Cola Bottling Company and Willard for the Southern Railroad. Their daughter, Nancy Hutton Hammond, was born Dec. 7, 1954. She has graduated from high school and is a college student.

Descendants of Charley and Elizabeth Montgomery

Charley, son of Samuel and Kitty Thompson Montgomery, migrated to California at an early age. He married Pearl Frederick on July 5, 1903; there were no children. He married May 12, 1912, Elizabeth Cecelia Farley in Maderia County, California. He married in June, 1943, Myrtle Blair Stine, a widow in Starke County, Nevada. Information on this family is given by Nelda M. Brietigam of Lemoore, California. Charley and Elizabeth were parents of:

Nelda Mae, born Dec. 21, 1916

Olive Fern, born April 28, 1919

Velma Lucille, born May 6, 1921

Nelda, daughter of Charley and Elizabeth Montgomery, was born in Laton Township, Fresno, California, married June 5, 1936, at Reno, Washoe, Nevada, to George Stephen Brietigam, born May 1, 1914, in San Francisco, California, died Feb. 1, 1964, at Fresno, California, a son of Haber Stephen Brietigam and Florence Edna (Brownie) Brietigam. He worked as a millwright and she has worked in the business office of Fresno State College. Their children are:

Florence Irene, born Sept. 25, 1938, at Hanford, California, married Sept. 15, 1960, at Fresno to Walter Marcus Johnson, born Dec. 12, 1930, at San Francisco. Their children are William Robert and Ivah Eldora (Day).

George Stephen (Pat), born May 17, 1945, at Handord, California.

Charles Thomas, born Feb. 23, 1946, Lemoore Kings, California.

Fern, daughter of Charley and Elizabeth Montgomery, born in Laton Township, Fresno, California, married Oct. 20, 1940, at Reno, Washoe, Nevada, to Earl John Petersen, born March 20, 1917, at Templeton, San Louis, Obispo, California, son of Hubert and Grace Elizabeth Johnston Petersen. Their children are:

John Earle, born March 30, 1945, Seattle, King County, Washington

Katherine Louise, born July 16, 1952, Hanford, California.

Velma, daughter of Charley and Elizabeth Montgomery, born in Fresno, California, was married Feb. 27, 1943, at Bennetsville, South Carolina, to Joseph Paul Lindsley, born Aug. 8, 1919, in Missouri, son of Joseph Paul and Daisy Mattox Lindsley. He died Jan. 21, 1944, in Sicily, killed in an air crash during World War II, and is buried in the military cemetery at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. There were no children. Velma married, second, Charles Elmo Jeffrey, born Nov. 11, 1918, at Carrizon Springs, Dimmitt, Texas, son of Gus and Mary Emma Lockard Jeffrey, married Sept. 14, 1945. Their home is Crystal City and Midland, Texas. Their children are:

Elizabeth Ann, born April 14, 1947

Mary Emma, born Feb. 10, 1949.

Family of Frank Montgomery

Frank, son of Samuel and Kitty Thompson Montgomery, migrated to California at an early age. He married Jan. 28, 1913, to Alice Hazel Ogle.

Descendants of Ann Montgomery and Will Hutton

Ann, daughter of Samuel and Kitty Thompson Montgomery, married William Thomas Hutton, born Oct. 16, 1882, died Feb. 28, 1963, son of Harvey Alexander Hutton, born Oct. 3, 1846, died Dec. 22, 1923, and wife, Suzie E. Hall Hutton, born Sept. 13, 1858, died Nov. 24, 1884. The Hutton family is traced in detail by the Henry Family History. Will and Ann lived first on the Hutton farm of his father and then bought a farm on U.S. Highway 411 near Greenback. His last years were spent with daughter Nelle Peterson and

her family. Both Ann and Will are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Their children are:

Fred Montgomery Hutton, born Jan. 26, 1907
Nelle Ruth, born June 30, 1910
Erma Charles, born Nov. 5, 1912
Samuel Alexander (Sam), born May 20, 1915

Fred, son of Ann and Will, married Jessie Porter, Dec. 16, 1933. The daughter of Robert Logan Porter and Bertha Kirkland Porter, she was born June 15, 1912. He worked as an automobile mechanic, was a partner in Hutton-Ryan Lumber Company, and currently is with the maintenance department of Eastern State Psychiatric Hospital in Knoxville. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutton, daughter Carol Ann and Mr. R. L. Porter were charter members of Niles Ferry Baptist Church in August, 1947. They live on 411 Highway near Greenback. Their children are:

Carol Ann, born Oct. 7, 1934, married John William Hammontree, July 25, 1959. She graduated from Maryville College. They have children John Philip and Beth Ann.

Don Porter Hutton, born Nov. 20, 1936, married Shirley Fezell, daughter of Wesley Fields. Their children are Ginger, Donna and Wesley.

Robert Lynn, born Feb. 24, 1939, married Oct. 22, 1966, Barbara Jean Medlin; they have a daughter, Denise.

Nelle, daughter of Will and Ann Hutton, married May 17, 1930, Ernest Peterson of Greenback. He is a barber at Greenback, near their home which is on the Meadow Road. They have a daughter, Betty Ruth, born Feb. 17, 1932, who married Clemmer R. Carver, Dec. 17, 1949. He works with the L and N Railroad. They own their home at Greenback near her parents. Their children are Mark Richard, born April 1, 1958, and John Paul, born Sept. 25, 1962.

Erma Charles, daughter of Will and Ann Hutton, married Aug. 15, 1936, Harry L. Griffitts, born April 16, 1909, the son of Fred W. and Lou Ann Mitchell Griffitts of Loudon County. She attended Hiwassee College, taught several years at Greenback before retirement. Harry has retired from the Aluminum Company of America at Alcoa. They have a son, Gene Douglas Griffitts, born Jan. 22, 1952; he

expects to graduate from Tennessee Wesleyan College in 1974.

Sam, son of Will and Ann Hutton, married Ruth Houston, and had one son, Billie Dean, born Nov. 11, 1934; they were later divorced.

Billie Dean Hutton married Edith Garner. They have Tina Louise Garner Hutton, born May 12, 1960, William Dean, born 1961, and Samuel Dale, born 1962.

Samuel married second, Mary Olsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Olsen of Friendsville, Tennessee. Mary has an R.N. degree, and has worked several years at Blount Memorial Hospital. They own their own home near her parents. No children.

Descendants of Fred and Bessie Fipps Montgomery

Fred, son of Samuel and Kittie Thompson Montgomery, married Jan. 6, 1912, Lou Bessie Fipps, daughter of Joseph and Nancy Hutton Fipps at Morganton, Tennessee. (She was granddaughter of James Cope and "Bam" Hutton whose daughters married Bee, Ed, and Bob, brothers of Fred.) They moved to Riverdale, California. Fred died May 4, 1967, and is buried at Oak Grove Cemetery near Laton, California. He had lived in the Riverdale area fifty-nine years, having retired from his farming, a member of the Brethren Church of Laton and a charter member of the Riverdale Grange. Their children are:

Josephine, born Nov. 6, 1912, died July 22, 1973

Roy Samuel (Sam), born Feb. 4, 1917

Ray, born July 17, 1921, married Maureen McGraw, they have children Tommy and Susie.

Sam, son of Fred and Bessie Montgomery, married May 10, 1938, Irene Novosad, born March 4, 1915, daughter of John and Lulu Front Novosad of Fresno, California. Their children are:

Robert Samuel, born Aug. 19, 1940

James Leroy, born Feb. 25, 1942

Ronald Eugene, born Dec. 23, 1944

Johnny Lee, born Feb. 9, 1950, died Feb. 21, 1952

The Family of Bob Montgomery

Bob, son of Samuel and Kittie Thompson Montgomery,

married Daisy Hutton, born July 14, 1888, died April 8, 1940, the youngest child of James Cope and "Bam" Hutton. They lived on and operated the farm which was his father's share of the original John Montgomery grant until after his death. At the time of his death, he was living with his brother Bleve at Greenback. They are buried at Oakland Cemetery. There were no children.

DESCENDANTS OF ELIZABETH AND ALEXANDER COOK

Elizabeth (Lizzie), daughter of John and Sarah Montgomery, married May 8, 1867, Joseph Alexander (Alex) Cook, born July 25, 1840, died May 22, 1889. According to data collected by Nelda Brietigan, he was the son of William and ———— Robbins Cook. Goodspeed (1887) records Alexander Cook of Irish descent, born in North Carolina, 1791, died in Blount County, April 4, 1864, and wife, Levicia Ball Cook, born in Washington County, Tennessee, 1793, died in Blount County in January, 1886. They had eleven children, of whom son James, who lived in Bradley County, is traced in his historical volume. The data is similar but not exactly what was found on cemetery markers in Centenary Cemetery. Mrs. Beulah Anderson, who worked with land grants and knew of James' wife, Lucinda Henry, knows the background well enough to feel sure this is the same family. The family of F. A. Robbins, possibly parents of our Mrs. Joseph Alexander Cook, are also buried in Centenary.

"Lizzie and Alex" lived across Nine Mile Creek from her parental home, later her brother "Jim." There was always a "foot log" across the creek to make visiting easy, as well as a short cut for the Montgomerys toward the Howard School area. The children of these two families enjoyed close and lasting relationships; for instance, "Stoke" and his cousin "Cal," born the same year (1880), lived within visiting distance and saw each other at intervals until both had passed eighty years of age. Later, in her years as a widow, Lizzie lived in a large frame house with

her unmarried children, Rosa and Bascomb, near the site of the old Swanay Mill at Trigonia. They are buried in Oakland Cemetery, as are several of their children. The children were:

1. John Alexander, born Apr. 25, 1868, died May 26, 1940.
2. William Walker, born May 8, 1871, died Feb. 10, 1936.
3. Flora Virginia, born May 28, 1873, died Jan. 2, 1949.
4. Samuel Bascomb, born Nov. 22, 1875, died July 23, 1951.
5. Ida Louise, born Jan. 10, 1878, died Aug. 11, 1961.
6. Ernest Stokely, born Apr. 29, 1880, died Oct. 4, 1960.
7. Margaret Ella, born Dec. 6, 1882, died Nov. 24, 1972.
8. Robert Montgomery, born Feb. 22, 1885, died Dec. 19, 1951.
9. Rosa, born July 19, 1887, died ————————.

John, son of "Lizzie" and "Alex" Cook, married Dec. 25, 1889, Anna McGhee, daughter of Charles and Erra Spradlin McGhee, born July 8, 1872, died July 31, 1943. John was widely known in the tri-county area, Blount, Monroe and Loudon, as a peddler of the chicken and egg type, selling staples and sundries as he made his way to buy the farmers' produce. The trip to Loudon for supplies involved an overnight stay. Members of the then younger generation thought it a great treat to go along and camp out along the way. This family for many years was a strong support of Oakland United Methodist Church, living easily within the sound of its bell. John and Anna and several of their children are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Their children were:

1. Quinton A., born Oct. 22, 1890, died Dec. 23, 1953, married Feb. 26, 1917, Lu Ree Self. His son, Quinton Alexander, Jr., died Sept. 29, 1973, at age fifty-five in Lutz, Florida. He had been manager of the Bijou theatre in Knoxville and a member of the First Presbyterian Church there. Married to the former Charlotte McLean, he was survived by their daughter, Mrs. Elaine Wright of Knoxville, grandchildren Lisa and Greg Wright, buried in Highland Memorial Cemetery, Knoxville.

2. Ruth, born March 10, 1893, died Oct. 13, 1942.
3. Jonnie Belle, born Sept. 3, 1895, died July 24, 1949.
4. Nema Evelyn, born June 10, 1899, died Feb. 25, 1945, married Sam G. Moore of Knoxville, they had a daughter, Jane Anne.
5. Walter Leon, born July 16, 1901, married Lula Mink; they live in Detroit, Michigan.
6. Harris Griffiths, born Aug. 24, 1903, married Annette Haversack. They live in Florida.
7. Annie Elizabeth (Ann), born Jan. 23, 1906. She taught school for many years in Monroe and Loudon Counties, married May 10, 1941, Nichols "Nick" Rowland of Greenback, born Sept. 29, 1901, died Nov. 10, 1972. He was the son of Will and Nora Rowland of Greenback.
8. Ralph Kiser, born March 2, 1908, died Dec. 20, 1971. He married Dec. 24, 1938, Nona McSpadden of Madisonville, who is a teacher. Their daughter, Mary Catherine, born June 18, 1946, married Joseph Graham Clark. Their son, Joseph Graham Clark, Jr., was born Nov. 21, 1972.
9. Beulah Elmina, born Jan. 15, 1912, died April 4, 1961.
10. Helen Louise, born June 21, 1914, married Oct. 9, 1948, Vaden Hunt, who died Aug. 21, 1965. She lives in Detroit, Michigan.

Ruth, first daughter of John and Anna Cook, married Joseph Fabeus (Fab) Dougherty, born Sept. 29, 1880, died Sept. 14, 1951. He was a brother of Mrs. Dick Kidd and Mrs. Frank McCall of Greenback. Ruth and Mr. Dougherty are buried in Oakland Cemetery. The children, in order of their birth, were:

1. Evelyn, who married ———— Crockett
2. James was badly burned in an electrical accident, but is able to live normally; he is a farmer, married and has one child.
3. Frank
4. John
5. Howard
6. Julia Ruth
7. Richard Cook. Being about seven years of age at the

time of his mother's death, Cook made his home with his Aunt Ann Rowland. He is a pharmacist in Knoxville, where he has his home with his wife, Rue.

Jonnie Belle, daughter of John and Anna Cook, married Feb. 18, 1921, Thomas Small Hutton, born April 19, 1876, died Dec. 9, 1949. He was the son of James Cope and Alabama Kerr Hutton. Before his marriage, he had been a sheep rancher in Idaho. They were married on the Land N Train between Vonore and Greenback by the Rev. D. M. Kerr of Greenback, who happened to be on the train. They lived on a farm in the Greenback area. The history of this family was originally published in the "Henry Family History." They are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Their children were:

1. Thomas Small, Jr., born 1923, died the same year.
2. Marguerite, born 1921, married Robert McAmis Sentelle. They have two children, Thomas Lynn, born Aug. 15, 1944, and Margaret Louise, born Feb. 9, 1946, living in Bristol, Virginia.
3. Ann, born 1923, married Floyd Hughes, who in 1962 was with the U.S. Air Force, stationed in Alaska. They have three children, Beatrice Louise, Dale and Dean.
4. Joe Thomas, born July 25, 1926. He is a dentist in Knoxville, married Edith Wilson of Maryville, daughter of Verlin A. and Mae Violet Wilson. They have two children, James Randall (Randy), born July 27, 1954, and Richard Thomas (Ricky), born Sept. 30, 1956.

Walker, son of "Lizzie" and "Alex" Cook, married Eugenie Hensley, born Oct. 7, 1872, died Jan. 16, 1954, the daughter of John Hensley of Coal Creek, Tennessee. They are buried in Oakland Cemetery. They had a daughter, Achsalee, born June 9, 1902, married Sept. 18, 1919, to Clarence Carroll. Her grave marker in Oakland Cemetery shows simply Achsalee C. Kirby.

Flora, daughter of "Lizzie" and "Alex" Cook, married James Sevier (Jim) Swanay, born 1857, died 1939. James Swanay with his brother, Berney, operated a store and Trigonia Mill. Later he owned and operated a large store in Greenback in partnership with his son, Fred. Flora owned

her home in Greenback and lived there until her death. They are buried in Oakland Cemetery, along with two children who died young and his first wife, Mollie (1862-1891). Their children were:

1. Fred B., born Dec. 6, 1895, died June 1, 1959.
2. Mayme Ruth, born March 20, 1899.
3. Bessie Lee, 1902-1904.
4. Nellie, 1906-1915.
5. Mary Ella, born Nov. 16, 1910.
6. Robert, born Jan. 28, 1915, died April 16, 1963.

Fred, son of Flora and James S. Swanay, was first in partnership with his father, then had full managership of the Swanay Store in Greenback. He married Oveda Hawkins Taylor, daughter of Henry and Myrtle Swiney of Hawkins County. Their daughter, SuAnn, married Jack McKevy. They live in New Jersey, have children Sharon and Randy.

Mayme, daughter of Flora and James S. Swanay, married Luke P. Wear, born July 11, 1887, died Jan. 7, 1927. The Wear family is recorded in detail in "Descendants of East Tennessee Pioneers" by Edwards and Roberts. The listed parents of Luke are Robert Thomas and Sarah E. Thompson Wear. Their home was "Riverbend Farm" near Morganton, property taken over by TVA, part of which is to be inundated by the backwaters of Tellico Dam. They had one child: Sara Virginia Wear, born April 21, 1926, married June 23, 1937, William Albert Piper, son of Ralph and Martha Law Piper, who died March 17, 1948. She married Nov. 10, 1952, Cam Hall, son of Fred Hall of Loudon. Their children are William Piper Hall, born Oct. 20, 1950, and Thomas Wear Hall, born June 20, 1956.

Mary Ella, daughter of Flora and James S. Swanay, has not married. She works with Dr. Hazel Marie Nichols of Knoxville.

Robert, son of Flora and James S. Swanay, married Joyce Millsaps of Monroe County. He served in the Tennessee Medical Department during World War II, was working with Greenback Co-op at the time of his death. He is buried in Oakland Cemetery. Joyce married later William R. Perkins of Maryville. Robert and Joyce had three daughters:

Mary Jane, born Aug. 24, 1952.
Becky and Ann, twins, born Dec. 20, 1954.

Ida, daughter of "Lizzie" and "Alex" Cook, married Nov. 19, 1902, in Knox County, Tennessee, James A. Gibbs, born Feb. 4, 1873, died May 19, 1945, from Corryton, Tennessee. They are buried in Lynnhurst Cemetery, Knoxville. They had two children:

1. Burris Montgomery, born Oct. 30, 1903, married Jessie Mae Palmer, died April 9, 1957.
2. Mildred Greenway, born Jan. 1, 1909, married Aug. 31, 1937, Roy B. Taylor.

Stokely (Stoke), son of "Lizzie" and "Alex" Cook, married Nancy Ellen (Ellie) Thompson, born Jan. 15, 1879, died May 2, 1961. The years of their married life were spent on the old family property where Stoke was born and where Marguerite lived with her family until 1972. With their daughter, they are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Children were:

1. Frances Evalee, born Sept. 4, 1917, died June 9, 1922.
2. Robert, married Louise Callahan; he was a career man in the U.S. Army. They had four (?) children, lived in Tullahoma after his retirement. She died around 1966 and he married a second time.
3. Marguerite, married first ———— Welshan; they had children Lynn and Nancy Lu, were later divorced. Marguerite married second, Hoyt Harris; they had no children, were later divorced. Nancy Welshan married first Carl Jones, they had Eddie and Mary Ellen, were divorced; she married second———— Ferguson.

Ella, daughter of "Lizzie" and "Alex" Cook, married Dec. 19, 1901, Arthur L. Burke of Monroe County, Tennessee, born Jan. 10, 1877, died March 22, 1959. He was the son of Hilton H. and Margaret Law Burke. They made their home in Sweetwater, Tennessee, and are buried in Monroe County. Their children are:

1. Zelma Lee, born Oct. 1, 1902. She graduated from East Tennessee State University and taught home economics at Greenback High School. She married about 1940, Ben Anderson of Morganton community, Loudon

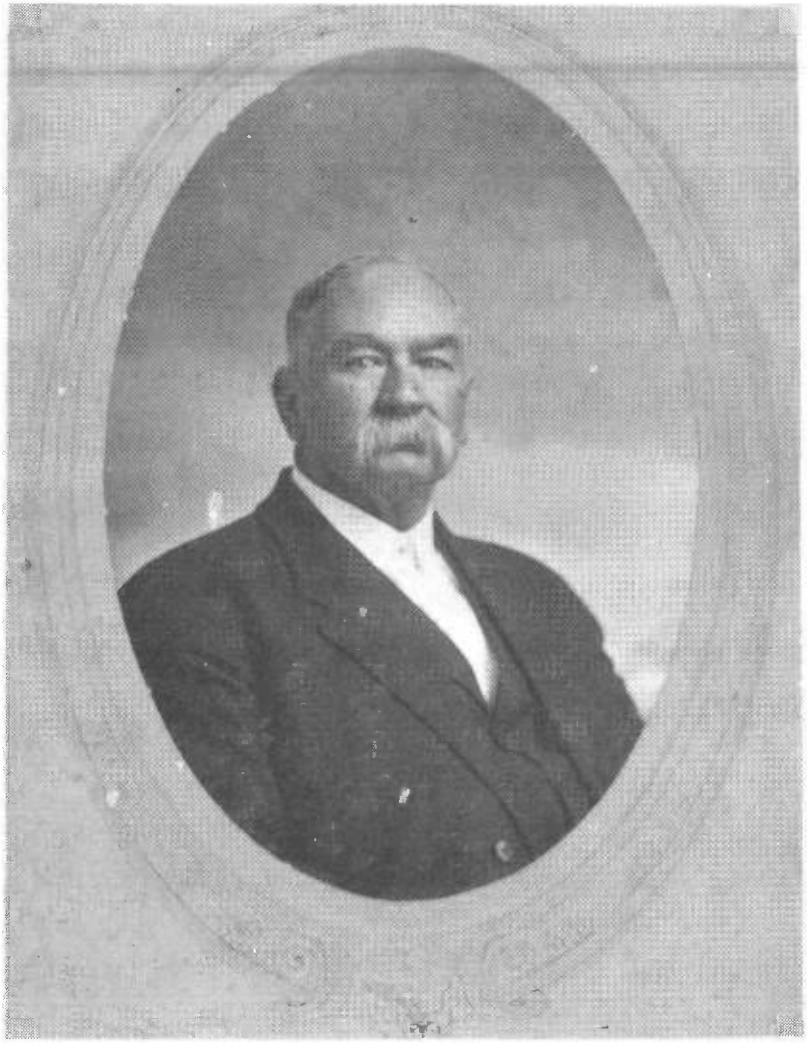
County, and later moved to Scottsboro, Alabama. They have a son, John Burke Anderson, born around 1932. He has two children. Both families now live in Scottsboro.

2. Elizabeth, born July 26, 1906, married in March, 1929, Charles Milton, now of Coral Gables, Florida.
3. Mable, born Aug. 27, 1908, married Oct. 8, 1945, Ed Marshall, now of Statesville, North Carolina.
4. Louise, born Nov. 11, 1912, married Dec. 15, 1940, Ed Maxey, born Dec. 8, 1905, died Oct. 24, 1961. Louise now lives in Sweetwater. They had two daughters: Mary Ann, born July 7, 1946, married Charles Richard Wood of Sweetwater, a son, Charles Richard Wood, Jr., was born April 16, 1969; Betty Burke Maxey, born Feb. 15, 1942, married in November, 1964, George Thomas Prescott, they have Thomas Edward, born Aug. 14, 1967, William Scott, born Aug. 26, 1969, and a third son.

Robert (Bob), son of "Lizzie" and "Alex" Cook, married Oct. 3, 1910, Jessie Kidd, born Sept. 18, 1889, daughter of Robert Kidd of Greenback. He was for many years the owner and operator of Greenback Drug Store and lived nearby. Mrs. Cook lives with her sister in Knoxville. They had two sons:

1. Fred Newman, born Feb. 13, ———, married July 3, 1939, Violetta Byerley. He has continued with his father's drug store; they also live in Greenback. Their daughter, Joyce (Mrs. James Kinser), is a graduate of Tennessee Wesleyan College, currently working as a laboratory technician at Blount Memorial Hospital at Maryville, has children Christopher and Karla.
2. Floyd Montgomery, born April 23, 1917, married ——— Spike; they live in Knoxville.

Rosa, daughter of "Lizzie" and "Alex" Cook, married A. Tilton Warwick, born Jan. 20, 1872, died April 15, 1957, the son of William and Phoebe Gibbe Warwick. He is buried in Greystone Cemetery in Knox County. There were no children.



James Wyatt Montgomery, son of John and Sarah Ann Bussell Montgomery, age sixty years.

JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

DESCENDANTS OF JAMES W. AND MARY ARMSTRONG MONTGOMERY

James Wyatt, son of John and Sarah Montgomery, married March 4, 1873, Mary Ann Elizabeth Armstrong. Her parents, Robert Greer Armstrong, born Jan. 21, 1816, died Dec. 30, 1884, and Martha Armstrong, born Jan. 8, 1813, died Aug. 14, 1901, are buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. They were married in Blount County, March 21, 1824, by James P. Tulloch. Her brother, John M. Armstrong, who served as sheriff of Blount County, 1888-1894, married Mary Elizabeth Lane and had children Robert and Beulah (Mrs. Leve Seaton). Martha Greer Armstrong seems to have been the daughter of Arthur Greer, Sr. (dates uncertain).

Mary Armstrong Montgomery, born Jan. 20, 1855, died Nov. 25, 1909, was surely a devoted mother and an industrious worker. Many were the stories told by her children of how her hands were never idle, with mention of her knitting socks, of having made "enough gravy to swim a horse to Trigonia," of her good apple pies and other food ready for the boys when their work kept them out until late. We have quilts which she helped to make, though signed by "Lou 1896." In spite of having both mother and mother-in-law as well as six children, there was still a hearty welcome for visitors, itinerant preachers and relatives whose names are not all known. They often came and stayed until they felt the urge to move on. Calvin, the oldest son, told how he and Johnnie spent their wedding night there. His bride admired the kerosene lamp which they were later given. It gave light for much of the earlier reading this writer did when she hoped to read all the books.

After Mary's death, "Squire Jim" felt keenly his loss and his need for someone to share his life and responsibilities. On Jan. 4, 1912, he married Sophia Hammontree Belt, widow of the late Bob Belt. She is buried in Pinegrove Cemetery (she died in the 1930's).

Biographically, many stories could be told about this

Blount County "Squire Jim" who served in that capacity for years. The older boys loved to tell of attending court with him when a full day's travel was required going to or from Maryville. He married many couples, some under the famous elm tree, some in a buggy after they had driven across a county line where the marriage license was legal. The family Bible records that he professed faith in Christ at Howard Church, formerly a station on Louisville Methodist Circuit, Oct. 2, 1866. He was long a supporter of Oakland Methodist Church, serving there as Sunday School Superintendent for forty years. A living monument to his industriousness is the large maple in the church yard there which he planted around 1900. He supported and participated in meetings of the Annual National Camp Ground Meeting in Loudon County, near Greenback. This organization was formed "to unite the different denominations in Christian Fellowship and to allay the feuds" which were based on the national difficulties (the Civil War). The farm was sold to "Ed" Montgomery soon after his marriage to Mrs. Belt and for some years they lived at Jena where "Grandpa" became a well-known community figure, meeting the local passenger train for his paper and sunning on his front porch. He died in Alcoa where daughter Lou Rorex and Henry were taking care of him in their home. With first wife Mary, he is buried in Oakland Cemetery.

Children of James and Mary Montgomery were:
Laura C., born June 16, 1874, died April 15, 1954
Robert G., born Jan. 28, 1876, died July 17, 1877 (Oakland Cemetery)
Louannah (Lou), born Feb. 17, 1878, died Dec. 22, 1963
James Calvin, born Jan. 28, 1880, died May 11, 1965
John Greer, born May 3, 1882, died Feb. 25, 1963
Silas Omer, born Aug. 22, 1890, died May 30, 1945
Benjamin Lanty, born Aug. 26, 1893, died Feb. 9, 1966

Descendants of Laura Montgomery and Jake Rhyne

Laura C., daughter of James and Mary Montgomery, married Dec. 2, 1896, Labon Jacob (Jake) Rhyne, born Dec. 3, 1874, died Nov. 14, 1948. His parents were Labon Jacob,

Sr., born June 1, 1829, died June 11, 1895, and Evaline H. Johnson, born April 10, 1835, died April 19, 1903. The pioneer, originally from the Palitinate section of Germany on the Rhyne, is traced by Margaret Whitehead Rhyne in her "Rhyne Family History." They were married at the home of Laura's parents; they lived and reared their family in the house where his father lived, the land having been part of the original Rhyne estate of 600 acres. Jake, like his father, was badly crippled with rheumatism. Laura worked hard and patiently in the care of her large family and invalid husband, but when she knew it was time to be firm and "put her foot down," she was equal to doing just that. After Jake's death, Laura lived most of the time in the family home, which later belonged to their son Beryl. She died in Fay's home. They are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Their children were:

Knox Montgomery, born July 29, 1898
Vola Ruth, born June 21, 1900, died Dec. 22, 1932
Elizabeth Faye, born July 3, 1902
Infant son, born and died Aug. 25, 1904. Buried in Williamson Cemetery
Rowena, born July 11, 1905
J. Wright, born Nov. 10, 1907
Claude Kimball, born Jan. 30, 1910, died Oct. 5, 1970
Raymond Love, born April 8, 1912
Beryl Allen, born July 10, 1914, died Aug. 25, 1959
Agnes (Lou) Anne, born Nov. 20, 1918

Knox M., son of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married April 29, 1921, Ilia Mae McInturff, born March 31, 1901, the daughter of Lynch and Olive Ray McInturff who lived in the Lanier community. They first lived in a new house on his father's farm, moved around in the southern part of Blount County and settled on Montvale Road, beyond Forest Hill School. Knox worked in his later years as a radio repairman. Their children are:

George Estes, born Feb. 13, 1925
Gerald Asher, born Dec. 22, 1927
S. L., born Oct. 14, 1929
Lois Ruth, born April 15, 1932

Knox Alan, born Dec. 10, 1934
Bruce, born Sept. 1, 1952

George Estes, with wife, Senie, lives in Alcoa. He served in the U.S. Navy and retired after twenty years of service. Senie is an R. N., works at Blount Memorial Hospital.

Gerald married March 19, 1951, Willa Dean Potter. He served in the Navy during World War II and in the Army during the Korean War. He is presently employed by the Aluminum Company of America, living on Everett Hill. Their children are:

William Gerald (Billy), born Nov. 25, 1953, married Coleta Gregory, June 10, 1972, is now in military service, stationed in Charleston, South Carolina.

John Montgomery (Johnny), born Dec. 3, 1954, is preparing for a career in business.

S. L. (Sam) served with the U.S. Navy twenty-one years before his retirement. While in service he spent most of one winter, 1965, on an exploratory trip to Little America, Antarctic (the South Pole). He now has a good position in Charleston, South Carolina. S. L. married Darlene Grasmick, their children were:

Agnes Ann, born Dec. 31, 1955
Ricky Ray, born Aug. 9, 1959.

They were divorced. He married, second, Rosalie Haffler. They have a son, Scottie, born Feb. 9, 1968.

Lois Ruth married June 23, 1955, Joe Donald Reese from Jakin, Georgia. Ruth has an R.N. degree from Earlanger Hospital in Chattanooga. She works at Blount Memorial Hospital and Joe is with Ross Furniture Company, Maryville. They have a lovely brick home adjacent to her parents. Their son, Joe Donald, was born July 4, 1970.

Knox Alan served a period of time in the U.S. Air Force. He married Mary Lou Lail. He has worked as manager of the Maryville College Bookstore and with Maryville Wholesale Grocery Company. Their children are:

Lisa Lynne, born March 5, 1962
Mark Alan, born May 22, 1970.

Ruth, daughter of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married Sept. 11, 1922, George Marvin Nichols. He was a businessman,

always worked in Knoxville. Their children were:

Robert Howard, born Oct. 20, 1923

Roger Marvin, born Sept. 28, 1925

David Rule, born Dec. 19, 1932.

Howard received a B.S. degree in Business Administration from the University of Tennessee, 1950. He married Bobbie Dick Cross. They live in Chattanooga and have four sons: George R., John D., Jeffrey H., and James M.

Roger has a B.A. degree from Tusculum College, M.A. from George Peabody and Ph.D. from Florida State University. He married Paula Joann Harris. Their children are Joseph, Marc, and Janet A. A fourth, Andrew Montgomery Nichols, died of accidental drowning in Lutz, Florida, Oct. 2, 1970.

David earned a B.S. degree in Business Administration from the University of Tennessee. He married Marie Ledbetter. There are no children.

Faye, daughter of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married Oct. 23, 1932, O. W. Connatser of Greenback, formerly from Sevier County. They farmed at different locations in Loudon and Blount Counties. At the time of his death, they owned a small farm which was once part of the Charles Montgomery place on Nine Mile Creek. Their children were:

Una Faye, born Dec. 27, 1933

Paul Austin, born Jan. 27, 1936

Laura Ann, born Feb. 26, 1938

Rubye Lee, born May 23, 1940

Owen Wilson, born April 3, 1943

Lemuel Vernon, born Sept. 20, 1946.

Faye was mother to Mr. Connatser's children who were left motherless by the death of his first wife. They were Alton, Ernest, Ola Mae, Roy and Fred.

Wayne Rhyne, Faye's oldest son, married Betty Russell, May 16, 1954, they now live in Dover, Delaware. They have daughters Mary Denise, age seventeen, and Melissa Dawn, age seven (1973).

Una Faye became an R.N., has worked in various hospitals in Orlando, Florida, and Knoxville. She is currently with U.T. Hospital in Knoxville.

Paul married Nellie Mae Dodd of Greenback, Route 2. They have children Debbie, Gayle, Glenn and Christopher Allen. (Christopher Allen born Jan. 17, 1964.) Paul is a career man with the U.S. Navy.

Ann married Robert Wishart of Knoxville. They had a daughter, Pamela Ann (Pam), and a son, Robert Lowell, born July 9, 1964, and were later divorced. Ann lives in Orlando, Florida.

Rubye married Johnny Allen. Johnny has a college degree; he works in the field of public relations. Rubye had a position as a member of the office of Ted Kennedy in Washington, D.C. Their home is in Falls Church, Virginia. Their children are Janet Faye and John Bryan.

Owen married June 24, 1966, Katherine Mole, daughter of J.B. and Evelyn Mole of Orlando, Florida. Their children are Jeffrey Lynn, born Jan. 23, 1967, and Scott Lee, born July 30, 1971.

Lemuel married June 27, 1967, Sandra Sue Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hicks of Belton, Missouri. They live in Orlando, Florida, are parents of Matthew Wayne, born April 17, 1970.

Rowena, daughter of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married in 1933 Marvin Nichols, who had been widowed by the death of her sister, formerly Ruth Rhyne. Rowena was a mother to the sons. One can look at the academic success of these men and know the high value which must have been placed on education in their home. At the time of Marvin's retirement, they lived in the suburban area of Knoxville, off Chapman Highway. George Marvin Nichols died June 5, 1973, at seventy-three years of age.

J. Wright, son of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married March 7, 1935, Beulah Vera Simpson of Loudon, her family being originally from Kingsport. J. Wright owned and operated the farm which once belonged to his Uncle Cal Montgomery, known years earlier as the Calvin Tedford place. He also worked with the Aluminum Company of America until his retirement in December, 1972. J. Wright is a Baptist minister, called to full-time Christian service in Dotson Memorial Church of the Chilhowee Baptist Association. He and

Beulah were charter members at the organization July 6, 1953, of Carson Island Baptist Church in Monroe County, off Highway 72. He was pastor there, 1953-55, and at present serves Ball Play Baptist Church in Monroe County as pastor. Beulah was a teacher before her retirmenet, her last teaching position being Lanier. After that, she was able to devote full time to homemaking and supporting her husband in his work. She was a Bible student herself; she taught the women's class at Ball Play as long as she was able. She died August 28, 1973, is buried in Liberty Cemetery by their infant daughter. Their children:

Jay Wright, Jr., born March 30, 1936

Helen Virginia, born Aug. 20, 1937

Mildred Louise, born and died Dec. 26, 1939.

Jay Wright, Jr., married December, 1961, Betty Jean Bohannon. Both were teachers. She is now a full-time mother and homemaker; he helps his father operate the family farm and works for the Aluminum Company of America at Alcoa. They live in an area locally referred to as "New Greenback." Their children are J. Wright, III, born Aug. 20, 1964, Joe Scott, born Nov. 11, 1966, and Jerry Lynn, born April 25, 1969.

Helen married Nov. 10, 1956, Allan Grubb, whose parents are the Rev. and Mrs. Grubb. Helen and Allan live in Villa Rica, Georgia. Their children are Joel Allan, born Dec. 5, 1957, Mark, born Jan. 4, 1965, and Jacob Wright, born Nov. 29, 1973.

Claude, son of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married Feb. 8, 1928, Alice Mae Vaden, daughter of Raleigh and Maggie Best Vaden. Mrs. Vaden's parents were Michael and Fannie Costner Best; her grandfather was Christopher Best, an early pioneer, who is buried in Carpenter's Campground Cemetery. Alice, born June 12, 1911, died Dec. 11, 1944, is buried at Liberty Cemetery near their infant daughter. They lived in Blount County. Claude was working with the Aluminum Company at Alcoa at the time of her death. Their children were:

Claudine, born Nov. 29, 1928, died Dec. 11, 1928

Louis Edward, born April 21, 1930

Evelyn Delores, born June 4, 1935
Dorothy Jean, born April 10, 1938.

Claude married, second, Zelma Coada from the Happy Valley area of Blount County. Later they moved to Indiana; Claude worked for a steel company and his second family was reared there. He was a charter member of Cedar Lake Southern Baptist Church of Cedar Lake, Indiana. He was active as a deacon and held leadership position in First Southern Baptist Church of Hammond, Indiana, where he was a member at the time of his death. He is buried in Hammond. Children of Claude and Zelma are:

5. Claude Kimball II, born Feb. 11, 1947
6. Ronald Brant, born Aug. 3, 1950
7. Donald Brent, born Aug. 3, 1950
8. Alverta Faye, born Sept. 26, 1951
9. Richard Wyndham, born July 7, 1953
10. Eric Marion, born July 6, 1955
11. Becky

Louis E., son of Claude and Alice Rhyne, married Nov. 10, 1949, Imogene (Jean) Morgan, born Jan. 8, 1927, in Marion, North Carolina. Her parents are Hampton M., born March 12, 1895, and Ethel Harness Morgan, born April 8, 1897, presently of White Pine, Tennessee. Louis attended Friendsville and Everett High Schools in Blount County and completed his high school requirements at Knoxville Evening High School. In 1954, he received a Bachelor of Commercial Science degree in accounting from Southeastern University, Washington, D.C. Jean graduated from Knoxville General Hospital School of Nursing in 1949 and was a supervisor in the operating room there until May, 1951. From 1951 until 1956, she was on the operating room staff at George Washington University Hospital in Washington, D.C.

He began working with the FBI as a clerk in 1951, was appointed a special agent in 1958, with other positions as he rose in rank, Louis was designated Assistant Special Agent in charge of the Phoenix, Arizona, office.

Their son, Edward (Louis E. Rhyne, Jr.), was born Sept. 23, 1955, in Washington, D.C. He graduated from

Scottsdale, Arizona, High School; he is presently enrolled at Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, in the School of Business Administration. He is an accomplished organist, enjoying classical music rather than the presently popular "rock" type.

Louis and son have both been active in Boy Scouts; Edward has received the Eagle Badge. The family hobby is restoration of antique cars, particularly hearses. All three are members of the Central United Methodist Church in Phoenix, Arizona.

Delores married March 5, 1955, Michael V. Compateso, Jr. They have four children: Michael V., III, born Oct. 28, 1955; Alice Kay, born Oct. 2, 1956; Tina Marie, born Aug. 24, 1962; and Joseph Kelly, born May 21, 1965.

Dorothy Jean married April 10, 1954, James Fred Millsaps. They live in Monroe County, Tennessee. Their children are: Randy James, born March 7, 1955; William Kimball, born Aug. 17, 1957; and Kenneth Shawn, born May 15, 1969.

Raymond, son of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married Velva Phillips. They live on the Louisville Road near Maryville, Tennessee. There are no children.

Beryl, son of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married Aug. 6, 1934, Erma McClanahan. They lived in the old Rhyne home when they were first married. Their children were likely the fourth, but last, generation of Rhyne families to own and farm the land. Once an active member of Liberty Baptist Church, Beryl gave land for an addition to the cemetery there. Beryl was killed as a tractor overturned on him as he was working "new ground" on his farm near the present Greenback Industries. He is buried in Liberty Cemetery. Erma has worked for many years with the Aluminum Company of America at Alcoa. Their children are:

1. Martha Joyce, born May 27, 1935, who married Glen Blair. They have two children.
2. Beryl Douglas, born Sept. 29, 1941, married Aug. 3, 1964, Sheila Porter, whose parents were the Reed Porters. Her daughter, Sybil Franklin, was born May 24, 1961, of a previous marriage. Douglas has a truck-

ing concern of Greenback, Tennessee. He and Sheila have a daughter, Leigh Ann, born Nov. 22, 1967.

3. Grandson, Don Allen Rhyne, born July 28, 1952, died April 3, 1954, is buried in Liberty Cemetery.

Agnes, daughter of Laura and Jake Rhyne, married Dec. 21, 1938, Fred B. Watson of Newark, Ohio. Their children are:

1. Brenda Lynn, born Oct. 20, 1939
2. Lawrence, born Oct. 27, 1941, married Judith Loar, they have Lonnie Richard and Shelley Rene Rhyne.
3. Jerry Lee, born April 14, 1943.

Descendants of Lou Montgomery and Henry Rorex

Louanah (Lou Ann), daughter of James and Mary Montgomery, married July 4, 1889, Henry R. Rorex, born Jan. 23, 1875, died Dec. 29, 1923, son of Martin and Isabell Johnson Rorex of the Brick Mill-Greenback family. The Rorex family is traced in the Henry family book. Their first years were spent in the Brick Mill community. They moved about where work could be found, having lived in Columbia, South Carolina, and in Copperhill, Tennessee. They were living in Alcoa at the time of his death. It is not sure they were charter members, but some of the family were active in Alcoa United Methodist Church when congregations first met in an old house near the present site of the Alcoa pool. Lou spent her later years with Kathleen and her family in Knoxville. Her philosophy of life, once expressed to sister Laura, was, "I made up my mind to be content whatever circumstances I happened to be in." They are buried in Magnolia Cemetery, Maryville. Their children were:

Infant son, born and died Oct. 30, 1900

Twin sons, born July 30, 1903: Ralph, died Sept. 25, 1903; James E., died Dec. 18, 1908

Virginia Kathleen, born March 10, 1909

Benton Allen (Ben), born Aug. 25, 1914

Charles Henry, born July 12, 1918

Kathleen (Kitty), daughter of Lou and Henry Rorex, married June 5, 1926, James Leslie Roehl, born May 26, 1900. His parents were Frank Adolph Roehl of German ancestry and Mary Charlotte (Mollie) Turner Roehl, Scotch-Irish. Their children are:

James William, born Feb. 21, 1927
Betty Lynn, born Dec. 3, 1931
Molly Anna, born Dec. 13, 1933

William, son of Kathleen and Leslie Roehl, married March 16, 1953, Mildred Carson, born July 19, 1930, daughter of Alexander and Ruth Paul Carson of Lafollette, Tennessee. Her grandparents were Elijah C. and Mary Emily Longmire Paul, and James and Jane Kitts Carson. William served in the U.S. Navy, 1945-47, including a period in Guam. He is employed by the State of Tennessee, Conservation Department. They live in Lafollette, Tennessee. Their children are:

Jamie Lynn, born Nov. 27, 1953
William Carson, born May 3, 1957
Emily, born 1962

Betty, daughter of Kathleen and Leslie Roehl, married Aug. 20, 1955, Rodney Kaufman Reinert of Pennsylvania Dutch ancestry. She is a nurse. No children.

Molly, daughter of Kathleen and Leslie Roehl, married first, Cecil Houser, son of Cecil and Pauline Houser of Knoxville. They had a daughter, Leslie Katherine Houser, born Feb. 12, 1959, later were divorced. Molly married second, Donald Allen Bassett of English ancestry. Their children are:

Kitty, born 1959
Debra, born 1964
Sherri, born 1966

Ben, son of Lou and Henry Rorex, served in the U.S. Navy from an early age until his retirement. He married

in May, 1945, Dorothy White of English descent, in Seattle, Washington. They live in Seattle, and their children are:

Betty Lou, born Feb. 17, 1948, Seattle
Richard, born June 30, 1950, Seattle
Robert Allen, born May 19, 1952, Honolulu, Hawaii

Charles, son of Lou and Henry Rorex, married January, 1949, Arletta Horton, daughter of the J. E. Hortons of Clinton, Tennessee. They live in Maysville, Kentucky. No children.



Cal Montgomery with mules and farming equipment, 1930.

Descendants of Calvin and Johnnie McInturff Montgomery

Calvin, son of James and Mary Montgomery, and Johnnie McInturff were married Dec. 27, 1906, at the home of her parents, then living on the "Hardscrabble Road" near Brick Mill. Johnnie Beulah was born Sept. 28, 1887, died Aug. 4, 1936. Her father, James Israel McInturff, was born Nov. 9, 1857, died Jan. 16, 1921; her mother, Winnie Collins McInturff, was born Nov. 24, 1860, died Nov. 21, 1933. Both are buried in Pullman, Washington. The McInturff family, except Johnnie and her sister, Della McInturff Steele, moved to Johnson, Washington, in the early 1900's, where they settled permanently. Earlier Johnnie made a trip to Washington with them as a small child. It is not known why they returned to East Tennessee to remain only a few years.

Cal, in his youth, made a trip to California with the idea of settling with or near cousins Charley and Frank, who had migrated there. However, his love of home and family plus his dislike for a different way of life caused him soon to return to his home base, and the way of living he loved. His return, by train to McGhee, was on Sunday. A cousin who was attending church and/or Sunday School at Oakland became so excited on hearing of this return he ran all the two miles home, leaving his horse at the church. One can well imagine the delight all had in the unexpected homecoming.

Cal and Johnnie were first tenants and later farm owners in Blount and Loudon Counties. Even as a tenant farmer, he furnished horses for the work. When "the twins" were born, they were tenants in the "Bend" of the Little Tennessee River, near Morganton, land which will be inundated by the proposed Tellico Dam. Repeatedly, he told, "We had to move so she could go to school." He worked hard at farming by the old mule and plow method, occasionally earning cash by hiring himself, with team, to do hauling and other heavy work. He loved horses of any kind, and for a period of time around 1910, he worked in partnership with his cousin Tom Montgomery, operating a livery stable

at Greenback. For several years he owned the "Tedford farm" bordering Nine Mile Creek, within a mile of his birthplace.

After Johnnie's death in 1936 and his retirement from farming, Cal enjoyed family and home and a closer relationship with his church, Oakland. At least eleven places were home during his life as a family man, all within the "lower part" of Blount County and "this side of the river" in Loudon County. At his death, he was living near the junction of Greenback Road and Highway 411. They and the children who died young are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Their children were:

Nellie Lou, born Sept. 25, 1908, died Nov. 18, 1911
Calvin Chester, born March 15, 1913, died March 28, 1913
Johnnie Esther, born March 15, 1913
Mildred Faye, born June 11, 1921
Carralee McInturff, born Sept. 25, 1925

Esther, daughter of Cal and Johnnie Montgomery, maintained a family home until after her father's death. She holds a B.S. degree from Maryville College and an M.S. from the University of Tennessee, both in Home Economics. She taught as an elementary teacher, Howard School of Maryville, Route 1, home economics teacher at Townsend High School, worked at clerical work in P.T. Lab for the Aluminum Company at Alcoa, taught home economics at Brevard Junior College in North Carolina, and since 1951 has been Assistant Professor of Home Economics at Tennessee Technological University, Cookeville, Tennessee. She has served as Sunday School teacher and in other responsibilities of leadership with the Methodist church (Cookeville and Oakland), and as a member of the American Association of University Women and in home economics related organizations.

Mildred, daughter of Cal and Johnnie Montgomery, married Feb. 22, 1942, Oscar W. Janeway, born Jan. 13, 1915. They were married at Columbia, South Carolina, where he was stationed with the U.S. Army. His parents, Luna Dave

and Rutha Hurst Janeway, with their family had moved to Blount County in 1935 from Grainger County, where their farm home was sold to TVA before the building of Norris Dam. Oscar served with the U.S. Infantry during World War II, was one of the first group of Selective Service draftees from Blount County, a member of the company which first entered Paris, France, at the time of its liberation from the German occupation. When Mike, their first-born, arrived, the letter telling of his birth took a month to reach the new father; other types of messages had failed to reach him. After military service, he returned to his former employment with the Aluminum Company of America at Alcoa. They have lived at different locations in Blount and for a while in Loudon County near Greenback. Their children are:

Michael Edwin (Mike), born Aug. 1, 1944
Helen Esther, born May 7, 1948
Stanley David, born Oct. 14, 1952
Mary Anita, born Nov. 23, 1959

Mike, son of Mildred and Oscar Janeway, since his graduation from Greenback High School, has worked professionally at training Tennessee Walking Horses. At present, he is manager and trainer of Mullins Stables near New Market, Tennessee, on highway 11E. He has trained and ridden horses which placed in the competition of National Walking Horse Celebration in Shelbyville, Tennessee, and in many other exhibitions in the state.

Helen, daughter of Mildred and Oscar Janeway, married Feb. 5, 1971, Thomas Harrington Stanley of Hot Springs, Virginia. They were married in Fork, South Carolina (coincidentally, the same month just less than twenty-nine years later than her parents' wedding, same state, around 100 miles from the same location). Currently, both are teaching in Mullins, South Carolina, she home economics (a graduate of Tennessee Technological University) and he physical education (a graduate of East Tennessee State University). She is organist and both take active part in the work of Fork Baptist Church, Fork, South Carolina.

Stanley, son of Mildred and Oscar Janeway, graduated

from Greenback High School, is a member of the 134th Division of National Air Guard Reserves and works as dispatcher with Eaton Lock Company at Lenoir City, Tennessee.

Mary, daughter of Mildred and Oscar Janeway, is a student at Everett High School in Blount County. She enjoys music, especially her work with the junior choir of Fairview Methodist Church.

Carralee, daughter of Cal and Johnnie Montgomery, has been, to a degree, an invalid all her life.

Descendants of John and Naomi
Tedford Montgomery

John, son of James and Mary Montgomery, married Aug. 21, 1907, Naomi Ann Tedford of Wellsville, Tennessee, born Dec. 8, 1884, died Dec. 30, 1932. Her parents, William and Martha Jane Crye Tedford, lived on upper Nine Mile Creek, now near U.S. Highway 129; they are buried at Baker's Creek Cemetery. John was a farmer, having bought and maintained his farm home within a mile of his birthplace. The property is now owned by his grandson, Frank Forkner, the house having been remodeled, using the original farm and frame work which speaks well of "Uncle John's" great interest in carpentry and working with wood. He spent many hours working on the building currently housing Oakland Methodist Church. This writer remembers him as a highly sensitive man, one who loved his family dearly, and also served his church faithfully as long as he was able. In their home, as in many others of this family, it was never a question of whether we go to church on Sunday. Even though he outlived Naomi by thirty-one years, he kept the home, several years living alone, until his health failed him about three years before his death. Both are buried in Oakland Cemetery. Their children are:

Mary Hope, born Oct. 7, 1909
Charles Tedford, born Nov. 7, 1911

James Elmer, born Oct. 15, 1913
Martha Sue, born Sept. 6, 1915
John Armstrong, born June 18, 1918
Paul Winston, born Jan. 24, 1923.

Mary Hope, daughter of John and Naomi Montgomery, married June 15, 1934, Samuel Franklin Forkner, born Feb. 4, 1909, of Sweetwater, Tennessee. His parents, Joseph Franklin Forkner and Margaret Scott Franklin, along with other families were workers in the Forkner's Chapel Methodist Church near their home. Dr. I. P. Martin writes a beautiful tribute to this family in his "A Minister in the Tennessee Valley." Married in Tarrytown, New York, they lived in a variety of places, including a "log house" on his father's farm, Oak Ridge, Cowan and Murfreesboro, Tennessee, as well as Miami, Ohio. Having graduated from Hiwassee College, Sam studied various aspects of plant culture and landscaping while on different jobs; in cooperation with his son, Frank, he now operates Forkner Landscaping Company, living near Greenback in a home which they built and landscaped. Mary graduated from Hiwassee College and Middle Tennessee State University at Murfreesboro; her teaching position at Greenback has been the beginning of the new kindergarten program there. Their children are:

Samuel Franklin, born Sept. 18, 1937
Martha Sue, born Feb. 6, 1940
David Lynn, born June 10, 1943

Frank, son of Mary and Sam Forkner, married Sherry Amberine Hammontree, daughter of Luke and Bert Long Hammontree of Greenback. He graduated from Hiwassee College and attended the University of Tennessee. He works with his father in their family owned business of commercial landscaping. He has several responsibilities of leadership and does a lot of work to further the ongoing of Oakland United Methodist Church. With Oakland also the church home of Mary and Sam, we count Frank's children as the fifth successive generation in this church. Their children

are:

Mary Ramona, born Jan. 16, 1968
Samuel Franklin III, born May 20, 1971

Suzie, daughter of Mary Hope and Sam Forkner, married Feb. 29, 1964, John Robert Carrington of North Carolina. He holds a B.S. degree from East Carolina State and a master's degree from Fitchburg State College in Massachusetts, a Major in the U.S. Army, having served tours of duty in Japan, Hawaii, and New Jersey. Suzie holds a B.S. degree in Home Economics from the University of Tennessee and is currently operating "Wedding Wonderland," a specialty shop in Alcoa, Tennessee, having worked with the U.T. Extension Service and as a home economics teacher. Their children are:

Melissa Suzanne, born Sept. 2, 1967
John Robert, born Sept. 15, 1966

David, son of Mary Hope and Sam Forkner, holds a master's degree in City Planning from the University of Tennessee and works as a City Planner in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Charles, son of John and Naomi Montgomery, married March 24, 1936, Florence Pauline Buchanan, born Sept. 6, 1915, daughter of Charles and Merry Elizabeth Buchanan, who lived in the Happy Valley area of Blount County. Her family came to Tennessee from Mitchell County, North Carolina. Charles graduated from Hiwassee College. He works in the laboratory division of South Plant, Aluminum Company at Alcoa. He has also been successful at farming and raising cattle on his farm where they live near Friendsville. Florence worked with J. C. Penney Company several years before her retirement. Their children are:

Charles Edgar, born Dec. 3, 1936
Betty Ruth, born March 28, 1945

Charles "Eddie," son of Charles and Florence Montgomery, married June 15, 1963, Merry Drinnon, born Jan.

10, 1939, from Hancock County, Tennesse. She is a graduate of Knoxville Business College. With B.S. and M.S. degrees in business, he continued training along this line with International Business Machines. He worked several years at Morristown and has recently moved to California as warehouse manager of Berkline of California. (While at Morristown, he contacted Mike Janeway to train his Tennessee Walking Horse, never guessing this brought together oldest grandsons, perhaps favored ones, of two brothers, John and Cal Montgomery, who in their younger days had shared great interest in horses.) Charles and Merry have children:

Charles Edgar III, "Chad," born May 12, 1966
Daniel Glenn, born Oct. 6, 1969
Virginia Ann, born Aug. 16, 1971

Betty, daughter of Charles and Florence Montgomery, married June 10, 1967, Michael Ray Headrick. Betty holds B.S. and M.S. degrees in Home Economics from the University of Tennessee, is currently teaching in this field in San Francisco College. Michael, born March 27, 1944, has the final degree (PhD.) from Stanford University; his first degrees were earned from the University of Tennessee.

James, son of John and Naomi Montgomery, married Helen Geneva Patterson, Dec. 28, 1941. Her parents, Ulysses Lee and Edith May Elrod Patterson, were originally from McCaysville, Georgia. Geneva has a B.S. degree in Home Economics from Maryville College and has done graduate work. James holds the bachelor's degree from Maryville College, master's from the University of Tennessee, and Ph.D. from Vanderbilt. He has held teaching positions at Florida State, Oklahoma, and Cornell Universities. A writer and lecturer, he has made several trips to Europe, received eight scholarships and fellowships. He is currently Professor and Department Head, Virginia Polytechnic, Blacksburg, Virginia, also serving as Chairman of the Virginia Committee on Aging and member of Virginia Board of Housing. Their children are:

Peter James, born May 24, 1950
Reginia Louise, born Jan. 14, 1953

Sue, daughter of John and Naomi Montgomery, married July 4, 1942, John Frederick (Fred) Chapman in Alexandria, Louisiana, while he was in military service. Fred, born Dec. 2, 1911, in Campbell County, Tennessee, is the son of John Richy and wife, Carroll Antoinette Carnes Chapman. Both Sue and Fred are graduates of Hiwassee College. He holds a B.S. degree in Agriculture from the University of Tennessee, and is fieldman for the Pet Milk Company in Newport, Tennessee, where they live. Sue teaches in the day care program in Newport. Their children are:

James Frederick, born Dec. 22, 1946
John David, born Feb. 27, 1950

James, son of Sue and Fred Chapman, married Jenette Blackwell, June 15, 1969. She is from Newport News, Virginia. He has a master's degree from the University of Virginia and is a teacher in Smithfield, Virginia. They have a son, Robert Blackwell, born Jan. 5, 1972.

John David, son of Sue and Fred Chapman, is a music major.

John, Jr., son of John and Naomi Montgomery, married first, Anne Kidd, June, 1942, at Rossville, Georgia. The daughter of Ben and Blanche Kidd, she was born at Binfield in Blount County, Sept. 9, 1922, died Sept. 6, 1960, and is buried in Vonore Baptist Church Cemetery. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II, farmed with his father for several years, and worked with Greenback Industries. He is now a machinist with Y-12, Oak Ridge, Tennessee. John and Anne were parents of:

Naomi Ann, born April 24, 1943
Judy Lynn, born April 23, 1951.

John married second, Mrs. Mabel Howard. They lived in Maryville, were later divorced. He married third, Dale Cochran Peterson, daughter of Cecil Hubert and Carmer Dale Cochran of Loudon County, the widow of Roe Benton

Peterson of Greenback. She is an L.P.N. and works as a dental assistant. Their home is near Greenback.

Naomi Ann "Cooky," daughter of John, Jr. and Anne Montgomery, married March 15, 1963, Kenneth H. Carey of Vonore, Tennessee. He was born January 2, 1943, the son of Howard Houston and Anna Mae Carey. He served with the U.S.M.C. and is a member of Greenback Rescue Squad and a lineman with the Aluminum Company, working at Calderwood. Cooky is a graduate of Hiwassee College and teaches at Greenback. Their children are:

Dawn Ann (Corky), born Dec. 10, 1964
Jody Lynn, born July 12, 1967

Judy, daughter of John, Jr. and Anne Montgomery, married Dec. 23, 1972, Richard Lambert, whose parents are Charles and Lucille Crisp Lambert of Maryville. Judy graduated from Hiwassee College with honors. They live in Maryville.

Paul, son of John and Naomi Montgomery, married April 4, 1965, Jean Joyce Cosci of San Jose, California. Her parents were Amile J. Cosci and Lena Dinapoli. Paul served with the U.S. Army during and after World War II, earned his final degree, M.D., and is a psychiatrist in Stockton, California. Jean served with the U.S. Air Force, is now a full-time homemaker. Events at the time of Paul's birth are interesting to those who look for divine purpose in the lives of men. His birth was premature and those in attendance were so much concerned with saving his mother's life, they left the little boy unattended for some time. They were happy to find he was living, possibly for the help he can give his fellowmen.

Descendants of Omer and Minnie Miller Montgomery

Omer, son of James and Mary Montgomery, married Aug. 22, 1925, Minnie Miller, born Jan. 12, 1899, died Nov. 11, 1963. Her parents, Lewis M. and Celia Moses

Miller, both natives of Monroe County, living at Tellico Plains at the time of the wedding, later moved to Alcoa, Tennessee. Omer was in the U.S. Navy during World War II, serving on the U.S.S. Colorado. He worked in Akron, Ohio, and other distant places, and was employed by the Aluminum Company at Alcoa several years. He died while at work there on Memorial Day, 1945. Both are buried in Clark's Grove Cemetery. Their children are:

Phyllis Omalene, born Feb. 20, 1927
William Dale, born Sept. 19, 1933

Phyllis, daughter of Omer and Minnie Montgomery, married Oct. 19, 1951, Richard Sutton Brophy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brophy of Jefferson City, Tennessee. He served in the U.S. Air Corps during World War II. He works with insurance; both home and office are in Knoxville, Tennessee. Their children are:

Karen Elizabeth, born Nov. 7, 1956
Nancy Corrine, born Jan. 13, 1959

Dale, son of Omer and Minnie Montgomery, married May 29, 1955, Alice Cole Evans, the daughter of A. C. Evans of Texas and Mrs. Bye Coverstar of Arkansas. He served in the U.S. Air Force from July 12, 1954, to March 14, 1958, entered the Air Guard April 15, 1958, and is presently a full-time Air Technician for the Tennessee National Air Guard based in McGhee-Tyson AFB, Knoxville. Their home is in Alcoa. Their children are:

Dennis Glen, born Aug. 8, 1956
Kenneth Ray, born Oct. 10, 1961
Kenin Dale, born Aug. 24, 1972

Descendants of Ben and Addie Lambert Montgomery

Ben, son of James and Mary Montgomery, married June 2, 1918, Addie Lambert, born Oct. 20, 1900, the daughter of Emory and Sarah McCollum Lambert. He served with the U. S. Infantry in World War I, reaching France just before the Armistice and in time for a long wait before returning

to his bride. He worked for the L and N Railroad, as a farmer, and was with the Aluminum Company at Alcoa at the time of his retirement. He is buried in Pinegrove Cemetery. Children of Ben and Addie Montgomery were:

Mary Elizabeth Montgomery, born April 20, 1920
Margaret Louise, born April 4, 1924
James Emory, born May 30, 1927
Donald Lenton, born Feb. 18, 1932

Elizabeth, daughter of Ben and Addie Montgomery, married Aug. 27, 1937, Clyde Tuck, son of Charles and Clara Tuck. They live south of Maryville on Highway 411; he works for the Aluminum Company at Alcoa. Their children are:

Billie Eugene (Bill), born May 15, 1938
James Daniel (Dan), born Dec. 21, 1941

Bill, son of Clyde and Elizabeth Tuck, married Dec. 12, 1959, Edna Belle Brannon. Their children are:

James Eugene, born July 17, 1962
Janet Lynn, born June 5, 1964
Christopher Clyde, born Sept. 21, 1973

Dan, son of Ben and Addie, married Nov. 22, 1962, Betty Charles Potter, daughter of the Clarence Potters of Greenback. They divorced in 1966. There were no children.

Margaret, daughter of Ben and Addie Montgomery, married Dec. 28, 1944, John M. Tolliver of Chattanooga. His parents were Mary Berry and Jim Tolliver. Their daughter, Wanda Lynn, was born in September, 1945, while John was in the service (World War II). They were later divorced. Margaret makes her home with her mother in Maryville.

Wanda Lynn, daughter of Margaret and John Tolliver, married first David Brittle, second Earl Lawson, son of Mary Anne Hale and Monroe Lawson of Knoxville. He works with a radio-communications concern of Cookeville, Tennessee. Their children are:

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Lisa Shawn, born Aug. 29, 1965, daughter of Wanda and David Brittle
Shannon Renee, born April 15, 1971, daughter of Wanda and Earl

James Emory (J. E., later Jim), son of Ben and Addie Montgomery, married first Marie Waters, born March 12, 1954, from Evansville, Indiana, married Dec. 13, 1965, second, Viola M. Butler, born May 10, 1935, of Seattle, Washington. He worked at travel as a musician for some time after his military service; he is currently employed as an agent for Wells Fargo, living in Atlanta, Georgia. They have a son, Dennis Rowdy, born Jan. 30, 1968.

Donald Lenton, son of Ben and Addie Montgomery, married March 12, 1954, Marlene Shelton, daughter of Oliver and Margie Shelton of Knoxville. He did military service during World War II, Dec. 5, 1952 to Dec. 9, 1954, and is currently employed by Costner-Eagleton Motor Company of Alcoa. They live at Maryville, Route 3. Their children are:

Debra Kay, born and died March 6, 1955
Vickie Sue, born March 5, 1958
Patricia Ann, born Aug. 8, 1962
Rocky Steven, born July 28, 1963

DESCENDANTS OF VIRGINIA MONTGOMERY AND JOHN F. BEST

Virginia (Ginny), daughter of John and Sarah Montgomery, married John F. Best, Jan. 21, 1868.

John F. Best, born May 17, 1842, died Aug. 23, 1921, was a descendant of Sebastian Best who came to America in 1737, settling first in Pennsylvania and moving to Gaston County, North Carolina, about 1750. Sebastian and members of his family were Lutherans from the Rhine River area in Germany (the Palitinate) who fled from persecution of the Catholics. The family Bible which he brought with him, written in German, contained family records. He married

Catherine Hoyle, daughter of another German pioneer. Of their thirteen children, John, Daniel, Thomas and Christian migrated to East Tennessee in 1807. John settled in Blount County, but his sons and his brother Thomas moved to Missouri. Christian Best, who settled on land adjoining the present Carpenter's Campground Church, is buried there, has many descendants in this area. Daniel settled and built a grist mill in the community, which became known as Wells' Mill. It is believed he later moved to Missouri. Daniel was the father of George Best who married Virginia Roach, and they were the parents of John F. Best. It seems Daniel was also the father of William Riley Best who married first Mary Elizabeth Kerr and second Lizzie Keen. These two families are easily confused, as the same names were frequently used by both. "Our Kin" by Hoffman and Ruth McCall Rhyne's "Our Heritage" were resources checked for background materials.

The story of George Best as told by Sam McInturff and others illustrates the effect of the turmoil of Civil War on our families. George Best, Simeon Crye, a Fields and a fourth man were being forcefully recruited by the Federal Army. On the way to be enlisted at Knoxville, they resisted near a spring, close to the junction of U. S. 129 and Indian Warpath Road. They were shot in cold blood by the Union soldiers and left there. It was also told that Bet McTeer hauled the bodies away in a steer wagon. Reportedly, George is buried at Centenary, one of the first graves in that cemetery, but a marker could not be located in 1973. Virginia Roach Best, his wife, lived with John F. The story of her death illustrates an old custom. Like many women of her time, she smoked a pipe. With the pipe in her mouth, she fell down steps and was killed by the pipe's being forced into her throat. She, with three children of John and Virginia who died young, is buried in the "Old Best Graveyard" near Nine Mile Creek in the Lanier community.

We know that John F. fought in the Civil War. The monument erected in Williamson Cemetery has this inscription: "Co. A. Third Tenn. Infantry." John F., Virginia, daughter Dossie, son Charlie and his wife are buried in this ceme-

tery; so are many other members of his family. Children of John F. and Virginia were:

1. John Riley, born Jan. 4, 1869, died Oct. 11, 1920
2. Daniel W., born Oct. 23, 1870, died Aug. 16, 1945
3. Lora A., born Oct. 20, 1873, died Nov. 30, 1925
4. Emma Jane, born Feb. 24, 1875, died March 2, 1878
5. Bettie Cordelia, born Nov. 6, 1878, died Aug. 11, 1881
6. Dossie V., born Jan. 24, 1881, died Feb. 23, 1900, single
7. George Planze, born May 17, 1883, died Jan. 20, 1884
8. Charles B., born Feb. 20, 1885, died Feb. 14, 1919
9. Allie M., born May 20, 1888
10. Mollie Etta, born Dec. 20, 1890, died around 1955

Descendants of John Riley and "Tish" Best

John Riley, son of Virginia and John F. Best, married Sarah Lutecia (Tish) Huffstetler, born Sept. 3, 1868, died Oct. 14, 1937. She married second Jack Wilson of Greenback. John and Tish are buried in Williamson Cemetery. Their children were:

1. Robert Linley, born Oct. 11, 1894, died April 18, 1912, single
2. Guy, born Dec. 10, 1846, died Sept. 28, 1928
3. George Dewey, born May 30, 1899, died Nov. 14, 1969

Guy, son of "Tish" and John Riley Best, married Nellie Miller, daughter of Orse L. (Aug. 11, 1846-May 25, 1965) and Sarah E. Miller (Sept. 8, 1878-April 18, 1964). Their daughter, Matlene, born and died May 25, 1924, is buried in Williamson Cemetery, adjacent to Guy.

George, son of "Tish" and John Riley Best, married Sinia Fields, daughter of Reuben A. Fields, born Aug. 26, 1871, died Aug. 29, 1949, and Eva Jenkins Fields, born July 22, 1873, died June 14, 1942. They farmed along Highway 129 on land which was part of the original Best land grants. George is buried in Williamson Cemetery. Their children were:

1. Trenton O'Neil, born March 7, 1928
2. Herman Eugene, born May 4, 1930
3. Winston Keith, born Dec. 7, 1933

4. Virginia Ann, born Sept. 28, 1938

Trenton, son of George and Sinia Best, married Verda Lois Prince of Fontana, North Carolina, daughter of Jack Prince. They have sons: Theodore Anthony (Ted), born Jan. 2, 1959, and Stephen Dale, born Jan. 13, 1957.

Herman married Betty Boone, daughter of Paul Boone of Happy Valley. He has a degree in engineering from the University of Tennessee and works as engineer for the city of Maryville. Betty has a degree from the University of Tennessee plus graduate work, and currently is librarian at Everett High School. They have daughters: Elaine Ray, born Dec. 20, 1961, and Sarah Katherine, born Aug. 25, 1963.

Winston Keith married Calberta Self, daughter of Luther Self. Their children are: Randall Keith, born May 22, 1957, died Dec. 20, 1960, from a car accident; Mark Robert, born Aug. 30, 1960; and Dianne Evelyn, born Sept. 9, 1963.

Virginia Ann married J. R. Carden, son of Rance Carden of Trigonia community. They live near her mother on Highway 129. Their children are: Eliz beth Ann, born April 22, 1962; Matthew David, born Aug. 28, 1964; Jonathan Ralph, born April 13, 1966; and Brian Eric, born Aug. 23, 1969.

Descendants of Lora Best and John D. Huffstetler

Lora, daughter of Virginia and John F. Best, married April 22, 1894, John D. Huffstettler, born Sept. 9, 1866, died Dec. 12, 1947, the son of Michael and Ann Hutsel Huffstettler. He married, second, Sallie Best, born Sept. 27, 1884, died Jan. 12, 1962. There were no children by the second marriage. Sallie is buried in Williamson Cemetery. The parents, Jessie, Pauline and Harry are buried in Magnolia Cemetery, Maryville. Their children were:

1. Pearl, died in infancy in Knox County, Tennessee.
2. Jessie K., born Dec. 24, 1894, died Aug. 6, 1916, single.
3. Pauline B., born Aug. 18, 1908, died Aug. 28, 1913.
4. Harry W., born March 30, 1915, died July 31, 1955 married Annie Mae Sands, no children. He is buried in Magnolia Cemetery.
5. Maude, married Thomas McClanahan. No children.

6. Ella H., married Richard George, they had:
   Richard, Jr., married Vivian Hatcher
   Nadine, married Cleve Hightower
   Donald, married Cornelia Bell
7. Myrtle, married Arlie Smith, they had:
   Katherine
   Benjamin
   Evelyn, died young
   Helen
   Ruth, died young
8. Bessie, married Albert Hutsell. Children are:
   Bobbie Huffstetler, died in Ohio, survived by a wife, a German girl, and two children
   David Hutsell
   George Hutsell
   Stanley Hutsell
   Millie Hutsell
   Barbara Hutsell
9. Clarence married Bessie Mills, they have two children.

Daniel and Miranda (Randy) Snider

Daniel, son of Virginia and John F. Best, married Miranda (Randy) Snider, born Jan. 16, 1875, died June 30, 1964, the daughter of Samuel V. Snider and Marcello Florence Harrison Snider of North Carolina. They lived in the Lanier community of Blount County. Their children were:

1. Homer B., born Dec. 25, 1896. He first married Bertha Woods, born Aug. 8, 1896, died Oct. 29, 1961; he married second, Della Carrell Stinnett, Aug. 9, 1965. There were no children.
2. Roy M., born Aug. 13, 1899, married Dec. 6, 1919, to Cora Anderson, born Sept. 18, 1898. Their children are:
   Harold M., born Nov. 11, 1920, died Aug. 8, 1922.
   Ben H., born Jan. 20, 1927, died June 29, 1945, single.
   Wilma, born Nov. 18, 1929, died Sept. 9, 1966, as a result of a one-car accident on Highway 411.

Charles and "Lizzie" Best

Charles B. (Charlie), son of Virginia and John F. Best, was born Feb. 20, 1885, and died Feb. 14, 1919. His wife, Elizabeth Howard Best, born Feb. 10, 1893, and died Feb. 15, 1919, was the daughter of Joe Howard. He was well-educated for his time, having graduated from Maryville Preparatory School and taken further work at Maryville College. He taught in Blount County, Nelson School, which was later discontinued. His wife was formerly one of his students. He owned one of the first cars in Blount County, the car in which they were fatally injured when struck by a train at the High Street railroad crossing in Maryville. Some of his textbooks in higher mathematics are now in possession of his grand-niece, Miss Brenda Best Reagan, a math teacher at Bungalow School.

The news story of his fatal wreck is quoted from the KNOXVILLE JOURNAL and TRIBUNE, Feb. 15, 1919:

"MEETS DEATH AT GRADE CROSSING"

"Charles Best of Alleghany was almost instantly killed and his wife received serious injuried Friday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock, when an automobile in which they were driving was run down by a Southern Railway freight train, at a grade crossing in Maryville.

"The automobile was carried a considerable distance along the railway track before the engine was stopped. The automobile was overturned by the impact and occupants were hurled with great force to the ground.

"Mr. Best was a well known and infulential citizen in the southern part of Blount County. Mrs. Best was a daughter of Joseph Howard of Maryville. Mr. and Mrs. Best had no children.

"Information from Maryville is that the freight train that caused the accident was being switched on a siding and had to run over the grade crossing.

"It is presumed that Mr. and Mrs. Best did not hear the engine approaching when their car was driven on the track. Bystanders are quoted as saying the engine

was running rapidly when the automobile was struck.

"The automobile was knocked and pushed between 30 and 40 feet after it was hit by the train, according to reports from Maryville."

Descendants of Allie and Elmer Walker

Allie, daughter of Virginia and John F. Best, married Feb. 20, 1917, Hiram Elmer Walker, born Oct. 8, 1892, died March 6, 1955. He was the son of Hiram and Loy Nelson Walker. Their home was near Lanier School; he was custodian of the school for many years. He is buried in Williamson Cemetery. They had daughters:

1. Loy Imogene, born July 2, 1921, married William Lloyd Reagan. They live in Bungalow Subdivision at Maryville. Their children are:
   Roger David, born and died Oct. 24, 1953
   Brenda Sue, born May 20, 1947, teaches mathematics in Blount County School System.
2. Dorothy Mae, born Sept. 28, 1925, married in 1947, William Henry Thompson. Their children are:
   Kathleen, born May 28, 1948, married Eugene Williams
   Helen Ann, born Dec. 24, 1949, married Cleve Young
   Doris Gene, born March 7, 1953, married Bryan Poplin.

Descendants of Mollie Best and "Willie" Wilson

Mollie, daughter of Virginia and John F. Best, married April, 1919, William Thomas Wilson, born April 18, 1885, died June 29, 1960, the son of James Lane and Rebecca Best Wilson. (J. L. and R. J. Wilson, with two children who died in infancy, are also in Centenary Cemetery.) Willie Wilson gave a lot adjoining the Centenary Church property, from his land, to enlarge the cemetery, etc., when it was a Union Church open to persons of all protestant faiths. Mollie and Willie are buried there. Their children are:

1. James Monroe, born January, 1920
2. Gnez, born June 28, 1921

3. Jean, born Oct. 5, 1923
4. J. L. Thomas, born Oct. 17, 1925
5. William Allen, born Jan. 12, 1928. Single.
6. Ella Maxine, born Aug. 31, 1932.

James, son of Mollie and Willie Wilson, married June 1, 1948, Agnes Imogene Ayers, born December, 1929, the daughter of Charlie M. and Reba B. Humphrey Ayers. He married, second, Ruth Humphrey; no children by this marriage. Children are:

Wanda Jean, born May 7, 1949, married———Walking-stick
Vernon Leo Monroe, born Feb. 28, 1951
Charles William, born Jan. 5, 1953.

Gnez, daughter of Mollie and Willie Wilson, married April 12, 1941, Raymond Guy Kerr, born Aug. 2, 1920, died September, 1958, the son of Arthur C. and Ursa Jane Long Kerr. Guy is buried at Centenary. Their children:

Lodanna Jane, born Jan. 23, 1942, died 1942
Virginia Ann, born Feb. 11, 1943, married Sept. 2, 1961, Walter Spence; they have a daughter, Karen
Barbara Jean, born Feb. 2, 1945, married Lee Rutherford
William Guy, born May 11, 1946
Patsy Gnez, born Oct. 29, 1954
Betty Ray, born Dec. 6, 1958

Jean married Sterling Herron, who is a teacher. She is a teacher, also, currently at Rush Strong. They have one son.

Tom, son of Mollie and Willie Wilson, married Nov. 2, 1952, Iris Jean Murr, daughter of Howard and Thelma George Murr. Their children are:

Elizabeth Carolyn, born Oct., 1957
Judith Mariann, born Nov., 1961

Maxine is in school, preparing to work as a full-time missionary of the Southern Baptist Association.

DESCENDANTS OF CORDY MONTGOMERY AND HENRY LINE

Mary Cordelia (Cordy), daughter of John and Sarah Montgomery, married first Henry Line, April 30, 1871. Henry, born June 15, 1942, died May 2, 1914, supposedly came to Blount from Jefferson County. Both are buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery; next to them is the grave of William Line, born August 13, 1817, died May 31, 1900. Likely William was the father of Henry, thus John W. of the next generation could have been named for both grandfathers. It is assumed that Henry was a veteran of the Spanish-American War. Cordy, as his widow, tried repeatedly to get a pension from this but was never able to do so. The record of their marriage was destroyed when the old Blount County Court House burned. Their home for many years was a frame house which still stands on Highway 129 near Centenary. One child, John W., was born Feb. 11, 1872, died Jan. 27, 1947.

Cordy married second John A. Downey, born March 9, 1844, died 1927. His first wife, Nancy, born Sept. 18, 1848, died March 21, 1922. This second marriage for both was soon after the 1922 date, estimate based on a well remembered quotation from John Downey, "Nancy is just as dead as she'll ever be." John Downey is buried in Liberty Cemetery adjacent to Nancy.

John, son of Cordy and Henry Line, had other marriages, but that with Margaret (Mag) Whitehead proved to be a lasting union. The daughter of George Whitehead, she was born Jan. 28, 1881, died June 25, 1957. Their last years were lived in a little house on Highway 129, not far from his childhood home and near her sister, who was Mrs. Pink Reagan. They are buried at Centenary, appropriately on the south side of the cemetery where there is a view of the mountains he loved. John's vision was almost gone years before his death. He was so different from his cousins that some biographical statements seem appropriate.

JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

If he had lived later in the twentieth century, he would have been considered a great story teller. Having an adventurous spirit and the gift of elaboration, he told long, fabulous stories of trapping and traveling throughout East Tennessee. Imaginative youngsters could listen to his tales by the hour, but cousins his own age could not understand why he wouldn't take life seriously as they did. Reading on the life and frontier experiences of our distant and distinguished cousin, Sam Houston, shows many similarities between the two. Their physical size, their travels into unknown territory and their reverting to ways of life not generally accepted by society were comparable. Granted a greater challenge, a more intellectual approach and stronger devotion to a cause, he, too, might have become a great hero.

DESCENDANTS OF CHARLES MONTGOMERY

Charles McGhee, son of John and Sarah Ann Montgomery, married first Martha Elizabeth (Betty) Black of the Trigonia community. She was born March 18, 1861, died Dec. 1, 1881. Their daughter, Sarah Rachel, born July 23, 1881, died Aug. 23, 1881, is buried near Betty in Oakland Cemetery. He married, second, Sarah Jane (Sadie) Dunlap on Sept. 10, 1885. She was born March 12, 1862, died Nov. 11, 1941. Her parents were Aaron Thomas Dunlap, born Feb. 21, 1821, died Oct. 14, 1906, and Emmaline Humphreys Dunlap, born Jan. 14, 1829, died April 20, 1870, married April 27, 1854.

"Charlie's" farm on Nine Mile Creek below the "Howard" community had a brick house built by the Tulloch family, 1820-1830, one of the oldest in Tennessee. Later it was torn down and a frame house built where his son, Tom, lived as he took over the farm and reared his family there. Charlie was a great lover of horses, being widely known as a "horse trader." Many of his later years were spent with Tom and his family. He was the last surviving member of his father's family; he died May 18, 1946.

Children of Charlie and Sade were:

John Thomas, born Aug. 13, 1886, died Sept. 19, 1943.
Carl Kerr, born Aug. 17, 1888, died June 4, 1889, Oakland Cemetery.
Emma, born April 28, 1891.

Descendants of John Thomas and Zella Montgomery

John Thomas (Tom), son of Charles and Sade Montgomery, married Dec. 16, 1914, Zella Katherine (Tay) Taylor, born June 27, 1895. Her parents, Charles B. Taylor, born March 6, 1872, died Jan. 10, 1901, and Lucy Lanier Hodge, born Nov. 16, 1874, died Nov. 4, 1905, were married Feb. 21, 1894. Another important person in this family was "Aunt Mayme" Kerr, nee Hodge, who lived with them many years after being widowed. Tom and Tay lived at the family farm on Nine Mile Creek after the children were born. At the time of his death, they were living on the McMurry farm on Little Tennessee River, which has since been covered by lake waters of Chilhowee Dam. In addition to farming, Tom enjoyed livestock, being more or less a professional trader. He, with sons J. D. and Ralph, is buried in Carpenter's Cemetery. Tay and son, Charles Lee, live in Maryville. Their children were:

1. Charles Lee, born Nov. 23, 1915, single
2. Ralph Taylor, born July 30, 1917, died March 20, 1951
3. Rex Harris, born Aug. 13, 1919
4. John David (J. D.), born Nov. 23, 1921, died Oct. 22, 1926
5. Alice Lanier, born April 8, 1926.

Ralph, son of Tom and Zella Montgomery, did not marry. He was killed at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, while operating a machine on a construction project. The machine accidentally came in contact with high voltage electric lines, causing instant death.

Rex, son of Tom and Zella Montgomery, married Faye Whitehead of Maryville, born Jan. 12, 1921, the daughter of Leonard F. and Laura Tipton Whitehead. He works for Vulcan Materials of Knoxville City Quarry. They enjoy farm life, especially their horses. They live in Kimberlin Heights

community near Johnson Bible College in Knox County. Their children are:

1. Mayme Wran, born Aug. 26, 1944
2. Thomas Lynn, born June 20, 1945
3. Rex Harris (Rex), born Aug. 10, 1946
4. Cindy Lee, born Aug. 21, 1947

Wran, daughter of Rex and Faye Montgomery, married first Dan Tucker. They had Laura Katherine Tucker, born July 29, 1968, were later divorced. She married Sept. 26, 1967, Earl Allen Mullis, son of Earl N. and Effie Mae Walker Mullis. They have a daughter, Karen Lynette Mullis, born Aug. 20, 1972.

Thomas Lynn, son of Rex and Faye Montgomery, married Aug. 30, 1968, Rebecca Ann Vineyard, daughter of Lester Orton and Emma Kidwell Smith Vineyard. Thomas was in the Marine Corps, 1964-67, and spent thirteen months in Vietnam. He is beginning (1973) preparation for the ministry in Carson-Newman College at Jefferson City, Tennessee. Their children are Stephen Lynn, born July 20, 1969, and Neal Thomas, born Sept. 6, 1972.

Rexy, son of Rex and Faye Montgomery, married Feb. 13, 1965, Jimmie Sue Lennon, daughter of Rev. James Arthur and Jean Elizabeth Haun Lennon. He is employed by the Aluminum Company of America at Alcoa. Their children are Timothy Lee, born Nov. 24, 1967, and Julie Beth, born Oct. 9, 1971.

Cindy, daughter of Rex and Faye Montgomery, married Feb. 26, 1966, Carl Louis Braden, Jr., born Sept. 16, 1947, son of Carl Louis and Rita Mae Lindsay Braden. They had a son, Carl Louis Braden III, born April 23, 1967, were divorced June 20, 1972.

Alice, daughter of Tom and Zella Montgomery, married first Burton Edward Pedigo, Jr., and was later divorced. They had a son, Joe B. Pedigo, born June 26, 1954, who

graduated from McMinn County High School and enlisted in the U.S. Air Force, June, 1973.

Alice married second Ross Stephens, born May 10, 1919. They live at Niota, Tennessee, and have two sons:

Robert Martin Stephens, born Nov. 5, 1964

Monty Taylor Stephens, born Jan. 12, 1966

Descendants of Emma Montgomery and A. J. Kyker

Emma, daughter of Charles and Sade Montgomery, married April 18, 1921, Andrew Jefferson Kyker, born Jan. 14, 1877, died Dec. 4, 1960, being originally from Cocke County; he was buried in Union Cemetery of Newport. His first wife was the former Ida Ailey. She was the mother of sons, Earl and Darius Kyker.

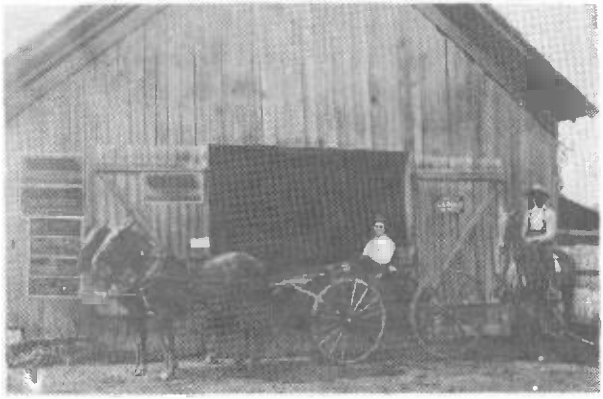
The home of A. J. and Emma Montgomery Kyker was of considerable historic interest. Built by McLin Kerr near 1847, it was later owned by W. W. Howard in the community where an early church, a school, grist mill and bridge were known as Howard's. During the Civil War, it served as headquarters of General O. C. Howard of the U. S. Army at the time of the advance of Knoxville to relieve General Burnside, who was beseiged by General Longstreet. The house had become extremely dilapidated before it was rebuilt and restored in 1971. Dr. I. P. Martin, Methodist minister of the Louisville Circuit, 1890, described it as then "the most properous home of the Circuit," then home of the Will Howard family.

Mr. Kyker was for many years one of the directors of the Merchants' and Farmers' Bank of Greenback. Their son, James Montgomery Kyker, was born Nov. 18, 1925.

James Montgomery (Jimmie), son of Emma and A. J. Kyker, married August, 1949, Mary Opal Woodward, born Nov. 11, 1929, daughter of James and Bertha Howard Woodward. They had a daughter, Marilyn Jane, born Sept. 16, 1950, and were later divorced. He married (June, 1964) Ruth Evelyn Hamilton of Andrews, North Carolina. Jimmie farms his share of the Kyker farm; he has served in the Tennessee House of Representatives. Ruth teaches business

subjects in Andrews High School.

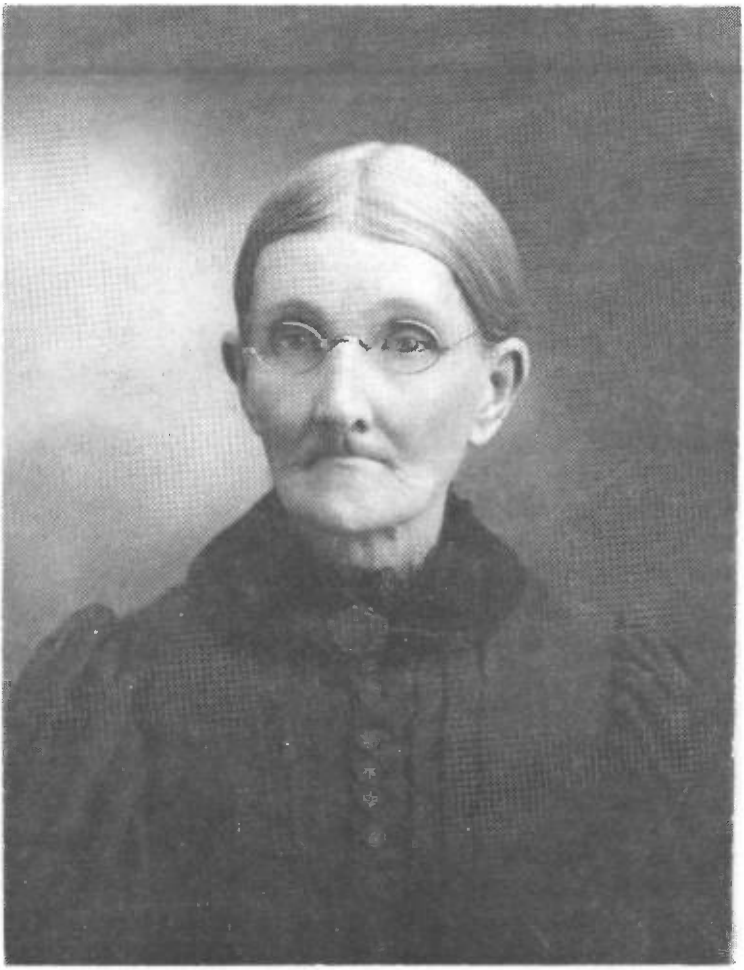
Marilyn, daughter of Jimmie and Mary Opal Woodward Kyker, is married to Charles Thomas Cate.



Cousins Tom Montgomery, left, and Cal on horseback, around 1910 when they were operating Greenback Livery Stable.



Oakland United Methodist Church, formerly the heart of Trigonia Community.



Jane Burton Montgomery

CHAPTER 8
DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM GILLESPIE AND JANE BURTON MONTGOMERY
Compiled by Creed Montgomery

John and Esther Houston Montgomery married 1738. They had twelve (12) children.

James Montgomery, the son of John and Esther Houston Montgomery, m. Margaret Weir, 1779. They had eight (8) children.

Samuel Montgomery, son of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery, m. Elizabeth Gillespie. They had six (6) children.

William Gillespie Montgomery, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Gillespie Montgomery, was born March 30, 1816, Blount County, Tennessee, died June 14, 1882, buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery, Blount County, Tennessee, m. Oct. 1, 1846, to Jane Burton, who was born April 27, 1825, d. Oct. 7, 1902, buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery, daughter of William and Amelia (Milly) Carpenter Burton. Jane was born in Virginia. William G. and Jane lived during the Civil War period. Adline, an old Indian woman, lived with them. Bushwhackers would break in on them and take everything they had to eat. They kept their meat and supplies hidden under the bedroom floor by raising a loose plank in the floor. One night they came and Jane was at the fireplace trying to make a light. A man stomped it out. Adline struck at him with an ax. It just missed his head and cut a gash in the floor. The gash and bullet holes in the front and back doors could be seen as long as the house stood. One of the doors with the holes is now in use in Gracie Stephenson's home. One day Jane saw some men driving her last cow



First home of William Gillespie and Jane Burton Montgomery, who married in 1846. This house has been restored on Highway 411.

down the road. She ran after them, begging them to give her cow back. That was the only way she could feed her children. One man spoke up saying, "Give that old woman's cow back." They did. The bushwhackers would catch and whip William G. and his oldest son, Sam, who was nineteen (19) years old. They had to hide out at nights and tie themselves in trees so they could sleep without falling out. They had eleven (11) children: 1. Samuel Creed. 2. Robert M. 3. Mildred M. 4. James M. 5. William Gillespie, Jr. 6. Litchfield Young (Dick). 7. Elizabeth Mildred. 8. John. 9. Margaret Ann (Maggie). 10. George Washington. 11. Elbert Roger.

Samuel Creed Montgomery, son of William Gillespie and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. Sept. 19, 1847, at Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, d. Jan. 18, 1926, in Prosper, near McKinney, Texas, about twenty-five miles north of

Dallas. He was buried there. He moved to Texas about 1867, after he had lived through the hardships of the Civil War, where he owned and operated a farm all his life. William G. Montgomery, his brother, was the administrator of his estate. E. Mildred Montgomery has a letter written on Dec. 15, 1926, from W. G. Montgomery that Sam C. M. estate totaled $4556.87 less $349.15 (for expenses) leaves $4207.72. He was never married. He probably never visited Tennessee after going to Texas. There he lived to be eighty years old.

Robert M. Montgomery, son of William Gillespie and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. April 15, 1849, Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, d. Dec. 30, 1867, at the age of eighteen (18), buried in the Montgomery family cemetery on the present Roy Lawrence Goddard farm, Blount County, Tennessee.

Mildred M. Montgomery, daughter of William G. and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. March 25, 1851, Greenback, Tennessee, Blount County, d. July 1, 1852, buried in the Montgomery family cemetery on the Goddard farm, Blount County, Tennessee.

James M. Montgomery, son of William G. and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. Dec. 17, 1852, Greenback, Tennessee, Blount County, d. Jan. 2, 1862, buried in the Montgomery family cemetery on the present Goddard farm.

William Gillespie Montgomery, Jr., son of William Gillespie and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. Jan. 10, 1855, d. Aug. 5, 1940, buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Knoxville, Tennessee. He married on March 10, 1889, in Blount County, Tennessee, to Eliza Jane (Lida) Roddy, b. Aug. 19, 1865, d. March 13, 1909, buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Knoxville, Tennessee. Her parents were William Russell Roddy and Polly Anne Hutton Roddy, Blount County, Tennessee. Will and Lida lived in Knoxville, Tennessee. For many years he was with one of the leading men's wholesale dry goods houses, McTeer, Hood and Payne, Knoxville, Tennessee. They had two (2) children, Myrle and J. Ben.

Myrle Montgomery Emert, b. 2-2-1890, m. 11-20-1913 Clyde Bright Emert, b. 2-17-1886. Myrle, a graduate of

Knoxville High School, attended the University of Tennessee and taught in the Knoxville City Schools before her marriage. Clyde, a graduate of the University of Tennessee, was City Editor of the Knoxville Sentinel before purchasing the Maryville Times, Maryville, Tennessee. Later he formed the Maryville-Alcoa Daily Times and operated it until his retirement in 1955. He sold it at that time. They are members of Maryville First United Methodist Church. Clyde was the son of the Rev. John Milton Emert, a Methodist minister, and Miranda Elizabeth Bright Emert. Issue 2.



Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emert

MR. AND MRS. CLYDE EMERT MARK
60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Tuesday, November 20th, 1973, was the 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emert of Maryville. All of their family were home for the celebration.

Their wedding took place at the church in which they met, Trinity Episcopal Church of Knoxville. Dr. J. M. Emert, pastor of First Methodist Church of Athens, Tennessee, and father of the groom, assisted by Dr. Royal A. Simons of

Trinity Church, performed the wedding ceremony. Dr. Emert, the father of the groom, was a member of Holston Conference of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Emert is the former Myrle Montgomery, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Gillespie Montgomery of Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Emert came to Maryville to make their home in 1915 when Mr. Emert bought the Maryville Times, which he later developed into the Maryville-Alcoa Daily Times. Mrs. Emert was women's news editor for a number of years, as well as being active in church work, PTA, garden club and other community activities.

The Emerts are parents of two daughters, Mrs. William (Jean) Lea of Winnetka, Illinois, whose husband is Rector of Christ Episcopal Church, and Mrs. Leslie (LaVerne) Dooley of Athens, whose husband is president of McMinn County Motor Company.

The family also includes three granddaughters and a grandson, and seven great-grandchildren.

(See chapter VIII for more information.)

Dorothy Jean Emert Lea, b. 6-8-1915, m. 7-10-1940 the Rev. William Sentelle Lea, b. 11-24-1911. Dorothy graduated from the University of Tennessee and did graduate work at University of Syracuse, New York. She graduated with a Master of Arts. Dr. Lea was a graduate of the University of the South at Sewannee, Tennessee, where later the University conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Divinity. He has been rector of the Church of the Advent, Spartanburg, South Carolina, Christ's Episcopal Church, Raleigh, North Carolina, and St. John's Episcopal Church, Knoxville, Tennessee, and Dean of St. John's Cathedral, Denver, Colorado. He is now rector of Christ Episcopal Church, Winnetka, Illinois. Issue 2.

Anne LaVerne Lea, b. 5-9-1942, m. 4-12-1969 John Lawrence Tuohy. Anne LaVerne attended Colorado College and Vassar. John Lawrence, a graduate of Michigan and Harvard Law Schools, is an attorney in Chicago where they now live. Issue 2. Elizabeth Ann Tuohy, b. 12-4-1970. John

Michael Tuohy, b. 4-14-1973.

Beverly Jean Lea, b. 8-19-1944, m. 12-27-1969 John Dennis Scully. Beverly Jean is a graduate of Converse College, Spartanburg, South Carolina. John is a graduate of Parson's College, Fairfield, Iowa, and is a stockbroker with Reynolds and Company in Chicago, Illinois. Issue 2. William Chase Scully, b. 1-3-1971. Virginia Lea Scully, b. 7-6-1972.

Marjorie LaVerne Emert, b. 4-9-1919, m. 6-13-1942 Leslie Ward Dooley, b. 1-8-1921. Margorie LaVerne graduated from the University of Tennessee. She taught for two years in the city schools of Spartanburg, South Carolina. Leslie was graduated from Tennessee Military Institute of Sweetwater, Tennessee, and a junior at Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama, when he volunteered for military service during World War II. He was Second Lieutenant when the third wave invaded the Coast of Africa in 1943. During the invasion he lost his left hand. He received the Distinguished Cross for bravery in battle and was promoted to Captain. He was one of the first wounded soldiers returned and was sent to Walter Reed Hospital. Later he was placed in charge of Returnee's Center at Grove Park Inn, Asheville, North Carolina. Upon his discharge from the Army, he was made Vice-President and General Manager of McMinn County Motor Company at Athens, Tennessee. Upon his father's death, he was made President of the company. He and his wife, LaVerne, have lived in Athens since then. Issue 2.

Susan Gail Dooley, b. 9-7-1943, m. 8-23-1964 William Tindall Howell, b. 3-8-1941. Susan Gail is a graduate of Stratford Hall, Danville, Virginia, and Columbia College, Columbia, South Carolina. Mr. Howell is a graduate of Clemson College, Clemson, South Carolina, and the University of South Carolina, where he received his degree in law. He and his family live in Watterboro, South Carolina. Issue 3. Lesi Peyton Howell, b. 1-27-1966. William Tindall Howell, Jr., b. 6-14-1968. John Asher Howell, b. 10-31-1972.

Thomas Wilson Dooley, b. 1-18-1946, m. 2-20-1971 Wilma Potter, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A.

Potter, live in Sweetwater, Tennessee, and both are active in the North Baptist Church. Thomas Wilson Dooley graduated from Tennessee Military Institute, Sweetwater, Tennessee, 5-31-1964. He volunteered with the U.S. Marines in March, 1966. He served thirteen months in Viet Nam in communications. Since his release from service, he is with his father at McMinn County Ford Company, Athens, Tennessee.

J. Ben Montgomery, son of William Gillespie Montgomery, Jr. and Eliza Jane (Lida) Roddy Montgomery, born Dec. 29, 1891, Knoxville, Tennessee, died July 22, 1958, in Texas, buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Knoxville, Tennessee. Ben was in Hamburg, Germany, at the outbreak of World War I and had an interesting experience in getting out and returning to the U.S. He lived most of his life in California.



Litchfield Young Montgomery Family
Top row: Cloyd Burton Montgomery, Russell Latham Montgomery. Bottom row: Litchfield Young (Dick) Montgomery, Creed Litchfield Montgomery, and Jennie G. Latham Montgomery.

GILLESPIE AND JANE BURTON MONTGOMERY

Litchfield Young (Dick) Montgomery, son of William Gillespie and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. May 17, 1857, at Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, d. May 4, 1931, Hanford, Kings County, California, buried in Hanford Cemetery, California, m. July 6, 1891, at Hanford to Jennie Gertrude Latham. She was b. Aug. 7, 1870, in Sutter County, California, d. Feb. 6, 1936, Hanford, California, buried in Hanford Cemetery. Her parents were Charles Latham and Frances Wimple Latham. Dick moved from Tennessee about 1878, and bought a 220 acre farm near Hanford, California. He lived, farmed and died on this land. They had three sons: 1. Cloyd Burton. 2. Russell Latham. 3. Creed Litchfield.

Cloyd Burton Montgomery, son of Litchfield Young (Dick) and Jennie Gertrude Latham Montgomery, b. Aug. 27, 1892, Hanford, California, m. Dec. 24, 1914, to Mary Susannah Shellabarger, Hanford, California. She was b. June 9, 1892, d. Feb. 13, 1970, and was buried in Hanford Cemetery. Her parents were Frank P. and Sadie Denham Shellabarger. Cloyd owns, lives on, and operates seventy-two acres of his father's original 220 acre farm. They have one son, Leland N.

Leland Niles Montgomery, son of Cloyd Burton and Mary Susannah Shellabarger Montgomery, b. Dec. 23, 1915, d. Oct. 21, 1972, buried in Hanford Cemetery. About 1938, he married Ruth Parsons, b. June 21, 1918, at Hanford, California. Her parents were Aubrey and Anna Walch Parsons. Ruth owns, lives on, and operates 146 acres of the original Dick Montgomery 220 acre farm. She has been working at the Irrigation District since 1952. They have two children: Richard Cloyd and Audrey Lee.

Richard Cloyd Montgomery, son of Leland N. and Ruth Parsons Montgomery, b. Nov. 3, 1944, in Hanford, California, died in an auto accident, Jan. 4, 1964, buried in Hanford Cemetery, Hanford, California.

Audrey Lee Montgomery Mitchell, daughter of Leland N. and Ruth Parsons Montgomery, b. May 25, 1942, in Hanford, California. Her second marriage was to ————



Flora and T. O. Berger Family
Back row: T. O. Berger, Charlotte Berger Edmondson, and Flora Goodnight Berger. Sitting: Gayle Edmondson Burkhart and Sandra Edmondson Pardini.

Mitchell. She has two children by a previous marriage: Ronald Flores, b. 1961, and Shelli Flores, b. 1963.

Russell Latham Montgomery, son of Litchfield Young (Dick) and Jennie Gertrude Latham Montgomery, b. Feb. 16, 1894, at Hanford, California, lives on two acres of the Dick Montgomery farm. Russell was never married. He is now in a nursing home in Hanford, California.

Creed Litchfield Montgomery, son of Litchfield Young (Dick) and Jennie Gertrude Latham Montgomery, b. Jan. 27, 1899, at Hanford, California, in June, 1924, married Lillian Mazie Couper. She was b. June 28, 1898, d. Feb. 24, 1958, daughter of H. V. Couper of Lodi, California. She was a teacher and a principal of a school near Riverdale, California, where she met her husband. Creed received a degree in mechanical engineering in 1918. He farmed with his brother, Russell, from 1918 to 1925 near Riverdale, California. Because of poor health, he left the farm and took a position as an engineer with Ray Oil Burner Company of San Francisco for five years. In 1930, he rented and farmed his Uncle John Montgomery's farm until 1938, when he moved to his own farm, part of his father's home place, until 1960, when he moved to a ranch near Fiddletown, California. They had one daughter, Janis Anabel.

On Jan. 15, 1966, Creed married Nellie Marie O'Connell, b. June 19, 1912. In 1972, they moved to their new home at Route 1, Box 24B, Plymouth, California 95669.

Janis Anabel Montgomery McGahan Jacobsen, daughter of Creed Litchfield and Lillian Mazine Couper Montgomery, b. Nov. 22, 1926, married in 1944 to Captain Harold Richard McGahan of the U.S. Air Force. Richard, a pilot, was killed in 1953 in Japan while returning from a rescue mission in peace time. During bad weather they hit a mountain head on. All were wiped out, even the ones they had rescued. He was buried in Arlington Cemetery in Washington, D.C. They had one daughter, Candy, born in 1948.

In March, 1958, Janis Anabel married Col. Walter V. Jacobsen of Missoula, Montana. He is now retired from the services and is employed by the California Highway Com-

mission as an engineer in San Francisco. They have their home in Novato, California. They have one son, Douglas, b. Jan. 20, 1960.

Elizabeth Mildred Montgomery, daughter of William G. and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. Feb. 12, 1859, Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, d. Aug. 24, 1942, at Greenback, Tennessee, buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. She homesteaded a one-fourth section (160 acres) 1908 in Roosevelt County, Elida, New Mexico. This is in the same section as William James Goodnight. The land is still in the Montgomery family. From 1912, she lived with Roy C. Montgomery until her death. She never married.

John Montgomery, son of William G. and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. Feb. 7, 1861, at Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, d. Jan. 31, 1930, in Hanford, California, was buried there. He lived on and operated a 265 acre farm near Hanford, California. He was never married. A letter mailed to E. Mildred Montgomery on Oct. 25, 1933, from the administrator of John Montgomery estate gave the following report: "Unsold remains of the estate; 400 shares to Reserve Oil Co. Stock no value. One share of Erwin Motor Co. Stock value $100.00. Six-Sixteenth shares of Peoples Ditch Co. appraised at $3750.00. Note against David Smith and wife $1800.00. Home ranch 265 acres, appraised at $100.00 per acre. Forty acre ranch in Fresno County appraised at $1600.00. Four lots in Fresno County not worth much if anything. Cash $1542."

Margaret Ann (Mag or Maggie) Montgomery Goodnight, daughter of William G. and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. July 9, 1863, Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, d. Feb. 19, 1946, Fresno, California, buried in Mt. View Cemetery, Fresno, California. While living with her brother, Samuel Creed Montgomery, she married William James Goodnight in 1891 in Prosper, Texas, north of Dallas. His father was James W. Goodnight of Prosper, Texas. William G. died 1922, Fresno, California, and is buried in Belmont Memorial Park Place, Fresno, California. They moved from Prosper, Texas, to Elida, Roosevelt County, New Mexico,



Margaret Montgomery Goodnight Family
Standing: Theodore Otto Berger, Flora Goodnight Berger, and Austin Goodnight. Sitting: William James Goodnight, Margaret Ann (Mag) Montgomery Goodnight.

in 1908 and homestead three-fourths section (480 acres) of land. This land is in the same section as E. Mildred Montgomery one-fourth section. The land here was very fertile but with little rain, it was very hard to make a living. January, 1912, William James G. took his team of mules to Lorenze, (West) Texas, where he sold them. He worked there as a carpenter for $3.25 per day, until May 4, 1912. He sold his land and moved to Fresno, California. Born to this union were two children: Flora and Austin.

Flora Goodnight Berger, daughter of Margaret Ann and William James Goodnight, b. April 5, 1892, Prosper, Collins County, Texas. She was killed in a car wreck April 4, 1973. Interment was in Mt. View Cemetery, Fresno, California. She m. Theodore Otto Berger July 21, 1915, born in Wisconsin January, 1886, d. April, 1967, Fresno, California. They owned a grape ranch. Born to them was one daughter, Charlotte.

Charlotte Berger Edmondson, daughter of Flora Goodnight and Theodore Otto Berger, b. Nov. 10, 1917, Fresno, California, m. Willie Raymond Edmondson, b. Sept. 22, 1914,



George W. Montgomery Family
Roy Clarence Montgomery, George Washington Montgomery, Isa O. Montgomery Hutton, and M. Addie Lane Montgomery.

in Shawnee, Oklahoma, now lives in Clovis, California. They have two daughters, Gayle and Sandra.

Gayle Edmondson Burkhart, daughter of Charlotte Berger and Willie Raymond Edmondson, was b. Sept. 23, 1942, Fresno, California, m. Cecil Ray Burkhart. They have one son, Marc Vincent Burkhart, b. Sept. 26, 1968, Fresno, California.

Sandra Edmondson Pardini, daughter of Charlotte Berger and Willie Raymond Edmondson, was b. April 29, 1946, Clovis, California, m. James Albert Pardini. They have two daughters: Cindi Ann Pardini, b. May 3, 1969, Fresno, California, and Kristi Kay Pardini, b. April 3, 1973, Fresno, California.

Austin Goodnight, son of Margaret Ann and William James Goodnight, b. Aug. 19, 1898, at Prosper, Texas, d. May 26, 1957, at Stockton, San Joaquin, California, buried in Fresno, California, m. Irene N. McCullah, b. April 7, 1898, Hanford, California, daughter of Clem McCullah. They had one daughter, Evelyn M.

Evelyn M. Goodnight Emmrick, daughter of Austin and Irene N. McCullah Goodnight, b. June 10, 1930, Hanford, California, m. Donald L. Emmrick, b. Oct. 6, 1930, Oakland, California. They have three children: Charlene Ann Emmrick, b. Dec. 4, 1956, Walnut Creek, California; Dorene Mae Emmrick, b. Aug. 25, 1958, Walnut Creek, California; and Carrie Lee Emmrick, b. Sept. 9, 1960, Walnut Creek, California.

George Washington Montgomery, son of William Gillespie and Jane Burton Montgomery, b. Sept. 6, 1865, d. June 17, 1919, buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. He was born and lived on the original Montgomery farm. His first wife was Martha Addie Lane, m. Feb. 18, 1884. Her parents were Dr. Samuel D. Lane and Martha S. Blankenship Lane. Her brother was a doctor, Dr. Charlie Lane and two uncles, Dr. Ross Lane and Dr. Jim Lane. Addie was b. March 28, 1868, d. June 11, 1897, buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery.

They had four children: Roy Clarence, Isa Oleta, the twins Etta, b. June 25, 1892, d. July 9, 1892, and Retta, b. June 25, 1892, d. July 16, 1892, both buried in Baker's



Roy Clarence Montgomery and Minnie F. Belt Montgomery.

Creek Cemetery.

Roy Clarence Montgomery, son of George Washington and Martha Addie Lane Montgomery, b. Aug. 22, 1885, d. Feb. 18, 1941, buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. He was born and lived on the original Montgomery farm, m. Minnie Fidella Belt, April 30, 1906. She was b. Dec. 24, 1887, d. Feb. 16, 1973, buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. Minnie's grandfather, Stephen Kirk Belt, and sister, Nancy Belt, moved from Virginia about 1850 to Blount County. Kirk Belt's name is listed on the Blount County War Memorial Monument on the Court House lawn. He fought and died for the Union Army, 1861-1862. He married Temperance Dewberry. They had three children: W. G. Belt, Lucy Belt Cook, and Robert L. Belt. Minnie Belt Montgomery's father, Robert L. Belt, b. April 1, 1861, d. July 12, 1937, was a merchant at Wellsville. He married Phebe Alice Wells in 1884, whose parents were Stephen Elsworth Wells and Nancy Ann Headrick. Alice was b. Nov. 22, 1869, d. July 15, 1956; both were buried in Grandview Cemetery, Maryville, Tennessee. They had six children: Stephen Elsworth, Minnie Fidella, Ova Wells, Olie Bee, Judith Lillian, and Dr. Robert LeRoy. Roy and Minnie Montgomery had three children: Addie Belt, Creed Malcolm, and Elbert LeRoy.

Addie Belt Montgomery, daughter of Roy Clarence and Minnie F. Belt Montgomery, b. April 22, 1907, d. Aug. 30, 1932, is buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. She m. John Thomas Dunham, Dec. 18, 1922, who was b. June 5, 1903. His parents were James David Dunham and Ira Burgess. John was a retail meat cutter. Addie B. was a hair stylist in Maryville, Tennessee. They had one child, Doris June Dunham Montgomery.



Top row: Howard Harris, Robert D. Harris, Robert Montgomery Harris. Second row: June Montgomery Harris, Sue Wilson Harris. Third row: Edward Harris, Jeffery Harris, and Sheri Harris.

Doris June Dunham Montgomery Harris, daughter of Addie Belt and John Thomas Dunham, b. Jan. 29, 1924, m. May 20, 1944, to Robert Dale Harris, b. June 18, 1924, Knoxville, Tennessee. His parents were Howard Roy Harris and Lillian Norris Harris. Bob graduated in engineering from UT, Knoxville, and is employed by Texas Instruments, Dallas, Texas, as safety engineer. June attended Mary Washington College in Fredricksburg, Virginia, then UT, Knoxville. Bob served in World War II as a Lt. J. G. in the Navy Pacific area. They have three children: Robert Montgomery, Howard Dale and Edward Lindsey.

Robert Montgomery Harris, son of Doris June and Bob Dale Harris, b. March 15, 1945, Maryville, Tennessee, m. Sept. 3, 1963, to Suzanne Singleton Wilson, b. March 26, 1946, New York City, N. Y. Her parents are James L. Wilson and Miriam Wells. Bobby graduated from Tennessee Wesleyan College, and works as a realtor in Dallas, Texas. They have two children: Jeffery Lynn Harris, b. May 13, 1964, Middletown, New Jersey, and Sheri Helene Harris, b. July 2, 1968, Garland, Texas.

Howard Dale Harris, son of Doris June and Bob D. Harris, b. Nov. 17, 1950, Knoxville, Tennessee. Howard served with the U.S. Army in Vietnam. He lives and works in Dallas, Texas.

Edward Lindsey Harris, son of Doris June and Bob D. Harris, b. July 10, 1963, Middletown, New Jersey.

Creed Malcolm Montgomery, son of Roy Clarence and Minnie F. Montgomery, b. June 8, 1909, Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, m. Indietta Bruce, Oct. 1, 1934, who was b. Sept. 27, 1912. Parents Thomas Leslie Bruce and Sally Line Bruce. Indie graduated from UT, Knoxville, with a B.S. degree at the age of sixty. She has taught more than thirty years in Blount County schools. Creed graduated from UT, Knoxville, coached and taught school for eleven years in Blount County. He is a member of Phi Delta Kappa honorary educational society. He lives and farms the original Montgomery farm. He served as Director and President of Blount County Farm Bureau for several years. He helped organize and served as the first President of Blount



Creed Montgomery Family

Top to bottom: First row: J. V. Britton, Jr., Wanda Montgomery Britton, David W. Britton, Andrew M. Britton. Second row: Tommy Joe Willocks, Susan Montgomery Willocks, Joetta L. Willocks, Keith M. Willocks. Third row: Roy Thomas Montgomery, Betty Hill Montgomery, Steven A. Montgomery. Fourth row: Elbert LeRoy Montgomery, Iris Skeen Montgomery, Ova Ann Montgomery and J. Bryan Montgomery. Front row, seated: Indietta Bruce Montgomery and Creed Malcolm Montgomery.

Farmers' Co-operative, and served on its Board of Directors over twenty-five years. He was Director and President of Tennessee Farmer Co-operative at La Vergne, Tennessee, member of Blount County Court, Director of Blount Memorial Hospital, and Director and President of Greenback Producers Association. He took an active part in all community organizations, and was elder and Clerk of Session in Baker's Creek Presbyterian Church for over forty years. He was a commissioner for Union Presbytery

to General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church U.S.A. in Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1952. He was Commissioner for the Synod of Mid-South to the Organization of the New Synod of the South in the United Presbyterian Church U.S.A. in Miami Beach, Florida, in 1972. Creed and Indie have traveled extensively, including trips abroad. They have four children: Wanda Bruce, Susan Elizabeth, Roy Thomas, and Ova Ann.

Wanda Bruce Montgomery Britton, daughter of Creed Malcolm and Indietta Bruce Montgomery, b. Sept. 9, 1935, Maryville, Tennessee, m. Nov. 24, 1955, to John Victor Britton, Jr., who was b. Aug. 7, 1933. His parents were John Victor Britton and Nellie Pansy Hartman Britton, Greeneville, Tennessee. Wanda attended UT, Knoxville. J. V. graduated from UT, Knoxville, with a B.S. and master's degree, and works for East Tennessee Packing Company, Knoxville, Tennessee, as a quality control engineer. He is a Major in the Army Reserve. They live in Maryville, Tennessee, and have two sons: David Wayne, b. May 26, 1957, Tacoma, Washington, and Andrew Montgomery, b. May 10, 1961, Waycross, Georgia.

Susan Elizabeth Montgomery Willocks, daughter of Creed Malcolm and Indietta Bruce Montgomery, b. Oct. 4, 1937, Maryville, Tennessee, m. Oct. 26, 1956, to Tommy Joe Willocks, b. Oct. 2, 1935. Parents are Robert Earl Willocks and Myrtle Henderson Willocks. Susan attended Tennessee Wesleyan College. She is the senior finance clerk for Associates Financial Service Company, Nashville, Tennessee. Tommy Joe works for the Tennessee Transportation Department, Nashville, Tennessee. They have two children: Joetta Lynn Willocks, b. Sept. 16, 1959, Tacoma, Washington, and Keith Malcolm Willocks, b. Dec. 23, 1964, Huntsville, Alabama.

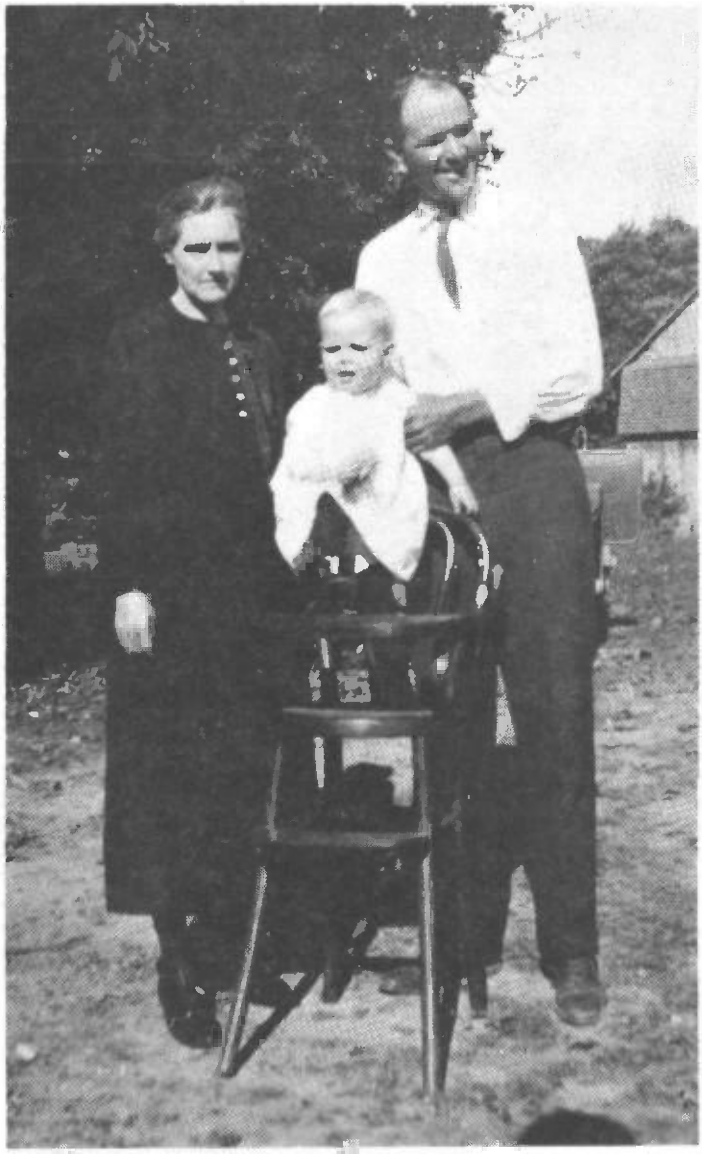
Roy Thomas Montgomery, son of Creed Malcolm and Indietta Bruce Montgomery, b. Oct. 26, 1942, Maryville, Tennessee, m. July 20, 1962, to Betty Ann Hill, b. April 14, 1942. Parents Hubert Hill and Elsa Ruth Healy Hill. Roy attended UT, Knoxville. He works as an estimator for Rentenbach Engineering Company, Knoxville, Tennessee. Betty works for UT, Knoxville. They have two sons: Steven

Alan, b. May 18, 1963, Knoxville, Tennessee, and Jeffrey Bryan, b. April 13, 1967, Knoxville, Tennessee.

Ova Ann Montgomery, daughter of Creed Malcolm and Indietta Bruce Montgomery, born Oct. 25, 1950, Knoxville, Tennessee. Ann graduated from UT, Knoxville, December, 1971, with a B.S. degree in mathematics education. She is working on a master's degree in computer science. Honors and awards: Pi Lamba Theta Professional and Honor Society, and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society. She works for TVA as a mathematician specializing in scientific applications of computer programming in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Elbert LeRoy Montgomery, son of Roy Clarence and Minnie F. B. Montgomery, b. Feb. 14, 1914, Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, m. June 30, 1945, to Iris Rose Skeen, b. Oct. 4, 1915, Morristown, Tennessee. Parents Elbert Jackson Skeen and Clara Jane Peoples Skeen, Morristown, Tennessee. Elbert graduated from Maryville College and worked for the Aluminum Company of America for a short time. He was born and lives on the original Montgomery farm, and raises crops and livestock, Blount County, Tennessee. Elbert is very active in community activities. He is Director of Blount County Farm Bureau, Director of Blount County Livestock Association, Director of Greenback Farmers' Co-op, and Director in Fort Loudoun Electric Co-op. He has been an elder and church treasurer in Baker's Creek Presbyterian Church for several years. Iris is a nurse at Blount Memorial Hospital, Maryville, Tennessee.

Isa Oleta Montgomery, daughter of George and Martha Adaline Lane Montgomery, was born August 3, 1888, in Blount County. Isa later married John Wicklof Hutton, son of John N. and Elizabeth Martin Hutton, born on September 13, 1883. The wedding took place on October 12, 1913, at Baker's Creek Church. John W. and Isa had one son named John Montgomery Hutton. John W. Hutton died May 2, 1964, and was buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. Isa Oleta Hutton died January 30, 1968, and was also buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. John W. and Isa Hutton lived and worked



Isa O. Montgomery Hutton, John W. Hutton and John M. Hutton.

together on their dairy farm near Greenback, Tennessee, until their death.

John Montgomery Hutton, son of John Wicklof and Isa Oleta Hutton, was born April 3, 1923. John M. married Barbara LaVerne Ryan on December 15, 1945, in Greenback, Tennessee. Barbara was the seventh child of William Harrison and Magdalene Ryan, born May 13, 1923, in Knoxville, Tennessee. John M. and Barbara now operate the dairy farm near Greenback, Tennessee. They had one son and two daughters.



John Montgomery Hutton Family
Back row: Bill R. Webb, M. Gail Hutton Webb, Linda L. Hutton, Cheryl Whetstone Hutton, H. Wayne Hutton. Front row: Barbara L. Ryan Hutton, Derek W. Hutton, John Montgomery Hutton, and J. Whetstone Hutton.

Harold Wayne Hutton, son of John Montgomery and Barbara Hutton, was born December 3, 1946, in Blount County. After receiving the B.S. and M.S. degree in agriculture from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Wayne joined Upjohn Pharmaceuticals. Wayne and his wife, Cheryl Ann Whetstone Hutton, were married August 15, 1969, in Dalton, Georgia, and now reside in Maryville, Tennessee. Cheryl was born August 11, 1946, to Luke and Marie Whetstone, now living in Pensacola, Florida. Cheryl received the B.S. degree from the University of Alabama and the M.S. degree from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. She is currently working toward the Ph.D. degree at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Wayne and Cheryl have two sons, John Whetstone Hutton, born September 1, 1970, and Derek Wayne Hutton, born July 22, 1971.

Marjorie Gail Hutton, daughter of John Montgomery and Barbara Hutton, was born December 8, 1949, in Blount County. Gail received the B.S. degree in home economics from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Gail married Bill Renfro Webb on December 18, 1971, in Greenback, Tennessee. Bill is the son of Renfro and Lottie Webb of Oneida, Tennessee, born on October 30, 1944. Bill received the B.S. degree in industrial engineering from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Gail and Bill live in Greenback, Tennessee. Bill is pursuing a degree in mechanical engineering at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, and Gail is teaching elementary school at Greenback School.

Linda Louise Hutton, daughter of John Montgomery and Barbara Hutton, was born September 13, 1952, in Blount County. Linda lives with her parents in Greenback, Tennessee, and is employed at the Montvale Nursing Home in Maryville, Tennessee.



George W. and Mary Malinda Grayson Montgomery, 1900.

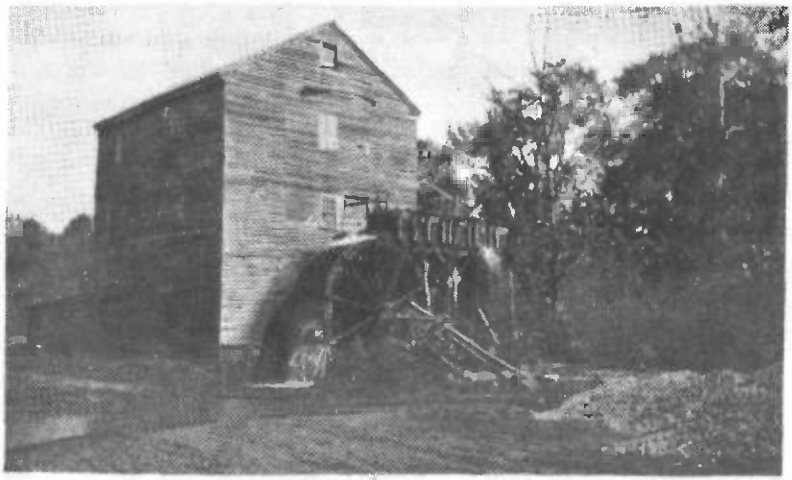
DESCENDANTS OF GEORGE AND MARY MALINDA MONTGOMERY

George Washington Montgomery married second, Mary Malinda M. (Mollie) Grayson, Nov. 4, 1900. She was born Dec. 14, 1869, married first, Mr. Will White, died March 20, 1952, at the home of her daughter, Gracie Stephenson. They lived on the family farm in Brick Mill community. He owned the "Baker's Creek Mill" and had business interests in Knoxville. Both George and Mollie are buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery. They had two daughters:

1. Georgie May, born June 28, 1904
2. Mary Gracie, born April 4, 1906.

Georgie May, daughter of George and Mollie Montgomery, married first, James Wessley James, Sr. of Blount County, May 1, 1920. They later divorced. Their children were:

James Wessley, Jr., born April 4, 1921



Brick Mill was the first mill to receive a permit from Blount County Court in 1795. This, the second building, was built about 1875. It produced meal and flour. It is now owned by Georgia Montgomery Stephenson.

Mary Catherine, born Aug. 13, 1922
George Washington, born July 20, 1924.

Georgie married second, James C. Stephenson, born Sept. 23, 1905, died Jan. 15, 1965, from McMinn County, Tennessee. Date of marriage: Jan. 12, 1929. A brick mason by trade, he worked with his brother, Patrick C. Stephenson, husband of Gracie. James and Georgie built their home on land adjoining Patrick and Gracie. On this farm is located the "old log cabin" originally built late in the eighteen hundreds occupied by Jane and Gillespie Montgomery, later restored with additions made. Georgie still owns the Baker's Creek Mill known as Brick Mill. After James' death, she sold their farm and moved into the Fairview community near Maryville. He is buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery.

James Wessley, Jr., son of Georgie and James W. James, Sr., married Temple Stewart of Etowah where they live. Temple is secretary of Sportswear Hosiery Mill in Etowah; she has received a pen for twenty-five years of service. Their children are twin sons, born March 13, 1953:

Robert Wessley James, married December 22, 1973, to Debbie Shells, of Philadelphia, Tennessee.

Fred Stephenson.

Fred Stephenson (Stevie), son of James Wessley and Temple James, married March 10, 1973, Vicki Jean Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harper Wilson of Etowah.

Mary Catherine, daughter of Georgie and James W. James, Sr., graduated from the University of Tennessee with a degree in home economics and worked as a home economist with the U. S. Extension Department in Virginia. She married, 1946, Ralph Allen Cleek of Bath County, Virginia. Born June 15, 1917, the son of Jack and Elizabeth Gewin Cleek, he graduated from Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1940. They work and live in Hot Springs, Virginia. Their children are:

Dorothy Ann, born July 31, 1947
Mary Susan, born April 16, 1949
Ralph Allen, Jr., born Nov. 15, 1958.

Dorothy Ann, daughter of Mary Catherine and Ralph Allen Cleek, attended Robie Secretarial School, Boston, Massachusetts, was married, 1967, to Samuel Jackson Snead, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jackson Snead, Sr., golf pro, of Hot Springs, Virginia, and Boca Raton, Florida. Their children are:

Catherine Elizabeth, born Jan. 21, 1971

Samuel Jackson Snead III, born Nov. 29, 1972

Mary Susan Cleek, daughter of Mary Catherine and Ralph Allen Cleek, graduated from Virginia Commonwealth University in 1972. She married, 1969, Michael Edward McCullock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCullock of Alexandria, Virginia, and Little Rock, Arkansas.



Baker's Creek Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., was established in 1796 when a log church was built. Several Revolutionary War soldiers were buried in the cemetery. Also buried here is the mother of Sam Houston. The tall stone in front is the marker of William Gillespie and Jane Burton Montgomery. A second building was built in 1836. This is the third church, built in 1876. The present building was erected in 1949-50.

George Washington James, son of Georgie and James W. James, married Geneva Mash, the daughter of George Washington and Annie May Mash of Nashville, Tennessee, Aug. 13, 1943. He has been a business agent for Brickmason of Knoxville for eighteen years. Their home is out of Maryville on the Sevierville Pike. Children are:

George Carroll, born Jan. 30, 1945
Mary Malinda, born July 31, 1946
Janice Lee, born Aug. 23, 1951.

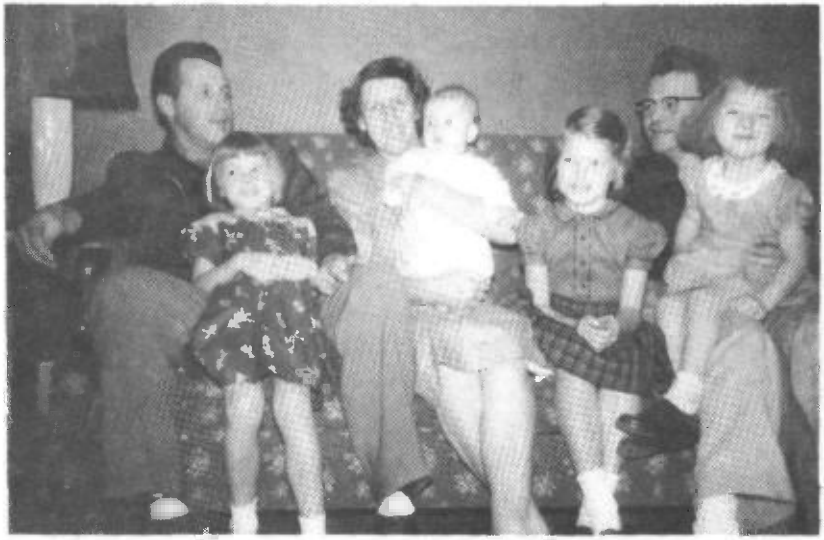
George Carroll, son of G. W. and Geneva James, married Bobbie Jean Dunn of Maryville on June 26, 1965. Bobbie was born Sept. 18, 1947. Her parents are Farris Woodrow and Clara Hatcher Dunn. He works for Hickory Corner Trailer Sales, and she is manager of Maryville Jewelers. Carroll has followed two generations preceding him as a brickmason. Their children are:

George Timothy, born Oct. 9, 1969
April Lynnette, born Dec. 26, 1970.

Mary Malinda, daughter of G. W. and Geneva James, married July 19, 1969, James Boyd Murchie of Poland, Ohio. Mary Malinda graduated from the University of Tennessee with a B.S. degree in English, and Jim Murchie received a B.S. in industrial engineering from Lehigh University and M.S. from Ohio State University. Both are employed with Alcoa. Jim is the son of John William and Rebecca Murchie, originally from Pennsylvania. Malinda and Jim have a son, James William, born July 5, 1971.

Janice Lee, daughter of G. W. and Geneva James, graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1973, and is teaching in Knox County at Dora Kennedy School. She married Nov. 22, 1969, Russell Larry Holt, born May 5, 1951, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell L. Holt; he works for the Southern Railway.

Gracie, daughter of George and Mary Malinda Montgomery, married Patrick Cannon Stephenson, Dec. 18, 1922. Born April 23, 1903, in Cambria, Tennessee, he worked as a brick mason, as are both their sons. With Gracie they made home and shared it with her mother, Mary Malinda, until her death in the old family home. He died Dec. 20,



Gracie Montgomery Stephenson Family
Back row: Charles P. Stephenson, M. Grace Montgomery Stephenson, Pat C. Stephenson. Front row: Beverly Ann Stephenson, Vicki Stephenson, Sharon Stephenson, D. Starling Stephenson.

1968, and is buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery near their home. Their children are:

William Carol, born Oct. 13, 1923

Charles Patrick, born Dec. 31, 1924.

William Carol, son of Gracie and Patrick Stephenson, married Oct. 19, 1947, Odessia Eloise Reeves of Tate, Georgia. She was born July 15, 1928. Their children are:

Deborah Starling, born Oct. 21, 1949, in Palestine, Texas

Vicky Jean, born Aug. 17, 1954, in Kansas City, Kansas

William Bryan, born May 6, 1960, in Maryville, Tennessee

Melissa Carol, born May 4, 1965, in Maryville, Tennessee.

Charles Patrick, son of Gracie and Patrick Stephenson, married July 6, 1946, Thelma June Fields, born Jan. 28, 1928, in Loudon, Tennessee. Their children are:

Sonja Sharron, born April 17, 1947, in Cincinnati, Ohio

Beverly Ann, born Nov. 1, 1948, in Maryville, Tennessee.

Sonja Sharron, daughter of Charles and Thelma June Stephenson, married July 22, 1967, Allen James Brown, who was born Dec. 21, 1947, in Kansas City, Missouri. He expects (1973) to finish his study as a hospital administrator soon. Their sons are:

Sean Allen, born Dec. 31, 1967, in Biloxi, Mississippi

Chad Randolph, born Jan. 7, 1971, in Wichita, Kansas.

Beverly Ann, daughter of Charles and Thelma June Stephenson, married June 8, 1968, Thomas Carl Bumpons III, who was born Nov. 26, 1944, in Nashville, Tennessee.

Elbert Roger Montgomery, son of William Gillespie and Jane Burton Montgomery, was b. Oct. 10, 1868, at Greenback, Blount County, Tennessee, d. Jan. 11, 1947, at Hanford, California, was buried in Hanford Cemetery. He was married Dec. 3, 1905, at Hanford, to Lora E. Barnett, who was b. Jan. 25, 1878, at Hanford, d. Nov., 1947, buried in Hanford Cemetery, Hanford, California. Her parents were Zachariah and Fannie Ogle Barnett. He owned and operated a 360 acre farm. On June 19, 1919, he arrived at his childhood home at Greenback, Tennessee, two days after his brother George W. Montgomery, died. This was his second visit to Tennessee. They had one child, Elbert Barnett.

Elbert Barnett Montgomery, son of Elbert Roger and Lora Barnett Montgomery, b. Oct. 13, 1906, at Hanford, Kings County, California, m. Feb. 6, 1933, at Maders, California, to Laura Mildred Pray, b. Feb. 6, 1909, at Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, daughter of Eli Pray of Kansas and Laura Sipes Pray. Elbert and Laura live on and operate the original Elbert Roger Montgomery farm. They have two sons, Gary Elbert and Robert Daren.

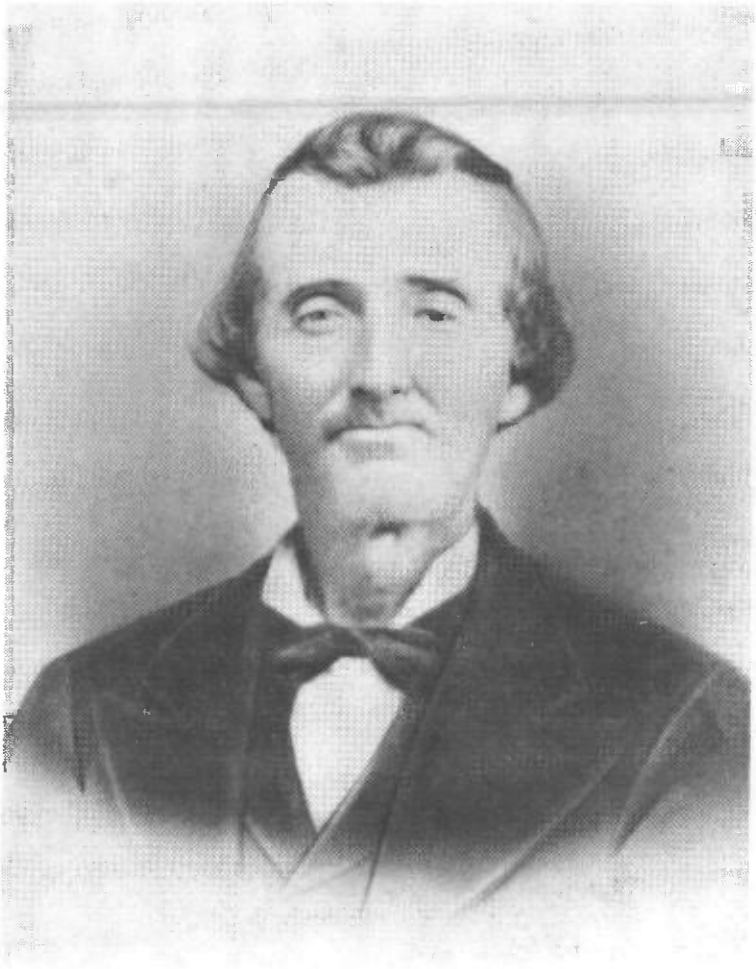
Dr. Gary Elbert Montgomery, son of Elbert Barnett and Laura Mildred Pray Montgomery, b. Oct. 31, 1934, Hanford, California, m. Jan. 29, 1956, Davis, California, to Diane Yvonne Miguel, b. Aug. 19, 1936, Hanford, California, daughter of Manuel Perreira and Viola Elaine Miguel. Gary graduated from the University of California at Davis



Elbert Roger Montgomery and Lora E. Barnett Montgomery.

in 1956 with a B.S. degree in veterinary science and in 1958 with a D.V.M. degree. He is now in a bovine practice, limiting himself to dairy work. He spent two years in the Army Veterinary Corps as a First Lieutenant. Gary and Diane live near Hanford, California. They have two daughters: Garen Ann, b. Nov. 28, 1958, in San Antonio, Texas, and Yvonne Renee, b. Aug. 8, 1962, in Hanford, California.

Robert Daren Montgomery, son of Elbert Barnett and Laura Mildred Pray Montgomery, b. Aug. 28, 1936, m. Oct. 28, 1961, Hanford, California, to Joy Sue Musick, b. Jan. 5, 1941, daughter of Roy Fredrick and Ila Belle Musick. Robert graduated from Fresno State College in 1961 with a B.S. degree in dairy science. He served in the infantry, 1956 to 1958, as a PFC. Robert and Joy Sue live near Hanford, California. They have two daughters: Melonie Lynn, b. Sept. 3, 1964, in Garden Grove, California, and Kristi Ann, b. April 21, 1972, in Hanford, California.



Samuel Montgomery, Jr.

CHAPTER 9
SAMUEL AND HETTY ANN MONTGOMERY
(Compiled by Margaret M. Vawter)

Samuel Montgomery, b. 6-4-1824, d. 4-2-1885, m. 9-30-1852 Hetty Ann Montgomery, b. 7-17-1836, d. 11-23-1911. Issue 8.

Samuel and his young daughter, Flora Ann, had been to a blacksmith to get some plow points sharpened. Samuel raised mules and had a young bunch in a pasture field beside the road leading to his home. He was driving a horse in a buggy. The horse became excited over the mules following the fence and started running. The buggy wheel struck a rock and threw Samuel out, striking his head on a rock. He died from this accident soon after, at the age of sixty years. Hetty Ann was a very imposing lady. Probably due to her Virginia heritage. When Grandfather was killed, she was only forty-nine years of age. After the children were all married and gone from home, she lived with the children, going from one to the other for several months at a time. The writer, who was seven years old when Grandmother died, remembers and cherishes the time she spent sitting by her side, listening to her talk, while she pieced quilts. Others of the grandchildren remember times like this, I'm sure. She was a beautiful person in looks as well as character. Samuel gave the land for Pine Grove Cemetery. It was established July 18, 1883.

Mary Eveline Montgomery, b. 9-18-1853
Eliza Caldonia Montgomery, b. 6-6-1855
Andrew Barkley Montgomery, b. 9-1-1857
Samuel Oliver Montgomery, b. 8-18-1860
Robert Green Montgomery, b. 10-26-1862



Hetty Ann Montgomery

JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

John E. Montgomery, b. 9-22-1864
Floyd Houston Montgomery, b. 7-30-1867, d. 7-26-1886
Flora Ann Montgomery, b. 9-1-1869
(From Samuel and Hetty's Bible.)

MARY EVELINE MONTGOMERY AND CASWELL TIPTON

Mary Eveline Montgomery, b. 9-18-1853, d. 10-5-1918, m. 3-10-1872 Caswell Tipton, b. 7-15-1845, d. 1-7-1923. Issue 9.

Samuel Harrison Tipton, b. 12-14-1872, d. 4-30-1935, m. 12-12-1897 Mary Ragin. Issue 5.

Lela Irene Tipton, b. 10-14-1898, m. 2-16-1921, Willie Harvey of Vonore, Tennessee. They now reside in Madisonville, Tennessee, and he has a garage. Issue 4.
Willie Irene Harvey, b. 11-20-1921
Robert Howard Harvey, b. 4-13-1926
Cyrus Leon Harvey, b. 10-11-1923
Mary Florence Harvey, b. -26-1929

Robert Oliver Tipton, b. 10-10-1900, m. 5-10-1924, Edith Davis.

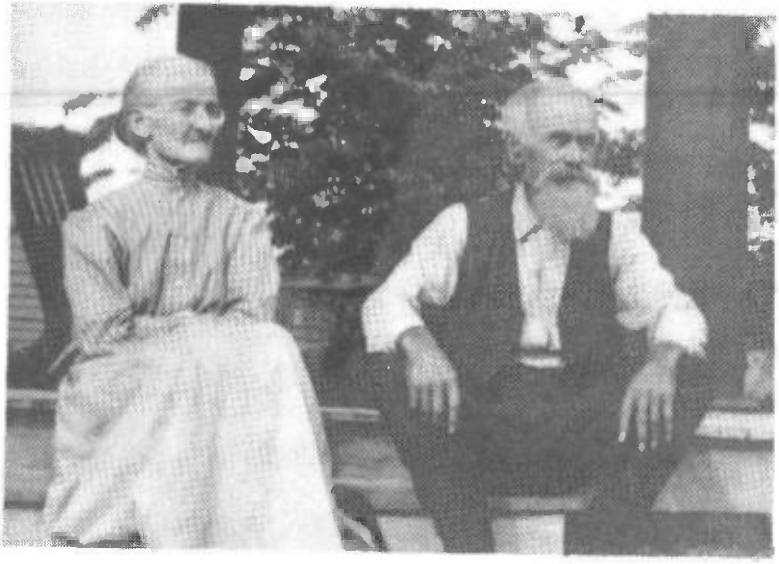
Nora Evelyn Tipton, b. 3-31-1902, m. 5-21-1927, Ben Ray.

Caswell Barton Tipton, b. 10-31-1907, d. 1-4-1908.

William Ross Tipton, b. 10-15-1918

Robert Oliver Tipton and Stella Dunlap

Robert Oliver Tipton, b. 6-14-1878, d. 10-6-1956, m. 8-20-1909, Stella Dunlap, b. 1-7-1879, d. 11-7-1962. Issue 4.



Caswell and Evaline Montgomery Tipton

Clara Evelyn Tipton, b. 1-5-1904, m. Ray G. Lee (deceased), m. second, Robert Lee Baldwin, b. 6-30-1917, m. 3-8-1958. Clara is a bookkeeper and Robert is a salesman in Miami, Florida. Issue 1.

Robert R. Lee, b. 2-24-1929, m. Marian Munroe. Robert is an executive in Dunedin, Florida.

Ruth Mae Tipton, b. 11-21-1907, m. 7-20-1935, Robert Lee Leyer, b. 1-15-1894, d. 7-26-1960. Ruth is a retired secretary and bookkeeper. Robert was a builder and mechanic.

Edgar Lee Tipton – no information.

Mary Blanche Tipton, b. 6-22-1916, m. William Francis Knight, m. second 4-4-1973, William Ronald Cleveland, b. 10-23-1917. They live in Lauderhill, Florida, and Mr. Cleveland is a salesman.

June Carolyn Knight, b. 7-22-1940, m. 9-5-1961, David Wayne Edwards, b. 8-11-1940. This couple lives in Atlanta, Georgia. Mr. Edwards has his B.S. and M.A. degrees. He is manager of Orange Blossom Citrus Products of Atlanta and teaches Spanish at Saint Pius X High School. June has a B.A. and M.A. in Spanish, M.A. in French and Ph.D. She is assistant professor of Spanish at Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia. She also taught at the University of Tennessee in 1965 to 1967. They both are active in all sports. Issue 2.

Thais Elena Edwards, b. 2-2-1968, in Madrid, Spain
Daniel Anthony Edwards, b. 2-4-1941.

William Franklin Tipton Knight, b. 7-28-1942, m. 10-30-1965, Carmen Carole Ward, b. 1-1943. They live in Concord, Massachusetts. Education: Capitol Page School, Washington, D.C., and Miami Senior High School. Tulane University (with junior year abroad at the University of Glasgow, Scotland), B.A. additional study, University of Madrid. Georgetown University, M.A., graduate study at Harvard University (sociology) and M.I.T. (political science). Occupation: author and goldsmith (training at the Craft Students League, New York, N.Y., and the Kulicke Cloissone Studio, New York, N.Y. Professional work: Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, N.Y., and Tiffany and Co., also of New York). Places of residence: Miami; Washington, D.C.; Glasgow, Scotland; Madrid, Spain; Khanh Hoi, South Viet Nam; Cambridge, Massachusetts; New York, N.Y.; Concord, Massachusetts. Public service: member of research team for M.I.T. in South Viet Nam.

Edgar Barkley Tipton, b. 5-14-1877, d. 4-29-1950, m. 4-10-1898, Effie Evelyn McCollum, b. 4-6-1882, d. 7-29-1968. Issue 8.

Alta Marie Tipton, b. 7-14-1899, d. 5-14-1973, m. 12-3-1929, John Wiley Blair, b. 10-28-1898, d. 1-21-1951. No issue.

Infant twin sons, b. 6-23-1901, d. 6-23-1901.

Joseph Clifford Tipton, b. 8-31-1903, m. 5-14-1933, Ruby Dale Crownover, d. 1-8-1973.

Beulah Mae Tipton, b. 8-31-1903, m. 3-12-1924, Andrew Gamble Law, b. 4-15-1901. Gamble works with V. L. Nicholson and Company, building contractors of Knoxville, Tennessee, and they live in Lakemont. Issue 4.

James Edward Law, b. 11-1-1924, d. 4-10-1927.

Allen Gamble Law, b. 9-1-1926, m. 12-30-1950, Betty Jo Clemens, b. 7-5-1928. Allen is a salesman and Betty Jo teaches the second grade at John Sevier Elementary School in Maryville, Tennessee. Issue 4.

Martha Gail Law, b. 5-26-1952
James Allen Law, b. 6-18-1954
Joel Bradley Law, b. 9-25-1956
Jeffrey Kent Law, b. 11-3-1958

Beulah Jo Law, b. 4-24-1928, m. 9-16-1950, William Thomas Hill, b. 4-8-1925. Bill is a geologist with a B.A. and M.S. degree. Beulah Jo is a homemaker and school teacher. Issue 3.

Pamela Kay Hill, b. 11-21-1955
Leigh Ann Hill, b. 4-23-1958
Lisa Karen Hill, b. 11-16-1961

Nancy Evelyn Law, b. 1-29-1939, m. 6-17-1961 Robert (Bob) Luther Henry, b. 6-14-1939. They live at Lakemont, near Maryville, Tennessee. Issue 2.

Kimberly Kane Henry, b. 11-25-1965 in Germany
Robert Bradley Henry, b. 4-22-1969

Bob spent two years in Germany during his Army service.

Mary Kate Tipton, b. 11-14-1906, m. 4-26-1944, Charles Baily Frazier, b. 8-16-1895, d. 2-24-1959. She lives in Sarasota, Florida.

Dana Lee Tipton, b. 10-2-1908, m. 8-10-1935, Philip Paul Hauser, b. 7-1-1906. He is with L. Nicholson Construction Company in Knoxville and lives at Louisville, Tennessee. Issue 1.

Dana Elizabeth Hauser, b. 2-2-1941, Knoxville, Tennessee.

Coll Barnes Tipton, b. 2-29-1912, d. 10-31-1961, m. 6-29-1937, Ethel Cross, b. 12-11-1912. He owned and operated a motel in Florida when he died. Issue 1.

Jonathan Cross Tipton, b. 11-29-1949.

Descendants of Nena Lea Tipton and James O. McCammon

Nena Lea Tipton, b. 6-24-1879, d. 3-2-1963, m. 8-22-1901, James O. McCammon, d. 7-13-1949. Issue 3.

J. Otto McCammon, b. 8-23-1902, m. 2-15-1928, Glenn Cruze, b. 1-3-1906. Otto is purchasing agent for Morristown Power Plant and lives there. Glenn is retired and former bookkeeper to an insurance agency, also a former school teacher. Issue 1.

Nancy Jane McCammon, b. 2-23-1941, m. 8-28-1965, Roger Harry Jones. Nancy is a graduate of Emory and Henry College and is a bookkeeper for Bank of Commerce of Morristown. Issue 2.

Kenneth Thomas Jones, b. 1-7-1968

Michael William Jones, b. 4-6-1970.

Horace C. McCammon, b. 6-23-1907, m. 3-27-1931, Annie Mary Yoder, b. 6-18-1909. Horace was a former owner of McCammon Equipment Company of Maryville. Annie is a homemaker. Horace served twenty-two years on Blount County Court, twenty-one years on Blount Memorial Hospital Board, twenty-two years Maryville Rotary Club, three years American Red Cross Board, deacon in Maryville New Providence Presbyterian Church, and deacon in Erin Providence Church. Issue 1.

Horace Robert McCammon, b. 11-18-1935, m. 8-7-1960, Bettie Diggs. Bobby is an appraiser. He graduated from Georgia Institute of Technology with an M.E. degree.

Quince McCammon m. Elizabeth Tefft. Quince was owner and operator of McCammon's Office Supplies, but sold out and is in real estate. Elizabeth is a teacher at "The Ceramic Center" on Knoxville Highway. Issue 1.

Barbara McCammon m. Trygue Johann Tolnas. Issue 2.
Carol Ann Tolnas, b. 1964
Barry Eriksen Tolnas, b. 1969
Mr. Tolnas is with the Aluminum Company of America at Rockdale, Texas.

Frank Clifford Tipton, b. 1-6-1882, d. 8-19-1962, m. 1-27-1911, Mattie Cox.

Horace Caswell Tipton, b. 1-6-1887, d. 5-22-1960, m. 5-1894, Margaret Quinn, m. second, Irene Carey, b. 2-8-1910. No issue.

Annie Lou Tipton, b. 1-6-1890, m. 11-22-1910, John Godfrey Stinnette, b. 5-18-1889, d. 6-12-1966. Home – Knoxville, Tennessee. Issue 4.

Louise Tipton Stinnette, b. 7-20-1915, m. 12-30-1939, Taylor O. Cowan, Jr., b. 4-8-1915. Mr. Cowan attended the University of North Carolina and studied radio and television at the University of Tennessee and is in the radio and television business. He was in the U.S. Air Force from June, 1943, to January, 1946. Both are active in church and community projects. Issue 1.

Taylor O. Cowan, III, b. 5-8-1943, m. 9-10-1966, Caroline Lee Ketron, b. 8-1-1944. The Cowans live in Bristol, Tennessee. His hobbies are football, boating, records. Issue 1.
Taylor Chadwick Cowan, b. 7-20-1973

JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

Mary Evelyn Stinnette, b. 4-23-1920, m. 6-10-1957, J. Hascal Chesney, b. 3-9-1915. Mr. Chesney has a B.S. degree from the University of Tennessee and is a teacher. His hobbies are carpentry, flying, crafts and gardening. Mary Evelyn has a B.S. degree from Tennessee Wesleyan and is a teacher. Both are active in Inskip United Methodist Church; he with masonry and she with Eastern Star.

John Caswell Stinnette, b. 2-26-1925, m. 10-3-1947, Nancy Copenhaver, b. 6-9-1927. J. C. is an electrician. He was in the 90th Infantry in France from 1943-1945. Issue 1.

John Meek Stinnette, b. 1-14-1952

Infant daughter, b. 4-3-1884, d. 4-4-1884

Floyd Montgomery Tipton, b. 4-5-1885, d. 9-22-1886.

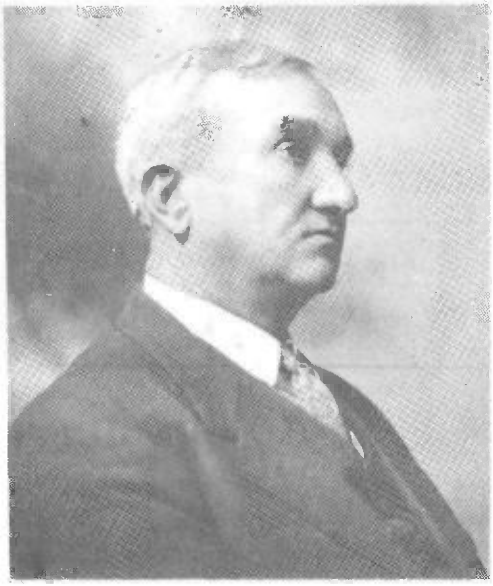
ELIZA CALDONIA MONTGOMERY AND LUKE LEE CALLAWAY

Luke Lea Callaway, b. 5-19-1850, d. 8-8-1921, m. 9-8-1880, Eliza Caldonia Montgomery, b. 6-6-1885, d. 10-8-1936. They owned and lived on a large farm on the Little Tennessee River in Monroe County, Tennessee, called "Tuskega" or "Big Island," where all seven of the children were born. They sold "Tuskega" and bought another large farm in Bradley County, Tennessee, near Cleveland. Both died and were buried in Cleveland. Issue 7.

1. Benjamin Montgomery Callaway, b. 11-29-1881, d. 6-30-1951
2. Flora Annie Callaway, b. 7-30-1883, d. 11-18-1887
3. Ida Russell Callaway, b. 7-24-1885, d. 4-5-1963
4. Hettie Sue Callaway, b. 2-2-1888
5. Eliza Callaway, b. 10-22-1890, d. 11-8-1890
6. Inez Nelson Callaway, b. 4-21-1892, d. 11-22-1950
7. Francis Rebecca Callaway, b. 6-6-1887, d. 4-29-1926



Eliza Caldonia Montgomery Callaway



Luke Lea Callaway

Benjamin Montgomery Callaway, m. 6-30-1902, Mary Dunlap, d. 1-30-1920. They lived in Cleveland, Tennessee, where he operated a large food market. Mary died when their youngest child was only five years old. Their oldest daughter, Flora Mae, helped Ben raise a fine family. Issue 8.

1. Flora Mae Callaway, b. 1-10-1904, m. 6-28-1941, John A. Million.

2. Eugene Earl Callaway, b. 4-9-1905, m. 10-1-1928, Marie Acsha Engers, b. 8-19-1907, d. 1-1-1970. Gene was in the Army two and one-half years during World War II. He has been in the automobile business since that time. Issue 2.

Gene Marie Callaway, b. 2-26-1933, m. 2-1963, Col. James Burkland. Living in Salinas, California. Issue 2.
Michael K. Burkland, b. 12-27-1963
Stella Burkland, b. 12-27-1963, d. 12-27-1963

Michael Engers Callaway, b. 12-1939, m. 4-1968, Phyllis Easterly. They reside in Cleveland, Tennessee, and he is an attorney. Issue 2.
Pharris Elizabeth Callaway, b. 4-28-1970
Marrie Ervin Callaway, b. 10-28-1972

Luke Lea Callaway, b. 12-5-1906, m. 1-9-1929, Bozzie DeArmond. He owns and operates a super market in Cleveland, Tennessee. Issue 3.

Col. Luke Lea Callaway, II, b. 12-4-1929, m. 6-15-1954, Nancy Wilson. Now reside in Arlington, Virginia. Issue 2.
Luke Lea Callaway, III, b. 3-16-1955
Melanie Lea Callaway, b. 9-30-1960

Ben DeArmond Callaway, b. 9-22-1932, m. 3-17-1955, Carolyn Tinklepaugh. Now reside in Italy. Issue 4.
Ben DeArmond Callaway, Jr., b. 2-1-1956
Katherine Smith Callaway, b. 7-2-1957

Thomas Howard Callaway, b. 12-30-1959
Daniel Cole Callaway, b. 4-27-1963

Linda Lou Callaway, b. 9-1-1940, m. Maj. Thomas Mac Johnson, 9-30-1961 in Germany. Now reside in Arlington, Virginia.

Mary Pharris Callaway, b. 8-13-1908, m. Joe S. Moore. Reside in Cleveland, Tennessee. Issue 2.

Ben S. Moore, b. 10-13-1929, m. Mary White, reside in Cleveland, Tennessee. Issue 2.

Ben S. Moore, Jr., b. 9-2-1953, m. 1-6-1971, Catherine Saffren. Issue 1.

Melissa Catherine Moore, 9-7-1971. Reside now in Atlanta, Georgia.

Joe Shannon Moore, b. 10-15-1959.

Hugh Wheeler Callaway, b. 1-30-1910, m. Frances Powers, 4-21-1936. Reside in Cleveland, Tennessee. Issue 1.

Hugh Wheeler Callaway, Jr., b. 2-11-1937, m. 3-22-1960, Lynn Reece of California, reside in Cleveland, Tennessee. Issue 1.

Glenn Callaway, b. 4-9-1962. U.S. Naval Station, Chicago, Illinois. Resides in California. Second marriage–6-6-1970, Patty Hester of California. Issue 1.

Bryan M. Callaway, b. 3-1-1972.

Benjamin Franklin Callaway, b. 9-11-1911, m. Theda Lemons Fisher. Farrell Fisher, by Theda's first marriage. Baptist minister in Ocala, Florida.

Robert Edward Callaway, b. 9-9-1913, m. 2-8-1941,

Mary Lou Steele. Resides in Cleveland, Tennessee. Issue 3.

Susan May Callaway, b. 12-10-1941, m. 1-24-1967, Charles M. Carn, an attorney in Cleveland, Tennessee.

Mary Lou Callaway, b. 3-16-1943, m. 9-2-1967, Douglas Miller.

Pauline Callaway, b. 7-7-1947, M. Paul McGowan, Jr., 1-24-1967. Issue 4.
Robert Edward McGowan
Kelly Robin McGowan
Nicole Claudine McGowan
Callie Callaway McGowan

William Lloyd Callaway, b. 9-3-1914, m. 3-31-1940, Gladys Franklin Connell. Reside in Cleveland, Tennessee. She had one daughter, Jeanne Connell Callaway, m. Walter Crocco of New Jersey. Issue 3.
Mary Beth Crocco
Sue Ellen Crocco
Vickey A. Crocco - all live in Mawaha, New Jersey.

William Lloyd Callaway, Jr., b. 1-14-1941, m. Jackie Saunders, 1-5-1963. Issue 2.
William Lloyd Callaway, III, b. 10-29-1963
Mary Laney Callaway, b. 2-29-1968. All reside in Cleveland.

Flora Annie Callaway, b. 7-30-1883, d. 11-18-1897, buried in Maryville, Tennessee.

Ida Russell Callaway, b. 7-24-1885, d. 4-5-1963, m. 12-18-1910, Robert Edward Bryan, b. 4-4-1885, d. 3-28-1965. No issue.

Hettie Sue Callaway, b. 2-2-1888, d. , m. 6-7-1911, William Lloyd Ownby, b. 2-4-1886, d. 7-6-1922. Reside in Cleveland, Tennessee. Issue 1.

Mary Elizabeth Ownby, b. 5-26-1919, m. 3-30-1940, Warren Benjamin Keyser, b. 11-4-1915. Issue 2.

Warren Benjamin Keyser, Jr., b. 12-5-1947

William McCall Keyser, b. 1-5-1953, all reside in Cleveland, Tennessee.

Eliza Callaway, b. 10-22-1890, d. 11-8-1890. Buried in Pine Grove Cemetery, Loudon County, Tennessee.

Inez Nelson Callaway, b. 4-21-1892, d. 11-22-1950, m. 4-24-1915 Walter R. Randolph, d. 2-28-1963. They were in business in Cleveland, Tennessee. Issue 3.

Frances Bernard Randolph, b. 12-16-1916, m. 7-19-1936, Joseph Garrison Rodgers. Issue 3.

Joseph Garrison Rodgers, Jr., b. 7-7-1939, m. Amy McNabb. Issue 1.

Joseph Rodgers, III. All reside in Cleveland, Tennessee.

Walter Lee Rodgers, b. 2-22-1942, d. 8-1967, m. Judy Bennett. Issue 2.

Walter Lee Rodgers, Jr.

Kelly Rodgers

After Walter Lee Rodgers died, his wife remarried and resides in Cleveland.

Molly Rodgers, b. 1-13-1948.

Walter Reuben Randolph, Jr., b. 11-11-1917, m. Margaret Russell Ferguson, who died 9-3-1971. Issue 2.

Susan Randolph, b. 12-17-1943. Married but no data.

Douglas Ferguson Randolph, b. 9-30-1946. Married but no data.

Thomas Callaway Randolph, b. 7-23-1925, m. 7-26-1944, Minnie Ellen Varnell. Issue 3.

Sharyn Gay Randolph, b. 3-4-1951

Elizabeth Inez Randolph, b. 1-12-1953
Thomas Callaway Randolph, Jr., b. 11-18-1955
Mother and children reside in Rock Hill, South Carolina.

Thomas Callaway Randolph and Jo Anne Randolph, m. 12-29-1958. Issue 3.
Madison King Randolph, b. 10-11-1959
Gary Francis Randolph, b. 7-30-1963
Mary Ashley Randolph, b. 10-19-1970
Reside in Cleveland, Tennessee.

Francis Rebecca Callaway, b. 6-6-1887, d. 4-29-1926, m. Paul Abel. Issue 1.
Francis Callaway Abel, b. 4-27-1926, d. 4-28-1926.

ANDREW BARKLEY MONTGOMERY AND ARTA MALINDA COBB

Andrew Barkley Montgomery, b. 9-1-1857, d. 11-17-1930, m. 9-8-1880 Arta (Love) Malinda Cobb, b. 1-16-1864, d. 11-5-1948.

These two people were married in Morganton, Tennessee, and he had a home ready to take his bride. The farm was a gift to them from his parents. It was on "Montgomery Lane," Maryville, Tennessee. Of course, Montgomery Lane was named in his honor. On Sept. 8, 1930, they celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary there.

This couple loved their church (Broadway United Methodist). They never missed a service unless someone was ill. They had a certain pew in which the family always sat. Of those still living here, Joe and wife and Myrtis and husband are still loyal members. Aunt Love served on the Children's Home Board for years, Uncle Bart advising her in the management of the farm. Uncle Bart was instrumental in the organization of Blount Mutual Fire Association. He served as its first president and served in that capacity until his death. Issue 9.

Lula Etta Montgomery, b. 4-9-1882
Sarah Stella Montgomery, b. 10-27-1884

Johnnie Pearl Montgomery, b. 6-12-1886
Annie Montgomery, b. 3-14-1888
Samuel Elbert Montgomery, b. 8-6-1889
Frank Malcolm Montgomery, b. 2-27-1891, d. 3-6-1908 (D.S.)
Myrtis Montgomery, b. 8-10-1893
Joseph Barkley Montgomery, b. 11-15-1896
Artie Cobb Montgomery, b. 3-10-1895, d. 8-8-1908 (D.S.)

Lula Etta Montgomery, b. 4-9-1882, d. 11-17-1965, m. 12-21-1905, Paul Kerr, d. 10-10-1959.

Lula and Paul had been married less than a year and he was working at Calderwood, Tennessee, where they were building a railroad. He set an explosive. It was slow in going off. Paul went to see about it just as it exploded. Paul sustained facial injuries resulting in permanent blindness. When he recovered from his injuries he went back to Murfreesboro, his home town, and was trustee for Rutherford County for several years. After that he entered Cumberland College and studied law. Lula did the reading for him. He graduated but was not satisfied to make law his life work and went with New York Life Insurance Company as their agent, Lula by his side all the way. She drove the car, and did the book work while Paul did the talking. He had a great sense of humor and was liked by everyone. They won numerous prizes and trips for selling the largest amount of insurance. They reared a fine family and their home was a place where family and friends were always welcome. Of course, he never had the pleasure of seeing any of his children. Lula's mother spent her later years in their home. Issue 5.

Jean Kerr, b. 8-4-1908, m. 6-6-1933, Dr. Wendell Cruze, d. 3-3-1971. Dr. Cruze was an author of psychology text books and taught at a university in Washington, D.C. When Wendell retired, they bought the Kerr homeplace on Cate Street, Maryville, Tennessee. Jean still makes her home there. No issue.

Ottie Frank Kerr, b. 6-10-1911, m. 3-12-1932 Virginia Keen. Frank has been with Robinson Freight Line for years. He was located in their Atlanta office for some time but is now living in Maryville and working from the Knoxville, Tennessee, office.

Jerry Keen Kerr, b. 10-23-1934, m. 9-8-1955 Betty Lambert. They live in Atlanta, Georgia. Issue 2.

Jerry Frank Kerr, b. 9-27-1956
Thomas Lambert Kerr, b. 8-15-1963

Helen Chapman Kerr, b. 10-29-1913, m. 9-6-1941 George Atwater. Helen lives in Phoenix, Arizona. Issue 2.

Jay Kerr Atwater, b. 8-16-1946.
George Barkley Atwater, b. 6-23-1951, m. 7-29-1966 Sandra Marie Haley. Issue 2.

Paul Jay Atwater
A daughter – no data.

Charles Edwin Kerr, b. 1-11-1919, m. 10-6-1942 Louise Ward. Ed is in the landscaping business in Maryland. Issue 2.

Paul Anthony Kerr, b. 9-6-1946, m. Jane Teagle. Paul is in the landscaping business with his father.

Jane Ward Kerr, b. 7-5-1949.

Hugh Bradley Kerr, b. 7-22-1922, m. Mary Coe. Hugh received a B.S. and M.S. in mechanical engineering and has been Director of D. M. Mattson Computer Center since 1962 at Tennessee Technical University, Cookeville, Tennessee. Mary is a homemaker and has worked at the Computer Center. Issue 2.

Seth Montgomery Kerr, b. 2-8-1958

Paula Coe Kerr, b. 6-28-1960

Sarah Stella Montgomery, b. 10-27-1884, d. 2-14-1962, m. 9-20-1905, Charles Taylor Blankenship, b. 7-14-1888, d. 10-9-1958. Charlie was a city mail carrier in Maryville until his retirement. He walked his route rain or shine, hail or snow, and everyone, even to the smallest child, called him friend. Stella was a staunch supporter of Broadway United Methodist Church. When there was an organ or piano to pay for, she was found in the kitchen cooking for the Kiwanis Club or some other organization to make money for the project. Issue 1.

Harry Edward Blankenship, b. 6-6-1906, d. 5-7-1972, m. 7-10-1933 Evelyn Barker. Harry was with Alcoa forty-one years, primarily in administration. He began work for Alcoa during the building of Calderwood Dam. He graduated from Maryville Polytechnical High School and received his Baccalaureate in Commerce from the University of Tennessee in 1929. He was a member of Phi Kappa Alpha fraternity. In the mid 20's, he served as a Corporal in the Tennessee National Guard. Harry was active in Boy Scouting more than fifty years, serving on the Executive Council. He received one of Scouting's highest awards, the Silver Beaver, for long service. He was a member of the City of Maryville Board of Education, 1950 to 1954. He was a member of Broadway United Methodist Church until, with his family, he transferred his membership to St. Andrew Episcopal, where all were very active. Evelyn is a piano teacher with her studio in their home. Issue 4.

Ernest Charles Blankenship, b. 10-22-1935, m. 1959 Alice Bell Lane of Maryville. Ernie graduated from Maryville High School in 1954. He was in the U.S. Navy from 1954 to 1958, and served with the Admiral's staff of the Seventh Fleet in Formosa area, 1955-1956. He received the China Service Medal. In 1962 he received a B.S. degree in Business Administration from University of Tennessee. He was with Ford Motor Company in Dearborn, Michigan, 1962-1968. In 1968 he returned to Tennessee to become

Assistant Director at the Center for Industrial Services for the University of Tennessee, located at Nashville, Tennessee. They live at Thompson Station outside Nashville. He served as President of the Brentwood, Tennessee Chamber of Commerce in 1970. He also has served as Junior Warden at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Franklin, Tennessee, for 1972. He is an associate member of the Tennessee Farm Bureau. Issue 2.

Nancy Lyn Blankenship, b. 2-25-1961
Douglas Edward Blankenship, b. 5-11-1964

Harry Thomas Blankenship, b. 7-18-1939, m. 5-19-1962 Jane Jobe of Alcoa, Tennessee. Tommy is a Laboratory Technician in the Quality Assurance Department with Alcoa. His hobby is collecting Indian relics and I understand he has a rather large collection. He also enjoys yard work. He is a Junior Warden at St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Maryville, Tennessee. Issue 2.

Carol Blankenship, b. 12-22-1963
Karri Sue Blankenship, b. 12-25-1967

Sarah Rebecca Blankenship, b. 11-18-1944, m. Dr. James H. Darrell. Becky was an only girl with three brothers. She was a beautiful child. Issue 2.

James Henry Darrell III, b. 1967
Harry Taylor Darrell, b. 9-28-1973

John Warren Blankenship, b. 10-13-1952. John is a student at the University of Tennessee.

Johnnie Pearl Montgomery, b. 6-12-1886, m. 8-21-1926 Carlos Anderson, d. 2-18-1972. Carl was in the oil business with his brother in Texas and California. Johnnie worked for a number of years before her marriage for Hairs Department Store in Lenoir City, Tennessee. She is now living at Fredericka Manor, Chula Vista, California. No

issue.

Annie Montgomery, b. 3-14-1888, d. 1-12-1972, m. 6-11-1913, William Horace Hitch, d. 3-27-1947. They lived and were buried in Ventura, California. Issue 2.

Margaret Montgomery Hitch, b. 4-14-1914, m. 6-30-1935, Howard K. Reed, Ventura, California. Issue 3.

Jannes Margaret Reed, b. 5-26-1939, m. 10-10-1958, James Goforth. Issue 2. No data.

Timothy Howard Reed, b. 1-16-1941, m. 2-17-1962, Diane Lee Miller. Issue 3. No data.

Rebecca Ann Reed, b. 9-29-1943, m. 6-12-1964, George W. Dabney. Issue 2. No data.

Ruth Ann Hitch, b. 7-27-1918, m. 4-22-1940, William E. Morrison. Issue 2.

William E. Morrison, Jr., b. 7-25-1948
David E. Morrison, b. 11-30-1949

Samuel Elbert Montgomery, b. 8-6-1889, d. 4-24-1951, m. 10-12-1910, Kathleen Bittle. Sam was a farmer and operated a dairy farm in his younger years. From the farm he went into the feed business with his brother-in-law, John Depew. Later he was an automobile salesman for McNutt Motor Company. When he retired he was a salesman for the McCammons of Maryville Machinery Company. Sam was an active member of Broadway Methodist Church, having been a member since his early youth. Kathleen was pianist at Broadway for many years. She is living in San Antonio, Texas, to be near the daughter, Kathryn Montgomery Slawson. Issue 1.

Kathryn Bittle Montgomery, b. 10-23-1911, m. 7-11-1938, Merritt Slawson. Lt. Col. Slawson is a Chaplain, U.S.A.F.,

Retired. He is a Methodist minister and is assistant pastor of a large Methodist church in San Antonio, Texas. Kathryn is a lover of music, which she inherited from her mother, and plays the piano. Issue 2.

Jack Montgomery Slawson, b. 1-4-1941, m. 1-24-1969, Shirley Ann Barnum. No issue.

Christine Bittle Slawson, b. 8-28-1947, m. 10-25-1966, Don Scott Smith. Issue 3.

Deena Michele Smith, b. 11-29-1968
Kevin Scott Smith, b. 9-11-1970
Brian Casey Smith, b. 12-14-1972

Frank Malcolm Montgomery, b. 2-27-1891, d. 3-5-1908. D.S.

Myrtis Montgomery, b. 8-10-1893, m. 9-15-1921, Robert Clifford Maynor, b. 9-5-1897. Bob was Assistant Purchasing Agent for Alcoa for thirty years. He transferred to the Engineering Department, working for Alcoa a total of forty-two years. He and Myrtis have always taken an active interest in their church – Broadway Methodist. Myrtis worked, before her marriage, for Alcoa in the Timekeeping Department. Issue 2.

Marjory Ann Maynor, b. and d. 5-1922.

Bobbie Montgomery Maynor, b. 3-31-1924, m. 3-23-1956, John D. Williams, b. 9-11-1921. J. D. has a Ph.D. in Education. He is a teacher of Elementary Education at Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tennessee. Bobbie is teaching Business Administration at Oakland High School. Issue 1.

John Maynor Williams, b. 1-16-1957. John is a junior at Oakland High School and a member of its band.

Joseph Barkley Montgomery, Sr., b. 11-15-1896, m. 8-9-1917, Mildred McElewee Anderson. Joe has been connected with First Federal Savings and Loan since its beginning in 1928. He and Mr. Clyde Murray were the organizers. He has been a member of its Board of Directors since 1932. They operated an insurance business in connection with the Savings and Loan. Later, Joe moved the insurance to another location. He continued "Montgomery Insurance" until his retirement. He and Mildred have been members of Broadway Methodist Church most of their lives. He has served as a member of the Official Board and chairman of that group; also of the Trustees. He is a long standing member of the Kiwanis. He was president of that group when Blount Memorial Hospital was organized. The Kiwanis were the leaders in organizing the drive for hospital funds. Laurel Lake came into being at the same time under the sponsorship of the Kiwanis. Joe and Mildred spend six months of the year in Florida. Issue 1.

Joseph Barkley Montgomery, Jr., b. 7-30-1918, m. 12-27-1941, Susan Morris Stanton, b. 7-23-1917. Joe, Jr. served as City Councilman of Maryville, Tennessee, two terms, 1965-1973. He is a past president of the Kiwanis and Jaycees. He served on the Red Cross Board and Chamber of Commerce. Joe was in insurance with his father until they disposed of it. He is now in real estate. One of his developments bears the name "Springfield," which was the name of his great-great grandfather's, Andrew Colville Montgomery, Grist Mill. Issue 4.

Joseph Barkley Montgomery III, b. 3-18-1943, m. 7-3-1966, Alice Laurine Allen, b. 7-13-1945. Issue 2.

Joseph Barkley Montgomery IV, b. 9-15-1969
Cynthia Deweice Montgomery, b. 4-27-1972

Susan Morris Montgomery II, b. 11-30-1945, m. 8-26-1967, James Trotter, b. 5-30-1943. They live in Richmond, Virginia. Issue 2.



Samuel Oliver Montgomery and wife, Margaret McCollum, on their Golden Wedding Anniversary, November 5, 1930, Maryville, Tennessee.

Susan Morris Trotter III, b. 5-24-1970
James Otis Trotter, Jr., b. 2-15-1973

Macy Stanton Montgomery, b. 3-21-1948, m. 9-2-1973, Rosanne Agnese.

Edith Malinda Montgomery, b. 2-23-1951 (S).

Artie Cobb Montgomery, b. 4-10-1895, d. 8-8-1908 (S).

SAMUEL OLIVER MONTGOMERY AND MARGARET ANN McCOLLUM

Samuel Oliver Montgomery, b. 8-18-1860, d. 3-15-1939, m. 11-5-1880, Margaret Ann McCollum, b. 11-15-1863, d. 1-21-1944.

Oliver (OL) had a farm in Loudon County, near Greenback. He also bought and sold livestock. For several years he operated a dairy and made and sold butter to T. E. Burns, Grocer, in Knoxville, Tennessee. The butter was packed in ice and shipped by train to Knoxville, the ice having been shipped by train to Greenback. He sold the farm around 1913 to his sons, Carroll and Oscar Montgomery. He built a new home on a lot behind the Greenback Bank and moved his family there. Around this time he operated a livery stable in connection with his livestock business. A livery stable was a thriving business in those years. He would rent a horse and buggy or whatever was desired. Lots of this business was to drummers (or salesmen) who came in by train, some with large trunks going to out-lying communities and country stores. He also had built a two-story building near the bank and leased the first floor to the Government for a post office, and on the second floor he operated a telephone switch-board. He employed Mrs. Ross Horner as the operator.

He was one of the first turnpike commissioners when the road building era started. He was a member of the Greenback Masonic Lodge and the W.O.W. Lodge of Knoxville.

JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

This family was active members of Pine Grove Presbyterian Church. He and his wife spent their later years with their youngest daughter and family, the H. A. Vawters. Issue 9.

Beulah Ellen Montgomery, b. 10-20-1881, d. 11-8-1964
Infant son, b. 9-11-1883, stillborn
Eula Blanche, b. 8-24-1884, d. 6-16-1942
Samuel Floyd, b. 2-7-1887, d. 4-14-1959
Joseph Burton, b. 12-13-1888, d. 8-3-1958
Hettie Pearl, b. 12-27-1890, d. 1-2-1954
Andrew Carroll, b. 11-5-1892, d. 8-11-1960
Samuel Oscar, b. 1-2-1895, d. 8-8-1971
Margaret, b. 4-26-1904

Beulah Ellen Montgomery, b. 10-20-1881, d. 11-8-1964, m. 12-7-1904, James Edward Foster, b. 1-2-1877, d. 7-19-1949. Jim, as he was known, was a jovial fellow and enjoyed hearing jokes and was excellent in telling them. One that he enjoyed telling on himself was – when he was a boy, his father sent him to the coalhouse for a bucket of coal. Jim came stumbling back into the house, and fell onto the floor. "Great scots, Jim," his father exclaimed, "What's the matter?" "Somebody was hidden in the coalhouse and when I started out, he hit me on the head. Feel the knot I got." Armed with pistols and lanters, they all rushed out to the coalhouse. They found nobody. But a goose-neck hoe was lying there. Jim filled the coal skuttle and stepped back, his foot on that hoe. The handle flew up and knocked him out again.

Jim was in the livery stable business when he married but later had the Standard Oil Company Agency for their products in Loudon County. He loved farming and after disposing of his Oil Company Agency, they moved to a farm between Lenoir City and Martel, Tennessee, and raised cattle. Issue 2.

Helen Montgomery Foster, b. 8-11-1909, m. 12-7-1929, John Lafayette Saylors, b. 9-29-1899. They live in Winter Park, Florida. Issue 1.

John Edward Saylors, b. 10-20-1931, m. 8-22-1953, Meryle Ann Hall, b. 2-19-1932. All live in Winter Park, Florida. Issue 3.

Jan Ellyn Saylors, b. 5-4-1956
John Edward (Jay) Saylors, b. 12-1-1958
James Montgomery (Jimmy) Saylors, b. 6-19-1961

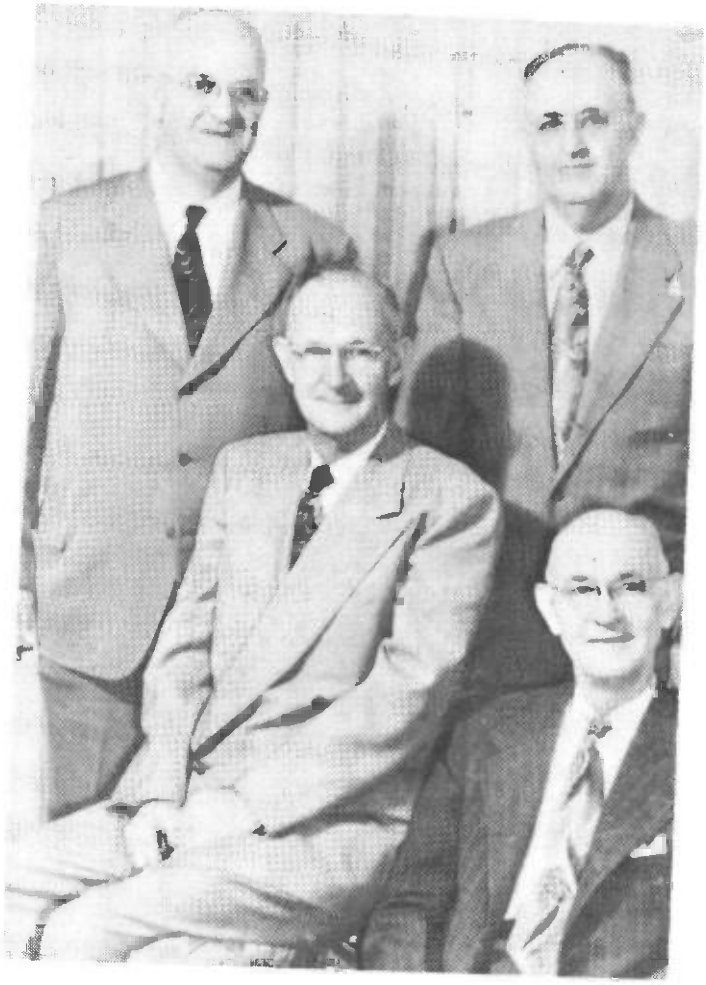
Julia Margaret Foster, b. 6-8-1913. Judy is a bookkeeper and secretary in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Eula Blanche Montgomery, b. 8-24-1884, d. 6-18-1942, married first, 12-6-1915, James Frank Thacker. J. F. was a rural mail-carrier out of the Greenback Post Office until he transferred to Clarksville, Georgia. He died of pneumonia at the age of thirty-seven years. She married second, William H. (Bill) Jones, m. 9-10-1924. He was called "Mr. Greenback." He was freight agent for the L & N Railway, Deputy County Court Clerk, Notary Public. As a Justice of the Peace, he performed marriage ceremonies for 3,550 couples. Sometimes he had to hold court, usually in the freight room.

Blanche was a quiet, unassuming person who loved people very deeply. She was always ready to help those in need, in whatever way she could. She was postmaster at Greenback for eight years, prior to her marriage.

Samuel Floyd Montgomery, b. 2-7-1887, d. 4-14-1959, m. first 6-12-1912, Alice Myrtle Duncan, b. 4-12-1885, d. 4-6-1951, m. second Hilda B. Montgomery.

S. F. was associated with the Pennsylvania Railroad, where he was employed for forty-six years until his retirement in 1953. He was an active member of the Wilkinsburg branch of the Golden Age Club. He was treasurer of the club for a number of years. In addition to these activities, he was very active in church affairs. He served as treasurer of the "Class of 100," of Second Presbyterian Church until his death. Mrs. Montgomery has served two terms as deaconess in the Wilkinsburg Baptist Church and has been busily engaged in other work, especially for the young folks. He and Alice had a son.



The four sons of Samuel Oliver Montgomery. Back row, left to right: Carroll Montgomery, Oscar Montgomery. Front row, left to right: Bert Montgomery and Floyd Montgomery.

Oliver Duncan Montgomery, b. 12-7-1913, d. 8-7-1965, m. 7-30-1938, Jayne Shultz. Duncan was an engineer with Westinghouse Electric Company. He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church and had served on the building committee of the new church that had just bee completed when he died. Jayne is still very active in the church. Issue 1.

Judy Lynn Montgomery, b. 1-11-1941, m. 6-13-1964, David Porter Nichols, b. 11-11-1940. Judy has A.B. degree from Bucknell University and is a certified public accountant. David has a B.S. degree from Lehigh and a M.B.A. degree from Harvard. He is a stock broker. Issue 2.

Julie Duncan Nichols, b. 5-13-1968

Eric Clark Nichols, b. 7-28-1970

Joseph Burton Montgomery, b. 12-13-1888, d. 8-3-1958, m. 6-5-1912, Augusta McReynolds, b. 6-20-1886, d. 10-25-1964. Bert was a rancher near Sterling, Colorado, for several years. Then he founded Montgomery Freight Lines and transported meat from Denver to Chicago. After retirement they lived in Phoenix, Arizona, until his death. Gussie was a homemaker. They were active members of the Presbyterian church and were charter members of a church they helped organize in their community in Phoenix. Issue 2.

Eugene Porter Montgomery, b. 11-12-1913, d. 3-6-1965, m. first 11-14-1935, Elma Powell, b. 6-14-1914. Porter was a medical doctor, specializing in the heart. He died in his sleep of a heart attack. He made his home in Greeley, Colorado. He loved skiing and outdoor sports. Issue 1.

Robert Powell Montgomery, b. 1-21-1937, married. No data.

Eugene Porter Montgomery, m. second 12-7-1959, Evelyn Horsman, d. 7-5-1972. They adopted Hans Georg Montgomery, b. 9-9-1949. He was born in Germany.

Joseph Burton Montgomery, Jr., b. 1-12-1920, m. 11-3-1945, Patricia Musick, b. 3-17-1921. J. B. graduated from Vanderbilt University in Tennessee and studied law at the

University of Colorado. When his father retired, he took over management of the Freight Lines. Later he sold that and is now in the construction business. Pat is a homemaker and busy with her children and grandchildren.

Quoting from the Denver Post, "Reunion in Africa was a memorable occasion for two Colorado brothers who hadn't seen each other for many months. They are Capt. Eugene Porter Montgomery and Sgt. Joseph Burton Montgomery. They were on a shopping tour to an African town when an army photographer happened by as they were purchasing almonds from an Arab vender. Captain Montgomery, a medical officer in an armoured outfit, is headquartered six miles from his brother, who is an infantry medical detachment."

Capt. Eugene Montgomery was in the 2nd Armoured Division, and Sgt. Joseph Montgomery, a member of the 3rd Infantry Division. They were shipped out to North Aftica in November, 1942. Quoting from Sgt. Joseph Montgomery: "We ran into social problems frequently, because he was a captain and I a sergeant. I received a commission in the field, in Sicily, as Second Lieutenant. I again found Gene on a boat in Bizarte preparing to go to England for the Normandy Invasion. This was August, 1943. I walked up, tapped him on the shoulder. He looked at me, saw the rank of an officer and came straight up out of his chair. He was so glad to see me and the promotion. When we parted this time, we did not see each other again until the end of the war and our return to the U.S., September, 1945."

Joseph Burton Montgomery and Patricia Musicha. Issue 4.

Kathyrn Montgomery, b. 7-27-1947, m. 7-16-1966, Richard Rudolph Lutz, b. 8-22-1942. Dick is a second generation American whose family came from Germany. He graduated from Northern Illinois University in 1964 with a degree in Industrial Arts. He received a master's from Colorado State University and started work on his doctorate. He is now with the State Department of Education in Olympia, Washington, as State Supervisor of Career Education.

He completed his dissertation for his Ph.D. in December, 1973. Kathyrn expects to enter nurse's training when the children are both in school. Issue 2.

Richard Matthew Lutz, b. 12-7-1967
William Andrew Lutz, b. 8-20-1970

Joseph Daniel Montgomery, b. 5-8-1949, m. 8-4-1972, Janice Rae Bernard, b. 10-4-1952. Joe served time in the Army in Vietnam. He is now attending the University of Colorado and is a carpenter. Janice is a veterinary technician. They were in Evergreen, Colorado, in 1973.

Sarah Patricia Montgomery, b. 6-9-1954, attending the University of Northern Colorado. Aim, teacher.

John McReynolds Montgomery, b. 10-6-1958, high school.

Hettie Pearl Montgomery, b. 12-27-1890, d. 1-2-1954, m. 12-23-1916, Frank Rutledge, b. 5-31-1885, d. 9-3-1959. Frank was in the insurance business in Etowah, Tennessee. Pearl was a school teacher until her marriage. She had a stroke when her baby daughter was born, age twenty-nine years, which left her a cripple. Issue 3.

Frank Montgomery Rutledge, b. 10-18-1918, m. 10-4-1942 Margaret Lois Morgan, b. 5-13-1913. Lois is employed as a medical transcriptionist with Moccasin Bend Psychiatric Hospital, Chattanooga, Tennessee. Frank is an assistant engineer with Combustion Engineering, Inc. Both are active members of Red Bank United Methodist Church. Issue 1.

Donald Earl Rutledge, b. 1-23-1946, m. 6-29-1969 Carol Cameron Hannah, b. 8-26-1947. Both are graduates of Middle Tennessee State University. Don is an accountant in Nashville, Tennessee. Carol has her degree in chemistry.

Rose Roughton Rutledge, b. 12-7-1919, d. 10-16-1943, m. 1-21-1940, J. M. Thompson.

James Oliver Rutledge, b. 8-14-1928, d. 8-16-1928.

Andrew Carroll Montgomery, b. 11-5-1892, d. 8-11-1960, m. 8-23-1921, Margaret Helen Griffitts, b. 4-10-1897. Issue 5.

A. C. was active in Trinity United Methodist Church of Lenoir City, Tennessee. He was a veteran of World War I, a member of Legion Post 70, Avery Lodge 593 F&AM, Scottish Rite Consistory and Kerbela Temple.

A. C. enlisted in the Army July, 1918, and shipped out to France in September of the same year. Many of the men were very sick with flu on the voyage to France. He entered the hospital on arrival and was very ill for several weeks. He was stationed in Brest, Savenoy, Marseille, Menton and St. Nazaire during his stay. Armistice was signed Nov. 11, 1918. He sailed for the U.S. June 26, 1919, was discharged July 18, 1919.

Virginia Carol Montgomery, b. 7-17-1922, m. 5-18-1947, William M. Breazeale. Mack drives a tractor-trailer truck out of Chattanooga, Tennessee, to North Carolina. Virginia is a homemaker and very busy with her children and grandchildren. Issue 4.

Nancy Kaye Breazeale, b. 12-21-1948, m. 3-16-1968, Haze Edward Houk, Jr., b. 6-21-1945. Eddie has a B.S. in architecture from the University of Tennessee, and is an architect in Nashville, Tennessee. Kaye completed a secretarial program at U.T. Issue 1.

Lara Michelle Houk, b. 11-24-1971 in Buren, Germany.

Vicki Jane Breazeale, b. 3-4-1951, m. 6-12-1971, James Allen Cobble, b. 1-13-1947. James has a B.S. degree in physics and is working toward a Ph.D. in physics. Vicki has her B.S. in Home Economics from U.T.

Martha Carol Breazeale, b. 8-25-1954, is studying at U.T., Knoxville, Tennessee.

Donald Mack Breazeale, b. 7-7-1956, a high school student at Lenoir City High.

Andrew Carroll Montgomery, Jr., b. 10-28-1924, m. 3-24-1948, Wilma Ruth Edens, b. 12-20-1928. Andrew received his B.A. from Milligan College and is teaching in Casa Grande, Arizona. Issue 4.

Sandra Carol Montgomery, b. 11-17-1950, m. 6-27-1970, Larry Ayers. Sandy is teaching and Lary working in Casa Grande, Arizona.

Donna Jo Montgomery, b. 9-20-1954.

Andrea Margaret Montgomery, b. 6-2-1957.

Andrew Carroll Montgomery, III, b. 1-13-1962.

Mary Elizabeth (Betty) Montgomery, b. 12-29-1925, m. 7-29-1949, Charles F. Wildman, b. 8-21-1926. Betty has her B.S. and R.N. degrees from U.T. She is health nurse for the Knox County Schools. Charles has his B.S. and M.S. from U.T., has been a football coach. He is now principal of Northwest Junior High in Knoxville, Tennessee. Issue 3.

Cynthia Ann Wildman, b. 9-15-1950, m. 10-12-1973, John Eric Shultz.

Charles Fredrick (Freddy) Wildman, Jr., b. 1-28-1953, m. 7-28-1973, Vicky Lynn Cox. Freddy is attending the University of Florida and playing football.

Susan Louise Wildman, b. 11-3-1955.

Vivian Ruth Montgomery, b. 6-8-1929, m. 6-28-1946, Charles H. Clark, Jr., b. 2-12-1922. Charlie works for the Space Center in Huntsville, Alabama. Ruth is a homemaker. Issue 4.

Charles (Chuck) H. Clark, III, b. 10-12-1947. Chuck is a graduate of University of Alabama. He is presently studying medicine at the University of Alabama in Birmingham.

Dennis Mark Clark, b. 8-4-1951. He is presently studying dentistry at the University of Alabama in Birmingham.

Michael (Mike) Dean Clark, b. 2-23-1954. He is a student at the University of Alabama. He will enter medical school in 1974.

James (Jimmy) Montgomery Clark, b. 2-24-1958.

Lucy Ann Montgomery, b. 1-13-1934, m. 11-5-1953, Bill Cusick, b. 8-3-1931. Bill is in the construction business in Lenoir City, Tennessee. Issue 2.
William Dean Cusick, b. 4-10-1956
Howard Allen Cusick, b. 7-8-1958

Samuel Oscar Montgomery, b. 1-2-1895, d. 8-8-1971, m. first, 12-30-1915, Mary Belle or Mayme Henry, b. 10-31-1896, d. 8-15-1958. Oscar was in the dairy business in Ranger, Texas, until he retired from that and established a hardware store in Ft. Worth, Texas. In 1953, he sold the store in order to stay home and care for Mayme, who had had a stroke and was unable to do for herself. After her death, he married Mrs. Jean Traylor, a long time friend of the family. Jean died 12-3-1969.
Issue of first marriage, 2.

Fred Garlan Montgomery, b. 6-4-1917, d. 1943.
Fred Garlan Montgomery received his silver pilot's wings and his commission as a Second Lieutenant in the U.S. Army Air Force in February, 1943, at Lackland Army Air Force Base in Waco, Texas.
From there he went to the Pacific Northwest for further training, both at Spokane, Washington, and Cut Bank, Montana. While there he made his first flight over water, a training mission over the Pacific. He was co-pilot of a



Mattie Beryl Montgomery Evans and Fred Garlan Montgomery.

B-17, a bomber that carried a crew of ten. He reported that they got out and kissed the ground when they returned safely from this over water mission.

Garlan last visited his home in Texas in early June, 1943. On his return to Cut Bank, they began their trip overseas via Syracuse, New York, Bangor, Maine, and Gander, Newfoundland. They left Gander on June 20, 1943, about five o'clock in the afternoon, headed for Prestwick, Scotland, and were never heard from again. He was declared dead by the U.S. Army a year later. We did learn that on this particular night, thirty planes left Gander for Prestwick. Twenty-five made it. Two returned to Gander because of icing conditions, and three, including Garlan's, were never

heard from again.

For a long time we held hope that they made it across the Atlantic, that maybe their radio was jammed by the enemy, and that they went down in enemy territory, and were prisoners. After VE Day, we had to abandon this hope and accept the probability that they went down over the Atlantic, perhaps due to icing conditions, or perhaps they had a collision with one of the other planes. We are told that the North Atlantic waters are so cold that one cannot survive in them very long if they do go down. There is a marker in Greenwood Cemetery, Fort Worth, Texas. He is also listed on a marker in front of his "alma mater," Texas Christian University.

Mattie Beryl Montgomery, b. 1-17-1919, m. 6-28-1943, Burrell B. Evans. Both are graduates of Baylor University of Law and are with the firm of Evans, Evans, and Lasley, attorneys at law, Tulia, Texas. Mattie was the only feminine member of her graduating class. Issue 3.

Infant son, b. 1-9-1946 (stillborn).

Jerry Ray Evans, b. 9-4-1949. Jerry is doing research in Salt Lake City, Utah, designed to find a way to use computers to help the blind to visualize things. He plans to continue his research and complete requirements for a master's in computer science.

Burrell Fred Evans, b. 12-30-1950, m. 5-6-1972, Janet Rhea Jackson, b. 10-29-1952. Fred will receive his master's in mechanical engineering at Texas Tech in spring of 1974.

Margaret Montgomery, b. 4-26-1904, m. 7-4-1925, Henry Alexander Vawter, b. 6-3-1900. Margaret and Henry met while in school at Hiwassee College. They have always taken an active interest in their children and their activities. When the children were home, the house was usually filled with young people. This was one of their greatest joys.



Four generations of the Vawter family: Margaret Montgomery Vawter, Sara Vawter Barnes, Lex Barnes and Steven Barnes, 1973.

Henry started work for Alcoa in December, 1926. He was in the chemical laboratory as analyst at the South Plant. He was made senior analyst in 1942, and laboratory supervisor in 1946. He retired in 1965 after thirty-eight and one-half years.

Henry has been a member of the Executive Committee of Hiwassee College Alumni Association for eight years. He is presently serving as chairman of the Maryville Board of Charities. He is a substitute teacher for his Bible Class and is also song leader for the class.

Margaret served as president of Westside Elementary School P.T.A. two terms and one year at Maryville High.

She has served in various positions on the Executive Board of the Blount County Council of Parents and Teachers, also of the third district Board of Parents and Teachers.

She was a member of the Board of Directors of Blount County Children's Home for twelve years and chairman the last four. She also was secretary for six years of the Executive Board of Hiwassee College Alumni Association. She has worked in many different places in the Sunday School and women's work of Broadway Methodist Church, serving as pianist for the Men's Bible Class and other departments. Issue 4.

Dorothy Helen Vawter, b. 11-10-1926, m. 9-13-1955, Daniel Wallace Winter, b. 10-24-1928. Both Dorothy and Dan received their B.A. from Maryville College and their master of music from Eastman School of Music. Dorothy taught piano and theory of music at Maryville College for seven years. Dan spent two years in the Army during the Korean conflict. He is now Chairman of the Department of Music at the College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio, and teaches some piano and theory. Dorothy is busy being a homemaker, wife and mother. Issue 2.

Anna Katherine Winter, b. 12-22-1964

Charles David Winter, b. 9-21-1966

Sara Margaret Vawter, b. 10-18-1928, m. 8-30-1948, Charles Prescott Barnes, b. 10-10-1928. Sara received her B.A. from the University of Florida, December, 1972. She teaches in the elementary school in Crystal River, Florida. She teaches a Sunday School class and is a member of the choir of Crystal River United Methodist Church. Charles has his own boat and guiding business on Crystal River. He has an interest in, and works for, civic activities of the community. Issue 4.

Charles Prescott Barnes, Jr., b. 6-13-1949, m. 9-11-1970 Carol Sapp. Scotty is a mechanical operator on a nuclear submarine since 7-6-1971. He is on the U.S.S. Von Steuben out of Charleston, South Carolina. He was qualified as a

mechanical operator on 53G plant, West Milton, New York. Carol is an agent for Avon Products, and a physical therapist.

John Alexander Barnes, b. 7-26-1950, m. 9-19-1970, Clara Lou (Lucy) Smith, b. 1-1-1951. Lex is a lineman for Withlacoochee Power Company and lives in Crystal River, Florida. Lucy is a homemaker. Issue 2.

John Alexander Barnes, Jr., b. 1-17-1971

Steven Charles Barnes, b. 10-29-1973

Margaret Susan Barnes, b. 4-21-1956, m. 6-3-1973, Danny Albert Richards, b. 11-5-1952. Danny is with Florida Power Company. They live at Homasassa, Florida.

Jonathan Edward Barnes, b. 11-21-1960. Jon is busy with school, scouting and fishing.

Hettie Dew Vawter, b. 2-24-1931. Hettie lives in Knoxville, Tennessee. She works for the post office department as secretary in the personnel office.

Olivia Carlyle Vawter, b. 12-7-1933, m. 5-21-1955, Dr. Snell Austin Mills, Jr., b. 9-12-1933. Olivia received her B.S. from Maryville College and is a homemaker. She sings in the church choir and enjoys doing some solo work. Snell received his B.S. from Maryville College, his M.S. and Ed.D. from the University of Alabama. His doctorate was in Curriculum Research and Development. He is presently director of Educational Media for the DeKalb County School System in Georgia. Issue 2.

Sharon Louise Mills, b. 7-20-1956. Sharon is an excellent student. She will graduate from high school in May, 1974. She is working part-time at Davidson's Department Store in Atlanta. She plans to enter college in the fall of 1974 and major in mathematics.

Snell Austin (Brad) Mills, III, b. 10-17-1956. Brad is a

junior in high school. He also plans to major in math. He, too, is a good student and is working part-time. He is active in Boy Scouts. He and his father like overnight hiking and camping trips.

ROBERT GREEN MONTGOMERY AND KETURAH McCOLLUM

Robert Green Montgomery, b. 10-20-1862, d. 6-1-1928, m. 8-12-1885, Mary Keturah (Kitty) McCollum. b. 9-23-1866, d. 4-19-1948. R. G. was a farmer and livestock dealer and resided in Maryville. "The Montgomery Bible Class" of Broadway Methodist Church was named in his memory. Issue 8.

Bertha Irene Montgomery, b. 6-5-1886
Caswell Burton Montgomery, b. 12-16-1887
Eula Ellen Montgomery, b. 10-19-1889
Robert Lee Montgomery, b. 12-12-1891
Joseph Houston Montgomery, b. 11-14-1893, d. 9-2-1909
Hugh Montgomery, b. 1-27-1896, d. 2-15-1896
Hettie Sue Montgomery, b. 9-4-1900
Nelle Montgomery, b. 10-6-1906

Bertha Irene Montgomery, b. 6-5-1886, d. 4-20-1924, m. 12-23-1908, Homer Costner, b. 3-18-1879, d. 6-14-1919. Homer was a rancher in Sterling, Colorado. He was killed trying to stop runaway horses hitched to a heavy wagon load of farm materials, while his wife stood at her kitchen window helpless. Issue 2.

Paul Kermit Costner, b. 11-13-1909, d. 6-2-1969, m. 7-4-1931, Helen Alice Hutton, b. 9-6-1912, d. 10-3-1967. Paul was the Costner in "Costner-Eagleton Motors," dealer for Ford cars. They were both very liberal in giving their time, efforts and material things to their church, Broadway Methodist. Issue 2.

Edwin Hutton Costner, b. 6-17-1941, m. 1-16-1970, Sandra Jean Darry, b. 6-6-1946. Sandra is an R.N. Issue 1.

Helen Louise Costner, b. 9-1-1971

Paul Kermit Costner, Jr., b. 1-5-1946, m. Lynn Davis. Issue 1.
Paul Kenneth (Kenny) Costner, b. 10-19-1961

Joseph Edwin Costner, b. 1-1-1912, m. 9-14-1935, Shirley Gayle Whitthoff, b. 8-24-1914. Edwin was a supervisor with Alcoa until his retirement. He is now in real estate. Shirley is an excellent artist. Issue 3.

Gayle Costner, b. 1-9-1937, m. 4-7-1953, Charles Franklin Blair, b. 1-14-1926. Charles is an employee of the Aluminum Company of America. Issue 2.
Nancy Lynn Blair, b. 5-2-1954
Charles F. Blair, Jr., b. 3-21-1956

Janet Ellen Costner, b. 6-19-1947, m. 7-26-1969, Russell Allen Eckert, b. 12-5-1946. Issue 1.
Amy Lynn Eckert, b. 7-16-1973

Joseph Edwin Costner, b. 2-18-1951, m. 8-3-1973, Mary Jean Caputa.

Caswell Burton Montgomery, b. 12-16-1887, d. 5-19-1954, m. 12-22-1909, Jonnie Mae McReynolds, b. 4-14-1884, d. 6-16-1937. Married second, Pauline Freeman House. Issue by first wife, 3.

Helen Louise Montgomery, b. 5-21-1914, m. 12-9-1936, Ross Clyde Badgett, Jr., b. 12-16-1916. Helen lives in Cincinnati, Ohio. Issue 2.

Margaret Louise Badgett, b. 1-1-1938, m. 11-22-1956, Donald E. Dolle. Issue 3.
Kimberly Louise Dolle, b. 9-23-1957
Elizabeth Ann Dolle, b. 10-24-1963
Mary Jane Dolle, b. 10-18-1965

Richard Burton Badgett, b. 11-3-1940, d. 3-28-1967.

Charles Burton Montgomery, b. 6-8-1916, m. 11-27-1947, Mary Jones, b. 5-4-1914. They reside in Jackson, Tennessee, where Charles is in business. Mary is retired from the State Welfare Department. Issue none.

Dorothy Mae Montgomery, b. 2-12-1920, m. 12-25-1943, John Hubert Sifford, a P.A.A. pilot and teacher. Issue 1.

Melinda Montgomery (Maden) Sifford, b. 11-30-1941, m. first, 9-12-1958, Jay K. Beason. Issue 3.
Deborah Lynn Beason, Switzer, b. 6-14-1959
Cynthia Kay Beason, Switzer, b. 1-21-1961
John Kevin Beason, Switzer, b. 9-13-1965.
Melinda married second, Fred Reid Switzer, who adopted her three children.

Eula Ellen Montgomery, b. 10-19-1889, d. 9-16-1973, m. 3-29-1911, James Homer Singleton, b. 8-20-1889, d. 1-14-1961. They had no children but when her sister Bertha Costner died, leaving two young boys, Paul and Edwin, she and Homer took them into their home and reared them as their own. Paul and Edwin have taken care of Eula and Homer when they were no longer able to care for themselves. Eula spent her last years at Asbury Acres Methodist Home for the Aged.

Robert Lee Montgomery, b. 12-12-1891, d. 6-7-1952, m. 12-12-1921, Syrena Lavina Wadsworth, b. 9-12-1899, d. 6-7-1952. Robert was a farmer and cattleman. His last address was Greeley, Colorado. Syrena's father was a member of the Henry Wadsworth Longfellow family. She taught school in Merino and Sterling, Colorado. Issue 3.

Josephine Marie Montgomery, b. 4-17-1924, m. 1-21-1950, James Donald Garrett, b. 8-22-1923. Mr. Garrett operates an advertising agency in Denver. Josephine is busy as a homemaker and does much volunteer work. Issue 5.

Eleanor Elizabeth Garrett, b. 12-30-1952
Stephen Montgomery Garrett, b. 12-26-1954
Luanne Marie Garrett, b. 8-27-1957
Barbara Marie Garrett, b. 1-26-1961
Cynthia Ann Garrett, b. 5-15-1964

Robert Lee Montgomery, b. 8-12-1926, m. 11-6-1950, Olga Faye Barbour. Issue 2.
Susan Kay Montgomery, b. 12-12-1951
Nancy Lee Montgomery, b. 1-11-1954
Robert, Jr., is a rancher in Colorado.

Donna Rea Montgomery, b. 12-4-1930, m. 6-3-1955, Franklin E. Scudder, b. 5-3-1920. Issue 3.
Robin Kaye Scudder, b. 10-23-1956
Montgomery Kent Scudder, b. 1-18-1958
Judy Scudder, b. 1-18-1958
Donna Rea is divorced and has not remarried. She has a B.A. and M.A. in business administration and is a teacher.

Joseph Houston Montgomery, b. 11-14-1893, D.S. 9-2-1909 at age sixteen years.

Hugh Montgomery, b. 1-27-1896, d. 2-15-1896.

Hettie Sue Montgomery, b. 9-4-1900, m. 9-2-1920, Theodore Curry Drake, b. 9-29-1889. Ted was owner and operator of T. C. Drake Auto Parts. He is now retired. He and Hettie Sue love to play bridge. Issue 1.

Virginia Laurence Drake, b. 10-26-1923, m. 6-7-1965, George Killough, Jr.

Nelle Montgomery, b. 10-6-1906, m. 3-24-1928, Clyde A. Mischlich, b. 10-24-1901, d. 5-16-1960. Both Nelle and Clyde were graduates of Maryville College. Clyde was agent for New York Life Insurance and Nelle a teacher – retired, 1973. Issue 3.

JOHN AND ESTHER HOUSTON MONTGOMERY

Anne Mischlich, b. 10-12-1933, d. 1-20-1934.

Jean Mischlich, b. 4-24-1936, m. 12-20-1958, Benson Andrew Spurling, b. 5-7-1932, d. ————, m. second, 8-25-1969, Bill J. Scott. Issue 2.

Benson Andrew Spurling, III, b. 5-6-1961
Michael Keith Spurling, b. 8-3-1962

Joseph Clyde Mischlich, b. 9-19-1938, m. 2-10-1961, Charlene Elizabeth Notgrass, b. 10-6-1941. Both are graduates of Hiwassee and Tennessee Wesleyan Colleges. Joe is an accountant and Charlene is a teacher. They live in Powell, Tennessee. Issue 3.

Sherri Elizabeth Mischlich, b. 6-6-1964
Vicki Lynn Mischlich, b. 6-19-1967
Charles Steven Mischlich, b. 8-11-1971

JOHN MONTGOMERY AND LENA McCLUNG

John E. Montgomery, b. 9-22-1864, d. 3-9-1931, m. 12-27-1886, Lena McClung, b. 8-25-1867, d. 10-27-1952. Issue 9.

Samuel Colville Montgomery, b. 9-21-1888, d. 5-25-1955, m. 5-30-1924, Minerva Penland.

Vola Jeanette Montgomery, b. 9-29-1889.

Claude E. Montgomery, b. 9-19-1890, d. 9-19-1952 (DS).

Walter Ash Montgomery, b. 2-18-1892, d. 4-15-1954, m. 5-16-1916, Nelle Brimer, d. 11-14-1969. Issue 3.

Ernest Brimer Montgomery, b. 5-18-1921, d. 5-3-1956, m. 1941, Francis Carbaugh. Issue 1.

Terry Lynn Montgomery, b. 6-29-1943

Edward Edward Montgomery, b. 5-18-1921, d. 5-21-1921.

Walter Ash Montgomery, Jr., b. 6-6-1926. Resides in Bristol, Virginia.

Ralph Alexander Montgomery, b. 11-26-1894, d. 10-2-1942, m. 11-3-1923, Mary Roberts.

Lloyd L. Montgomery, b. 3-3-1896, d. 5-24-1963, m. 3-6-1923, Carrie F. Floyd. Issue 2.

Betty F. Montgomery, b. 6-13-1926, m. 6-8-1948, Dr. Eugene Zachary. Issue 2.
Scott Zachary, b. 2-20-1955
Steve Zachary, b. 10-3-1955

Lloyd L. Montgomery, Jr., b. 7-28-1929, m. 4-6-1952, Nancy Sterchi. Issue 3.
Lloyd L. Montgomery, III (Monty), b. 6-28-1953
Merle Nelle Montgomery, b. 12-5-1955
Marsha Montgomery, b. 8-7-1959

Lela Montgomery, b. 3-3-1896, d. 7-8-1896.

Cecila Mae Montgomery, b. 8-8-1897

John Leon Montgomery, b. 8-25-1900, m. 9-8-1923, Lois Camp. Issue 1.

John Leon (Jack) Montgomery, Jr., b. 5-15-1930, m. 2-16-1952, Joanna Myers. Issue 3.
John Leon Montgomery, III, b. 2-8-1954, d. 11-3-1954.
Janet Aline Montgomery, b. 2-8-1954. Student at U.T.
Nancy Joanna Montgomery, b. 3-22-1956

Floyd Houston Montgomery, b. 7-30-1867, d. 7-26-1886. Floyd was not married, as he died at the early age of nineteen years.



Flora Montgomery Anderson, 1869-1935.

FLORA ANNE MONTGOMERY AND PEYTON ANDERSON
(Compiled by Beulah H. Anderson)

Flora Anne Montgomery, b. 9-1-1869, d. 3-15-1935, youngest child of Samuel and Hettie Montgomery, was a lover of nature and the great outdoors, spending time with her brother Floyd, near her age, and was with her father at the time of his fatal accident in 1885, but she escaped with minor injuries. Two years later she was married to P. B. Anderson; his autobiography and their family history to follow.

The loss of their fifteen-year-old daughter, Fannie, a

very charming young lady, was felt very deeply at the time and through the years made her love for her son and grandchildren as they came into her life ever dearer to her.

Flora was a natural musician and was organist for the Pine Grove Presbyterian Church for more than forty years. Also she was preferred by Dr. Homer Hammontree as his accompanist when he returned to Blount County to sing gospel hymns in his evangelistic work.

In their home she played both accordian and organ, combining folk music and gospel hymns. Since her husband and the Anderson family liked to sing, they often gathered for hours of entertainment singing gospel hymns. As Peyton says later, they built a home on the one hundred acres of land, her part of the old Montgomery home; then he bought from the Caswell B. Tipton family her sister Eveline's one hundred acres, making their farm he speaks of.

In 1921, after his appointment as Postmaster of the Greenback office, they built a nice home in Greenback where her grandchildren enjoyed many nice visits.

From PIONEER DAYS

A letter from Peyton Blankenship Anderson, the second son of William Harris and Louise Blankenship Anderson, written Feb. 6, 1948, from 114 Willard Street, Maryville, Tennessee (home of son), gives the following autobiography:

> Born Dec. 24, 1867, in Blount County, Tennessee. At the age of about 4 years he, with his parents, moved to Loudon County on the Little Tennessee River to a farm formerly owned by his great-grandfather Gilbert Blankenship. On May 17, 1875 his mother (Ida Louise Blankenship) died, leaving a family of five children, ages from one year to 9 years and six months. On May 31, 1877 his father married Effie Cochran. To this union 7 children were born. Their stepmother was a loving and devoted mother to her step-children as well as her own children.
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> On Nov. 30, 1887, Peyton was married to Flora Anne Montgomery, the daughter of Samuel and Hettie Montgomery of Blount County. To this union a daughter and a son were born. The daughter died at the age of 15.

In January, 1888, Peyton moved to Blount County with his wife to their farm. There they lived 34 years. In 1907 he was appointed R.F.D. carrier from Greenback Post Office. Resigned after more than 6 years service. Nov. 1921 he was appointed Postmaster of Greenback Post Office. Resigned after 12 years and 3 months. In April was appointed clerk in the bank at Greenback.

In March of 1935 his wife died at the age of 65 years and 6 months. April 1937 he resigned as clerk in the bank and moved to his brother John's farm. Remained with John until the latter's death in June of 1939, after which he came to Maryville to make his home with his son Floyd and family, consisting of wife, one son and one daughter. Although now past 80 years of age he devotes most of his time on a small farm of Floyd's five miles from Maryville.

Children:

(1) Fannie Rella, b. 1889, died at fifteen years of age

(2) Floyd Harris Anderson, b. Sept. 21, 1891, married to Beulah Henry, June 5, 1912 (b. Aug. 26, 1892). They are parents of a son and daughter:

  (a) Duff Harris Anderson, b. May 27, 1915. Served in World War II. Married Ila McCoig Frye, April 14, 1950, have one daughter, Marilyn, b. 1956.

  (b) Rella Marie Anderson, b. Feb. 9, 1926, married May 31, 1949, to Gilbert Myer Carp, have two sons and two daughters:

    1. David Anderson Carp, July 16, 1950, md. Feb. 5, 1972, to Terry Caldwell, daughter of Neal Caldwell.
    2. Susan, 1955
    3. Sharon, 1958
    4. Donald E., 1964.

Peyton Blankenship Anderson died on April 3, 1956, at the age of eighty-eight years at his son's home, where he had lived for seventeen years. The family is buried in Grandview Cemetery, Maryville.

Floyd Harris Anderson (son of Peyton), whose first love for an occupation was farming, enjoyed his experience of

farming in Colorado. From January, 1922, to January, 1926, he farmed the ranch of Charles B. Timberlake, congressman at that time. In the year 1923, Floyd won first prize on his sugar beets at the Logan County Fair held in Sterling, Colorado. It was a very successful crop. He returned to Maryville, Tennessee, in January, 1926, where he built a home and established a service station at Circle Drive. It operated as Circle Drive Station for some years, and as Anderson's Service Station some years. Both he and his son, Duff Harris Anderson, were in the business.

The Floyd Andersons are faithful members of Highland Presbyterian Church. In his thirty-nine years of his service to the people of Blount, Loudon and Monroe Counties at his service station, he made many wonderful friends. In his quiet and unassuming manner, Floyd grew to like his public very much, but also found his years of retirement very rewarding, as he follows the activities of his children and now his five grandchildren.

The Carp family, including David and Terry, and also Duff, Ila and Marilyn, were with the Floyd Andersons for Christmas of 1972. I think we, the grandparents, enjoyed it more than any Christmas over the years.

Duff Harris Anderson was born May 27, 1915, in Loudon County, Tennessee. He liked business as a boy and spent his extra time around his father's service station. He was a graduate of Old Knoxville High School in 1934, with interest in mechanical engineering. He attended U.T., working toward that degree; he was a graduate of a Mechanical Trade School in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1937. He was an engineer for a few years work on a government highway built in Panama and Costa Rica. He worked there before his years of service in World War II. 1942-1945 were the years he served on a U.S. Mechanical Barge in South Sea islands. On this return to Maryville, he served the public on the Maryville Police Force and city public works. He has always been a volunteer for Maryville Fire Department.

Duff Harris Anderson married Ila McCoig Frye after his service in World War II (married April 17, 1950). Ila is the daughter of W. F. and Maude Shrader McCoig of Dandridge.

They have one child, a daughter, Marilyn Iris Anderson (born Aug. 30, 1956). Duff, Ila and Marilyn, who live at 308 Tedford Street in Maryville, Tennessee, have enjoyed camping, fishing and traveling together. They are members of the Baker's Creek Presbyterian Church and Duff is a trustee of the old Baker's Creek Cemetery. They support the Baker's Creek community work. Ila is a member of the Home Demonstration work for women, and through the years they have given special care to their older friends and neighbors, and now to their parents. They have been active members of Veterans of Foreign Wars; have served as officers for both local and district work, traveling many miles for the cause with special interest in the home in Johnson City, and in keeping the Veterans' wheelchairs for local use. Duff has been an employee of Harrison Construction Co., Inc., for the past six years, with some work in other states. The family enjoy their weekends and vacation days in a country home on Douglas Lake near Dandridge, with boating and water skiing as a sport.

Marilyn Iris Anderson, seventeen-year-old daughter of Duff and Ila McCoig Anderson, is a happy, normal high school student who likes work as well as play. She enters her senior year at Maryville High School in September, 1973. She makes the Anderson grandparents happy by spending some time with them; she also spends many weekends on Douglas Lake with her parents, where she has learned to water ski. She and her family have enjoyed camping, fishing and traveling together since she was four years of age. She made an excellent record in her Girl Scout work and was known as one of their best campers. Today she likes sewing as part of home economics work. Marilyn is a member of the Rifle Corps to lead the Maryville High Marching Band in her junior and senior years, inspires the football teams of Maryville High. As a senior class officer she serves as treasurer of their class, and is a member of the Junior and Senior High Planning Committee. She has plans for a small college after high school graduation, with an interest in teaching.

Rella Marie Anderson, daughter of Floyd and Beulah

Henry Anderson, was born Feb. 9, 1926. Of a happy disposition, she had a sincere interest in music from early childhood, and was a hard working pupil of Miss Lennis Tedford, well-known music teacher. In their senior high school years, the two-piano work of Rella and Nancy Renaker resulted in some recitals that were new and entertaining. She has two years of study at Converse College in Spartanburg, South Carolina, 1945 and 1946, and then 1947 and 1948 at Maryville College, where she graduated with honors, earning a B.A. degree with major in voice and piano. She was a member of the Maryville College Choir and a soloist for The Messiah. She returned to Converse College in 1949 and earned a B. Mus. degree in piano. She did her Graduate Recital with Gilbert Myer Carp, to whom she was married May 31, 1949 (Gilbert b. 1924, son of William and Anna Carp of New Orleans, Louisiana). Rella taught music in the Pacolet Mills, South Carolina, school while she was in school; and music for a year at a government School for the Deaf and Blind at Cedar Springs, South Carolina, while Gil studied for his M. Mus. degree at Converse. They spent about twenty months in New Orleans, where Gil taught in a commercial music school especially for veterans. He was a graduate of L.S.U., with a B. Mus. from Converse. They returned to Converse in 1941, where he earned his M. Mus. degree. Gil served his country during World War II in the Navy Air Force, and was overseas in the European theater of war.

As a young music teacher on the Converse Music faculty, Gilbert made time for private lessons at his home. From 1960 to 1965, both he and Rella taught for a few hours each day at the Cedar Springs Music School for the Deaf and Blind. He taught band work, with private lessons; she taught the chorus work, with private lessons in piano and voice. This was in addition to his work at Converse College where he remained for fourteen years, except for a year's leave of absence while he worked on his doctor's degree from the University of Florida. They lived in Tallahassee, Florida, at the time. While at Converse, they did many concert programs in North Carolina and South Carolina, and one at

Maryville College. He enjoys concert work very much today. He was head of the Music Department of Contenary College in Shreveport, Louisiana, from 1965 to 1968, and Rella taught in the college. From September, 1969, they have been at the University of Tennessee, Martin, Tennessee, as Assistant Professor of Music. Rella assists him in his work, joins him in faculty recitals, and does private teaching. She also served First Methodist Church of Martin as Director of Music. The family does chamber music programs of church music, and all enjoy it. Rella's scout work as a girl proved useful, since she has served as a leader through most of her daughter's years of Girl Scout work. Although music is the central theme in the Carp home, they are good parents, faithful to church and Sunday School wherever they are located. Children's choirs have been their special work. Today they all like tennis as a sport and enjoy traveling together.

David Anderson Carp, b. July 16, 1950, made a success with a paper route as a boy. He won his Eagle Scout Badge at the age of thirteen in Spartanburg, South Carolina, and attended the national Boy Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, in 1964. He graduated from Shreveport, Louisiana, High School in 1968. David entered Tech University in Rustin, Louisiana, in the same year and was active in Kappa Sigma fraternity. As an honor student, he had the privilege of eight weeks' study in Rome, Italy, in 1971, with math and science major, enabling him to graduate with honors from Louisiana Tech on March 2, 1972. He secured a job as a program computer in Shreveport, beginning his work in January, 1972. He was married to Miss Terry Caldwell of Shreveport on Feb. 5, 1972, establishing his home in Shreveport. David's wife, Terry, is the daughter of Neal Caldwell (with an oil corporation in Texas and Louisiana, living in Houston, Texas). Terry received her B.A. degree from Centenary College in Shreveport, June 1, 1973. Terry is teaching in elementary work in Shreveport, and David has night classes toward his M.A. degree.

Susan M. Carp, a graduate of West View High School in 1973, entered Murray State University, Kentucky, Septem-



Nena Tipton McCammon



Barkley and Effie Tipton

ber, 1973. Susan became interested in cello and orchestra work in junior high school while in Shreveport, Louisiana, making statewide tours with her high school orchestra. Today she is an all-state orchestra student of Tennessee, performing in Martin, Jackson, Nashville and Memphis. She is also a member of the Jackson Symphony Orchestra and has performed in chamber music for churches in Milan and Martin, Tennessee. She is a student of cello under Prof. Neal Mason, Murray State, Kentucky. For the past two summers, 1972 and 1973, Susan has attended a five-week session at Sewanee Music Camp, "The School of the South," sharing courses of training as well as weekly concerts. She also has a good voice and has had choir work both in high school and churches. She plays guitar for church and folk music, was outstanding in her Girl Scout work and has served as a Junior Counselor for Girl Scouts. She likes tennis as a sport and plays well.

Sharon Kaye Carp, a sophomore in West View High School (1973-74) is certainly an all-around music student, as well as a superior piano student. She studies with Dr. Allison Nelson, a noted concert piano teacher at the University of Tennessee at Martin. She plays flute in West View High School Band and belongs to the baton twirlers for the band. She belongs to All State Band, has studied dancing, and is



Stella Montgomery Blankenship



Blanche Montgomery Jones



Lula Montgomery Kerr

an excellent accompanist for both high school and church music. She has joined her mother as a piano teacher. She, too, has an excellent record as a Girl Scout and an honor student.

Donald Edwin Carp, ten years old in January of 1974, is a very active part of the Carp family. He joins their music group by playing both piano and violin, and has joined in several performances for church music with the family, which he enjoys very much. He also played pee wee baseball last summer and made a good record for his team. He has a good voice, and has been singing in his school and church choirs since he was four years old.

By Beulah H. Anderson, who has a hobby of family history and good reading. Religion and history are favorite categories. She is Reading Chairman for the Brick Mill Home Demonstration Club, serving several years.

CHAPTER 10
*THE FAMILY OF DORCAS MONTGOMERY AND JOHN LOWRY
(Compiled by Esther Montgomery)

Dorcas Montgomery married John Lowry in Washington County, Virginia. Some of the children were born there, according to records of Zella Armstrong, historian. Robert married and remained there. They settled in Monroe County, Tennessee, and from that point we have rather complete records of the descendants of son William.

Descendants of Robert E. and Elizabeth Moore Lowry

Robert Edmonson, son of Dorcas and John Lowry, married Elizabeth Moore and settled in Washington County, Virginia. This write-up from "Notable Southern Families" by Zella Armstrong. Issue:

1. William Moore Lowry married Julia Easton, settled in Greeneville, Tennessee, then to Atlanta, Georgia. Children:
   - John Easton Lowry
   - Robert James Lowry, married Emma Celestia Markham
   - Fanny Talbot Lowry, married ———— Porter
   - Mary Hazeltine
   - Julia Margaret

*Except for the family of Robert E. above, information on this family is based on facts from John Eakin Cochran's "Pioneer Days of Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho," 1942.

Alice May
Lelia Prentice
2. Dorcas
3. Samuel Moore Lowry
4. _____

Descendants of William and Elizabeth Lowry

William, son of Dorcas and John Lowry, married Elizabeth Kelso, born Nov. 28, 1800, died Dec. 23, 1873. They settled in Monroe County, Tennessee.

William owned slaves. He was kind to them and runaway slaves were often concealed or harbored by the Lowry slaves. Education was important in the early history of this family. The children went to the "common" schools, then in turn taught the Negro children who were apt students and learned to read and write as well as the Lowry children.

He was a cripple from a broken hip of a number of years before his death. He was injured by his pet mare as she threw her head as flies bothered her. He made several trips to Texas to visit some of his children before he was injured.

Supposedly they are buried in the family cemetery. William and Elizabeth's family record is taken from their Bible.

1. David, born June 6, 1823, died April 12, 1899
2. Ann, born Feb. 12, 1825, died Feb. 20, 1907
3. John Harris, born Jan. 22, 1827, died young
4. Hugh Kelso, born Dec. 14, 1828, died Oct. 15, 1898
5. William Edington, born Aug. 10, 1837, died Jan. 4, 1910
6. Asenath Mariam, born Jan. 1, 1840, died Nov. 12, 1900
7. Nancy Jane, born July 19, 1831, died Oct., 1893
8. Mary Elizabeth, born Sept. 28, 1833, died Nov. 11, 1903
9. Martha Grizzy, born Oct. 2, 1842, died June 11, 1872

Descendants of David and Mary Upton Lowry

David, son of William and Elizabeth Kelso Lowry, married Mary Upton, born June 8, 1822, died April 12, 1899. Their children were:

1. Isaac, born Oct. 26, 1848, died June 8, 1870

2. William, born Feb. 2, 1850, died June 29, 1929
3. Joseph Henry, born April 13, 1852, died July 7, 1915
4. Samuel, born Aug. 23, 1854, died Aug. 20, 1857
5. Elizabeth, born Nov. 13, 1856, died Sept. 8, 1857
6. Martha, born Aug. 1, 1858, died Feb. 25, 1893
7. Ann, born Feb. 16, 1861, died Jan. 10, 1937
8. James C., born Aug. 11, 1863, died July 14, 1923
9. Thomas J., born Aug. 6, 1866, died Sept. 13, 1932

William, son of David and Mary Lowry, born Feb. 2, 1850, died June 29, 1929, married Elizabeth Kennedy, born Dec. 19, 1851, died June 18, 19—. They had six children:

1. Fannie, born Nov. 17, 1874, died Feb. 24, 1941, married Clabe Thompson, born May 3, 1873, died March 17, 1950. The members of this family were faithful supporters of Pinegrove Presbyterian Church. The four children graduated from Greenback High School. Ella Sue, born Sept. 30, 1906, married Charlie Long. They had two sons; Scott Edward, born Oct. 12, 1937, married Aline Whittaker and they have a son, Wayne ——. Joe, born May 5, 1908, died Oct. 31, 1963, married Verla Alexander. They have Vivian Sue, born Aug. 15, 1940, also Gerald and Nancy Alexander. Margaret, born Aug. 27, 1910, was a teacher in the elementary grades at Greenback for years, married Herbert W. Farr, born Sept. 25, 1899, died July 2, 1967. Anna Belle, born Aug. 30, 1912, married Carl Kidd, son of the Dick Kidds who lived near Greenback. He died May 9, 1940. They had daughter, Barbara, born July 21, 1941, who married Bobbie Mull, they have sons, Mike and Steve.
2. Etta, born Oct. 27, 1877, married J. E. Largen. No children.
3. Mamie, born Nov. 9, 1881, married W. B. Jenkins. No children.
4. Joe Lowry, born Sept. 15, 1889, died Feb. 14, 1891.
5. Carrie Lee, born June 27, 1892, died Oct. 9, 1892.
6. Sue, born Feb. 3, 1885, married Frank Hall. Children were:
   Clyde Hall, born Sept. 18, 1907.

Joe Hall, born May 16, 1909, married Elizabeth Meton, born Sept. 12, 1910, had Sue Rose, March 18, 1934; Virginia Jo, Sept. 12, 1935; Tommy Lynn, Jan. 13, 1941.

Charlie Hall, born Feb. 16, 1911, died Sept. 25, 1929.

Edith Hall, born April 6, 1916, married Ben Cantrell, had Carolyn Jane, born Aug. 20, 1938, and Benny Jo, born Jan. 13, 1941.

Helen Hall, born Jan. 19, 1918, married Charles James, had Jammie James, born Sept. 15, 1942.

Frances Hall, born Jan. 6, 1920, married Roy Goddard, have Wesley, born May 20, 1940.

Mary Ruth Hall, born May 19, 1922, married George Queener.

James E. Hall, born Sept. 20, 1924.

Joseph Henry, son of David and Mary Lowry, born April 13, 1852, died July 7, 1915, married Frances Fowler, born Oct. 18, 1856, died Sept. 24, 1942. He attended school at Hiwassee College and graduated with honors in 1880. When about twenty-eight years of age, he entered the ministry. He served Monroe County as Superintendent of Public Instruction from 1887 to 1891. In later life he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church South at Walnut Grove near Vonore, where he continued doing local ministerial work. He taught school at Hiwassee College and in schools of Loudon County. They had eleven children.

1. Mary E., born May 25, 1882, married Clyde Lancaster of Sidney, Nebraska, later moved to Richmond, California. Their three children were: Hugh K., born Nov. 30, 1907, married Alice Chapin of Mill Valley, California, in the 1930's; Bruce L., born July 31, 1909; and Warren J., born Feb. 18, 1913.
2. Martha Jane (Jennie), born Oct. 1, 1883, married Ben C. Hall, who died Dec. 23, 1963. They have always lived near Vonore. Mrs. Hall presently has a new home built near the site of her family home.

Joe, born Feb. 23, 1905, died May 16, 1972. He married, lived in Richmond, North Carolina, had a daughter who died young and a son, Ernest Benjamin,

born March 23, 1945.
Louise, born July 12, 1906, died Dec. 26, 1965. Single.
Clyde, born Oct. 5, 1908, married Lavada Glass. They had three children: Tommy, born April 18, 1933; Martha Jean, born Dec. 1, 1937, she married Wayne Holmes and they have two sons; James Donald, born Oct. 21, 1940.
Lois, born Nov. 3, 1910.
John, born Feb. 1, 1913, single, operates a store in Vonore and is concerned with local government.
Anna Ruth, born Jan. 3, 1917, has a college degree, is currently a librarian in Dalton, Georgia.
Arthur, born Oct. 15, 1925, married, living in Sweetwater. Children are: Tommy, born July 16, 1945, married Fay Wilson, has son Thomas Jerry Hall, Jr., born Feb. 9, 1965; Sherry Danette, born Oct. 26, 1950, married Steve Clyde Landers, has sons Jeffrey Page, born June 17, 1970, and Hillary Jill, born April 2, 1973; Robin Ann, born Dec. 27, 1955.

3. Ruth Lowry, born Sept. 21, 1885.
4. Samuel A., born Feb. 3, 1887, married Bessie Lomax, had:
Samuel Gene, born Aug. 18, 1918.
John O., born March 19, 1920.
Tommy, born Aug. 18, 1921.
Nancy Joyce, born March 19, 1927.
5. Minnie, born July 10, 1888, married T. W. Brunner. They had:
Mary Ella, born May 2, 1915.
Gene, born Oct. 21, 1917, married Roy Patterson, had sons Roy, Jr., born Oct. 6, 1941, and William, born Dec. 24, 1942.
Arthur, born May 6, 1923, killed in France, 1944.
Virginia, born May 6, 1923, married E. L. Billings.
Thomas Wilburn, born Dec. 31, 1926, died in June, 1927.
6. David A. (of Joseph), born April 21, 1890, death Sept. 28, 1943, resulted from a hunting accident. He was in military service during World War I, lived from 1911 until his death near Mesila, New Mexico, where he

was a farmer. He married Margaret Nunn. They had six children: Velma, born Nov. 26, 1922, married June 6, 1942, Richard McCowan, in Fairville, Virginia. They moved to Yuma, Arizona, had five children: Verna Ruth, born Sept. 9, 1924; Virginia, born July 19, 1926; Dan E., born Aug. 27, 1930; Dorothy, born Sept. 19, 1935; and a baby boy, born and died Dec. 20, 1939.

7. Bertha, born Oct. 17, 1891, married S. E. Petefist, lived in Santa Barbara, California.
8. Inez, born Sept. 1, 1893, lived in Chicago, Illinois.
9. Margaret, born Oct. 3, 1895.
10. Arthur, born June 27, 1899, died July 13, 1899.
11. Virginia, born Aug. 20, 1900, married Henry McConkey. They lived in Lenoir City, Tennessee, had children: Henrietta, Joe, Elizabeth and Roberta, born Jan. 31, 1944.

Martha, daughter of David and Mary Lowry, married John Cline. They had twin daughters; the mother and one girl died at the time of their birth. The other daughter, Martha Cline, born Feb. 25, 1893, survived. She married Frank Simpson. They have a son, Frank Simpson, Jr., whose son, Glen Simpson, born Oct. 24, 1918, married Evelyn Roberts, had Betty, born July 18, 1940, and Frankie, born Jan. 23, 1942.

James C., son of David and Martha Lowry, married Maggie A. Summitt; she died April 2, 1928. They had a daughter, Mae Lowry Summitt, born May 11, 1889, married E. G. Burchfiel. They had children: Vidalie, born Sept. 12, 1911, she married W. H. Tallent and they had Barbara Mae, born Jan. 1, 1933, and Mary Elizabeth, born Sept. 16, 1941; James E. Burchfiel, born April 1, 1916, married Mildred Shelton and they had Judith Mae, born May 22, 1940.

Thomas J., son of David and Mary Lowry, with his sister Ann, lived on the old Lowry place six miles east of Madisonville, Tennessee. His grandfather, William Lowry, had preempted this farm, paid ten cents per acre for all timber land.

Descendants of Ann Lowry and Robert Lusk Cochran

Ann, daughter of William and Elizabeth Lowry, married Nov. 27, 1845, Robert Lusk Cochran, whose father, John, settled on land adjoining the Lowry's. He was born in Blount County, Tennessee, April 26, 1824, died Dec. 31, 1909.

Robert and Ann lived all their married life in the same house, five miles east of Madisonville in Monroe County, Tennessee. He had a college education, was a farmer on land adjoining her father's. He was a soldier in the Civil War, Confederate Army. He was held prisoner at Vicksburg many months. Their children were:

1. Mary Jane, born Oct. 18, 1846, died July 21, 1918.
2. Martha Elizabeth, born Dec. 28, 1847, died Oct. 23, 1886.
3. Asenath Ann, born Aug. 4, 1849, died June 26, 1931.
4. Esther Miranda (Effie), born Dec. 23, 1851, died June 6, 1935.
5. Sarah Texanna, born Oct. 13, 1853, died Dec. 5, 1932.
6. Nancy Louise, born Sept. 22, 1855, died Sept. 29, 1931.
7. John Eakin, born Sept. 29, 1857, died March 23, 1951.
8. William Lowry Cochran, born Aug. 13, 1860, died June 30, 1946.
9. Margaret Alice, born July 3, 1863, died March 25, 1953.

Mary Jane, daughter of Ann Lowry and Robert Cochran, married Henry Sheets, who died March 15, 1918. They lived in Brakebill, Tennessee, had seven children:

Martha Ann, born Sept. 8, 1872.

Margaret Alice, born Nov. 7, 1874, married Floyd Hunt, Dec. 26, 1899. They had two children, Anna Mae, born Oct. 16, 1900, married ———— Tyler, and Gratis Clyde, born March 22, 1905.

Robert Henry, born June 18, 1877, married Allie Stratton, Feb. 26, 1906. Allie died in the 1940's. They had Nellie Elizabeth, born Feb. 2, 1909, married Earl Rutledge, had Crystal Gene Rutledge, born July 19, 1937, and Mary Ellen, born July 19, 1920, married George Ketchmark, had Tula Joan, born Aug. 17, 1942.

Jacob Miller Sheets, born Oct. 29, 1879, married Nora Esther Sloan, Aug. 22, 1909. She died July 10, 1915. They had two girls: Clarice Edith, born May 1, 1911, married Myron Miller, had two children (Clarice later became Mrs. O'Doherty), Carolyn Ann Miller, born June 5, 1937, and LeRoy Miller, born Sept. 19, 1939; and Lucille Sheets, born April 27, 1914, married Ralph Heltzel, had Leonare Heltzel, born April 9, 1937 (Lucille is now Mrs. Dingle).

Jacob Miller Sheets married second (July 31, 1943), Goldie Gray; she came to Washington in 1929. Her mother was Minnie Rosetta Showalter, her father James Gray.

William Eakin Sheets, born Sept. 5, 1881, married Hope Tipton, June 22, 1913, had one child, Alma Ruth Sheets, born Oct. 17, 1918, married ———— Holt.

Fannie Jane Sheets, born July 30, 1884, married Robert Holloway, Dec. 5, 1910. They had Pauline and Paul (twins who died in infancy), Robert Lusker who married, had Bobby and Eugene, Henry Ray and Mary Etta who married first Walter Henderson, had Fannie Patricia and Wayne Henderson. After Walter's death, Mary Etta married a Mr. Gray.

Nora E. Sheets, born July 17, 1887, died young, married, had a child, Lawrence.

Asenath Ann, daughter of Ann Lowry and Robert Cochran, married W. Henry Moser, born Sept. 22, 1847, died Oct. 6, 1927. They seem to have lived in Monroe County; she taught at the Porter School. They had eight children:

Mary Jane, born July 14, 1871, died Dec. 11, 1940, married James Banscome Jenkins, born May 15, 1857, died July 19, 1899. They were married Sept. 17, 1893, had four children:

Bessie Lee, born Aug. 15, 1894, married Oct. 16, 1916, James Lattimore Robinson, born Feb. 9, 1893, had Thomas, born Jan. 20, 1917, married Oct. 16, 1939, Anna Kate Moser, born Oct. 12, 1910, had Larry Moser Robinson, born July 2, 1940. Daniel Fleming, born March 30, 1920, married

Lorraine Rutledge, born Sept. 8, 1945.
Mary Kathryn, born Dec. 5, 1929.
James Foust, born July 29, 1931.

Thomas Alva Jenkins, born July 1, 1896, married May 14, 1916, Carra Belle Garren, born Aug. 24, 1898. Their four children were:

James William, born March 5, 1917, died May 27, 1919.

Bernard Garren, born April 27, 1918, married Delora McCaslin.

Leah Beryl, born May 9, 1920, married March 22, 1938, James Harry Marshall. Their four children were:

Sammie, born Nov. 13, 1938, a career man in the U.S. Army, current rank as Captain, married Agnes Louise Collins of Lakeside, Tennessee. They have Dennis Sterling, Debra Lynn, and Douglas.

Judith Faye, born Dec. 15, 1939, married James E. Bonafield. Their children are Cynthia Leah and Patrick Alva.

Alva, born Dec. 9, 1943. Single.

Frederick, born Nov. 5, 1949.

Barbara Jean, born Nov. 17, 1933, married T.C. Dixon. Their son, Russ Tomlin, was born July 21, 1966.

Esma Irene Jenkins, born Dec. 20, 1897, married Sept. 30, 1923, Charles Giles, born Sept. 28, 1900.

Philip Moser Jenkins, born Feb. 14, 1899, married Aug. 20, 1934, Irene Bernard, born Aug. 4, 1911, had Douglas Merritt, born Aug. 14, 1941, married Ann Manning. They had a son, Douglas Merritt Manning Jenkins, born April 26, 1970. The older son, born Nov. 3, 1938, died Nov. 4, 1938. Irene, widow of Philip Jenkins, married second, Ernest Rampey.

Julia Ann Moser, born Oct. 31, 1872, died 1949, married Sept. 13, 1894, William Washington Carson, born Feb. 9, 1869, died Oct. 7, 1939, had:

Martha Ann, born July 23, 1893, married Dec. 18, 1923, Ben F. Sands, born Oct. 9, 1894. They had:

Clyde Scanlon, born Jan. 22, 1925, married Jan. 6, 1950, Joneda R. ————. They have Kathy Jo, born Sept. 15, 1953, and John Frank, born July 17, 1957.

Ben Frank Sands, Jr., born Feb. 15, 1928, married Nov. 11, 1953, Mary Lou Rider. They had five children, the oldest being Ben Frank Sands III.

Nora Carson Sands, born Feb. 15, 1928, married Jan. 24, 1953, Richard Owens, have children Louise Ann and Jacqueline Carson Owens.

Robert Henry Carson, born Feb. 2, 1898, married Oct. 28, 1928, Nellie Axley, born March 19, 1907, have children, Dwight Lafayette, born May 28, 1929, died Sept. 29, 1933, and Robert Eugene, born Aug. 4, 1930.

Silas Ralph Carson, born Sept. 26, 1900, married April 26, 1925, Leona Belle McCracken, born Dec. 8, 1900.

Effie Irene Carson, born Sept. 18, 1903, married July 23, 1949, Joe M. Robinson, who died about 1952.

William Elihu Carson, born July 14, 1907, married March 11, 1942, Kathleen Rose McMurray, born May 18, 1911, had Willie Clyde, born Oct. 30, 1943, and Linda Kay, born March 8, 1946.

Victor Eugene Carson, born May 8, 1909, died July 17, 1939.

Julia Geraldine Carson, born Dec. 6, 1911, married April 15, 1934, James Robert McCracken, Sr., born Aug. 24, 1902, had James Robert, Jr., born Feb. 9, 1937; Michael Carson McCracken, born July 23, 1946; and Julia Ann Carson McCracken, born Jan. 24, 1950.

Mary Lee Carson, born Dec. 10, 1913, married May 14, 1937, to Sloan Lambdin, born Oct. 29, 1915, had first Mary Blanch, born Jan. 26, 1942, married

Ben F. Huff, parents of Barbara Ann and Allen Frank Huff, and second Julian Sloan Lambdin, born and died May 11, 1945.

Roderick Theodore Moser, born Nov. 24, 1874, died 1956. Married Dec. 20, 1914, Jennie White, born Aug. 13, 1885, died 1956. Children were Margie Gene, born Dec. 20, 1915, married April 28, 1955, Wade Swafford, had Timothy and other children. Henrietta, born Dec. 5, 1921, married, had one child, and Moser, born Nov. 28, 1927, married Earl Black, they were parents of Bradley and Jenny Lynn Black.

William Eugene Moser, born Oct. 15, 1882, married Jan. 28, 1917, Pricie Leslie, born Oct. 8, 1887, had Nellie Mae Moser, who married H. S. Whitcomb, Jr.; they have Janice Elaine Whitcomb.

Effie Irene Moser, born March 7, 1887, died March, 1965, married Feb. 14, 1904, John Isbell, born Jan. 2, 1873, had the following descendants:

Geneva, born Dec. 9, 1904, married John D. Brakebill, born June 3, 1904, had children: Douthard, born Dec. 2, 1928; Dale, born Oct. 3, 1931; Gwendolyn, born Oct. 31, 1934; and Charlotte Ann, born July 10, 1942.

Max, born May 28, 1906, married Opha Pettit, born Dec. 14, 1907, had children Maxine, born Dec. 17, 1928, and Barbara Isbell, born Feb. 1, 1937.

Glen, born May 28, 1906, married Peggy Churchill, born June, 1904.

Hazel, born Feb. 4, 1909, married Floyd Rainwater; they had David Rainwater, born July 6, 1940, married and has two children.

Lyle, born May 16, 1911, married Mae Webb, born Feb. 11, 1924, had children Freddie, born Dec. 30, 1936; Frankie, born Nov. 16, 1939; and Lila Mae, born June 21, 1941.

Neppie Bell Moser, born March 23, 1885, died March 18, 1922, married Aug. 3, 1905, Warner Moser, born Aug. 5, 1878, had children: Margaret Marie, born Nov. 3, 1906, married Thomas House; and Leslie Moser, Jr.,

who married Nellie Hogue, they had Robert Louis, born Jan. 5, 1942, and Leslie Warner, born Feb. 20, 1943.

Betty Lee Moser, born June 26, 1879, died in 1960, married Feb. 18, 1908, Robert Thomas Harvey, born June 21, 1876, died in 1955, had Henry Lafayette Harvey, born April 24, 1910, married Florence Moser, and Robbie Lee, born Aug. 18, 1916, married March 9, 1942, James Thurston Wicker, born Jan. 14, 1915. They had three children: Robert Ambrose, born and died Nov. 15, 1943; James Henry, born May 16, 1946; and a son in 1948.

Bertie Eakin Moser, born June 19, 1892, married Dec. 18, 1922, Bart W. Burchfield, had two children. Margaret Asenath, born Oct. 21, 1913, married June 1, 1935, Charles Manson Mack, born July, 1913, had Suzanne Mack, born Nov. 9, 1943. Their second child, Charlotte Dean Burchfield, born April 28, 1916, married May, 1942, Clovis Dura White, born Oct., 1913, had one child, Joe White.

Esther Miranda (Effie), daughter of Ann Lowry and Robert Cochran, married William Harris Anderson, born 1845, died 1910. Mr. Anderson was a widower with five children. He and Effie were parents of seven:

James Oscar, born Feb. 16, 1878, died May 26, 1908, married Florence Douthit, had two children:

William Harris, born Dec. 14, 1899, married Esther Stone. He died in 1963. No children.

Mary Rhea, born March 15, 1901, married Clarence Smith and later Clifton E. Nicol. Mary Rhea had three children, all Smith. They were: Betty Jean, born Nov. 14, 1923, married Bigelow; James Rhea, born Jan. 23, 1924, married M. Ann McCoy, parents of Sharon Lynn Smith, born Nov. 22, 1945; and Robert William, born Jan. 5, 1925, married Delores Ratslif, are parents of Steven Ray Smith, born Sept. 16, 1945.

Robert Roy Anderson, born Oct. 2, 1880, died Dec. 30, 1952, married Gertrude Morrissey. She died Oct. 9, 1952. There were no children.

Beulah Anderson, born March 30, 1882, married Joe H. Kollock, had one son, Kyle, born Nov. 1, 1908, died April 6, 1940, married January, 1937, Sarah Denton.

Bessie Anderson, born June, 1884, died 1952, married Warren B. Kerr of the Kerr Motor Company in Knoxville, who died in 1968. Their sons were Charles Kerr, born Oct. 19, 1907, wife was named Esther. He did military service in World War II. David, born Aug. 30, 1924, married Fannie Broughton, also was in World War II. They had two children.

Nola Anderson, born Nov. 23, 1886, died 1959, married Chester L. Hackney, who died in 1958. He was sheriff of Knox County, Tennessee, and Deputy Marshall of the U.S.A. from Knox County. They had two children: Ella Marie, born April 24, 1909, married Dick Dell, had daughter, Susan, born Dec., 1943; and Robert, born Jan. 26, 1918, married May 30, 1941, Georgia Prater, have daughters, Judy and Jane.

Walter A. Anderson, born Sept. 9, 1890, died July 2, 1929, married Leila Gillespie. They had Richard Nathan, born May 2, 1916, died Aug. 3, 1946, in World War II; and William Harris III, born Oct. 31, 1918, died in 1952, also served in World War II. He married Mary Jane Johnson, Dec. 29, 1945, have one son.

Kate Anderson, born Aug. 5, 1892, married Hugh McTeer (1888-1969); they have sons, Howard and Kenneth. Kenneth married Ethylene Chastain, they have son, Stephen. Howard is buried in Magnolia Cemetery.

William Harris Anderson married first Louise Blankenship. The children of their marriage are not included. However, their son, Peyton Anderson, who married Flora Montgomery, is written with the descendants of Samuel and Hetty Montgomery.

Sarah Texanna, daughter of Ann Lowry and Robert Cochran, married Pleas W. Kittrell, born June 29, 1856, died May 20, 1920. This family lived in eastern Washington and Idaho, roughly in the area of Lewiston, Idaho. There were eight children:

Cordelia Ann, born Nov. 16, 1877, died Dec. 3, 1879.

William Edgar, born Oct. 8, 1879, died April 10, 1933, married Lizzie ————, who was killed in a snowslide at Mace, Idaho, while he was at work (a bookkeeper at Burke, Idaho). Their children were Vernon and Howard. Later, he married Cora Spedden, they had William Spedden, born April 25, 1920, married Sept. 7, 1941, Virginia Wes; their children were William Edgar, born July 11, 1942, and Chester Hugh, born Sept. 7, 1945. Also a child of William Edgar was Malcena Kittrell, born Oct. 10, 1922, married July 1, 1945, Glenn Brixey, had daughter, Coraima Florence, born July 21, 1946. Edgar, born Nov. 2, 1926, died Jan. 21, 1939, was the fourth child of William Edgar and Cora Kittrell.

Nancy Leona, born Aug. 5, 1882, married Jan. 1, 1902, Clifford Belknap, who died in 1965. They had six children:

Barbara Jean, born Oct. 7, 1928, married Aug., 1948, Robert J. Hardy. They had Daniel Bruce, born Aug. 7, 1949, and Roberta Ann, born Dec. 21, 1950.

Corena May, born July 1, 1932, married Feb., 1952, Melvin Thomas. They had Neal Thomas, born June 22, 1954; Stacie Lyn, born July 28, 1955; and Layne Nelena, born Jan. 14, 1958.

Marvin Belknap, born April 1, 1905, married Daisy Wheatley, deceased. They had Carol Ann Belknap, born Sept. 25, 1938, who married Tom Williams; they have Scott, born 1959, and Shannon, born 1961. Marvin married, second, Edith Overman; they had Robert Harold, born Feb. 8, 1943, and Gail Lonise, born June 27, 1945.

Meldon Belknap, born July 21, 1908, married July 14, 1940, Muriel Davidson. They had Chester, born April 10, 1941; Ronald, born Sept. 21, 1942; Ray, born Jan. 22, 1946, died March, 1950; and Dale Glenn, born March 15, 1948.

Muriel Belknap, born Nov. 17, 1916, married Sept. 7, 1940, to Gordon Payner; they had Riley, born July 28, 1942, and Cheryl, born April 27, 1945.

Jack Belknap, born Aug. 3, 1922, married Feb. 6,

1943, Rayola Riley; they had Douglas Allen, born Sept. 14, 1949, and Gary Dean, born May 29, 1952.

Flora Elizabeth Kittrell, born March 23, 1884, died Feb. 23, 1909, married 1903, Dennis Tierney, had three children:

Leo, born Jan. 21, 1905, married ———— Abel.

Bernard, born Feb. 15, 1907. Married.

Chester, born Feb. 14, 1909, adopted by Nuxolls in Cottonwood, Idaho. Married.

Robert Eldon, born July 3, 1886, married Nov. 17, 1909, Almah Grace Conklin. He was a pioneer in Washington and Idaho, worked with the Great Northern Railroad as telegraph operator and the Northern Pacific as station agent, and was living in Eureka, Washington, in 1948. Three of their girls, Leona, Flora and Mildred, were teachers. Children:

Leona Amy, born Dec. 24, 1910, at Ilo, Idaho, married a Johnson, divorced and married again.

Alma Mae, born Sept. 13, 1912, married ———— Cooney; they had Chet Alley, born Nov. 18, 1936, and Grant Lyle, born Sept. 19, 1939.

Robert J. P., born April 3, 1914.

Betty Rose, born March 1, 1923, married, has two sons.

Elaine Rose, born March 25, 1929, at Burbank, Washington. She is a stenographer, worked at Walla Walla, Washington.

Virgil Vivian Kittrell, born July 26, 1889, married Dec. 16, 1912, Virgie Ross. They have Ross Kittrell, born Dec. 15, 1917, married Lucille Erickson. They have children: Glenn, born Sept. 3, 1920, married May 28, 1942, Dorothy Price. They have Glenna Marie Kittrell, born June 23, 1944. Wilma Kittrell, born Nov. 3, 1924, married, has children.

Effie Lillian, born July 29, 1891, died Sept. 2, 1942, married Jewel Bramblet. They had:

Everett Eldon, born Aug. 15, 1915, married Phyllis Baker, a minister. They have Rebecca Ann, born Aug. 6, 1942, and Cornelia Ruth, born June 7, 1944.

Lyle, born July 15, 1917, married 1944. He is a minister, has James Lyle Bramblet, born Oct., 1945, and another child.

Fern, born June 22, 1920, married July 16, 1939, to Volney Miller. They had: (1) Milan Everett Miller, born Aug. 1, 1940, married; (2) Marla June, born June 23, 1942, married 1963, had three children; (3) Jimmie, born March 2, 1924, married June, 1943, Vivian Baker. He is a minister, has one child.

Mary Bramblet, born Jan. 15, 1930. Married.

Mildred Evelyn Kittrell, born Aug. 11, 1893, married April 12, 1914, Newton Edward Heath, born Oct. 6, 1891. They had ten children. In 1950, they were living in Julietta, Idaho.

Flora Effie, born April 28, 1915, married March 26, 1946, Forrest L. Gibbs, had Scott Thomas, born Feb. 8, 1947, and Tim Newton, born Oct. 16, 1949.

Edgar Newton, born Jan. 20, 1917, married Nov. 28, 1943, Ruth McCarrell of Burke Idaho, born July 30, 1921. They had six children: Carol Sue, born Sept. 29, 1944; Neal Norman, born March 27, 1947, died April 17, 1951; Kathy Elaine, born April 16, 1948; Janet Lynn, born Sept. 10, 1950; Mary Beth, born Dec. 15, 1952; and Ruth Ann, born March 12, 1958.

Eugene Harmon, born Jan. 5, 1919, married Sept. 22, 1952, Betty Parks, had six children, later divorced. Robin Heath, born July 24, 1953, died Nov. 3, 1953; Joe, born Oct. 11, 1954; Delta Faye, born April 25, 1956; Roberta Jean, born Nov. 19, 1957; Jayne, born May 27, 1959; and Clifford Charles, born Oct. 8, 1960.

Donald Kittrell Heath, born Nov. 21, 1921, married June 5, 1965, Benjamin Banks.

Gordon Perry Heath, born April 2, 1923, married May 18, 1946, Ada McCarrel, had five children, later divorced. Jimmy Gordon, born April 29, 1947; Nancy Lee, born Feb. 21, 1949; Linda Kay, born

July 4, 1950; John Andrew, born Sept. 27, 1951; and Pamela Jean, born March 31, 1953.

Gordon married April, 1953, Grace Young Kleinsmith, they had six children: Terry, born March 9, 1954; Ren, born 1956; Wayne, born March 5, 1958; Clark, born March 1, 1960; Lee, born 1962; and Gordon, born 1964.

Mildred Evelyn Heath, born June 27, 1926, married Raymond A. Evans. They had Kay Alene, born June 5, 1952, and Mark Lewis, born Feb. 26, 1954.

Irene Fay Heath, born April 25, 1928, married Feb. 17, 1951, Alderic Scoggins, they had three children and were divorced: Suzanne Faith, born Nov. 27, 1951; Randy Allen, born July 27, 1953; and Deanna Inez, born April 4, 1955.

Lee Roberta Heath, born Jan. 1, 1930, married June 24, 1965, had a daughter, Natalie Schneider.

Inez Erma Heath, born Feb. 11, 1932, married June, 1951, William Inghram, born Feb. 3, 1932, had Christopher Reid, born Nov. 28, 1952, and Patricia Ann, born March 29, 1954.

Norma Lucy Heath, born Oct. 3, 1934, married May 30, 1954, Kenneth Rugg, had Jerry Kenneth, born July 2, 1957; Mitchell John, born Jan. 28, 1961; and Lisa Lynn, born Feb. 19, 1965.

Nancy Louise Cochran, born Sept. 22, 1855, died Sept. 29, 1931, married Jan. 25, 1881, James Alexander Blankenship; he died Sept. 7, 1892. They lived in Loudon County, Tennessee, had four children:

Elizabeth Anna, born Feb. 8, 1882, died June 12, 1902, married Otto Shintaugh, had one daughter, Mary Louise, born Dec. 6, 1906, died May 23, 1907.

William Virgil, born May 10, 1883, died Aug. 14, 1912, Mary Adella Brient. She died June 8, 1964, had four children:

Joseph Erskin, born Aug. 10, 1916.

James Rankin, born March 8, 1922, married June 20, 1942, Elizabeth Bright. They had James Rankin, Jr., born June 25, 1947, and Kathryn Fay, born

May 14, 1951.

Ben Brient Blankenship, born May 28, 1923, married July 14, 1951, Betty Jo Douglas. They had Melissa Ann, born May 25, 1961, and Douglas Brient, born May 4, 1965.

William Virgil, Jr. (Billy), born Oct. 1, 1929, married Jan. 29, 1955, Virginia Jo Cooper. They had Debra Ann, born Nov. 3, 1956, and Mary Janice, born Nov. 14, 1958.

John Eakin Cochran, born Sept. 29, 1857, died March 23, 1951, married Dec. 16, 1883, Nancy Emmaline Pickard, born Jan. 18, 1861, died Dec. 23, 1931. He had a fair education, taught school at Oak Hill, Tennessee. After twenty-two years of age, he left Madisonville with his sister, Texie, and her family; they traveled on the Union Pacific Railroad from Sweetwater, Tennessee, to San Francisco, then to Washington state by boat. His first wife, Emma Pickard, and his second wife, Mrs. George Pickard Kelly, were Washingtonians.

Edna Jane Cochran, born Oct. 23, 1885, died Nov. 17, 1923, married April 11, 1913, Albert Clark McCoy, born July 3, 1875. They had four children. Edna was buried with her infant son at Graingeville, Idaho

John Clark McCoy, born Jan. 20, 1914, married June 19, 1942, Marguarite Turner, born Dec. 15, 1918. John enlisted as a private in the army at the beginning of World War II and rose to the rank of major before the end of the war. He served in Germany, and saw a good deal of action.

Louise Emmaline, born June 14, 1915, married June 7, 1963, Virgil Lowell Kimble, born Aug. 20, 1907, had Virgil Lowell, Jr., born July 2; Edna Louise, born Dec. 19, 1941; and Vernon Lawrence (Larry), born Feb. 27, 1943, married Joan Kathryn Crandall, Sept. 12, 1964.

Robert Clark McCoy, born Feb. 16, 1917, married Nov. 24, 1939, Anita Rosita Brickman, born April 2, 1917. They had Judith Jeanne McCoy, born Nov. 13, 1940, married Jan. 14, 1961, Edward Lee Oremen; they had

Sheri Lee, born Dec. 10, 1961, and Michael Dale, born Jan. 20, 1964. Robert Clark McCoy graduated from Washington State College with a B.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering. He was with the U.S. Naval Reserve, worked on production problems of manufacturing uranium at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, served in Washington, D.C., and San Francisco, returning to Portland, Oregon, after his discharge.

Margaret Carrie McCoy, born June 2, 1920, married Aug. 1, 1942, Lowell Lenine Perkins, born July 9, 1919, had Bruce Merrill, born March 7, 1950, and Luann, born June 23, 1958.

Ethel Ann Cochran, born Sept. 26, 1887, married Aug. 30, 1911, Benjamin Ray Shinn, born Sept. 23, 1883, died Oct. 17, 1963. Ray bought the Cochran homestead that John E. Cochran had built for his family (1915). Their second son, Maurice Shinn, was farming the homestead in 1948. Ethel taught school for several years, and was postmistress at Canfield, Idaho, for twenty-three years. They had four children:

Louise Benjamin, born June 4, 1912, married Sept. 3, 1938, Rowena Joan Buckles, born June 2, 1918, have:

Benjamin Ray, born Aug. 27, 1939.

Ronald Maurice, born Aug. 14, 1942, married June 11, 1964, Amy Kahuanani Ross, born Nov. 12, 1945, have Angela Darlene, born Aug. 27, 1965.

David Michael, born Aug. 22, 1950.

Beverly Ann, born March 19, 1952.

Edith Eleanor Shinn, born April 27, 1914, married June 19, 1938, Einer Theodore Erickson, born Aug. 25, 1910. Edith has a degree from WSC; they have Geneal Inez Erickson, born June 16, 1944.

Maurice Eakin Shinn, born April 29, 1918, married June 1, 1965, Charlotte Brown Jacobs, born Sept. 17, 1938.

Marion Luther Shinn, born March 11, 1921, married June 25, 1945, Lorena Frances Newmayer, born Feb. 6, 1920, had Philip Arthur, born Oct. 4, 1947, and Donna Marie, born Jan. 19, 1950. Marion had an M.A. degree from A and M College, Ft. Collins, Colorado; he served

in the U.S. Navy (submarine) in World War II.

Mary Alice Cochran, born March 2, 1890, died Aug. 13, 1952, married Dec. 14, 1927, John H. Wortman. He was a minister of the United Brethren Church, died Oct. 24, 1941. Their children were:

William John, born March 4, 1930, married Dec. 23, 1961, Moween Ann Magdlin, born March 31, 1935. Bill has a B.A. degree from WSC.

Eleanor Ruth, born July 3, 1932, has B.A. from WWCE at Bellingham.

Mary Alice married Levi Rood, June 4, 1946.

Omie Rachel Cochran, born Feb. 9, 1892, died Jan. 31, 1961, married Dec. 24, 1924, Walter Bertram McCarthy. She graduated from Lewiston State Normal School (Washington), taught in Idaho, Washington, Montana and at different locations in Alaska, until her retirement at age sixty. They had:

Paul Bertrum McCarthy, born March 14, 1927, married Dec. 18, 1950, Eleanor Putnam, born March 5, 1930. Paul served in the Army of Occupation in Japan in 1947, graduated from Washington State College at Pullman. Their children are: Karen Lynn, born April 14, 1954; Kenneth Eugene, born Dec. 20, 1956; Katherine Joanne, born March 27, 1958; Michael Lee, born March 13, 1960; and Bruce Alan, born April 22, 1962.

Walter Bertrum McCarthy, born June 21, 1930, married 1957, Betty Ann Praeger. Walter graduated from Purdue University in 1951, is co-owner of the airline AIR-LYBIA, in Benghazi, Libya. Their children were born in Beirut and Lebanon: David Praeger, born Sept., 1958; Susan Elizabeth, born Jan. 1, 1960; and Janine Omie, born Sept., 1961.

Sarah Inez Cochran, born March 19, 1894, married June 3, 1931, Erling Bergan, born Oct. 15, 1898. Inez was a nurse in Camp Lewis near Seattle during World War I, and nursed in Washington and Alaska. Rev. Bergan worked with youth groups in the Northwest Conference of the Methodist Church in Idaho and Washington. Their daughter, Marcia Inez, was born Dec. 29, 1933, married Sept. 11, 1953, Dale

Campbell, Marcia graduated from the Western Washington College of Education at Bellingham, Washington. They have David Aaron, born April 13, 1956; Larry Kevin, born Nov. 10, 1957; Laura Ann, born June 11, 1960; and Sarah Louise, born April 3, 1964.

Zenna Elizabeth Cochran, born May 13, 1896, married Jan. 1, 1926, Albert Edward Higgins III, born July 13, 1885, died Feb. 12, 1964. Zenna graduated from Whitman College in 1917. She served as secretary for the Department of Physical Education for Women at Stanford for twenty years. Their daughter:

Inez Eileen Higgins, born Aug. 6, 1929, at Watsonville, California, married March 31, 1956, John Stevenson Lancaster, born Oct. 7, 1930, in Texas. Inez graduated from San Jose State College in 1951. Their children are James Douglass, born Oct. 27, 1957, in Pensacola, Florida; Virginia Kay, born Aug. 2, 1959, in Jackson, Mississippi; and William Scott, born May 31, 1962, in Jackson, Mississippi.

James Robert Cochran, born Oct. 21, 1898, married May 20, 1924, Edna Ashby, born May 3, 1903, died March 29, 1937. They had:

Patricia Jane, born June 30, 1925, married 1945, Merle C. Griffin, had two children, divorced. Children were: Robert Franklin Griffin, born Dec. 15, 1945, died March 15, 1946; and Kathleen Ann Griffin, born March 23, 1947, married 1965, Floyd Austin Breitmeyer, born Aug. 26, 1946, had one child, Floyd Austin Breitmeyer, Jr., born July 7, 1965. Patricia Jane Cochran Griffin married April 30, 1955, Kenneth Nelson, born May 1, 1930, had Constance Jane, born May 28, 1956; and Kristie Ann, born Dec. 14, 1965.

Richard Allen Cochran, born May 11, 1927, married June 6, 1952, Shirley Mae Martin, born June 24, 1929. Dick served in the Navy during World War II, overseas. He graduated from WSC at Pullman in 1950, teaches agriculture in the high school at Manson, Washington. Their children are Robert Alan, born Dec. 12, 1953; Rozanne LaRae, born Nov. 27, 1956; and Martin Dean,

born Nov. 28, 1959.

Nancy Belle Cochran, born Jan. 24, 1929, married Nov. 21, 1946, Delbert Davis, born Oct. 22, 1926. They had Theodore Hugh, born May 10, 1948; Roberta Edna, born Aug. 12, 1949; and James Kirk, born Jan. 31, 1954.

Eleanor Ann Cochran, born Jan. 15, 1931, married Feb. 3, 1951, Clifford E. LaRose, born Dec. 29, 1927. They had Pamela Kathleen, born Jan. 12, 1959, and Patricia Althea, born Aug. 30, 1960.

Delbert James Cochran, born June 22, 1935, married 1957, Maria Lee Barham, born July 23, 1940. They had Ernestine Lee, born Nov. 9, 1957; Timothy Benjamin, born Dec. 15, 1961; Todd James, born Sept. 8, 1964; and Terry Scott, born Jan. 8, 1966.

Effie Ruth Cochran, born Feb. 10, 1901, married May 29, 1922, Grover Daniel Montague, born May 11, 1896. They have five children:

Leo John Montague, born May 18, 1923, married Sept. 19, 1948, Opal Alice Swanson, born April 1, 1926. Leo was in the Army Air Corps in World War II; he graduated from WSC in Pullman, Washington, 1948. Their children are: John Thomas, born Sept. 5, 1949; Jane, born July 20, 1951; Paul Daniel, born Sept. 2, 1952; and Ruth Ann, born Aug. 23, 1957.

James Thomas Montague, born Sept. 11, 1926, died Aug. 11, 1949, married Beverly Cruson, was in military service during World War II, killed by falling timber while logging. No children.

Ellen Ruth Montague, born Nov. 8, 1928, married June 1, 1957, Glenn Evermont Miller, Jr., born July 20, 1928. Ellen graduated from Willamette University in 1950. They had Zae Ann, born Feb. 15, 1960; Kenneth Allen, born Oct. 3, 1961; and Michal Ann, born March 10, 1965.

Joan Montague, born June 2, 1932, married April 19, 1952, Tilden J. Moore, who was killed in a motorcycle accident, Aug. 20, 1952. Joan married Oct. 7, 1955, LeRoy Orrin Knoshaug, born July 8, 1930. They had Karen Linn, born Jan. 31, 1957, and Suzanne Marie, born May 13, 1959.

Daniel Grover Montague, born July 7, 1937, married Sept. 14, 1957, Patricia Gayl Kerber. Dan has a B.S. degree from the University of Oregon; in the 1960's, he was completing his Ph.D. at the University of Southern California. They have James Douglas, born Sept. 26, 1958, and David Scott, born June 7, 1960.

Sidney Luther Cochran, born April 14, 1904, married Dec. 25, 1929, Frances Baker, born Aug. 27, 1904. They had:

Colleen Catherine, born Nov. 5, 1939, married Aug. 30, 1953, Paul Scott, has Steven Paul, born May 28, 1954, and were divorced. Colleen Cochran Scott married Nov., 1963, Jerry Erickson.

Sandra Lynn Cochran, born Oct. 17, 1936, married 1953, Holly Chamberlain, had Russell Dean, born Aug. 6, 1956, and were divorced. Sandra Cochran Chamberlain married June 14, 1958, William Henry Kuhlmann, who was born Jan. 16, 1932. They had John Henry, born July 11, 1969; James William, born July 11, 1959; and Scott, born Sept. 15, 1961.

Sharon Lee Cochran, born Feb. 1, 1939, married July 14, 1959, Richard Glenn Bostrom. They had Richard Glenn, Jr., born March 9, 1962, and Randall Gene, born Oct. 1, 1963.

William Lowry Cochran, born Aug. 13, 1860, died June 30, 1946, married Dec. 31, 1884, Nora Barr. She died in 1955. William came to Washington territory in 1879. In the spring of 1880, he taught school near Colfax. The family lived at Finley, Washington, near Fenniwick, for many years. They had four children:

William John, born 1886, died June 4, 1956, married 1913, Sophie Schadecker. They had:

Margaret, born Feb. 7, 1914, married Ernie Schoffer of Spokane, Washington.

Bill Cochran, born March 18, 1915, had Sandra Lee and William John Cochran II, born Jan. 22, 1948.

Mary Jane Cochran, born Nov. 4, 1919, married Frank Katowski, had James William, born April 14, 1939, and Michael Lowry, born Oct. 3, 1942.

Roy Cochran, born Aug. 18, 1888, married July 12, 1908, Merle Gregson, who died in 1934. They had Leland Cochran, born May 20, 1909, who married Eleanor Sturdevant. Roy Cochran married 1943, Claudia Bevers, who died Aug. 27, 1947.

Harry Cochran, born July 8, 1892, married 1929, Kathleen Heyley, had Gerry Cochran, born Nov. 8, 1936.

Merton Cochran, born May 6, 1896, died 1960, married Ruth Brown, had Lorene Cochran, born 1920, and were divorced. Lorene married Gilbert Burleigh and they were parents of Michael Ann and Douglas Glen Cochran. Merton married second, Louise Buchanan. Children were a son, born 1940, and Larry, born 1944.

Stanley Cochran, born Jan. 10, 1899, married Myrna Tewalt; they had Arnold Marvin Cochran, born Aug. 22, 1918, and were divorced. Arnold married Melva Hortring and had Myrna Irene Cochran, born Nov. 4, 1942. Stanley married Jan. 22, 1933, Vivian Howland; they had Marjorie Joan, born April 16, 1934, married, and Marlene Merle, born Jan. 1, 1938, married.

Margaret Alice Cochran, born July 3, 1863, died March 25, 1953, married Dec. 1, 1886, Samuel Mayo McCroskey, born Dec. 28, 1859, died Feb. 13, 1953. This is an interesting marriage, two great-great grandchildren of John and Esther Houston forming a few family across the continent from where John and Esther came to Pennsylvania as immigrants. For details on their descendants, see the McCroskey story.

Descendants of Hugh Kelso and Mary Cook Lowry

Hugh Kelso, son of William and Elizabeth Lowry, born Dec. 14, 1828, died Oct. 15, 1898, married Feb. 23, 1855, Mary I. Cook. They lived on the "old Lowry farm" northeast of Madisonville. It is likely Mary I. Cook, Berry Cook who married Fate Lowry, and Martha who married James are members of the family of Alexander and Levicia Ball Cook of Blount County, Tennessee. They had eleven children; Joseph Alexander who married Elizabeth Montgomery and raised a large family in the Trigonia area was their

son. Land grants tend to bear this out, but complete lines have not been traced. Their children were:

Elizabeth J., born May 24, 1856, died July 24, 1857.

William Lafayette, born Nov. 26, 1857, died March 8, 1930.

Jacob, born Aug. 27, 1859, died March 3, 1941, married Feb. 20, 1879, Amanda Brakebill.

Miss Sidney A., born Feb. 22, 1862.

James K., born July 13, 1866.

Joseph E., born May 11, 1868, died Jan. 27, 1937.

Benjamin Lowry, born Aug. 11, 1879, died 1899, married Rosie Milander.

Charles C., born May 22, 1875, died Dec. 15, 1895.

Albert M., born July 20, 1878, died Dec. 25, 1926, married.

William Lafayette Lowry, known as Fate, married May 12, 1883, Bettie Cook. He was a cow-man "by profession." He first ranched on land near Claremore, Oklahoma, about 1880 and continued in that business in Rogers County until 1904 when he leased the land in the northeast part of Nowata County, which he afterwards bought. At the time of his death in 1930, his ranch consisted of 10,000 acres, the greater part of which he owned. Their children were Edgar, Fred, Clarence and Glen.

Miss Sidney A. Lowry, born Feb. 22, 1862, married Jan. 15, 1882, John Brakebill. Many members of this family have remained in the Monroe County area. They had eleven children:

Charles Edgar, born Oct. 20, 1882, died young.

Robert Kelso, born Nov. 19, 1884, married July 4, 1917, Della Peeler, had a son, Robert Gaut Brakebill.

William Harris, born Sept. 24, 1886, married June 3, 1917, Virgie Mae Summitt. They have children Sidney Elizabeth, Robert Marvin, Edward Harris, and Dorothy Evelyn.

Betty Isabelle Brakebill, born Jan. 27, 1889, married April 28, 1912, Ulysses G. Leslie. They had Ulysses Leslie, Jr., Eva Mae, Pryor Brakebill Leslie, and Albert Melvin Leslie.

Vina Mae, born May 15, 1891, married Murray D. Summitt. They had Ross Barnes, Flora Mae, Helen, Robert, and John Luther.

Joseph Murray Brakebill, born March 16, 1893, married Nell Denton, had a son, Dewey Murray Brakebill.

Alvin Brunner Brakebill, born Aug. 24, 1895, married Theresa Blair. They had sons Charles Franklin and Eugene.

Anna Grace, born Nov. 25, 1897.

Amanda Cordelia, born Sept. 14, 1900, married Robert L. Brakebill, had Osa Lee, Grace Beatrice and Franklin D. Brakebill.

John Onzalo Runyan Brakebill, born May 18, 1902.

Fred Rasco, born Nov. 22, 1904, married Gertrude Brandenburg.

James K. Lowry, born July 13, 1866, married Jan. 22, 1896, Martha Cook, sister to Bettie Cook who married his brother, Fate. They were married in Claremore, Oklahoma. They adopted two Indian children, Jimmy McCracken, two years old, and Margaret Langly. From James K.'s letter: "If you were given a child, it would never be taken away from you by relatives." They had a daughter, Thelma Lowry; Martha (Mattie) died soon afterwards. Thelma made her home with her Aunt Betty until she was married to Joe Gilbreath. James K. worked with his brother "Fate" at farming and in the cattle business. In 1902 he married Lola Clark, the postmistress of Oologah, Oklahoma, who had three children.

Joseph E. Lowry, born May 11, 1868, died Jan. 27, 1937, married July 19, 1892, Mary Cordelia Ault. He is described as a very studious boy. He was a graduate of Hiwassee College, Monroe County, Tennessee. He was president of the college for twenty-seven years. He did a great work for the college grounds, built a new residence, a new college building, and arranged for all the improvements outside of the church donations. He was a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. Their children:

Lillian Mabel, born Nov. 5, 1893, married R. L. Gallihar.

Samuel Gordon, born Feb. 1, 1896, married ————.

died Oct. 17, 1966, Haines City, Florida.
Elizabeth, born May 18, 1901, was a teacher in Knoxville.
Ella Grace, born Nov. 5, 1906, married Dr. J. Williams; they had a girl, Charlene Marye Williams, born Jan. 26, 1937.

Descendants of William E. and Arbella Lowry

William Edington, son of William and Elizabeth Lowry, born Aug. 10, 1837, died Jan. 4, 1910, married Arbella Watson, born Oct. 19, 1841, died Sept. 18, 1926. Their children were:

Charles W. ————, died March 21, 1897.
Effie, married ————, had seven children.
Betty, born July 18, 1879, married Oct. 20, 1897, David R. Gaston, had seven children.
Lorena, born Aug. 28, 1888, married April 28, 1918, Ben S. Irvin, had son, David.
Pansy, born March 29, 1901.
Berle, born Sept. 14, 1902.
William Boyd, born Oct. 7, 1904.
Correne, born Dec. 7, 1906.
Elsie, born July 4, 1912.
Marcia, born Jan. 11, 1917, married ————, had children Betty Lou, born Feb. 28, 1936, James Edwin, and Sandra Jane, twins, born June 2, 1941.
Anna ————, died Nov. 5, 1940, married Earl Swinson, had five children.
Ella Lowry, married Gale Bumpas.
Elsie Lowry.

Descendants of Asenath Miriam Lowry Girdner

Asenath Miriam, daughter of William and Elizabeth Lowry, born Jan. 1, 1840, died Nov. 12, 1900, married July 2, 1859, Leonidas Howard Girdner. He died Aug. 11, 1884. Their children:

Robert, born May 10, 1860.
Richard, born Jan. 12, 1862, married Dec. 19, 1896, Lizzie Swann. Their six children as follows:
Bessie, married Jess McGuire, they had three sons.



Rev. Joseph E. Lowry

Rev. Joseph E. Lowry, great, great-grandson of Dorcas Montgomery Lowry.

Rev. Joseph E. Lowry ('86) made a lasting impact unpon Hiwassee. He first served as president in 1899 while serving as pastor in Madisonville and later in Loudon until 1908. He became president again in 1914 and continued in that office until 1924. He had great love for the school and for students. A high level of excellence was reached during his administration.

Zera, married George Higginbotham, he died June, 1936; they had a daughter.
Howard, married Maud Smith, she died 1925; they had four children.
J. C. Girdner.
Chalmers Girdner.
Austin Girdner, married Hall Swann, had two daughters.

Bettie, born Nov. 12, 1864, died July 18, 1865.
Amanda, born Feb. 25, 1867, died June 19, 1941.
Lillie, born Nov. 22, 1869, died May 18, 1937.
William, born Dec. 18, 1871, is a doctor.
Charles E., born 1875.
Mattie, born 1877, married a doctor.

Descendants of Nancy Jane Lowry Cook

Nancy Jane Lowry, daughter of William and Elizabeth, born July 19, 1831, died Oct., 1893, married James Cook. They had:

Billie, born Dec. 18, 1859.
Jane.
Bettie, ————, married May 12, 1883, William Lafayette Lowry (see above).
Martha, born Sept. 17, 1865, married James K. Lowry (see above).
Jacob.
Alice Caroline, born Feb. 22, 1872, died June 10, 1943, married Tom Cline, had son, Dewey, and daughter, Merle, who married; she has sons, Teddy and Bob Cline.

Descendants of Mary Elizabeth Lowry Wisecarver

Mary Elizabeth, daughter of William and Elizabeth Lowry, born Sept. 28, 1833, died Nov. 11, 1903, married Jonathan Wisecarver. They had children, William and Josie Wisecarver. There is no record other than the fact that Josie left Hunt County, Texas, to go to a health resort in Arkansas.

Descendants of Martha Grizzy Lowry Pugh

Martha Grizzy, daughter of William and Elizabeth Lowry, born Oct. 2, 1842, died June 19, 1872, married William N. Pugh, born Aug. 25, 1830, died Aug. 30, 1898.

Mack Edington Pugh, born Aug. 25, 1868, died April 10, 1884.

Elizabeth Jane (Betty) Pugh, born June 11, 1870, married Dec. 20, 1888, George S. Bowen, died Oct. 24, 1936. They lived in Harrison County, Texas, had eight children:

Jessie Edgar, born Sept. 18, 1889, married Sept. 19, 1915, Clea Munden, had: (1) Billie Bowen, who married Brenson Ross, had Betty J. and Bobby Bowen; (2) Elizabeth, married Melvin Knight, had daughter, Ann; (3) Jack Bowen, married Lucille Porter, had son, Jack Edward; and (4) Jesse E. Bowen, died Nov. 28, 1944.

William John Bowen, born Sept. 21, 1893.

Mattie Elizabeth, born March 22, 1896, married Nov. 1, 1911, Oscar McCay, had: Russell McKay, who died 1915; Ray McCay, married Ann Hardy, had Gloria Ann and Wayne; Cleo McCay, married James Carpenter, had daughter, Elizabeth; and George McCay, married Joan Maltby.

George Simean Bowen, born March 12, 1899, married Aug. 13, 1919, Ruth Biggs. They had two daughters: Ruth, married Glen Lane, had Glenda and Theressa Lane; Virginia, married Robert Sanders, had two children.

Oliver Lloyd Bowen, born April 14, 1902, married Feb. 4, 1923, Gladys Conway, had sons, Lloyd, Jr. and Roy.

Merle Emma Bowen, born March 29, 1905, died June 9, 1906.

Clarence Stephens Bowen, born Feb. 12, 1908, married May 2, 1928, Ouida McCay, had daughters Delma and Helen.

Maxie Allen Bowen, born March 24, 1910, married

Feb. 24, 1929, Dorothy Wagner; they have Maxie Allen, Jr., and Susanne Bowen.

John E. Pugh, born April 20, 1872, married 1893, Kittie Cline. She died in 1894. He then married Alta Moore in Feb., 1896. She died Aug. 29, 1947. Their children were:

John H., born May 27, 1897.
Cora Elsie, born Dec. 21, 1898.
William E., born Feb. 28, 1903.
Muriel E., born Aug. 3, 1905.
Haskell Bryan, born Aug. 5, 1907.
Forest Dail, born May 1, 1912.

OTHER DATA

Dorcas Montgomery, daughter of John and Esther Houston Montgomery, married John Lowry, 1771, son of John and Elizabeth Lowry. Children:

John Montgomery Lowry
William McClelland Lowry

Both went to Tennessee. Records of Balmer H. Kelly, Richmond, Virginia.

For John Montgomery Lowry and James Lowry, first and fifth sons of John and Dorcas Montgomery Lowry, we have traced no family.

First son, John Montgomery Lowry, born before 1775, was in Blount County before 1795 and was a prominent person in the early history of Maryville, Tennessee, county seat of Blount County; named as one of the first Commissioners. Record in Blount County History by Inez Burns. He served with his first cousin, John Montgomery (son of James and Margaret Weir Montgomery). We note there were two John Lowrys. Ours was John Montgomery Lowry and we believe him to be John the Lawyer. The other was John the Merchant and their history could be mixed. John Montgomery Lowry the Lawyer practiced law in Maryville before 1800; also a Justice of the Peace, and represented Blount County in the state Legislature in 1809, 1817, 1827.

He was interested in first education for Maryville and probably was one of the land owners marked on the first city map.

First part of this chapter gives John M.'s brother, William McClelland Lowry, who settled in Monroe County, Tennessee, eight miles from Madisonville and married Elizabeth Kelso. He is featured with the Kelso family in early history of Morganton, Tennessee. From "Pioneer Days of Washington State and Idaho" by John E. Cochran, we find a Bible record and history of this family. It is the first, probably most interesting, part of this Lowry chapter.

Of James Lowry, the fifth son, we have only Mr. Kelly's record that he went south. This came later and leaves us wondering if he could have settled in Blount or Knox County where we have other Lowrys. There was no time for further research. A family tradition is that John and Dorcas had children to die as infants or small children, but all records agree with Mr. Kelly that only five reached adult age.

Research in Blount County by Esther Montgomery and Mrs. Floyd H. Anderson.

David Lowry, born Feb., 1781, died Nov., 1828, married Elizabeth Keys. (Descendants appear later.)

Robert Edmondson Lowry, married Elizabeth Steele Moore. (Descendants appear later.)

James Lowry, went south. (Records of Balmer H. Kelly, Richmond, Virginia.)

David and Robert E. and third and fourth children.

David Lowry, born Feb., 1781, died Nov., 1828, married Elizabeth Keys, born 1783, died Nov., 1861. Children:

John Lowry, born Sept. 25, 1812, died Feb. 22, 1901, married Rosanna McConnell. (Both buried at Green Spring, Washington County, Virginia.) Children:

David Lowry, buried at Green Spring, Washington County,

Virginia.

Mary Virginia Lowry, married William Minnick.

Molly Rosanna Lowry, married James Crowell.

Sarah McConnell Lowry, married William Thomas Graham, Dec. 10, 1873. Children:

(John Franklin Lowry)

Rosa Anna Graham, married Robert L. Kilby, March 4, 1895.

Mary Virginia Graham, married Robert L. Richardson, Feb. 11, 1902.

Margaret Anetta Graham, married Alfred J. Brown, Feb. 11, 1902.

Hazel Lowry Graham, married Robert C. Copenhaver, Jan. 20, 1917.

Tommie Lamar Graham (girl), never married.

David Lowry, born July 30, 1842, died March 20, 1926, buried in Green Spring Presbyterian Cemetery, Washington County, Virginia. Married Etta Frances Keller, daughter of Joseph Keller and Dorcas Moore Lowry, Dec. 24, 1868. Children: eight, all born at Green Spring, Washington County, Virginia.

Josephine Lowry, born Oct. 30, 1869, at Green Spring, Virginia, buried in Cold Spring Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Bristol, Virginia. Married William G. Combs.

John Welford Lowry, born Sept. 14, 1871, died Jan. 7, 1911, buried at Green Spring, Virginia, married Clarfie Michaels.

Rosa Ida Lowry, born March 1, 1873, buried at Ashland, Virginia, married Edgar Miller.

Robert Keller Lowry, born Jan. 27, 1875, died Aug. 10, 1973, buried at Green Spring, Virginia, married Bessie Margaret Ritchie, Oct. 28, 1909. (Descendants appear later.)

David Eugene Lowry, born March 8, 1877, buried at Nallen, West Virginia, married Maggie Fulton.

Walter Frank Lowry, born March 8, 1879, died Jan. 7, 1908, buried at Green Spring, Virginia.

Willetta Moore Lowry, born Aug. 2, 1883, died March 19, 1958, buried in Rock Spring Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Lodi, Virginia, married Walter Lowry Preston, Sept. 5,

1906.

James Greenway Lowry, born March 6, 1885, died May 27, 1972, buried at Green Spring, Virginia, married Helen O'Dell Lowry, Dec., 1909.

Robert Keller Lowry, Jr., born Aug. 21, 1910, Route 1, Abingdon, Virginia, married Nancy Gray, Dec. 25, 1931, daughter of Charles David Gray and Marian Watkins Beaumont.

Charles Johnson Lowry, born April 30, 1915, Route 1, Abingdon, Virginia, married Irene Merritt Millard, April 20, 1940. (Descendants appear later.)

Robert Keller Lowry, III, born Dec. 27, 1932, at Abingdon, Virginia, married Anne Belle Combs, daughter of David Clarence Combs and Mary Elizabeth Michaels, Dec. 11, 1959.

Robert Keller Lowry, IV, born May 2, 1964.

Charles David Lowry, born Aug. 12, 1934, Route 1, Abingdon, Virginia, died Sept. 4, 1934, buried at Green Spring, Virginia.

Nancy Elena Lowry, born Aug. 19, 1937, Route 1, Abingdon, Virginia, married Charles Wiley Hutton, son of Wiley Jerome Hutton and Nellie Mae Riddle, Aug. 2, 1958, in Abingdon, Virginia. Children:

Charles Wiley Hutton, Jr., born March 18, 1959, at Abingdon, Virginia.

Mark Lowry Hutton, born Jan. 26, 1961, at Abingdon, Virginia.

Mary Jane Lowry, born July 24, 1943, Route 1, Abingdon, Virginia.

Susan Etta Lowry, born Aug. 5, 1948, Route 1, Abingdon, Virginia.

Brenda Holly Lowry, born Dec. 27, 1940, at Bristol, Virginia, married Fred Chaffee.

Charles Johnson Lowry, Jr., born Nov. 2, 1942, at Bristol, Virginia, married Angeline Marika Dodi, April 20, 1963. Children:

Charles Johnson Lowry III, born Dec. 29, 1963.

Angeline Marika Lowry, born June 18, 1965.

George Thanis Lowry, born Aug. 21, 1966.
Elizabeth Irene Lowry, born April 13, 1968.
Nancy Faith Lowry, born April 30, 1971.

Robert Edmondson Lowry, born 1783, died Oct. 5, 1857, married 1810, Elizabeth Steele Moore, daughter of William Moore and Elizabeth Steele. Eight children:

John M. Lowry, born Sept. 15, 1811, died Dec. 2, 1813.

William Moore Lowry, born Aug. 20, 1815, died Jan. 1, 1892, married Julia Eason. Eight children:

William – unmarried
Robert – married Emma Markham
Virginia – married Arnold
Mary – married Taylor
Alice May – married Clark
Julia – married Meadows
Fannie – married Porter
Lelia – married Freeman

John Montgomery Lowry, born Aug. 20, 1815, died Jan. 1, 1892, married Jan. 4, 1838, Elizabeth Graham (born Oct. 4, 1819, died Feb. 27, 1900), daughter of William Graham and Isabella Buchanan.

Julia Elizabeth Lowry, born Nov., 1839, died Aug. 12, 1902, married Feb. 14, 1867, William Buchanan Kelly (born Jan. 18, 1838, died July 8, 1919), son of James Edmondson Kelly and Margaret Buchanan.

James Montgomery Kelly, Sr.
James Montgomery Kelly, Jr.
Balmer H. Kelly

From the files of Dr. Balmer H. Kelly, retired professor of Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Virginia, and the family records of Miss Susan Etta Lowry, the fifth child of Robert Keller Lowry, Jr., Abingdon, Virginia.

CHAPTER 11
ROBERT MONTGOMERY AND SARAH J. COLVILLE
(Compiled by Margaret M. Vawter)

Robert Montgomery, b. 1764, Augusta County, Virginia, d. 10-3-1813, Washington County, Virginia, m. 1784, Sarah Jane Colville, b. 1766, d. 1839, Washington County, Virginia. Robert was the youngest son of John and Esther Houston Montgomery. Sarah was the daughter of Captain Andrew and Mary Craig Colville of Augusta County, Virginia. (Proof of marriage established through County Records.)

Robert Montgomery's will was dated 10-14-1813. He was a Revolutionary soldier in the Battle of King's Mountain. (Information from D.A.R. Records #35013.) I understand that all the sons of John and Esther, except the Rev. John, served at King's Mountain. Issue 8.

John Montgomery, b. 1-26-1786, d. 11-17-1869, St. Joseph, Missouri, m. Elizabeth Christy Craig.

Andrew Colville Montgomery, b. 3-23-1793, d. 6-25-1874, m. 10-24-1822, Ann Houston.

Esther Montgomery, b. 9-4-1800, m. David Hayes, b. 9-4-1800. Had two children, David and Polly.

Jean Montgomery, b. ————

Polly Montgomery, b. ————

James W. Montgomery, b. ————, m. Mary ?

Sally Montgomery, b. 3-2-1806, d. 12-28-1882, m. Thomas E. Roper, 12-18-1831. Buried in Sinking Springs Cemetery, Abingdon, Virginia.

Juliet Montgomery, m. 4-3-1811, John Craig.

All these children were born in Washington County, Virginia. Esther was later reported in Nashville, Tennessee. John was a farmer and found in Washington County, Virginia,

and later Rockcastle County, Kentucky, and St. Joseph, Missouri. James W. was in Washington County, Virginia, and later Fayette County, Kentucky. Andrew Colville came to Tennessee, Blount County. A.C.'s will may be found in Washington county will book No. 2-140, dated 10-1797. Sarah's will dated 12-8-1834 in will book No. 2-128.

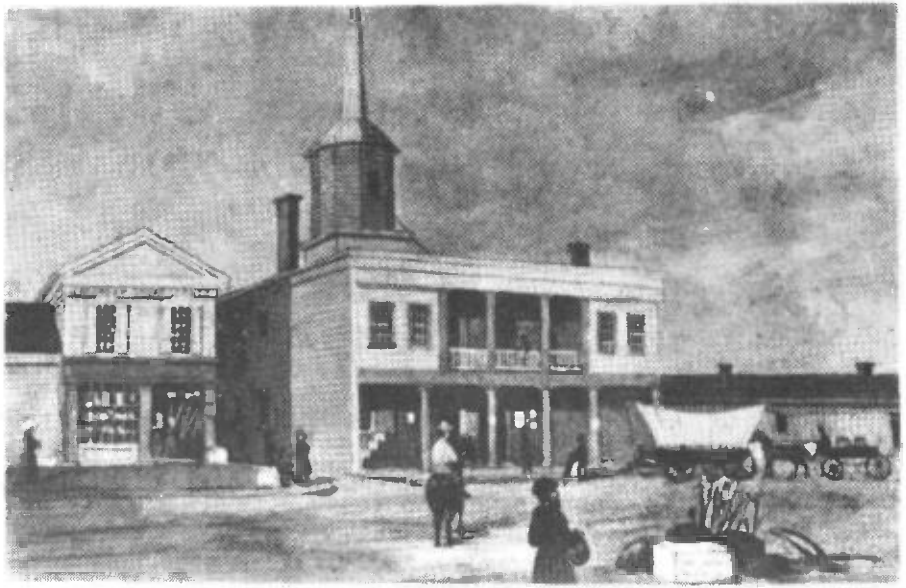
ANDREW COLVILLE MONTGOMERY AND ANN HOUSTON

Andrew Colville Montgomery, b. 3-23-1793, d. 6-25-1874, m. 10-24-1822, Ann Houston, b. 5-22-1803, d. 2-8-1832. Andrew Colville was the son of Robert Montgomery and Sarah Jane Colville. Ann Houston was the daughter of Matthew Houston.

A. C. Montgomery was the father of ten children by his three marriages:

Capt. Robert Montgomery, b. 11-2-1823
Phoebe Jane Montgomery, b. 5-14-1826
Sarah C. Montgomery, b. 9-23-1834
Hettie Ann Montgomery, b. 7-17-1836 (see Chapter 9)
Mary Minerva Montgomery, b. 10-13-1838
Julia A. Montgomery, b. 10-13-1840
Philmon Green Montgomery, b. 9-21-1842
Elizabeth E. Montgomery, b. 1-15-1851, d. 1-15-1851
Evalina E. Montgomery, b. 1-13-1852
Andrew Colville Montgomery, b. 4-23-1857

Andrew Colville Montgomery was a very loving and tender man. He was a good provider and gave his children the best education possible at that time. As proof of those characteristics, he purchased 700 acres of land from the McGhee family. This land was on the Old Knoxville Highway, east of the town of Maryville. In April, 1838, A.C. Montgomery was appointed to a committee to contract and superintend the building of a courthouse for Blount County. In 1850, A. C. Montgomery was a member of a committee of three appointed as administrators of Jesse Thompson



Blount County Courthouse of 1839. It was the first imposing structure to serve as a courthouse for Blount County, Maryville, Tennessee. Courtesy of Tizzie Timmons.

and James M. Toole, and transferred 3,840 acres, including the Sulphur Springs tract of land, to Asa Watson of Mississippi. There was a two-story log hotel on the property. This was later known as "Montvale Springs." A. C. was a member of the Masonic Lodge. On top of his tombstone was a Masonic emblem, but has been destroyed. In July of 1849, New Providence Lodge No. 128, Maryville, Tennessee, agreed to erect the "East Tennessee Masonic Female Institute." A. C. Montgomery was one of the first Trustees. This building was located where the present "McCammon-Ammons Funeral Home" now stands. We found A. C. operating a grist mill and wool carding factory at "Springfield" in 1851, and in 1857 he was operating a cotton picking machine there. "Springfield" was in the vicinity of his home.

The home which he built in 1823 (he was thirty years of age) was a two story, weather board structure, with a large stone chimney at each end. The home was located on the old Knoxville Pike opposite the present Blount National Bank Branch. This was called the "Gander House" by the local people. The origin of the name, as told by Sam Everett, three times Mayor of Maryville, Tennessee, is as follows:

> "Andy Montgomery was a hard working man. He had to work hard because he had many acres on his farm to look after. These acres spread from the house and down into the valleys. Each season he planted these acres and each fall he harvested the crops.
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> In his old age when he wanted to take it easier, and when he had accumulated enough to take it easy, Andy Montgomery went blind. This was a terrible blow to him. He had been so busy all his life and interested in so many things, that he became despondent. He moped about the yard and barn lot as if lost with himself.
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> One spring day, some years later, as Andy walked about the lot, an old hen which had hatched some goose eggs came clucking some ugly goslings close to Andy's legs. One of the ugly things got his bill right in the way of Andy's legs. The old hen let out a squawk and fluttered about trying to call the babies off. Andy just reached down and lifted the injured gosling into his

arms. He carried the gosling into the house, the hunger of his affection going out to the crippled creature.

The gosling became his pet. The injury healed. It grew to be a big gander.

When Andy went into the fields and when there was a bull or a butting ram, the gander was right with him. He'd stretch his neck, an' hiss, an' beat his wings and make that bull or ram turn tail. Then he'd come waddling back toward Andy as proud, like Andy could see him.

When Andy went to town, the gander walked with him. When Andy slept, the gander roosted in a box in the chimney corner just below his bed.

Below the house there was some marsh land. One day, Andy and the gander were down around the marsh and Andy fell off a board into the water waist deep. He couldn't get out. The gander took to the air and sailed the hundred yards to the house, honking as loud as he could. When nobody paid any attention to him, he flew back to Andy, stayed a few minutes, then flew back to the house, honking louder than ever. They came out of the house this time and followed the gander to the marshes and pulled Andy out.

The night Andy died the gander didn't roost in his box but sat under Andy's bed. Every so often during the night he would go, 'Honk! Honk!'

They put Andy's coffin on a wagon to haul to the graveyard. That gander walked beneath the wagon every step of the way. I can see his big web feet yet, slapping down into the dust, his neck stretched out, and going, 'Honk! Honk!' "

ANDREW COLVILLE MONTGOMERY AND ANN HOUSTON – ISSUE 2

Capt. Robert Montgomery, b. 11-2-1823, d. 4-18-1861, m. 12-21-1847, Nancy McGhee, by Henry Hamil, Esq. Robert was evidently a tax collector for Blount County. We

also find that he sold a tract of land to Jacob McGhee, seventy-one acres, for $200.00 on the south side of Little River in 1849. Another tract was sold to Peoples and Edwards in 1859, 180 acres for $1,000.00 on Pistol Creek.

Phoebe Jane Montgomery, b. 5-14-1826, d. 1-18-1902, m. 7-13-1843, Robert H. Porter, b. 3-24-1812, d. 7-1-1861. Both are buried at Clark's Cemetery, Maryville, Tennessee. Issue 2.

Robert Porter. Died young.

Jane Porter (no dates for these two children). She married Dick Chandler, son of David Chandler. They first lived on the old Chandler farm, which was a part of what is now McGhee Tyson Airport. They later moved to Knoxville, where he was a member of the Knoxville Police Force. Issue 6.

Flora Chandler. Married a West.

William Porter Chandler, m. Lucy Harris. Issue 2.

Gordon Chandler, m. a Williams.

Louise Chandler. A grandson of one of the above, John Coker, was teaching music at Wofford College in 1959.

David Chandler, m. Minnie McCoy. David was on the police force in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Jean Lindsey Chandler. Single.

Sam Chandler, m. Eva Caldwell. He worked for the Knoxville News-Sentinel.

Stephen Chandler. He was a judge in Kansas City, Missouri, the last we heard.

Second marriage of A. C. Montgomery, 3-25-1833, Evalina C. Green, b. 9-26-1809, d. 7-18-1853. Issue 7.

In 1848, James Gillespie Russell contracted with George Washington Cowan to build him a home in the Holston College community. It is a large two story white house. Two generations later, two of their grandchildren made their home there for awhile, William Edgar Russell and Floyd Russell. Later Mr. and Mrs. Bunas Smallman owned the Russell farm and made their home there. They spent a large amount of money and energy remodeling the home. No overall changes were made in the structure of the house and it looks today as it did when build. When Mr. Smallman was no longer able to oversee the farm work, it was again sold, this time to Harrison, Inc., to use as a place to entertain their business acquaintances. They built a guest house, nine hole golf course and other improvements. In 1960 a grandson of Robert Green Montgomery, Paul Costner, purchased the farm and raised cattle. He and Helen lived the remainder of their lives there and loved the place as it should be loved.

This home is again in the hands of strangers and again to be used to entertain business friends. The home with twenty-eight acres was sold at auction in October, 1973, the land divided into lots and being sold. There is a beautiful view of the entire Holston College community from the house and grounds. The cemetery is a part of this farm. A road is maintained into the cemetery. What a shame that this farm could not remain in the hands of a family who loved it, or at least friends.

Sarah C. Montgomery, b. 9-23-1834, d. 7-1-1892. Married 5-3-1853, James Gillespie Russell, b. 1-20-1824, d. 9-12-1876. Buried at Holston College Cemetery, Blount County, Tennessee. Issue 4.

Colville Montgomery Russell, b. 5-15-1854, d. 5-21-1923, m. 5-14-1879, Eva Doak, b. 6-27-1859, d. 6-4-1945. She was a direct descendant of the Rev. Samuel Doak. They are buried at Holston College Cemetery. Issue 4.

William Edgar Russell, b. 11-6-1880, d. 7-23-1956, m. 5-19-1911, Anna Eliza (Lida) Gamble, b. 12-24-1880, d.



Ewing and Jefferson College, later Holston College.

12-23-1960. William Edgar Russell was a farmer and they are buried in Grandview Cemetery. Issue 6.

Beulah Elizabeth Russell, b. and d. 1-20-1912.

Mary Evelyn Russell, b. 12-14-1912, m. 6-15-1935, Henry George Lane, b. 9-13-1911, d. 11-28-1969. Buried Clover Hill Presbyterian Cemetery. He was a well-known and respected farmer in Blount County, Tennessee. She is a retired teacher from the Blount County School system. Issue 2.

George Henry Lane, Jr., b. 10-29-1937, m. 12-1-1962, Jacklyn Villars, b. 12-28-1939. He is self-employed, dealing in health services. Issue 3.

Kathryn Villars Lane, b. 9-28-1965.
Stacy Doak Lane, b. 5-30-1967.
Jacklyn Villars Lane, b. 5-17-1969.

Ruth Louise Lane, b. 4-5-1940, m. 3-31-1962, to Donald Allen Talley, b. 4-1-1938. Issue 2.
David Henry Talley, b. 12-29-1964.
Donna Louise Talley, b. 11-6-1969.
The Talleys live in Blount County, Tennessee, on a part of the Henry Lane farm.

Robert Colville Russell, b. 12-6-1914, m. 1-18-1940, Jane Lloyd Hunter, b. 11-22-1916. Robert owns M. and R. Drug Stores in Troy, Ohio. Jane is a registered nurse. Issue 5.

Robert Hunter Russell, b. 12-7-1941, m. Karen Zimmerman. Robert is a pharmacist in partnership with his father. Issue 2.

Tanya Kay Russell, b. 2-18-1964.
Tina Louise Russell, b. 9-4-1967.

Nancy Jane Russell, b. 2-12-1944, m. Johnson Ralph Waite, b. 2-9-1943. Nancy works for a large construction firm in Cincinnati, Ohio. Issue 1.

Kimberly Ellen Waite, b. 1-30-1964.

Annette Kay Russell, b. 12-30-1947, m. Michael Cargill, b. 5-6-1947. Annette is an art teacher with City Recreation program, Troy, Ohio.

Eleanor Sue Russell, b. 8-21-1950, m. John James Parker, b. 9-1-1949. Eleanor is a teacher in New Jersey and her husband is an auditor.

Bruce Edgar Russell, b. 8-9-1955. Entered college in the fall of 1973.

Edna Louise Russell, b. 11-8-1918, m. 9-27-1942, Rev. James Hoge Smith. A former missionary to Brazil, now pastor of a church in Norfolk, Virginia. Issue 4.

James Hoge Smith III, b. 3-29-1944, m. 6-18-1966, Margaret Champlin Bottorf, b. 7-24-1946. James is with Corning Glass Company, New York, N. Y. Issue 2.

Jennifer Bates Smith, b. 5-11-1968.
Elizabeth Champlin Smith, b. 12-20-1971.

Lydia Virginia Smith, b. 1-13-1947, m. 12-22-1970, William Thomas Reinhold, b. 10-5-1949. He is studying at Richmond Theological Seminary in Richmond, Virginia. Lydia is librarian at the Seminary.

Margaret Evelyn Smith, b. 5-29-1950.
Edgar Russell Smith, b. 1-14-1956.

John Edgar Russell, b. 10-10-1920, m. 9-2-1950, Jean Eileen Lee. John Edgar is Vice President of Maryland Casualty Insurance Company, Baltimore, Maryland. Issue 2.

Barbra Jean Russell, b. 9-30-1953. Works in a bank in Maryland.

William Curtis Russell, b. 4-8-1955. Student at U.T.

James Alexander Russell, b. 5-27-1923. Machinist with A. O. Smith, Tipp City, Ohio. Lives in Troy, Ohio.

Sarah Lackey Russell, b. 4-12-1883, d. 9-3-1970, m. 4-25-1917, Walter Alexander Phelps, d. 11-17-1930. He was a farmer. Issue 2.

Walter Ralph Phelps, b. 7-16-1918, m. 3-21-1941, Jackie Lee Henderson. He operates a dairy farm. Issue 8.

Jacklyn Phelps, b. 7-9-1943. Farmer.

Claire Phelps, b. 5-23-1946. Farmer and has a clothing store.

Kathy Jo Phelps, b. 7-9-1953, m. 1-1-1972, Conley Morris, Jr., b. 4-24-1953. He is a student.

Walter Ralph Phelps, Jr., b. 12-12-1954. Farmer.

Hal Doak Phelps, b. 8-3-1957.

Charles Lloyd Phelps, b. 4-17-1960.

Sara Lynn Phelps, b. 8-29-1962.

Jonnie Leigh Phelps, b. 10-26-1964.

Evelyn Isobel Phelps, b. 12-30-1920, d. 1-9-1971, m. 9-14-1966, Ross O'Conner. Buried Holston College Cemetery.

Beulah Doak Russell, b. 11-10-1885, d. 8-10-1965, m. 12-25-1930, Ross O'Conner, b. 9-26-1894. Beulah is buried in Middle Settlement Cemetery.

Floyd Gillespie Russell, b. 10-20-1888, d. 12-24-1967, m. 5-22-1918, Margaret Elizabeth Gamble, b. 2-17-1889, d. 3-1-1969. Buried at Centennial Presbyterian Cemetery. Issue 5.

Ruth Maxine Russell, b. 11-16-1919, m. 6-10-1942, James

W. Bennett, Jr., b. 7-20-1920, d. 7-31-1972. Mr. Bennett was former head of Transportation and Marketing at U.T., Knoxville, Tennessee. Issue 2.

James William Bennett III, b. 7-29-1947. Associate Editor of the Knoxville Journal.
Keith Russell Bennett, b. 2-1-1952. Student at U.T. and reporter for the Knoxville Journal.

Ruby Elizabeth Russell, b. 4-12-1921, d. 1-6-1947.

Mary Katherine Russell, b. 1-29-1924, m. 5-24-1942, Link Kidd, b. 1-30-1919. Mary K. teaches in Monroe County Schools. Link works for Alcoa. Issue 4.

Kenneth Russell Kidd, b. 1-13-1943, m. 6-7-1968, Sarah Potts, b. 8-12-1946. They both teach and he is a coach in Dalton, Georgia. Issue 1.

Mary Helen Kidd (Molly), b. 6-18-1969.

Robert Allen Kidd, b. 9-8-1946, d. 4-11-1948.
Floyd Fredrick Kidd, b. 2-11-1948. Recently returned from the service.
Kathy Kidd, b. 1-8-1965.

Lillian Lois Russell, b. 7-5-1925, d. 3-15-1938.

Margaret Evelyn (Peggy) Russell, b. 6-8-1929, m. 9-6-1951, Edward Miller, b. 12-28-1928. He is with General Foods, Worthington, Ohio. Issue 3.

Joe Russell Miller, b. 5-7-1952. Student at West Point.
Don Edward Miller, b. 5-1-1954. Student at West Point.
Mark Allen Miller, b. 5-6-1963.

John Russell, b. 7-28-1859, d. 4-17-1917. Single. A farmer and buried at Holston College Cemetery.

Francis Evelyn (Fannie) Russell, b. 5-30-1866, d. 7-15-1942, m. 10-28-1896, Oscar Jackson Hardin, b. 8-31-1862, d. 1-25-1936. Oscar was a banker. They are buried in Lenoir City Cemetery. Issue 1.

George Russell Hardin, b. 9-23-1898, d. 3-31-1940, m. 11-20-1924, Golda Lee Walker, b. 10-12-1902. George had a farm between Lenoir City and Martel, Tennessee, where they lived. Issue 3.

George Russell Hardin, Jr., b. 9-27-1926, d. 10-3-1926.

Sudi Elizabeth Hardin, b. 10-3-1927, m. 8-8-1953, Cordie Willice Holland, Jr., b. 5-9-1925. He works at Oak Ridge Laboratories and she teaches in Lenoir City. Issue 3.

Richard Willice Holland, b. 12-22-1957
Sarah Elizabeth Holland, b. 5-25-1960
Lee Ann Holland, b. 12-13-1961

Oscar Jackson Hardin II, b. 2-24-1930, m. 2-16-1951, Beverly Hope Schultz, b. 10-25-1932. O. J. is with a trucking firm. Issue 2.

George Russell Hardin III, b. 1-5-1954
John Wesley Hardin, b. 10-1-1958

Hester Malinda (Sudi) Russell, b. 12-28-1872, d. 4-30-1955. Sudi made her home with the Oscar Hardins. She is buried in Lenoir City Cemetery.

HETTY ANN MONTGOMERY

Hetty Ann Montgomery, b. 7-17-1836, m. 9-30-1852, Samuel Montgomery, b. 6-4-1824. Both are buried in Pine Grove Cemetery, Loudon County, Tennessee. For issue, see chapter nine.

Mary Minerva Montgomery, b. 11-24-1838, d. 6-8-1871. married (first) Robert Rutledge. Issue 2.

George Rutledge
Eva Rutledge

She married (second) J. T. Lipscomb. Issue 1.

William Ira Lipscomb. Was living at Winchester, Tennessee, at last report. We find in records that A. C. Montgomery gave his daughter, Minerva, with love and affection, a slave girl, Phoebe, age eight years. Minerva was in Winchester, Tennessee, at that time.

Julia A. Montgomery, b. 10-13-1840, d. 1867, m. 7-18-1862, J. F. Woodfin, a Methodist minister. In 1874 they lived at Henderson, North Carolina. Had two sons and one daughter.

Philmon Green Montgomery, b. 9-21-1842. Issue 7.

Maude Montgomery
Blanche Montgomery
Lula Montgomery
Edna Montgomery
Nola Montgomery
Daisy Montgomery
Robert Lee Montgomery

Philmon Green Montgomery went to Texas around 1872 and raised his family there. This family was living in Prosper, Texas, in 1897. A part of the following letter to her Aunt Hetty Montgomery tells a little about the family:

Prosper, Texas
Feb. 7, 1897

Dear Aunt Hetty:

"Maggie Goodnight spent the night with us a few nights ago. She and Papa were talking about you all back in that country, and Papa asked me to write to you about our family. There are six of us girls and one boy. He is the pet of the family. I am the second girl, am seventeen years of age and have black hair and blue



Philmon Green Montgomery and wife and children, Edna, Nola, Daisy and Robert.

eyes. I go to school, like to go splendid. I don't believe I ever would get tired of going. Blanche is assisting in the school, she likes it splendid. We are having some cold weather now. I suppose it is cold in Tennessee.

Texas is a beautiful, rich country. We live about two miles from a church and go to Sunday School when the weather is suitable. We live at the same place we did when Papa wrote to you last, but have changed our Post-office, as we live between two small villages. I would like to correspond with some of my cousins, to hear of Papa's old country, I have heard him talk so much about.

Aunt Hetty, if any of my cousins (girls or boys) would like to hear from Texas, I would be glad to correspond with them. Aunt Hetty, we would be pleased so much to have you visit us, and would do everything we could to make you enjoy your visit.

Papa said, tell you he would like so much to see you all. But he said he did not think he could come back in the winter and he is so busy in summer he can't come. He has been bothered with the La Grippe this winter, but is about over it. Blanche and I have been trying to get him to promise us, he will bring us back sometime."

(The signature had been lost.) Prosper was near McKinney and Celina, Texas.

Elizabeth E. Montgomery, b. 1-15-1851, d. 1-15-1851.

Evalina E. Montgomery, b. 1-13-1852, d. 7-10-1930, m. 12-12-1871, William Henry Porter, d. 5-25-1877. William H. Porter is no relation to the Dr. William Small Porter who married Rebecca M. Thompson, third wife of A. C. Montgomery. Issue 3.

Flora M. Porter, b. 8-29-1873, d. 4-9-1926, m. 12-28-1898, Dr. W. B. Sutton. Issue 1.

Charles Porter Sutton, b. 3-1-1900, m. 1-2-1932, Lucy V. Rogers. Issue 1.

Flora Ann Sutton, b. 9-29-1934.

Tina L. Porter, b. 8-29-1875, d. ————, m. 7-13-1902, Hugh T. Mosley. No issue.

Willie G. Porter, b. 10-31-1876. Died single.

Evalina E. Montgomery Porter, married (second) 10-21-1879, J. T. Lipscomb. Issue 4.

Thomas Colville Lipscomb, b. 8-15-1881, m. 10-30-1907, Geneva Hockney, b. 4-8-1883. Geneva was an artist, painting pictures as well as china. She was still busy with both at eighty-four years of age. She also won blue ribbons on her embroidery work at the East Tennessee Valley Fair many times. She spent her last years living with a niece, Mrs. Norman Thomas, Northshore Drive, Knoxville, Tennessee.

Johnnie Pearl Lipscomb, b. 2-21-1887, d. 2-26-1931, m. 7-1911, Wiley Keith. Issue 2.

Mildred Keith, b. 4-7-1921
Ruth Keith, b. 1-17-1924

Bessie Alliene Lipscomb, b. 8-18-1888, m. 1-24-1911, Dave Rutledge. Issue 3.

Jean Rutledge, b. 1-8-1912
Dorothy Rutledge, b. 4-19-1913
Ellen Rutledge, b. 5-14-1915

Robert E. Lipscomb, b. 12-1-1891, m. 6-1912, Alice Lawrence. Issue 3.

Thomas Lipscomb, b. 9-1912



Colville Montgomery and wife, Jennie Lackey Montgomery.

Ruby Lipscomb, b. 1914, d. 1915
Lawrence Lipscomb, b. 1919

Third marriage of A. C. Montgomery. M. 5-2-1854, Rebecca M. Thompson Porter, b. 1-7-1822. She was the widow of William S. Porter. This wife is buried in Clark's Cemetery. Issue 1.

Andrew Colville Montgomery, Jr., b. 4-23-1857, d. 3-18-1914, m. 12-22-1880, Jennie Lackey, b. 7-15-1857. Issue 1.

May Montgomery, m. Henry Moses of Knoxville, Tennessee.

Jennie died and A. C. married (second) Susie Reeder, who was said to be a cousin of Jennie.

JOHN AND ELIZABETH CRAIG MONTGOMERY

John Montgomery, b. 1-26-1786, d. 11-17-1869, m. about 1810, Elizabeth Christy Craig, b. 3-23-1794, d. 1886. Presumably St. Joseph, Missouri. She was the daughter of David and Margaret Carson Craig of Washington County, Virginia. John and Elizabeth appear on the Federal Census of Rockcastle County, Kentucky, in 1820, 1830 and 1840. In 1950, they were on the Federal Census of Andrew County, Missouri. Children with them at this time were Jane, Samuel, Eliza, John and Juliet. The others had been left behind in Rockcastle County, Kentucky. Issue 13.

David Craig Montgomery, b. 9-29-1811, m. Jane ?
Sallie Colville Montgomery, b. 9-11-1813.
Mary Montgomery, b. 2-8-1816.
Margaret Montgomery, b. 11-22-1819.
Hettie Montgomery, b. 2-12-1823, m. William Monroe.
Ellen Montgomery, b. 11-15-1825.
Jane Montgomery, b. 6-4-1828, m. James Whitehead.
Robert Montgomery, b. 8-17-1829.
Andrew Colville Montgomery, b. 12-25-1830. To Blount County, Tennessee.

Samuel Montgomery, b. 5-5-1832, d. 10-1855, Cheyenne, Wyoming (single).

Eliza A. Montgomery, b. 9-11-1835, m. Judge William Kuykendall.

John Andrew Montgomery, b. 6-20-1837, d. 1-30-1914, St. Joseph, Missouri. M. Martha Ann Carson, 2-9-1858.

Julia Montgomery, b. 3-3-1842, m. H. C. Keller.

David Craig Montgomery, b. 9-29-1811, d. date unknown, in California. Married Jane ? B. 1816 in Kentucky. These dates from 1860 census of Buchanan County, Missouri; also children's birth dates below. Issue 11.

John Montgomery, b. 1838 in Kentucky.
Betty Montgomery, b. 1840 in Kentucky.
Sally Montgomery, b. 1842 in Missouri.
Isaac Montgomery, b. 1845 in Missouri.
Mattie Montgomery b. 1847 in Missouri.
Lucy Montgomery
Hettie Montgomery, twins, b. 1849 in Missouri.
Robert Montgomery II, b. 1853 in Missouri.
D. M. Montgomery, b. 1854 in Missouri.
Daniel Montgomery, b. 1858 in Missouri.
Craig Montgomery, b. 1860 in Missouri.

Hettie Montgomery, b. 2-12-1823, in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, m. William Monroe. Issue 2.

William Monroe
John Monroe

Nothing more known of this family except that John Monroe lived in Denver, Colorado, in the 1930's.

Jane Montgomery, b. 6-4-1828, d. 10-24-1866, along the "Sante Fe Trail." M. James Whitehead. Information from a booklet, "Lucy Ellen's Girlhood Days" by Mrs. Lucy Ellen Gannett. Became Judge Whitehead in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Issue 4.

Lucy Ellen Whitehead, b. 1861, m. William P. Gannett.
Iulia Kate Whitehead, b. 1857.

James R. Whitehead, b. 1863.
Arabelle Whitehead, b. 1855.

Eliza A. Montgomery, b. 9-11-1835, Rockcastle County, Kentucky, m. William Kuykendall. Issue 2.

Harry L. Kuykendall, b. 1863.
John M. Kuykendall, b. 1859.
Nothing more known of this family. According to the "Lucy Ellen" book, the Whitehead family left Leavenworth, Kansas, in 1866, headed west. They were accompanied by the Kuykendalls and Samuel Montgomery. Sam and the Kuykendalls eventually settled in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Sam, a bachelor, became a rancher and cattle raiser, as did Kuykendall who was also a judge.

Julia Montgomery, b. 3-3-1842, Rockcastle County, Kentucky, m. H. C. Keller, Leavenworth, Kansas. Issue 1.

Bess Keller, b. ? D. 12-24-1938. M. ? Wallace. These people apparently lived all their married lives in Leavenworth, Kansas. The directory of that city lists Mrs. Elizabeth Montgomery, a widow, there in 1884, 1885, near her daughter, Julia Keller. She was not listed in 1886.

John Andrew Montgomery, b. 6-20-1837, d. 1-30-1914, St. Joseph, Missouri. M. 2-9-1858, Martha Ann Carson, b. 9-18-1837, d. 2-2-1895. Buried in Mt. Morr Cemetery, St. Joseph, Missouri. Chief engineer for St. Joseph Railway Company. Issue 8.

James Richard Montgomery, b. 12-9-1858, Buchanan County, Missouri, d. 1935. M. 1884, Ida Little Hales.
Ida Craig Montgomery, b. 4-22-1861, d. 2-1940, Bridgeport, Connecticut (single).
Charles Montgomery, b. 6-15-1864, Doniphan County, Kansas, d. 1941, St. Louis, Missouri. M. Annie ?
Elizabeth Montgomery, b. 1-18-1867, d. 10-5-1917, New York, N.Y. (single).

John A. Montgomery, Jr., b. 1-11-1869, d. 3-16-1882.

Samuel Montgomery, b. 8-23-1873, d. 3-16-1882. John and Sam were killed in a cave-in.

Otto Montgomery, b. 8-7-1876, d. 4-6-1923, Wilton, Connecticut, m. Jane Murphey.

William Kuykendall Montgomery, b. 10-1-1881, St. Joseph, Missouri, d. 11-1959, Wilton, Connecticut. M. 6-19-1907, Katherine Henry.

Out of this family of eight, there are no descendants except through the eighth and last child.

William Kuykendall Montgomery, b. 10-1-1881, St. Joseph, Missouri, d. 11-1959. Buried Wilton, Connecticut. M. 6-19-1907, Katherine Louise Henry, b. 12-18-1890, Bentonville, Arkansas, d. 1-13-1969, Wilton, Connecticut. She was the daughter of Norborne Smith Henry and Martha Elizabeth Taliaferro. William Kuykendall Montgomery was in the retail clothing business. Dorothy Montgomery says of him, "A wonderful father-in-law. Gentle, quiet and understanding. A gentleman in every sense of the word." Issue 3.

Henry Kuykendall Montgomery, M.D., b. 4-6-1908, Merrick, New Jersey, d. 10-22-1973.

John Richard Montgomery, b. 3-31-1915, Hastings, N.Y.

Martha Jane Montgomery, b. 10-5-1919, Yonkers, N.Y.

Henry Kuykendall Montgomery, M.D., b. 4-6-1908, Merrick, New Jersey, d. 10-22-1973, m. 1-15-1938, Dorothy Mildred Harvey.

Henry K. Montgomery, M.D., was a physician in Dayton, Ohio. He graduated from Franklin and Marshall College, the University of Arkansas Medical School, and University of London England School of Tropical Medicine. He was a veteran of World War II and his hobby was photography. Dorothy is a registered nurse. Issue 3.

William Henry Montgomery, M.D., b. 11-2-1938, Dayton, Ohio.

David Harvey Montgomery, b. 9-27-1942, Dayton, Ohio.
John Craig Montgomery, b. 4-21-1946, Dayton, Ohio.

William Henry Montgomery, M.D., b. 11-2-1938, m. 6-11-1961, Emily Darlene Rinnert, b. 3-31-1939. William Henry is a physician in Honolulu, Hawaii. He received his B.S. degree from Ohio State University; also his M.S. and M.D. He interned at the University of Michigan and did his residency in Anesthesiology at Stanford University. Emily received her B.S. and R.N. from Ohio State. Dr. Montgomery served in the U.S. Navy for three years. Issue 3.

Susan Renee Montgomery, b. 11-16-1962, Columbus, Ohio.
Michelle Ann Montgomery, b. 9-9-1964, Columbus, Ohio.
William Henry Montgomery, Jr., b. 4-20-1970, Palo Alto, California.

David Harvey Montgomery, Sr., b. 9-27-1942, Dayton, Ohio, m. 6-19-1965, Judy Rae Gitzinger, b. 2-14-1942.
David Harvey Montgomery, Sr. received a B.S. in Electrical Engineering from the University of Cincinnati and M.B.A. from Harvard. He is Vice President of Dayton Machine and Tool Company. Judy has a B.A. in art from the University of Cincinnati, a B.S. in education from the University of Cincinnati, and an M.A. from Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio. Issue 1.
David Harvey Montgomery, Jr., b. 3-3-1972.

John Craig Montgomery, b. 4-21-1946, m. 9-7-1968, Mary Ann Marshall, b. 6-30-1947.
John Craig Montgomery received a B.S. from Ohio State University and is a teacher in Ohio. Mary Ann has a B.A. from Ohio State and also is a teacher. Issue 1.
Robert Craig Montgomery, b. 4-30-1973.

John Richard Montgomery, b. 3-31-1915, m. 2-3-1935, Lois Virginia Brown, b. 3-1-1914.
John Richard Montgomery is a graduate of the University of Arkansas. He is an engineer with Sikorsky Aircraft. He

has resided in New York, Kansas, Missouri and Connecticut, where he is presently employed. His hobby is music and he plays many instruments well. Issue 1.

Kathleen Jett Montgomery, b. 12-1-1947.

Kathleen Jett Montgomery, b. 12-1-1947. m. Allan Matthews, b. 12-20-1946. Issue 2.

Jennifer Jett Matthews, b. 12-27-1968.

Scott Allen Matthews, b. 5-22-1970.

Martha Jane Montgomery, b. 10-5-1919, Yonkers, N.Y. M. 1-17-1941, William Chester. They reside in Haddonfield, New Jersey. Issue 2.

Martha Ann Chester, b. 3-7-1944, Danbury, Connecticut.

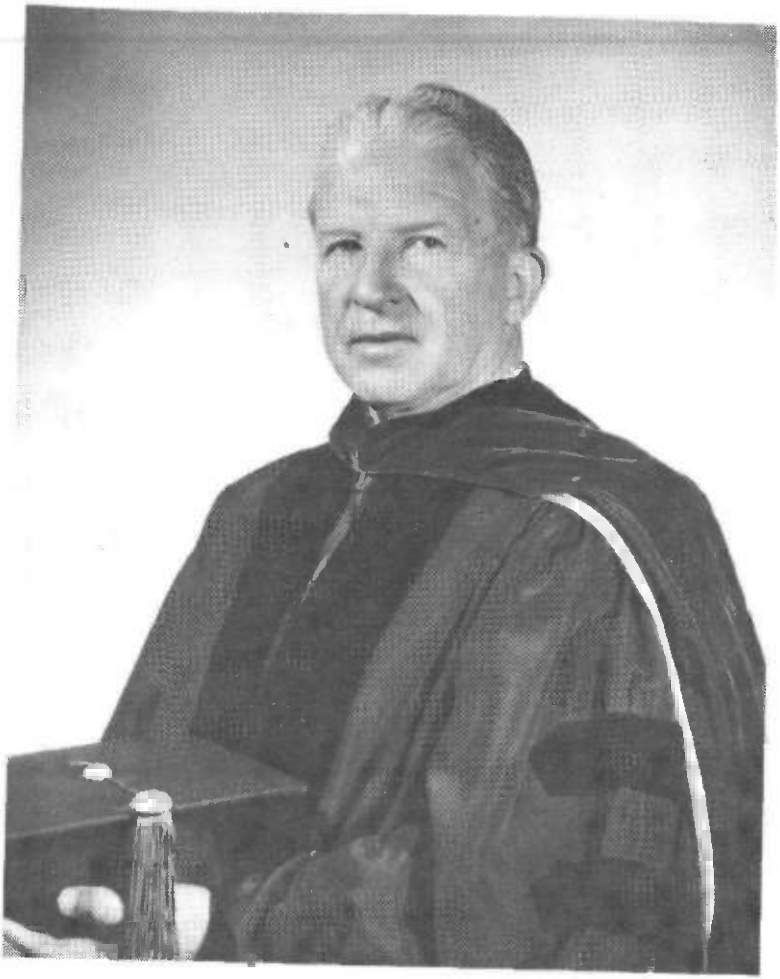
Richard Montgomery Chester, b. 11-29-1946, Danbury, Connecticut.

Martha Ann Chester, b. 3-7-1944, m. Jerry DeMarcos. They reside in Glenelg, Maryland. Issue 2.

Charles Douglas DeMarcos, b. 10-6-1960.

Daniel Scott DeMarcos, b. 8-29-1962.

This was compiled from research done by Dr. and Mrs. Kenry Kuykendall Montgomery of Dayton, Ohio.



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The Sixth of the Unbroken Line of Johns

CHAPTER 12
DESCENDANTS OF THE REVEREND JOHN MONTGOMERY AND AGNES HUGHART

THE REVEREND JOHN MONTGOMERY

A great deal is known about the Reverend John Montgomery, son of John and Esther Houston Montgomery, who was born 5 Dec., 1752, and died 10 Feb., 1818. He was buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia.

For the purposes of this account it is assumed that he was the third child of the ten that grew to maturity, two of his unnamed brothers and/or sisters having died in infancy. Thus the notation "113" is used to identify him, and this number plus appended numbers to identify his descendants. The first "1" of the "113" represents Alexander Montgomery, now assumed to be the father of John Montgomery who married Esther Houston. This John Montgomery, generally referred to in our family genealogy references as the "First John," is designated by the notation "11," thereby placing him as the first child of Alexander Montgomery.

The Reverend John Montgomery was born in Augusta County, Virginia, in the vicinity of the Old Providence Church. This location is some five miles north of the successor church, known as New Providence, located roughly midway between Lexington and Staunton, Virginia, some three miles west of Interstate 81. He received his early education in the Augusta Academy which was at that time located near his home. No doubt all his brothers and sis-

ters also attended this school which later became Liberty Hall, then Washington College and finally Washington and Lee University.

In 1775 he graduated from Princeton University of New Jersey. A letter from Princeton University to Dr. John F. Montgomery, dated 17 March, 1959, gives the following valuable information:

"John Montgomery, Jr., was graduated from Princeton University in 1775. His father, John Montgomery, who came to this country from Ireland, was married to Esther Houston, July 2, 1738, in Earl Township, Pequea Valley, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. They moved, in 1747, to Augusta County, Virginia, near Lexington, where John, Jr., was born, December 5, 1752.

John's early education was received at Augusta Academy (subsequently Liberty Hall Academy, then Washington College, and now Washington and Lee University). After graduation, 1775-1782, he was instructor at Liberty Hall Academy. He studied theology with the Reverend William Graham, principal of the Academy. He was licensed at Mountain Plains, October 28, 1778, and ordained by the Presbytery at Tinkling Springs, April 27, 1780; was pastor at Winchester and Opequon Churches, Virginia, 1781-1789; pastor at Rocky Spring and Lebanon Churches in Augusta County, 1789-1818. He was trustee of Washington and Lee University, 1782-1784.

He was married in January, 1782, to Agnes Hughart, daughter of Col. Thomas Hughart and Rebecca Estill Hughart. Rebecca Estill was the daughter of Wallace Estill and Marcy Bowdy Estill, of Monmouth County, New Jersey, who later removed to Augusta County, Virginia.

The children of the Reverend John and Agnes H. Montgomery were:

1. Rebecca Anne, b. Dec. 19, 1783; d. Oct. 7, 1802. Never married.
2. Hetty (or Esther), b. June 19, 1785; d. Feb. 24,

1850. Married the Rev. James C. Wilson.

3. John, b. Jan. 18, 1788; d. Aug. 6, 1829. Married Elizabeth Nelson.
4. Thomas, b. Feb. 16, 1790; d. Sept. 5, 1848. Married Juliette Dalhouse.
5. William H., b. Oct. 23, 1792; d. April 20, 1827. Never married.
6. Nancy Hughart, b. May 25, 1794; d. May 24, 1797.
7. James, b. Sept. 1, 1796; d. Sept. 8, 1796.
8. Isabella B., b. Aug. 25, 1798; d. Nov. 11, 1878. Married Maj. Eugenio Irvine.
9. Hughart, b. Aug. 21, 1801; d. Oct. 24, 1844. Never married.
10. Amelia, b. Aug. 15, 1804; d. Aug. 21, 1804.
11. Estiline, b. Aug. 24, 1807; d. June 22, 1829. Never married.

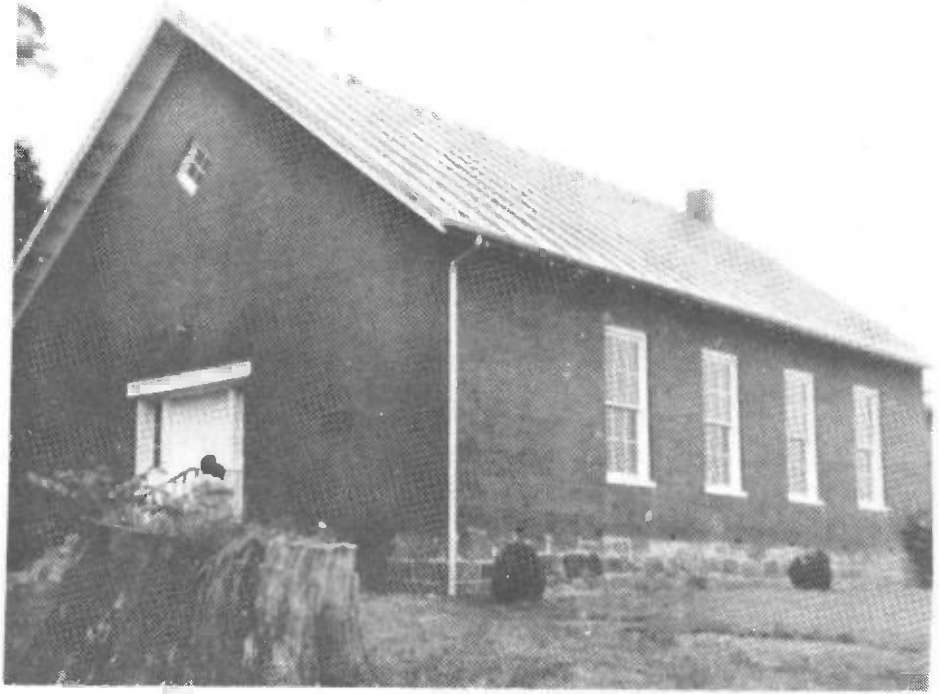
The Reverend John Montgomery died February 10, 1818, Augusta County, Virginia, and was buried in the cemetery adjoining Rocky Spring Church.

I am sorry that we do not have the names of his grandparents in our records."

In 1789 the Reverend John and Agnes Hughart Montgomery established their permanent home in the heart of the picturesque Deerfield Valley, Augusta County, some twenty miles west of Staunton, Virginia. It is probable that a portion of their 2,000 acre plantation was a gift to Agnes by her father, Col. Thomas Hughart, but it appears that at least a part of the estate was acquired by the Reverend John Montgomery by purchase. Their home, now long destroyed by fire, was erected on an elevation overlooking the beautiful valley and facing the majestic mountain range to the east, some two miles distant.

From the date of acquisition of this plantation, 1789, until his death, 1818, the Reverend John served as pastor of the Rocky Spring Church in Deerfield and of the Lebanon and Windy Cove Churches, both of which are located near Goshen, some fifteen to twenty miles south of Deerfield.

His faithful and effective service endeared him to his parishoners and left to his posterity a cherished legacy of



Rocky Spring Presbyterian Church
Deerfield, Virginia
The Reverend John Montgomery served as pastor of this church, 1789-1818.

his greatness and gentle goodness. In Foote's Sketches of Virginia we find this tribute, "He was a very popular preacher, a good scholar, an esteemed relative, and an amiable man." In Washington and Lee Historical Papers, Dr. Henry Ruffner says of him, "I have known many of the Montgomerys and heard them much talked of in my early days, which long since fixed in my mind that they were uncommonly good people, and their goodness was of the lovely kind. There was that indescribable something about the family that made people love them and trust them. The name, too, has an historic ring in it and very likely these Montgomerys had the right to emblazon their stationery with ensigns armorial. I know not whether this be certainly true, but I do know in the higher heraldry of worth their sweetness and virtue entitle them to a nobler rank than their unobtrusive modesty would ever permit them to claim."

Of the eleven children born to the Reverend John and Agnes Hughart Montgomery only three left descendants, two sons and one daughter. Regrettably, the descendants of this one daughter, Isabella Buchanan Montgomery who married Major Eugenio Irvine, are most inadequately traced. Of their five children, none are carried beyond the first generation with the exception of Elizabeth C. Irvine who married her cousin, William Wallace Montgomery. The descendants of John Montgomery who married Elizabeth Nelson are remarkably complete. Those of Thomas Montgomery who married Juliette Dalhouse are somewhat less complete, especially for the present generation.

THE FAMILY OF JOHN AND ELIZABETH NELSON MONTGOMERY

This was the third John Montgomery in an unbroken line of Johns that was to continue to the eighth generation. He was the son of the Reverend John and Agnes Hughart Montgomery, and the grandson of John and Esther Houston Montgomery. He married Elizabeth Nelson, daughter of Alexander and Elizabeth Ann Mathews Nelson. Sampson Mathews was the father of Elizabeth Ann Mathews, and his wife was Mary Lockhart. Ann Nelson, the sister of Elizabeth Nelson, married Joseph Bell. Particular mention is called to this fact because many of the descendants of this Bell family as well as this Montgomery family were to live in Lewisburg, West Virginia, in the years to come and to maintain a close family tie even to this day.

John Montgomery (113.3) and Elizabeth Nelson were married 11 Nov., 1813. They established their home in Goshen, Virginia, where John had acquired a rather extensive farm. He died at the age of forty-one and was buried in Lebanon Cemetery, located just east of "Cameron Hall" in Goshen. "Cameron Hall" was the charming home of Joseph Bell and Ann Nelson, Elizabeth's sister. In recent years, this house has been restored to its former splendor and thus still serves as a reminder of the life that these early Virginians knew.

After the death of her husband in 1829, Elizabeth, affectionately known as "Betsie," having been left with a young family of seven children, five sons and two daughters, returned to her childhood home known as "Poplar Grove." This home was located on a 726 acre plantation on Lewis Creek, Augusta County, Virginia, some six miles from Staunton. Here Alexander Nelson, the grandfather of this young family, and later his son James stood as responsible substitutes for their father whom "Betsie" referred to in a letter to one of her sons as his "sainted" father.

"Betsie" was considered a remarkable woman, very religious, full of pleasant wit and great charm, and dearly beloved by her children. The late Bess Creigh Montgomery Aubel (113.323.2), my sister, who was responsible for much of the research used in this account, also laboriously deciphered many old, very discolored letters written to John Johnson Mathews Montgomery by "Betsie," his mother. These letters were full of family news, notes of concern for the servants especially if one was sick, admonitions, advice on many matters including the care of clothing, and always the reaffirmation of her love. But her letters also often carried accounts of the social aspects of their life at "Poplar Grove," bringing to her sons, now departed from this homestead, a reminder of their cherished childhood days in this good home. The following excerpt from a letter dated 23 March, 1843 to her son, John Johnson Mathews Montgomery, then teaching in Covington, Virginia, reflects the hospitality extended at "Poplar Grove" to kinsmen and friends and the gaiety that must have prevailed in this household.

> "We had a house full of young folk when William and your sister were at home. Your uncle James went to town Friday evening and brought home with him Mifs. E. Walker, Mifs. Charles Johnson, your cousin Mary Jane Bell, Lucy Ann Grove, and your sister. The next day the Mifs. Guys, Robert Mathew, P. Link, J. Logan, and B. Estill came and all stayed until Sabbath morning and the girls until Monday. We had some fine music while they were all here."

"Betsie" Elizabeth Nelson Montgomery was buried, as was her father Alexander Nelson, in the "old" cemetery some 400 yards due east, across Route 11, from the Augusta Stone Church, which is adjacent to the grounds of the Augusta Military School, Fort Defiance, Virginia. On August 2, 1960 my sister, Bess Creigh Montgomery Aubel, and I visited this cemetery and found it in a good state of preservation. The inscription on "Betsie's" tombstone reads as follows:

Mrs. Eliz. Montgomery
Born Sep. 1st, 1796
Died Jan. 9th, 1853

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep
From which none ever wake to weep
a calm and undisturbed repose
unbroken by the last of foes
asleep in Jesus, peaceful rest
Who's waking is supremely blest
Serenely here these ashes lie
Waiting the summons from on high."

Alexander Nelson Montgomery (113.31), the eldest son of John and "Betsie," never married. He was in business in Lynchburg, Virginia, and died there in 1859 at the age of forty-five. Mary Ann Montgomery (113.36), next to the youngest child, died at the age of six. Nannie Estelle Lockhart Montgomery (113.37) married Littelton Waddell and lived in Charlottesville, Virginia. Most of Nannie's descendants are traced to the present generation. They constitute a worthy progeny of our common ancestor, many of them having had distinguished careers in medicine, law, and business.

The four remaining sons found their way to Lewisburg, Virginia (now West Virginia). They arrived here over a span of ten years (1845-1855). The eldest of the four, John Johnson Mathews Montgomery (113.32), came last and remained in Lewisburg only a few years. He then moved to Grassy Meadows, which was some twenty miles distant and seven miles beyond the then famous Blue Sulphur Springs. The other three, namely James Nelson Montgomery (113.33), William Hughart Montgomery (113.34) and Franklin Thomas Montgomery (113.35) remained in Lewisburg. Shortly they were established in some of the choice residences of the town. William Hughart Montgomery devoted much of his time to merchandizing, having a store first at Spring Creek, now Renick, and later one in Lewisburg. He also had a large farm extending northward from Lewisburg. James Nelson Montgomery's chief interest was farming. At one time he

owned land jointly with his brother, John Johnson Mathews Montgomery, in Grassy Meadows but his chief farm of some 850 acres was situated on the plateau north of Ronceverte. His grandson, Guy B. Montgomery, Sr., was to return in years to come from Birmingham, Alabama, and re-acquire a portion of this farm. Franklin Thomas Montgomery devoted his energies solely to farming after he came to Lewisburg. His father-in-law owned a large tract of land about a mile north of Lewisburg. Franklin assisted him in its operation. This farm was later to come to Franklin's daughter Martha who married James McClung Rader, then to their daughter Martha who married Alexander Scott Turner, and finally to their daughter "Mona," Martha Montgomery Turner, who married Col. William Harvey McMurray. The McMurrays now occupy the charming brick and stone house, but by division and partial sale the original size of the farm has been greatly reduced.

Franklin Thomas Montgomery (113.35) had no sons. As mentioned earlier, his daughter Martha Kearns Montgomery married James McClung Rader. Two sons and one daughter were born to this family. Franklin spent his latter years in Dallas, Texas, and James, his latter years in Charlottesville, Virginia. Both were civil engineers, but Franklin in later life became a college teacher and a successful businessman. Martha remained on the homeplace. Nannie Waddell Montgomery, the second daughter of Franklin Thomas Montgomery, married William Decatur Slaven. They had two sons. Lant Rader Slaven became a successful lawyer. He lives in Williamson, West Virginia. Franklin Wilbur Slaven entered Annapolis and followed a naval career. He now resides in Annapolis, Maryland.

James Nelson Montgomery's (113.33) sons, namely John Alexander and William Gabriel, both went to Birmingham, Alabama. Their descendants will be dealt with more fully under the "Birmingham Montgomerys." William Hughart Montgomery's (113.34) sons, James Franklin and Zachariah Jacob, went to Frankfort, Kentucky. This left only the daughters of these two families in Lewisburg. So for several years there were no Montgomery descendants in or

near Lewisburg that bore the Montgomery name. But in the early 1900's Guy Bright Montgomery, Sr., returned from Birmingham, Alabama, and later three grandsons of John Johnson Mathews Montgomery, namely John Fleshman Montgomery, Albertus Gray Montgomery, and Frederick Mason Montgomery, established their homes in Lewisburg and the surrounding area. In the meantime, however, the Raders, Slavens, Mathews, Browns, Prestons, Crawfords, and Woods, all descendants of the Montgomerys, became their worthy successors, maintaining homes of hospitality and charm to which their kinsmen returned often for long and cherished visits. They came from Frankfort, Kentucky, from Birmingham, Alabama, from Charlottesville, Virginia, and from other places of sojourn. How reluctantly many of them must have returned from this beautiful land with its almost nature air conditioned nights and invigorating days. Those of us who have been privileged to cast our lots here never return to this favored spot from either a short or extended trip that we do not again recount our blessings.

THE MONTGOMERYS AND OLD STONE CHURCH

The Montgomerys that came to Lewisburg were Presbyterians, as had been their forbearers. When the four brothers, sons of John and Elizabeth Nelson Montgomery, arrived in Lewisburg over a span of ten years (1845-1855), they found the venerable Dr. John McElhenney well along in his sixty-three year pastorate of the Old Stone Church (1808-1871). As the four brothers took up their sojourn here, not all arriving at the same time, they each became without delay a member of the Old Stone congregation. John Johnson Mathews Montgomery, the oldest of the four, was the last to arrive. He remained in Lewisburg only a few years and during that brief time was elected a deacon of Old Stone. In 1861, we find him transferring his membership to the McElhenney Presbyterian Church of Grassy Meadows, at which time he became one of the founding elders of this new church. He had previously (1858) purchased a farm in



Old Stone Presbyterian Church
Built 1796
Pastor's study dedicated to four Montgomery brothers, 1952.

Grassy Meadows. He was then established on this farm and would remain there the rest of his life.

The other three brothers became active members of Old Stone, as have their descendants down through the years. James Nelson Montgomery shortly became an elder and served as Clerk of the Session for about forty years. His grandson, Frank Chilton Brown, Jr., grew up in this church and became a distinguished minister of the Southern Presbyterian Church, serving as moderator of the General Assembly, its highest court, 1940–41. Mary Brown Crawford, his great-granddaughter, likewise grew up in this church. She is today an effective missionary in the Congo of Africa. Two grandsons of John Johnson Mathews Montgomery, John Fleshman Montgomery and Albertus Gray Montgomery, returned to Lewisburg to make their homes, and both were chosen as elders. Guy Bright Montgomery, Jr., has been chosen as a deacon. It is impossible to list here all our kinsmen who have rendered special service in this historic old church. Suffice it to say that the life of the church has been a real part of the life of the descendants of the four Montgomery brothers. The pastor's study has been quite fittingly dedicated to their memory.

The picture of Old Stone Church, page 335, shows the pastor's study, a part of the Religious Education Building (1952), with the cornerstone ready to be put in place. The dedication plaques inside the study read as follows:

John J. Montgomery
James N. Montgomery
William H. Montgomery
Franklin T. Montgomery

It was my privilege to serve as construction chairman for the above mentioned Religious Education Building. In this connection I think it fitting to relate a story about my cousin, Guy Bright Montgomery, Sr.

In order to proceed with the construction of the building, which was to cost in excess of $200,000, it became necessary to place a mortgage on all of the property of the church, including the Old Stone itself, the sanctuary. The first portion of this historic old church was erected in 1796.

It was enlarged in 1830 to its present size and has been in continuous use since 1796. Over the front door, chiseled in stone, is the following inscription:

THIS
BUILDING WAS
ERECTED IN THE YEAR
1796 AT THE EXPENSE
OF A FEW OF THE FIRST
INHABITANTS OF THIS
LAND TO COMMEMORATE
THEIR AFFECTION &
ESTEEM FOR THE
HOLY GOSPEL OF
JESUS CHRIST
READER
IF YOU ARE INCLINED
TO APPLAUD THEIR
VIRTUES GIVE GOD
THE GLORY

When Guy Bright Montgomery, Sr. learned that the sanctuary was to be mortgaged he said, "We just can't do that. We must not permit this sanctuary, where our grandparents and our kinsmen have worshipped for over a century, to be mortgaged. What appraisal has the lending bank put on Old Stone?" He was informed that the appraisal was $75,000. "Well," said he, "I'll personally be responsible for that amount of security. Let the mortgage be on me rather than the Old Stone sanctuary." He desired no publicity for this act, and none was given. Only a few members of the church ever knew that this act of concern and generosity ever took place.



The Eugene Irvine Montgomery Family
(113.421)
Standing (left to right): Wallace McVeigh, Cornelius Taylor. Seated: Alma Eugenia, Virginia McVeigh Jordan, Eugene Irvine, Elizabeth, Elizabeth Irvine.

THE DEERFIELD MONTGOMERYS

As a boy I remember hearing my father refer to our distant kinsmen in Deerfield, Virginia. I am not certain he ever had the privilege of visiting this beautiful valley or knew any of these relatives, except John William Montgomery whose second wife was Sallie Estelle Montgomery (Frantz), a first cousin of my father and a distant cousin of John William himself. At any rate, my father conveyed to me the impression that he was very proud of these kinsmen. He himself carried the middle name of "Thomas," it having been handed down from Thomas Montgomery, the ancestor of the Deerfield clan.

When I became acquainted with the valley in 1957, few of our kinsmen were left in the area. But the Rocky Spring cemetery was full of monuments to numerous Montgomerys, Glendys, Irvines, Guys and others who were descendants of the Reverend John Montgomery through his son Thomas. For almost a hundred and fifty years these families had literally filled the valley.

On a delightful Sabbath day in the summer of 1957, my family and that of my brother, Frederick Mason Montgomery, journeyed to Virginia in search of the places of sojourn of our ancestors. It was almost noon when we arrived at Rocky Spring Church, the church which the Reverend John Montgomery served as pastor from 1789 until 1818. Since the morning service was still in progress we sat briefly in the churchyard beneath the massive oak trees, feasting our eyes upon the lovely valley that stretched out before us. Shortly the service concluded and the congregation began to file out of the church. We approached a member to inquire whether any Montgomerys still resided in the area. His response was, "Yes, a Mr. McVeigh Montgomery lives here, and he is inside the church. I'll get him for you." Shortly a handsome, kindly man emerged and came to greet us. He told us he knew some of his kinsmen lived in West Virginia but he had never become acquainted with any of them. When he learned we were seeking information on the



Wallace McVeigh Montgomery
(113.421.2)
Deerfield, Virginia

Reverend John Montgomery and his descendants, he informed us that the Reverend John and his wife, Agnes Hughart, were buried in the cemetery just across the road from the church. When the congregation dispersed, McVeigh and his wife, Margaret, accompanied us to their burial spot. Here we found a rather imposing monument to their memory. This stone also marked the burial spot of Col. Thomas Hughart and his wife, Rebecca Estill, the parents of Agnes.

As we moved back to our cars McVeigh said he had a good deal of family information which he would gladly share with us, only he needed a little time to assemble it. So, two or three weeks later I returned for a visit in his home. Thus began a cherished friendship which continued until his death 7 August, 1973.

McVeigh and his wife, Margaret, were then living in a modest cottage on a one acre plot that once formed a part of the 2,000 acre plantation of the Reverend John and Agnes Hughart Montgomery. It was surrounded by an abundance of oak trees, a peaceful spot on which to retire. McVeigh had grown up in this community but had spent his business years in Florida, Kentucky and Ohio. By profession he was an electrical engineer, a graduate of Virginia Polytechnical Institute.

As the years came and went, we made an effort to visit each other once or twice each year. McVeigh would stop by my home in Lewisburg on his way to and from Worthington, Ohio, where his youngest son, Eugene, lived. His eldest son, Wallace McVeigh Montgomery, Jr., resided in Miami, Florida. McVeigh's visits were usually brief, and I could never induce him to spend the night with us. This was because his faithful dog accompanied him on these trips, and McVeigh was not about to impose upon anyone even for the sake of this inseparable companion. I must pause here to relate two stories about this rather remarkable dog.

Upon one occasion when I was visiting with McVeigh, he went to the closet and brought out a rather large box filled with dog bones and toys. He then proceeded to toss these about the room. His faithful dog immediately began to retrieve these items and did not cease his search until every one of them had been returned to his master. They were put back in the box and the box was again placed in the closet. McVeigh told me this was a nightly routine just prior to the retirement of his companion. The dog would get up from his rug precisely at eight o'clock, scarcely varying a minute from night to night, and present himself to his master. McVeigh would then bring out the box and toss its contents about the room. When the contents were all retrieved the old dog, then some thirteen or fourteen years of age, was ready to retire for the night. Perhaps he could read the face of the clock. You may wish to credit him with this ability when you read the next story.

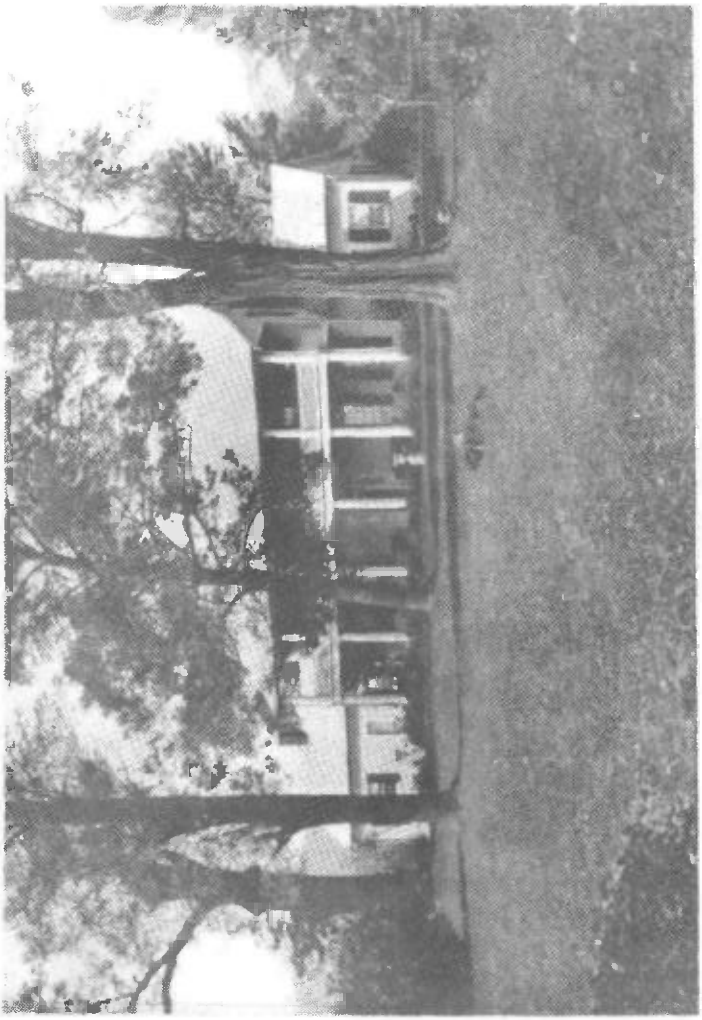
Upon another occasion when I stopped by to visit with

McVeigh, I found him working in his garden. As we stood there viewing the fruits of his labor his dog came toward us from the house. From the actions of the dog it was evident he sought the attention of his master. McVeigh responded at once and returned with him to the house. His faithful companion had come to tell him his country telephone was ringing. The old dog had learned that McVeigh answered the phone only when it rang two longs and one short. Any ring, less or more, brought no response from his master and no response from him. But when this particular call came, the old dog sought out his master even though his master was at an appreciable distance from the house working in his garden or on his lawn.

McVeigh's wife, Margaret, died in 1959. Later he married Betty Sommerville. By her first marriage to Dr. Charles W. Sommerville, a Presbyterian minister and a college professor, Betty had only altered her name by the addition of an "m." Her maiden name was Betty Somerville. She was a distant cousin of McVeigh, she herself also being a descendant of the Reverend John Montgomery. After their marriage they resided in Staunton during the winter months, but during the spring, summer, and early fall months they returned to the very lovely old Somerville home in Deerfield. A picture of the home, called Oakland, is shown on page 343. Its beauty and charm alone justify its inclusion in this publication, but there is another and more compelling reason. Its graceful elegance represents a way of life common to those of our kin who resided for so long in this enchanting valley. It is regrettable that detailed information is not now at hand for more of these families who, in former days, constituted a great community of good people bound together by the cherished ties of kinship.

In an effort to recapture and preserve a sense of the life of our kinsmen in the Deerfield valley, I have used McVeigh Montgomery as their representative. This I have done, first of all, because of my intimate acquaintance with him, one of the great personal joys of my life. But I have also used him because he seemed to embody the finest qualities of all

our ancestors and kinsmen. His gentle goodness and gentlemanly bearing rather set him apart from other men.



"OAKLAND"
Somerville home. Summer residence of Wallace McVeigh and Betty Montgomery. Deerfield, Virginia.

THE BIRMINGHAM MONTGOMERYS

The Birmingham Montgomerys, who are our kinsmen, descend from John Johnson Mathews Montgomery (113.32) and James Nelson Montgomery (113.33). Only one son of John Johnson Mathews Montgomery, namely James Alexander Montgomery (113.326), went to Birmingham. He is generally referred to as the inventor. His picture and an article copied from Albert B. Moore's "History of Alabama and Her People" appear elsewhere in this account. Although he had two sons and two daughters, no male descendants bearing the name of Montgomery survive today.

Two sons of James Nelson Montgomery (113.33), namely John Alexander Montgomery (113.333) and William Gabriel Montgomery (113.336), established their homes in Birmingham. Their descendants, both male and female, are rather numerous, and most of them have remained in the southland. The one notable exception that comes readily to mind is Guy Bright Montgomery, Sr. (113.333.1), the eldest son of John Alexander Montgomery. As a very young man he returned to Lewisburg, West Virginia, and, somewhat later, acquired a part of the farm which his grandfather, James Nelson Montgomery, had owned. Special reference will be made to him elsewhere in this account.

John Alexander Montgomery (113.333) was twice married, first (1) to Fannie Rodes Bright to whom three sons were born, Guy Bright, James Nelson, and Alexander Cochran. The middle son, James Nelson, died of cholera at the age of ten months. Alexander Cochran Montgomery married Ruby Munger. He became a successful businessman and a highly respected citizen. As reported elsewhere, this family lived at "Arlington" in Birmingham, Alabama, sometimes referred to as the Munger-Montgomery Mansion. To this marriage were born two sons and two daughters. All were married and in due time this family was amply blessed with grandchildren and great-grandchildren, in whom the occupants of "Arlington" delighted with understandable pride.

John Alexander Montgomery's second (2) marriage was to Caroline "Carrie" Lewis. To this union were born six children, three sons and three daughters. Two of the sons died young. Hugh Nelson, the remaining son, married Sidney Tazewell Morton. They had two sons and one daughter. Hugh died in 1954. Sidney visits in Lewisburg each summer, keeping alive the kinship ties that have so long been so close. She has always been one of the favorite in-laws, very much interested in the family of her husband. Now, in her own right, she shares proudly in the Montgomery heritage as she sees its finest qualities reflected in her sons, her daughter, and her grandchildren. Caroline Lewis, the oldest child of John Alexander and Caroline Lewis Montgomery, married Frederick Grist Stickney and lives in Livingston, Alabama. Louise Garland married Charles Wilson Eliason. A recent letter from Louise tells of a summer she spent with her kinsmen in Lewisburg when she was twelve years old. This would have been the year 1915. Such was the life of her kinsmen in those days that even a child of this age was wonderfully entertained. Louise's letter reflects the fondest memories of this summer visit. They reside in Peoria, Illinois. Ann Jacob never married. As one follows the genealogies of the descendants of John Alexander Montgomery, they do indeed appear quite numerous. Both from personal knowledge and report of other kinsmen, his progeny are worthy representatives of their rich and noble heritage.

William Gabriel Montgomery (113.336) married Sophia Perkins of Birmingham 5 Oct., 1886. They had three children, two sons and one daughter. The eldest son, James Nelson Montgomery, became a well-known Missionary Evangelist to China. His son, Robert Lancaster Montgomery, also became a Missionary Evangelist. His daughter, Sophie Earle Montgomery, married Dr. Paul Shields Crane, a Missionary Surgeon. His daughter, Virginia Lancaster Montgomery, married Robert Donnell McCall, a Missionary Evangelist. His daughter, Aurie Hollingsworth Montgomery, married Dr. John Knox Miller, a Medical Missionary. His youngest child, James Nelson Montgomery, Jr., became an

electrical engineer. Is it any wonder that the family of James Nelson Montgomery and his wife, Aurie Hollingsworth Lancaster, became known as the "missionary family"? I shall later give an account of a visit to their home after his retirement.

The other son of William Gabriel Montgomery, William Gabriel Montgomery, Jr., married but has no children. His daughter, Hattie Earle Montgomery, never married. She continued to reside in the homeplace and was a highly successful teacher. Upon one occasion I had the privilege of visiting in her home and reviewing much of her father's voluminous collection of family information. It was extremely helpful to me in the further pursuit of my research on our ancestors and kinsmen.

Now, I shall give an account of our visit in the home of James Nelson Montgomery and his wife, Aurie Hollingsworth Lancaster. James had retired, and they were living in Decatur, Georgia. I was attending a three-day meeting of a General Assembly committee of the Southern Presbyterian Church in Atlanta. My wife, Edith, and I had been invited to be guests of James and Aurie. We met them several years previously when they visited in Lewisburg, West Virginia. So, we accepted their kind invitation with joy and great anticipation.

I remember James as the essence of politeness, courtesy, and kindness. I came away characterizing him as a perfect blend of a "Chinese Nobleman" and a "Southern Gentleman." A halo of goodness and gentleness seemed to move about with him wherever he went. We were also greatly impressed with Aurie, who gave every evidence of being an important member of a team that had rendered such effective missionary service. But, I suppose my most vivid recollection of Aurie centers around her preparation and serving a sumptuous Chinese dinner. Edith said the entire day was devoted to its preparation, with Edith observing mostly but lending a hand when she could.

It was 7:30 p.m. when we sat down at the dining room table, having been joined by a member of my committee and his wife. This was a thoughtful kindness and an added

joy since the guest, Dr. William C. Robinson, then professor at Columbia Seminary, had served my home church while a seminary student and had lived in our home when I was a boy twelve years of age.

What the first course was I cannot now remember, but I can recall it was deliciously good, as were the other seven or eight courses that followed. We were long at the table and full to the point of overflowing, not only with exquisitely prepared foods but also with a memory of a rare and beautiful evening.

On the morrow James accompanied Edith and me to Birmingham, Alabama, where we spent the night with his brother, William Gabriel Montgomery, and his charming wife, Caroline. Here again we experienced a home full of genuineness, hospitality and love. Then, we visited with Hattie Earle Montgomery. She greeted her brother James with evidence of admiration and deep family affection. She extended a warm welcome to her distant cousins. Our visit with her, including a delicious lunch, sent us on our way with the feeling that we had been with great people, another family of cousins in whom we could take great pride.

JAMES ALEXANDER MONTGOMERY – THE INVENTOR (113.326)

Although other references are made to this very remarkable man, the son of John Johnson Mathews Montgomery and Margaret Lynn Creigh, it seems fitting to record here the tribute paid him by Albert B. Moore in the "History of Alabama and Her People."

Appreciation is hereby given to the American Historical Society for the article, reproduced below, concerning James A. Montgomery, printed in Volume III of "History of Alabama and Her People" by Albert B. Moore, 1927.

> James A. Montgomery, inventor and manufacturer, has been one of the prominent figures in the industrial activities of Birmingham, while the products of



James Alexander Montgomery
Inventor
(113,326)
Birmingham, Alabama

his skill, study and imagination have served to improve the process of coal mining and coal preparation throughout practically all the civilized world. No other man has done so much to perfect the processes of coal washing. Mr. Montgomery is president of the Montgomery Coal Washing & Manufacturing Company.

He was born in Greenbrier County, West Virginia, October 25, 1869, son of John Johnson Montgomery and Margaret (Creigh) Montgomery. His father was a farmer in Greenbrier County, but for many years prior to his death was an invalid, so that his son early began to depend largely upon his own resources. His limited early educational advantages have been supplemented by close application to study and by the experience he has gained in connection with the practical affairs of life. While a boy on the farm Mr. Montgomery indicated his positive genius for handling machinery. He was soon

able to take apart and put together every machine on his father's place. The part of farming he liked best was that which involved some mechanical operation. Leaving the farm at the age of nineteen, he worked two years in the Greenbrier Creamery.

On coming to Alabama Mr. Montgomery for a couple of years was employed on the Powderly Dummy Line, after which he and J. E. White, likewise from West Virginia, leased this line and continued its operation two years. About a year later he went with the Standard Coal Company at Brookwood. It was at this time, as master mechanic, that Mr. Montgomery began the systematic study of coal washing processes. Later he was with the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company in the erection of their rail mills at Ensley, and for two years was associated with the Birmingham Rail & Locomotive Company as master mechanic.

With the routine of executive service Mr. Montgomery combined constant study, investigation and experimentation, as a result of which he perfected his washing machine for coal. He received his first patent on his coal washer in 1900. The first machine was installed by the late Henry F. De Bardeleben, the Birmingham capitalist. The machine was practical, proved its commercial value, and with many improvements from time to time its use is now almost universal in almost every coal mining district in the United States. Those familiar with the coal industry can best appreciate the great contribution made by Mr. Montgomery's inventive genius to the coal mining industry of the nation.

Mr. Montgomery has been a resident of Birmingham since 1891, coming to the city at the age of twenty-one. His ability and activities have gained him place as one of the representative business men of this great southern industrial center. The large and modern manufacturing plant of the Montgomery Coal Washing & Manufacturing Company is established at Fortieth Street and Eighth Avenue, North, and constitutes one of the

important industries of Birmingham, being the only concern of its kind in the city. Mr. Montgomery is president and general manager of the company, and his progressive qualities have enabled this organization to make the best advantages of the manufacture of the machinery that was originated in his inventive mind. The capital stock of the company is held entirely in the family.

Mr. Montgomery is one of the comparatively few inventors who have reaped the rewards of their own genius. However, perfecting mechanical devices and originating new ones have constituted something of a constant study and a hobby with him. Many years ago he made drawings for a chainless bicycle. Before he had ever seen an automobile he invented a self propelled vehicle, which after construction worked successfully. However, lack of financial resources prevented him from placing the device on the market.

In 1896 Mr. Montgomery designed a reinforced concrete vault for burial purposes, over ten years before the same was put on the market, and he also designed an improved system for hot water heating.

He takes a lively interest in all that touches the civic and material welfare of his home city. His political allegiance is given to the democratic party, and he is an elder in the Presbyterian Church, of which he and his wife are members. In 1896 Mr. Montgomery married Miss Zula Smith, daughter of George Smith and niece of the late Dr. Joseph R. Smith, who was the first white child born in Jefferson County, Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery have four children, all members of the Presbyterian Church: Ruth, wife of W. B. Phillips; Charles J., who was in the naval training camp at New Orleans during the World war and is now connected with the Montgomery Coal Washing & Manufacturing Company; Frederick A., a student in high school, and Eloise, attending the Lulu Compton Seminary.



ARLINGTON
Munger-Montgomery Mansion
Birmingham, Alabama

ARLINGTON
MUNGER-MONTGOMERY MANSION

Arlington, the beautiful ante-bellum home of Alexander Cochran and Ruby Munger Montgomery, was purchased in 1953 by the City of Birmingham to be preserved as an historic shrine and museum. It had long been the desire of this family that this charming home with its spacious grounds and lovely gardens should be preserved as an example and as a reminder of a bygone day of graceful and elegant living.

The land on which Arlington stands is a part of the 23,040 acre grant made to the American Asylum of Hartford, Connecticut, by President James Monroe in 1820. The property having later been judged unsuitable for the erection of a school for the deaf and blind, its originally intended purpose, it was subsequently used in other ways. Records

show the title to Arlington passing through a number of ownerships. They are as follows: William Tarrant and John Buford, Stephen Hall, Samuel W. Hall, William S. Mudd, Henry Debardeleben, F. H. Whitney, Robert Sylvester Munger, 1902, then Alexander Cochran and Ruby Munger Montgomery.

During their ownership of this charming mansion, Alexander and Ruby Montgomery revived within its walls and on its spacious grounds many of the traditions of the old South. The home was made available for pilgrimages, open house, and many private and public occasions. Alexander and Ruby were themselves married in this lovely home. Later it was the scene of the wedding of their daughter, Frances Bright Montgomery, to Thomas Ray Schultz, Jr., and finally their granddaughter, Frances Montgomery Schultz, to Robert Edward Anderson. It is a high tribute to the civic mindedness of these two gracious people that they saw to it that this historic place of charm and beauty would be preserved for posterity.



Alexander Cochran Montgomery



Ruby Munger Montgomery

THE GUY BRIGHT MONTGOMERY FAMILY

Guy Bright Montgomery, Sr. (113.333.1) had of his own volition concluded his formal education at the age of fourteen years. Striking out from his home in Birmingham, Alabama, to make his own way and to seek his fortune, we find him first in the employ of his father's first cousins in Frankfort, Kentucky. James Franklin Montgomery (113.342) and Zachariah Jacob Montgomery (113.344) had moved to Kentucky and were then operating the industries of the state penitentiary. Guy, although only a young teenage lad, was sent out as a salesman for these products. Later he could laughingly say, "Yes, that's where I learned to be a salesman. If you could sell those brooms, you could sell anything."

By the time he had reached his late teens he was back in Lewisburg, the place of his birth and the spot where many of his kinsmen still resided. At times he was in the employ of persons who were seeking investments in the coal lands to the west of Lewisburg and in other mineral reserves. He helped seek out these reserves and in later years acquired considerable holdings in the area he had prospected as a very young man. But all the time he was continuing his independent buying and selling. I remember cousin James McClung Rader, husband of Martha Kearns Montgomery (113.351), telling about Guy's turkey buying and marketing. In those days turkeys were bought from the individual farmers, ten to twenty-five from each. They were then herded into the road and driven, much as were cattle and sheep, to the market which might be twenty-five to fifty miles distant. The flock increased as the buyer moved toward his market, sometimes reaching a total of 250 to 300.

In the fall of each year the Raders, who lived a mile north of Lewisburg, kept a watch for Guy and his turkeys.

In the late afternoon, they knew not what day, Guy and his flock would appear at the bend of the road about 300 yards to the north of their home. He had driven the flock all the way from Williamsburg, sixteen miles, and by this time of day the turkeys were tired and ready to seek a roosting place for the night. Soon the Raders' numerous large trees were literally filled with turkeys. Shortly Guy would be sitting down with the family for a good meal, which always included piping hot biscuits as well as many other good things. Early the next morning Guy and his flock would be on their way to Ronceverte, the place where the turkeys were loaded on the train for shipping.

When I first got acquainted with cousin Guy, he was well established in his home on his farm overlooking Ronceverte and the surrounding hills. Some twelve years earlier (1908), he had acquired a portion of the farm which his grandfather, James Nelson Montgomery (113.33), had owned. He had already begun to build up a prize Holstein dairy herd, an interest which he was to continue the remainder of his life. His other business interests, centering chiefly around the Ronceverte Ice and Produce Company but also including coal mining, were beginning to show promise for a successful future.

The household of Guy Bright and Frances Bouldin Montgomery was always filled with activity and frequently with guests. Never have I known a home where visitors were made so genuinely welcome, often for weeks or even months at a time. For sixty years Guy's brother, Alexander, and his family came each summer from Birmingham for at least a two week visit, bringing with them their four children and the children's nurse. What a grand reunion these families had year by year and what delicious meals cousin Frances set before them. Country ham was her specialty, along with fresh butter beans and sweet corn from her bountiful garden. And, of course, there were hot biscuits and many other good things.

I must now relate a story which, to me, characterizes Guy Bright Montgomery, Sr. in a remarkably accurate way. It should be recalled that he had chosen to end his formal

schooling at a rather early age. Yet he had apparently found this no deterrent to a rich and satisfying life. He seemed to be equal to every occasion and very quickly ready with an answer or a solution to every problem or challenge.

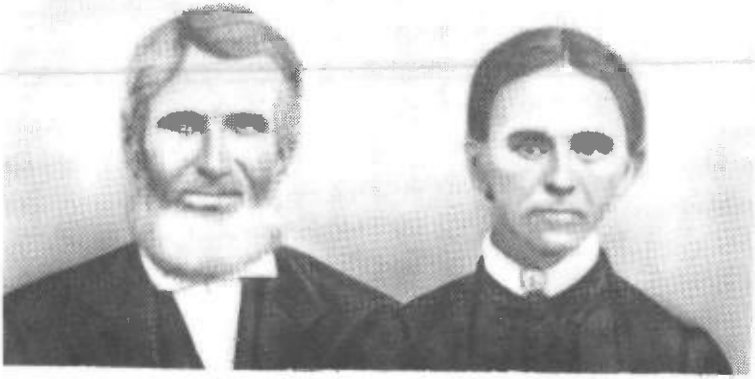
During the summer of 1926, I was privileged to be living in this home and working at the Ronceverte Ice and Produce Company in order to earn money toward my second year of college. I had finished one year at Hampden Sydney College, having saved sufficient funds for that year from the previous year's teaching in a one-room school at a salary of $85.00 per month. Guy Bright Montgomery, Jr. was preparing to enter Washington and Lee University. His application had arrived, and he brought it to the dining table following the evening meal. He opened the envelope and began to read aloud the questions. I distinctly remember the first five questions, which is as far as he read that night. As I proceed you will understand why.

The first four questions read as follows:

1. Who was your paternal grandfather?
2. Who was your paternal grandmother?
3. Who was your maternal grandfather?
4. Who was your maternal grandmother?

The fifth question changed rather dramatically. I remember Guy, Jr. hesitating as he began to read this question. Evidently, he sensed that it might embarrass his father. But not in the least. The question read, "What degree does your father hold?" Without a moment's hesitation, and with no embarrassment, his father said, "Put down ninety in the shade." This was indeed a high degree for this mountain plateau region, symbolic of the level of his active life and characteristic of his ability to meet every situation.

His two sons, Guy Bright Montgomery, Jr. and Henry Alexander Montgomery, now carry on his business interests. His daughter Bessie Bouldin Montgomery Vaughan resides in Lewisburg, West Virginia, and his daughter Evelyn Edmunds Montgomery McCormack lives in Winchester, Virginia.



John Johnson Mathews and Margaret Lynn Creigh Montgomery (113.32)



The John Thomas Montgomery Family

Top row: Marjorie Leah, John Thomas (113.323), Fannie Eliza, Bess Creigh. Bottom row: John Fleshman (113.323.4), James Thomas, Albertus Gray. Not pictured: Frederick Mason, Grigsby Jenos, Claytie Lewis.



The John Fleshman Montgomery Family
Top row: Edith Frances, John Fleshman (113.323.4), John Rothwell (113.323.42). Bottom row: Edith Mary, Joan Florence, Herbert Stanley, Mary Eleanor.



John Steven Montgomery
113.323.421

THE UNBROKEN LINE OF JOHNS

Part of my interest in my Montgomery ancestry and my Montgomery kin stems from the discovery, now some twenty years ago, that I was the sixth John Montgomery in an unbroken line of Johns beginning with the John that married Esther Houston. Now that unbroken line has been extended to eight. Five of the eight are pictured on the preceding pages. Understandably, no pictures are available for the first three. The names of the eight Johns are as follows:

11.	John Montgomery 1719-around 1800 Old Providence, Augusta County, Virginia
113.	John Montgomery (The Reverend) 1752-1818 Deerfield, Virginia
113.3	John Montgomery 1788-1829 Goshen, Virginia
113.32	John Johnson Mathews Montgomery 1816-1892 Grassy Meadows, West Virginia
113.323	John Thomas Montgomery 1862-1941 Grassy Meadows, West Virginia
113.323.4	John Fleshman Montgomery 1905 Lewisburg, West Virginia
113.323.42	John Rothwell Montgomery 1936 Lewisburg, West Virginia
113.323.421	John Steven Montgomery 1966 Lewisburg, West Virginia

THE JOHN THOMAS MONTGOMERY FAMILY

John Thomas Montgomery (113.323), the eldest son of John Johnson Mathews Montgomery and Margaret Lynn Creigh, was born in Grassy Meadows and spent his entire life of seventy-nine years at the place of his birth. As a very young man he was called upon to assume the major

responsibility for the operation of his father's farm including the grist mill, which was run part-time to grind the family's wheat, corn, and barley and to accommodate the neighbors. His formal education was limited but his thirst for knowledge continued throughout his life. He was particularly fond of history. On rainy days when he could not work in the field, I have seen him sit for hours so completely absorbed in his reading that he was oblivious to everything else. No matter how much noise his eight children made running through the house he was not disturbed. How often have I heard my mother say, "John, why don't you speak to these children before they tear the house down?" He would cease from his reading long enough to reply, "What are they doing? I hadn't noticed anything."

As my father grew to manhood he took over not only his father's farm but also many church and civic functions his father had performed. He became an elder in the church and superintendent of the Sunday School, both positions having long been filled by his father. Elections and other civic affairs also claimed his attention. He served for many years as "Overseer of the Poor" and as "Road Supervisor" for his magisterial district. He was highly respected for his judgment and his fairness. His integrity was beyond question. Truly his word was as good as his bond.

Elsewhere I refer to his ingenuity in providing for the success of his children according to their various abilities and stages of maturity. I used as a prime example the "Cherry Buckets." These are pictured in an artistic drawing produced by my eldest daughter, Edith Frances Montgomery Arbaugh, and described in the article entitled, "Cherry Picking Buckets and Cherry Time." But I also recall that he had an axe to suit each son. These axes varied in size, weight, and length of handle. The same was true for the hoes, which were also an important item on the farm in those days. As each son grew he moved up the scale of these implements, leaving the one he had ceased to use for his younger brother. With such thoughtful concern for fitting every member into a working team, is it any

wonder that work on this farm was like a joyous contest, a great adventure.

One of the highlights of our farm life occurred at hay harvest time. Uncle Will Myles, husband of Mary Catherine Montgomery, and their sons would come for a two week stay, bringing their horses, mowing machine, and other haying equipment. When our harvest was concluded we would return to their home for a similar period of haying.

How wonderful those days were. There was great excitement in the air. It was a thrill to see two mowing machines in the big meadow. Many scythes were also in action because every fence corner of the old rail fences must be cut clean as must the banks of the winding creek, which contained the much loved "swimming hole." When the hay was dry it was raked into windrows and then built into hay shocks suitable in size for hauling. Actually they were dragged or pulled rather than hauled. Everyone joined in this part of the work. Some horses were so well trained that they scarcely needed human direction in taking the shocks to the stacking site once hitched to their traces by the long rope or grape vine. So, even a very small and inexperienced child might ride these horses and have the thrill of being a part of this exciting day's work.

After supper was play time, and we were usually joined by a crowd of our neighbors. While it was still daylight we played "town ball," Uncle Will serving as pitcher and my father as catcher. Sides changed but not the pitcher and catcher. The excitement of the fame was greatly enhanced by reason of the enthusiasm and joy displayed by our parents.

Since few of my readers will have had any experience with the delightful game of "town ball," I think a brief explanation of this game is in order. In the first place, the ball differed from our modern baseball. It was made of yarn, often raveled from a discarded sock or stocking, and was about half the size of a baseball. Being light and buoyant it had a greater bounce than the modern-day baseball. This gave an advantage to the team in the field, as you will later discover. The ball was usually pitched underhand

with little effort to strike out the batter. The bat might be of modern design but more often it was made like a paddle. The batting portion varied from three to six inches in width. These paddles were made in various sizes to suit the age and size of the batter. An out occurred when a fly ball was caught either in the air or on first bounce. Sometimes the ground rules were changed to allow a small child to make an out even though he caught the ball on the second or third bounce. Another means of making an out was to throw the ball in front of the runner. This was called a "cross out." However, if the runner had not traversed half the distance between bases he could retreat and the "cross out" would not count. Once an individual was out, he could not bat again during that inning. One exception to this rule was the substitution of a "home run" for an out. This, of course, reduced the score by one run but often put a good batter back into the game. The practice of using a home run score to put a player back in the game was a common occurrance since every batter had to be retired before an inning was concluded. Almost any number could play at a given time, and even a very small child could participate with great satisfaction.

When dusk began to fall my father and Uncle Will would retire to the house. Then, the young folk would proceed with other games, usually "hide and go seek." The hay shocks made ideal hiding places. It is little wonder that many of them had to be rebuilt the next morning.

My mother, Fannie Eliza Fleshman Montgomery, was gentle, patient, good and kind. She had a keen sense of humor and a great love for people. Although she lived to within four months of her 100th birthday, she was physically dependent on others only a brief time. Even then her sweet and gentle disposition made caring for her a joy, never a burden. Always her children accorded her every respect and consideration due a good and great mother. When she was eighty-four, one of her first cousins nominated her for "Mother of the Year" for West Virginia. Although she was not awarded this honor, she was a close runner-up for the title. Some excerpts from the supporting evidence accom-

panying her nomination are here reproduced.

"As one grows old the reflection of her true character reveals itself in her interests and attitude toward life and people. But her true character is also reflected in the sons and daughters she has reared and in the community of which she has been a part.

Mrs. Fannie Montgomery of Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, is a notable example of these revelations and reflections. At eighty-four she retains her lively interest in her home community and its people. But her interests spread far beyond her beautiful and peaceful valley. She is vitally interested in national and international affairs and keeps in touch with events through newspaper, radio, and television.

But there was a time when she, like others of her age, had no radio or television, and only the weekly paper supplied meager news of the events of the day. This may have been just as well because these were busy days for Mrs. Montgomery. The farm was indeed a busy place in those days and especially so for mothers with large families.

One of her sons recalls seeing her upon many occasions dozing in her chair before the open wood fire as she mended the children's clothes after a hard day's work which had probably begun at five that morning. Then she would awaken suddenly and say, 'Oh! Pshaw! I went to sleep. Where is my needle? Here, Marjorie, you thread it. I'm too sleepy to see.' Then her children, eight in number, would say, 'Well, Mom, I think you had better go to bed.'

These were busy days but happy ones for her and her family. Her household was a haven for the young people of the community. One of her children recalls having thirty-two of them for a Sunday dinner and upon many occasions as many as a dozen to spend the night when there was a party in the community. Through all of this he says his mother remained calm and cheerful. When there were no more beds she spread blankets and quilts on the floor to accommodate the overflow."

"Throughout her life she had been active in the work of her church as was her late husband, John Thomas Montgomery, who served as a ruling elder and Sunday School Superintendent for many years. Her home was headquarters for all the ministers who served her church, and she carries on correspondence with most of them who are still living. A short time ago one of them, now retired, wrote to congratulate her upon the election of two of her sons, John and Gray, to the position of ruling elder in the Old Stone Presbyterian Church of Lewisburg, West Virginia. He fondly recalled his early ministry which brought him to McElhenny Church and his joy in being in her home. Thinking he should know the full story about her five sons with respect to their church offices she sat down and wrote him that all were church officers, James being a deacon in McElhenny Presbyterian of Grassy Meadows, Fred a deacon in Clifton Presbyterian of Maxwelton, West Virginia, Grisby Jenos a ruling elder in Lake View Presbyterian of St. Petersburg, Florida, and John and Gray ruling elders in Old Stone Presbyterian of Lewisburg, West Virginia."

"If modesty is praiseworthy, if good example should be rewarded, if unselfish service should be recognized, and if devotion of motherhood should be honored, then Mrs. Fannie Montgomery deserves whatever honors society is prepared to bestow upon a worthy mother."

Had Mrs. Montgomery replied to her minister friend a bit later on she could have then informed him that all five of her sons had become elders in their churches. She could also have given him a good account of her three daughters and the homes they had established.

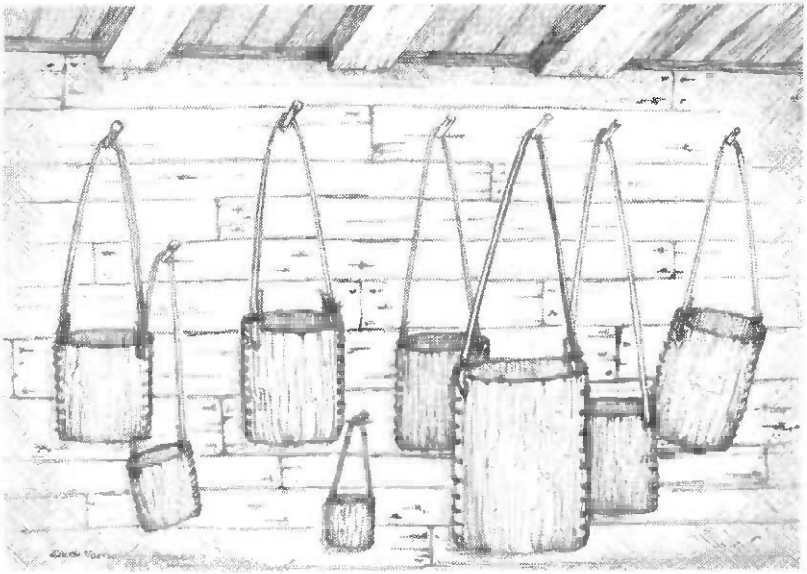
CHERRY PICKING BUCKETS AND CHERRY TIME

Cherry season was a cherished time on the John Thomas Montgomery farm. Both on the valley homeplace and the mountain farm delicious sweet cherries, red and black, were always to be found in abundance. It was during this season that uncle James Alexander Montgomery, the inventor for Birmingham, Alabama, returned from a visit to his childhood home. How dearly he loved these cherries and the opportunity to relive the happy days of his youth in this beautiful, peaceful valley. Other kinfolk of the immediate area, the Myles and Lowry families, always came for at least one day of "cherry picking" each summer. I can recall my mother up long before daylight frying chicken and making preparation for the day's outing. On such special occasions we journeyed to the mountain farm, some two miles distant, because this was the better fruit farm, having dozens of cherry trees, a large apple orchard with almost every then known variety, blackberries and wild strawberries in abundance.

The cherry buckets were something special, very practical and homemade. Native chestnut trees were plentiful in those days, supplying nuts in abundance, lumber, rails for fencing, and bark for cherry buckets. In the early spring, when the sap was up, father would select a nice young tree with smooth bark and free of limbs up ten to fifteen feet. He would then cut the tree and peel the bark from which he would fashion buckets of various sizes, using hickory bark to make a long handle so the bucket could be suspended from the shoulder. This not only made it easy to ascend the cherry tree with your cherry container, but also allowed the use of both hands for picking.

As years have passed, the size of the "cherry buckets" has taken on an added significance. My father believed that every child should learn to work. As I look back on our childhood days I have come to appreciate his deep understanding of the needs of children. He seemed to realize that every child was constantly in need of success, and he pro-

vided in so many ways for the various stages of maturity in his family of eight children. The cherry buckets are a good example of his practical provision for their individual differences. When he ascended the cherry tree with his two gallon bucket, he knew that even the youngest child, who was scarcely large enough to climb a tree, had a good chance of filling his pint or quart bucket by the time he himself had filled his two gallon bucket and the other children had filled their buckets of varying sizes. As the buckets were emptied into a large container the smallest child emptied his with as much satisfaction in his accomplishment as did any of the other children.



Cherry Picking Buckets
John Thomas Montgomery Farm
Grassy Meadows, West Virginia

A MEMORABLE TRIP TO LEWISBURG

The year was 1916. I was eleven years old. The summer day dawned bright, and the mountain air was invigorating as I climbed into the buggy beside my father. He spoke to "Daisy," our splendid sorrel buggy horse, and she readily responded to his command. We were off on a great venture for a young boy who had never been to Lewisburg, that far-away town of some twenty miles.

I must have begun my questions immediately. I wanted to know who lived in every house we passed and all about every village. The first village was Blue Sulphur Springs, one of the noted Virginia resorts of pre-Civil War days. Among other things this village could boast of a college that reached an enrollment of 250 students prior to the war, some students coming from as far away as New Orleans. But the glories of this village now lived only in the memory of a few of the older citizens of the area. A few brick cottages and the spring house were still standing, as was a large brick chimney that marked the location of a once beautiful hotel. It was sad to learn that a place of such elegance and charm was no more.

But I must not have dwelt long upon the former glories of this picturesque spot. We were shortly moving into an expansive section of the valley. Here fat herds of cattle grazed upon lush bluegrass pastures. At that time the heart of this valley, an estate of several thousand acres, was owned by a Mr. Hickman Jarrett. His large brick home was an impressive sight to a young lad. I remember asking my father if we would see a house larger than this in Lewisburg. He thought we might. Then, I remember his telling me that "Traveler," General Robert E. Lee's famous Civil War horse, was raised on this farm.

As we journeyed on we shortly left the valley and proceeded over hilly country to the village of Asbury which is located on somewhat of a plateau on the western side of Muddy Creek Mountain. The village had several houses and two stores. One of these stores was operated by a Mr.

Robert Blaker, my mother's cousin. We were urged to stay with this family for the noon-day meal. Dinner would soon be ready. I still remember that dining table laden with every sort of good thing, including six different kinds of jelly. I think I must have sampled each kind.

After leaving the village of Asbury we soon began to ascend the Muddy Creek Mountain range. About two thirds up the mountain the road is overhung by an enormous stone cliff. As we approached this cliff my father said, "Now I'll show you the hole that was drilled in the cliff by the Confederate soldiers for the purpose of blasting the cliff into the road to prevent or delay the anticipated advance of the Union forces." There it was, a hole five inches in diameter drilled deep into the cliff at a height of about twelve feet above the road bed. The anticipated advance of the Union forces did not occur. So, the cliff was not blown into the road, and the drilled hole serves even now to remind us of those grim days of long ago.

Soon we had reached the summit of this mountain and had begun to descend toward the beautiful bluegrass plateau, known as the Richlands. This I found to be a breath-taking sight. Never before had I seen such an extensive expanse of farmland. It seemed indeed a land flowing with milk and honey. Certainly those who lived in this choice spot were a chosen people. I often journey to the top of this mountain to relive the thrill of my first encounter with this good land, and I always return to my home renewed and uplifted by this experience.

We came upon Lewisburg from the west rather suddenly. As we began to descend from the surrounding plateau, there nestled this charming town cradled before us in a somewhat sunken area from which the waters of the historic Lewis Springs must seek an outlet by means of a subterranean cavern. On our right, as we descended, was the attractive Lewisburg Seminary, formerly Lewisburg Academy, then Lewisburg Female Institute, and later Greenbrier College. It certainly never occurred to me at that time that one day I would be president of this institution. Then, the brick buildings of Main Street appeared, some very quaint and

charming. Shortly we were turning left on Court Street past the imposing brick court house with its big white front pillars. Next we passed the charming Governor Price home where later, during my high school days, I was privileged to reside with the governor's daughter, Miss Jennie Stuart Price, a distant cousin of mine.

Now, we were at our destination, the home of the late Silas Boxley Mason who married Elizabeth Mitchell Montgomery, a first cousin of my father. We drove our horse to the barn and placed her in the charge of the stable attendant. Then, we proceeded to the house, a twenty room brick structure. Such a house I had never seen. It was enormous, and it appeared so fine and elegant.

Cousin "Lizzy" Mason came to greet us with warmth and evident pleasure. She was always fond of my father and he likewise of her. Soon her daughter, cousin Elizabeth Preston, came in to add her friendly greeting. She, her husband Samuel Price Preston, and their sons made up a part of this household. But there were more to greet us. This was summertime, and all the Mason clan, who could do so, returned to this household for the summer months. Cousin Dora Biggs and her daughter Charlotte were home from Castle Heights School, Terrytown, New York. Charlotte Mason, who later married Edgar Farnsworth Dickson, was also at home. Soon all had come to welcome us, and even a lad of eleven years sensed the genuineness of their welcome.

I was awed by many things about the big house of my cousins, and I was also greatly impressed. The home seemed full of consideration and love, certainly a very close-knit family. Cousin "Lizzy" was indeed the matriarch, full of gentleness and kindly charm. Every member, including the smallest child, treated her with respect and great consideration. If she as much as dropped a needle or a button, someone hastened to retrieve it for her.

When meal time came, there were twelve at the long dining table in the spacious dining room. Cousin Lizzy no longer sat at the end of the table but on the side, the head and foot being reserved for her son-in-law and daughter Elizabeth. They did all the serving except for the round

butter balls. This specialty was always served by cousin Lizzy, and she did it in such a manner as to make it appear a great honor had been bestowed upon her.

At a later time I was to become acquainted with other kinsmen of Lewisburg and the surrounding area. Each household seemed to mirror, to a marked degree, what I had experienced on my first visit to the Mason home – the gracious living of a kind and gentle people.



"MONTWELL"
John Fleshman and Edith Rothwell Montgomery Home
Built 1818

MONTWELL
The Home of John Fleshman and Edith Rothwell Montgomery

In the fall of 1941 "Montwell" was concluding a two year silent vigil awaiting an owner that would restore it to its original splendor. Its reminiscence carried it back to 1818 when its builder, Mr. James Withrow, first occupied it. The very thought of these happy days must have brought a surge of warmth and pride, but not for long. Now "Montwell" found itself in a state of melancholy as it reflected upon the few brick homes that antedated it and some that were its contemporaries. All were now gone and it stood quite alone as the grandfather of all brick homes of the town. How soon, it must have thought, it would also give way for a modern structure or simply pass into oblivion by reason of neglect or permanent abandonment.

When Edith and I entered the house for the first time we had many questions. First of all we didn't know whether we could afford to purchase a house of such size. Then, too, it appeared to need so many things, paint and papering, sanding of floors, re-wiring, and some minor alterations. Could we afford to buy it, and could we afford it after we bought it? After all, a school principal's salary was not very great at that time. We closed the door and went home.

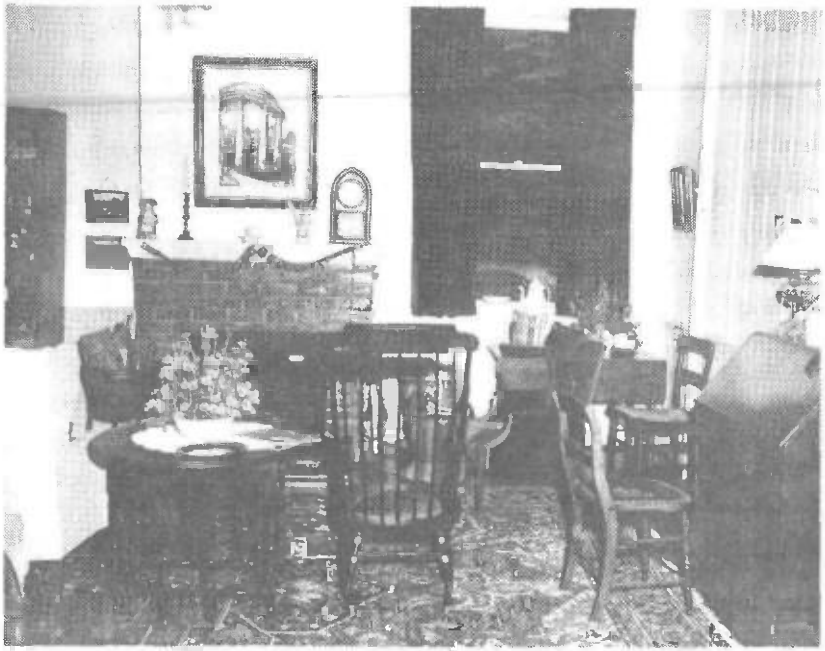
It was two days later when we returned to "Montwell." Of course, it was not called "Montwell" then. This name would come later when a portion of the names Montgomery and Rothwell were joined to form an appropriate appellation for this handsome home. As we entered the house this time we seemed to sense a warmth of welcome. Then the old house began to speak to us. "Observe me carefully, I am a great house, and I will make you a great home." We were attentive as the old house continued to speak. "I am not a fancy sight at the moment. I have been neglected, but I have not been mistreated. Examine my wide pine floors. They



Edith and her clematis.

are original, sound as a dollar, and will be beautiful when sanded and polished. Notice my deep wainscot throughout all of the downstairs rooms. Its treatment is simple but very lovely. Take a look at my square entrance hall. Notice the great fan-shaped entrance door and my front pillars. Also look at my beautiful hand hewn Indiana Limestone steps which cost my original owner the fabulous price of $100 each. Then come with me upstairs. You will find it almost as lovely as the downstairs, and you must go on up to the finished attic. When you come down we shall go to the basement and then to the fruit cellar. You must see the huge oak timbers that support the floors. Notice the bark is still on many of the logs. I tell you I was well and wonderfully built. Now, don't be in a hurry. You must see the old kitchen with its great oval fireplace. In the early days all of the cooking was done here, and then carried to the big house. Let us go back through the big house. I think I forgot to show you the fireplaces and their tall chimneys. Every room has a fireplace. As you go out take a good look at my yard, such a wonderful place for children to play. Then go to the crest of the hill and view the pasture field that slopes to the cavern that receives the water from both of the famous Lewis Springs. This hill will become alive with coasting and coasting parties when the winter snows come. Your three children, and those yet to come, will find a great joy here." We bade the old house a thankful goodby, and as we left we knew with certainty we would return.

It was 22 March, 1942, when we came to live in "Montwell." What a transformation had been wrought on its interior. Edith seemed to know how to choose just the right wallpaper for each room, just the right shade of paint to apply, what floors to stain and what ones to leave natural once they were sanded, and how to place our meager furniture and furnishings so that they served best and showed off to greatest advantage in this big house. In retrospect, I can now see that our deficiency in furniture and furnishings was a great blessing. Over a rather long span of years we had the great joy, repeated over and over, of finding and buying just the right table, chair, cupboard, bed, mir-



Living room at "Montwell."

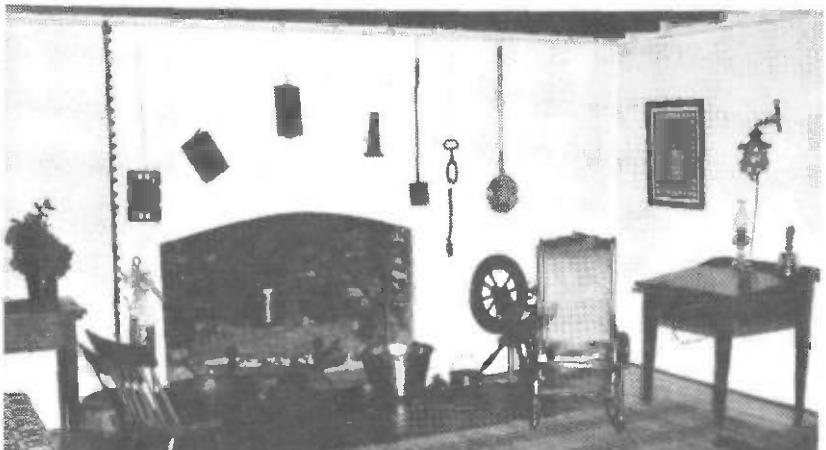
ror, pair of andirons, set of dishes, mustard jar, or teapot.

As the years came and went the family increased to five children, two sons and three daughters. The old house, now "Montwell," was right. The yard, the pasture field, and also the barn were wonderful places for children to play. Neighbor children came often to join them. The whole place literally came alive with happy children.

Adult friends came, too, as did many of our kinsmen. "Montwell," in time, became the homecoming site for the family reunions, previously held at my parents' home in Grassy Meadows. The Fords and Aubels, families of my two oldest sisters, Marjorie Leah and Bess Creigh, came from Springfield, Ohio. Grigsby Jenos Montgomery and his family came from St. Petersburg, Florida. My youngest sister, Claytie Lewis Montgomery Cox, and her family came from the neighboring Nicholas County. The James Thomas Montgomery family came from the home farm in Grassy Meadows, the Frederick Mason Montgomery family

from nearby Maxwelton, and the Albertus Gray Montgomery family from Lewisburg. Always my mother was present with her cheerful disposition and friendly greeting for everyone. Edith moved about in her gentle and queenly fashion. Having amply prepared in advance for the occasion, she could now mingle with her guests as freely and relaxed as if homecoming was a daily occurrence.

Smaller groups of kinsmen came from time to time. Occasionally these were our more distant kin. I must recount here one rather special time. Our guests on July 29, 1964, were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Cochran Montgomery (Alex and Ruby), Birmingham, Alabama; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bright Montgomery, Sr. (Guy and Frances), Ronceverte, West Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McVeigh Montgomery (McVeigh and Betty), Staunton and Deerfield, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Taylor Montgomery (C. T. and Lydia), Bethlehem, Pennsylvania; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Weatherup (Watson and Elizabeth Montgomery),



Old kitchen at "Montwell."



Dining room at "Montwell."

Coral Gables, Florida; Mrs. Hugh Nelson Montgomery ("Sidney") and Hugh Nelson Montgomery, Jr., Birmingham, Alabama. This was a great day of getting acquainted for distant cousins. To reach back to their common ancestor, the Reverend John Montgomery, they had to span a century and a half.

We assembled first on the front porch where the late morning sun had just found its way through the heavy foliage of the huge maple tree. The atmosphere was pleasant, and the conversation flowed with ease and relaxation. In a short time we moved to the dining room for lunch. Edith served with grace and ease, as always. The dining room table was bedecked with our choice tablecloth, spode china, best silver, and linen napkins. The lovely chandelier, the handsome corner cupboards, and the exquisite lace curtains all blended into an harmonious whole making a fit place of assembly for these worthy representatives of the Montgomery clan.

After lunch we retired to the parlor, which is often referred to as the "Lee Room." It was in this room in 1867 that General Robert E. Lee received a host of friends and admirers from the town and surrounding area. He had come from White Sulphur Springs to spend the day with his friend, James Withrow, the original owner and builder of "Montwell." Shortly, another family of kinsmen arrived to pay their respects to our visitors, some of whom they already knew. This was the Alexander Scott and Martha Montgomery (Rader) Turner family. Before our guests departed they all signed our guest book, which serves to remind us of a delightful and cherished day.

Upon a subsequent occasion we were privileged to have another Edith Montgomery visit in our home. She is Edith Posey Montgomery of Frankfort, Kentucky. Her husband was James Withrow Montgomery (113.343.2). His mother, Anne Mathews Withrow, grew up in this house.

In the summer of 1973, Henry and Margaret Montgomery Vawter of Maryville, Tennessee, spent three days in our home. On one of these days, Sidney (Mrs. Hugh Nelson Montgomery of Birmingham, Alabama) joined us for a trip



Parlor at "Montwell."

to visit "Old Providence Church," the church where John and Esther Houston Montgomery first worshipped when they moved to Virginia in 1747. Then we proceeded beyond Fredericksburg in search of the "Vauter" church, named for Henry's ancestor and built in 1719. We found this historic church beautifully restored and still in use. Our day was complete, and we returned homeward full of joy.

When Edith and I purchased "Montwell," I had almost completed my residence and course requirements for my Ph.D. degree at Duke University. I had graduated with an A. B. degree from Hampden-Sydney College in 1929 and with an M.A. degree from the University of Southern California in 1932. Edith had taken special art courses at the University while I pursued my master's in school administration. This was our honeymoon year, and a great year it was indeed. Here we met and became fast friends with Stanley A. Addington of Raymondville, Texas. Some years later Stanley and Anne Rothwell, Edith's youngest sister,

were married. Edith's mother came to visit us in mid-May and drove back across country with us in June. I returned to Greenbrier Military School for an additional three year period, having previously been an instructor there for two years. At the conclusion of this three year period I moved into school administration in Greenbrier County, serving as principal and county superintendent for eighteen years. I had taught one year in a one-room school before entering college. My service in the public schools brought many challenges and great joy. Perhaps one measure of my success is to be found in the fact that I was called upon to fill positions for the succeeding eighteen years that primarily served the public school sector. During this rather long period I was continued on important state committees, chosen to serve as treasurer of the West Virginia Education Association, and elected as the representative of the association to serve on the Board of Directors of the National Education Association for a total period of nine years. In 1954 I accepted the presidency of Greenbrier College, a well-known girls' school which embraced the last two years of high school and the first two years of college. I received much joy also from this service, and Edith made a marvelous president's wife for this intimate and charming institution. Here I must pause to describe a college function that took place in our home each fall.

A few days before the middle of October when the town of Lewisburg looks like a fairyland in its brightest and best fall dress, college students, faculty, and staff came to our home for a reception. Between the hours of 3:00 and 5:30 p.m., about 250 guests were greeted and served. The yard was aglow with color as had been the half mile trek from the college. Edith and I greeted each one upon arrival. Frequently one of the students would dress in very lovely colonial attire and assist with the serving in the dining room. The beautiful, bountiful table and the charming room, made even more lovely by the soft reflection of the golden maple leaves on the great maple tree just outside, was a gorgeous sight. Guests wandered freely about the house, learning about the "Lee Room," examining this and that,

and emitting an audible expression of thrill when they saw the great oval fireplace in the old kitchen. Each guest paid her respects as she departed and at 5:30 we sat down, a bit weary but very happy.

In due time our children were established in their own homes, professions, and work. Four were married. They and their children, eleven in number, came frequently, bringing joy and much life to "Montwell." Edith died suddenly October 9, 1973. Her beautiful and gracious life lives on, especially in her children. Christmas of 1973 was celebrated just as she would have wished it to be. Mary came home a bit early from her position at the University of Wisconsin. She had decorated the sweet-scented white pine tree and prepared many good things before the other daughters, Edith Frances Montgomery Arbaugh and Joan Florence Montgomery Arbuckle, and their families arrived from Charlottesville, Virginia, and Durham, North Carolina. Sons John Rothwell Montgomery and Herbert Stanley Montgomery were close at hand. I had gone to our "Montbrook" farm to cut the tree as usual. It was a beautiful pine that reached the high ceiling in the square front hall. Herbert came to help place it in the big iron kettle which was then filled with water. Shortly presents began to accumulate under the tree. All the children, husbands and wives, and the grandchildren would have presents under this tree even though they might have had Santa Claus and presents at their own homes before arriving at "Montwell." Dinner was served in the late afternoon. When the master of the house arose to carve the turkey with his razor-keen English carving knife, twenty heads bowed to receive his blessing.

GENEALOGY OF THE DESCENDANTS OF THE REVEREND JOHN MONTGOMERY AND AGNES HUGHART

113. The Reverend John Montgomery, born 5 Dec., 1752 in Virginia, died 10 Feb., 1818, married in Jan., 1782 in Virginia to Agnes Hughart, born 24 Jan., 1762 in Virginia, died 8 Feb., 1824, daughter of Col. Thomas Hughart and Rebecca (Estill) Hughart. The Reverend John and his wife are buried in the Rocky Springs Cemetery, Rocky Springs, Virginia. (Information on marriage from Chalkley, Vol. 1, page 528): 11 children.

113.1 Rebecca Ann Montgomery, born 19 Dec., 1783, died 7 Oct., 1802. Never married. Lived at Deerfield, Virginia.

113.2 Esther (Hetty S.) Montgomery, born 19 June, 1785, died 24 Feb., 1850, married Rev. James C. Willson, born 21 Oct., 1784, died 10 Jan., 1840. On Sept. 28, 1808, he received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Board of Trustees of Hampden Sydney College in recognition of his services as a teacher in that college. In 1810, Lexington Presbytery licensed him to preach the Gospel. He was ordained Oct. 22, 1814, in the Walker Church. He served as Supply Pastor in 1818-1840 at Tinkling Springs Church, Virginia, for twenty-one years and eight months. He also served as pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Waynesborough, Augusta County, Virginia. No children.

113.3 John Montgomery, born Jan. 18, 1788, died 6 Aug., 1829. (For marriage and children, see page ———.)

113.4 Thomas Montgomery, born in Virginia 16 Feb., 1790, died 5 Sept., 1848. (For marriage and children, see page ———.)

113.5 William H. Montgomery, born 23 Oct., 1792 in Virginia, died 20 April, 1827. Never married. Lived at Lexington, Virginia. Occupation: Physician. Popular, intelligent and efficient.

113.6 Nancy Hughart Montgomery, born 25 May, 1794, died 24 May, 1797. Lived at Deerfield, Virginia.

113.7 James Montgomery, born 1 Sept., 1796, Deerfield, Virginia. Died 8 Sept., 1796.

113.8 Isabella Montgomery, born at Deerfield, Virginia, 25 Aug., 1798. Died 11 Nov., 1878. (For children and marriage, see page ——.)

113.9 Hughart Montgomery, born Deerfield, Virginia, 21 Aug., 1801, died 24 Oct., 1844. Never married. Lived at Deerfield, Virginia. Physician.

113.0 Amelia Montgomery, born Deerfield, Virginia, 15 Aug., 1804, died 21 Aug., 1804.

113.1 Estaline Montgomery, born Deerfield, Virginia, 24 Aug., 1807, died 22 June, 1829. Never married. Lived at Deerfield, Virginia.

113.3 John Montgomery, born 18 Jan., 1788, Deerfield, Augusta County, Virginia, died 6 Aug., 1829 at Goshen, Rockbridge County, Virginia, buried at Goshen in the old Lebanon Cemetery on a hill above Cameron Hall, the home of Joseph Bell. Married 11 Nov., 1813, Elizabeth Nelson, born 1 Sept., 1796 at Poplar Grove near Staunton, Virginia, who died 9 Jan., 1853, at Poplar Grove and was buried in the old Augusta Cemetery at Fort Defiance, Virginia. Elizabeth was the daughter of Alexander

Nelson, Esq. and Elizabeth (Nancy) Ann Mathews: 7 children.

113.31 Alexander Nelson Montgomery, born at Goshen, Rockbridge County, Virginia, 18 Aug., 1814, died 19 May, 1859. Never married. Lived at Lynchburg, Virginia.

-- Information 113.3 through 113.31 from Wallace McVeigh Montgomery of Virginia, Dr. John F. Montgomery, Lewisburg, West Virginia, and Lebanon Cemetery.

113.32 John Johnson Mathews Montgomery was born 16 Dec., 1816, at Goshen, Virginia. He died 6 June, 1892 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, buried in the Lewis Cemetery, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 13 June, 1855, by the Rev. John McElhenny, to Margaret Lynn Creigh, born 18 Feb., 1833, daughter of John Creigh and Delilah (McClung) Creigh. She died 31 Dec., 1876 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, buried in the Lewis Cemetery: 8 children.

113.321 Lillie Estalline Montgomery, born 23 Aug., 1857 in Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 14 May, 1933 at Patterson Creek, West Virginia, buried in Harrah Cemetery, Keeneys Knob, West Virginia. Married 4 April, 1878 to Robert W. Harrah, Keeneys Knob, born 8 Sept., 1850, died 9 Feb., 1924. Buried in Harrah Cemetery. No children.

113.322 Bettie Ann Montgomery, born at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, 8 May, 1860, died at McCurtain, Oklahoma, 10 Oct., 1915, buried at McCurtain, Oklahoma. Married (1) John N. Lowry, born 30 May, 1857, died 5 Oct., 1906 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, buried Lewis Cemetery. Marriage date 30 June, 1905, at Grassy Meadows. No children. Bettie Ann married (2) Alfred C. Sawyers on 9 Sept., 1907. Lived at Grassy Meadows, West

Virginia, and McCurtain, Oklahoma.
-- Information 113.321 through 113.322 from John Montgomery records and John J. Montgomery family Bible.

113.323 John Thomas Montgomery, born at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, 29 June, 1862, died 4 Sept., 1941 at Grassy Meadows, buried in the McElhenney Church Cemetery, Grassy Meadows. Married 28 Dec., 1897 by Rev. Jacob H. Lewis to Fannie Eliza Fleshman, born 21 March, 1873, died 1 Dec., 1972 (age ninety-nine years, eight months, ten days), buried in the McElhenney Church Cemetery, Grassy Meadows, daughter of Thompson Henry Fleshman and Leah Hunter (Lewis) Fleshman: 8 children.
-- Information John Montgomery family Bible and records.

113.323.1 Marjorie Leah Montgomery, born 4 Nov., 1898 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, died 23 May, 1955, buried in Ferncliff Cemetery, Springfield, Ohio. Married 17 Sept., 1920, by the Rev. J. Flow, to Lester O. Ford, born 29 Nov., 1895, at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Lived at Grassy Meadows and Landisburg, West Virginia, and Springfield, Ohio. Ford served in World War I in 155th Co., 9th T.B. Camp Lee, Virginia, and 355th Machine Gun Co., 89th Div. in Europe: 4 children.

113.323.11 William (John) Henry Ford, born 10 Aug., 1921 at Landisburg, West Virginia, married 25 Nov., 1943 by Rev. Harris J. Mowery, Christ Episcopal Church, Springfield, Ohio, to Sallie Jean Yeazell, born 10 Jan., 1922, a daughter of William L. Yeazell and Elizabeth Olds of Springfield, Ohio: 4 children.

113.323.111 Linda Susan Ford, born 19 Aug., 1944, Springfield, Ohio. Married 4 July, 1970, Den-

nis Keith Guthrie: 1 child.

113.323.111.1 Vincent Paul Guthrie, born 25 Oct., 1972 at Xenia, Ohio.

113.323.112 John David Ford, born 17 Aug., 1945, Springfield, Ohio.

113.323.113 Margaret Elizabeth Ford, born 11 Aug., 1948, Springfield, Ohio, married Henry Harold Kunkle, 7 Aug., 1965: 3 children.

113.323.113.1 Susan Marie Kunkle, born 11 May, 1966 at Omaha, Nebraska.

113.323.113.2 Henry Harold Kunkle, Jr., born 23 Sept., 1968, at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

113.323.113.3 William Patrick Kunkle, born 24 Aug., 1970, Beale AFB, California.

113.323.114 James Michael Ford, born 9 Sept., 1951, Springfield, Ohio.

113.323.12 Howard Hamilton Ford, born 20 March, 1926, Landisburg, West Virginia, died 10 Dec., 1941. Buried Ferncliff Cemetery, Springfield, Ohio.

113.323.13 Elizabeth Belle Ford, born 10 Jan., 1928, in Springfield, Ohio. Married 20 Nov., 1948 to Roy Sigler Campbell, born 21 Aug., 1922. Roy Campbell served in World War II: 5 children.

113.323.131 Nancy Elizabeth Campbell, born 7 March, 1951, married Jack Metz, 1969: 1 child.

113.323.131.1 Lisa Ann Metz, born 19 Aug., 1970.

113.323.132 Allen Roy Campbell, born 21 Oct., 1955.

113.323.133 James Howard Campbell, born 28 March, 1959.

113.323.134 Robert Ford Campbell, born 4 June, 1960.

113.323.135 Leah Marie Campbell, born 17 Dec., 1962.

113.323.14 Donald Lester Ford, born 13 April, 1933, Springfield, Ohio, married Ruth ———. Issue:

113.323.141 Janine Ford, born April, 1964.

--Information 113.323.1 through 113.323.141 from L. O. Ford records, Springfield, Ohio.

113.323.2 Bess Creigh Montgomery, born 18 Feb., 1901, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 4 July, 1927 to Robert George Aubel of Cleveland, Ohio, born 14 Feb., 1887. One child. Died 9 June, 1969, buried Springfield, Ohio.

113.323.21 John Montgomery Aubel, born 8 April, 1928, Cleveland, Ohio. Married 28 Feb., 1953, in Foundry Methodist Church, Washington, D.C., by Rev. Frederick Brown Harris, to Gene Myrial Worrell, born 23 Dec., 1929, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Worrell of Portsmouth, Virginia. John Aubel served as Sgt. in Marine Corps, 1945-1955: 3 children.

113.323.211 John Montgomery Aubel, born 4 Oct., 1953, at Quantico Marine Base, Virginia.

113.323.212 Charles Gray Aubel, born 2 Aug., 1958, at Springfield, Ohio.

113.323.213 Brian Thomas Aubel, born 10 April, 1966, Springfield, Ohio.

-- Information 113.323.2 through 113.323.213 from family records of Mrs. Bess C. Aubel, Springfield, Ohio.

113.323.3 James Thomas Montgomery, born 22 Aug., 1903 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 16 April, 1932, to Ela Elizabeth Stevens of Patterson Creek, West Virginia, born 21 May, 1905, daughter of Samuel Leonard Stevens and Edna E. (Flint) Stevens, who was the son of Joseph and Martha Jane (Smith) Stevens: 4 children.

113.323.31 James Leonard Montgomery, born 6 Sept., 1935, at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married on 13 July, 1953, to Mabel Schmidt: 2 children.

113.323.311 Thomas Everett Montgomery, born 18 May, married Ruth Massey, 24 Feb., 1973.

113.323.312 James Michael Montgomery, born 26 Sept., 1958.

113.323.32 Elizabeth Frances Montgomery, born 27 Feb.,

1933, at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 8 Nov., 1952 to Charles Virgil Hicks of Green Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, born 26 Oct., 1919: 5 children.

113.323.321 Gary Wayne Hicks, born 3 Jan., 1954.

113.323.322 Philip Lee Hicks, born 6 Dec., 1955.

113.323.323 Linda Jane Hicks, born 28 Dec., 1957.

113.323.324 Ann Elaine Hicks, born 29 March, 1961.

113.323.325 Charles James Hicks, born 1 Sept., 1971.

113.323.33 Dorothy Ann Montgomery, born 17 Oct., 1939, at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, married 3 Dec., 1963 to Sterling Thomas of Alderson, West Virginia: 2 children.

113.323.331 Renie Mae Thomas, born 15 May, 1966.

113.323.332 David Thomas, born August, 1973.

113.323.34 Robert Gray Montgomery, born 25 Aug., 1941 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Served U.S. Army 1960 through Nov., 1963. Three years in Germany. Private H & S Co., 77 Eng. Bn. Serial #13904677. Married Sandra Trail, 27 Feb., 1965: 3 children.

113.323.341 Terry Gray Montgomery, born 12 Nov., 1965.

113.323.342 Tammy Kay Montgomery, born 20 Dec., 1967.

113.323.343 Tina Gaye Montgomery, born 13 May, 1971.

--Information 113.323.3 through -.34 records James T. Montgomery.

113.323.4 John Fleshman Montgomery, born 19 Oct., 1905 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, married 26 Aug., 1931 by Bishop W. L. Gravatt at Lewisburg, West Virginia, to Edith Mary Rothwell, born 25 Jan., 1907, died 9 Oct., 1973, buried in Rosewood Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia. A daughter of Herbert Henry Rothwell and Edith Eliza (Whipp) Rothwell: 5 children.

113.323.41 Edith Frances Montgomery (Twinkle), born 16 Dec., 1933 at Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married 27 Aug., 1953, James Edward Arbaugh: 4 children.

113.323.411 Michael Montgomery Arbaugh, born 5 April, 1954.

113.323.412 Linda Frank Arbaugh, born 23 March, 1956.

113.323.413 Edith Frances Arbaugh, born 17 Feb., 1961.

113.323.414 James Edward Arbaugh, Jr., born 15 Jan., 1964.

113.323.42 John Rothwell Montgomery, born 7 April, 1936, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married 17 Aug., 1962, Cornwall, Pennsylvania, to Joyce Anne Belle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Brown: 3 children.

113.323.421 John Steven Montgomery, born 28 Sept., 1966.

113.323.422 Bradley Nathan Montgomery, born 5 Dec., 1969.

113.323.423 Douglas Jason Montgomery, born 13 Aug., 1961.

113.323.43 Mary Eleanor Montgomery, born 18 Jan., 1939 at Lewisburg, West Virginia. A.B., University of North Carolina, 1959; M.A., Southern Methodist University, 1969; Ph.D., University of Wisconsin, 1973.

113.323.44 Herbert Stanley Montgomery, born 5 May, 1944, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married Marcia Newton of Oak Hill, West Virginia, 22 Aug., 1965, in Old Stone Church, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.323.441 Mary Elizabeth Montgomery, born 15 Dec., 1966.

113.323.442 Rebecca Ann Montgomery, born 18 April, 1969.

113.323.45 Joan Florence Montgomery, born 22 July, 1947, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married James Albert Arbuckle, 31 Dec., 1966, in Old Stone Church, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.323.451 John Stuart Arbuckle, born 19 June, 1967 in Roanoke, Virginia.

113.323.452 Edith Ann Arbuckle, born 11 May, 1970 in Durham, North Carolina.

-- Information 113.323.4 through 113.323.452

from records Dr. John F. Montgomery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.323.5 Albertus Gray Montgomery, born 23 August, 1907, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, died 16 Jan., 1959, buried at Organ Cave, Salem Cemetery, West Virginia. Married 26 Dec., 1945 in Trinity Methodist Church, Ronceverte, West Virginia, by Rev. George M. Curry, to Lucille Christie Rodgers, born 23 March, 1911, a daughter of S. Burton Rodgers and Lelia (Christie) Rodgers. Gray Montgomery was an elder in the Old Stone Presbyterian Church, Lewisburg, West Virginia; co-owner of Maxwelton Manufacturing Co.; served in World War II. Lucille Rodgers Montgomery married (2) Handley S. Skaggs, 8 March, 1961.

-- Information from records of Bess C. Aubel, Springfield, Ohio.

113.323.6 Frederick Mason Montgomery, born 6 June, 1909, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 9 June, 1937, Edna Freeman, born 9 July, 1911, daughter of Alexander Hafford Freeman (a son of Albert and Mary Graham Freeman) and Laura (Neal) Freeman: 2 children.

113.323.61 Carol Ann Montgomery, born 23 May, 1938, married 6 March, 1958 by Rev. Philip A. Roberts in the Presbyterian Church, Clifton Forge, Virginia, to Robert Dean (Bob) Mankins. Served in the U.S. Army from 28 June, 1956 to 28 June, 1965: 2 children.

113.323.611 Gregory Dean Mankins, born 28 July, 1958 in Fayetteville, North Carolina.

113.323.612 Dennis Frederick Mankins, born 28 Sept., 1961 in Fayetteville, North Carolina.

113.323.62 Ruth Frances Montgomery, born 28 Nov., 1941. Married 15 July, 1962 by Rev. P. Dean Boyer at Maxwelton, West Virginia, Clifton

Presbyterian Church, to William Shannon McClung. Serving in the U.S. Navy: 2 children.

113.323.621 Pamela Jo McClung, born 7 Dec., 1963 in Hawaii.

113.323.622 Michael Shannon McClung, born 15 Nov., 1967 in Beeville, Texas.

113.323.7 Grigsby Jenos Montgomery, born 29 Nov., 1911, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 23 June, 1940 in First Methodist Church, Bay Point, Nakomis, Florida, by Rev. L. B. Blackwell to Ola Virginia Wrede, born 28 Dec., 1915, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wrede, Nakomis, Florida. Died 25 Dec., 1972, buried in Nakomis, Florida: 2 children.

113.323.71 Thomas Grigsby Montgomery, born 18 Oct., 1947, died 20 June, 1950. Buried in Nakomis, Florida.

113.323.72 Sharon (Sheri) Ola Montgomery, born 31 Dec., 1953.

113.323.8 Claytie Lewis Montgomery, born 16 Nov., 1913 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 24 April, 1943, to Wallace Monroe Cox, born 14 Feb., 1922, son of T. Loring Cox and Arminta (Tinney) Cox of Birch River, West Virginia: 2 children.

113.323.81 George Monroe Cox, born 10 July, 1946, in Morgantown, West Virginia. Married Norma Ruth Cavendish 22 Dec., 1968 at Summersville, West Virginia: 2 children.

113.323.811 Tara Lynn Cox, born 13 July, 1971 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

113.323.812 Catherine Joann Cox, born 13 Dec., 1973 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

113.323.82 Monty Howard Cox, born 25 April, 1948 in Summersville, West Virginia. Married Lana Karen Wright 16 Sept., 1969: 2 children.

113.323.821 John Wallace Cox, born 16 June, 1970.

113.323.822 Jennifer Lori Cox, born 7 May, 1973.

-- Information 113.323.8 through 113.323.822

from records of Mrs. Wallace Cox, Summersville, West Virginia.

113.324 Louis William Montgomery, born 14 Feb., 1864 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, died 1914 at Weston, West Virginia, buried Weston, West Virginia. Never married.

113.325 Nannie Creigh Montgomery, born 25 Nov., 1866 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, died 23 June, 1903 at Grassy Meadows, buried in Lewis Cemetery. Married 8 Sept., 1894 to John N. Lowry, born 30 May, 1857, died 5 Oct., 1906 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, buried in Lewis Cemetery: 5 children. John N. Lowry married (2) 30 June, 1905 to Bettie Ann Montgomery (sister of Nannie Creigh Montgomery): No children.

113.325.1 Oliver Earl Lowry, born 6 July, 1895 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Died 19 Sept., 1895.

113.325.2 Samuel Clayborn Lowry, born 29 June, 1896, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 1 Dec., 1915 to Alma J. Stevens, born 16 Nov., 1892, daughter of Samuel Leonard and Edna E. (Flint) Stevens of Patterson Creek, West Virginia. Samuel C. Lowry died 27 Sept., 1968, buried in McElhenney Cemetery: 10 children.

113.325.21 Belva Edna Lowry, born 26 May, 1917 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 29 Nov., 1941 to Seth Halsey: 1 child.

113.325.211 Tana Halsey, born 18 Dec., 1943 at Montgomery, West Virginia. Married Kenneth Huffman.

113.325.22 Ermal Elizabeth Lowry, born 15 April, 1919, at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 11 March, 1938 to Lucian Harris: 4 children.

113.325.221 Cecil Lee Harris, born 21 March, 1939 at Green Sulphur, West Virginia.

113.325.222 Leah Harris, born 8 Feb., 1942 at Kimberly,

West Virginia.

113.325.223 Curtis Harris, born 4 Feb., 1944 at Kimberly, West Virginia.

113.325.224 Kerin Harris, born 30 Nov., 1949 at Newton Falls, Ohio.

113.325.23 Virginia Lowry, born 14 May, 1921 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 13 June, 1947 to Eddie Wolfe, Jr.: 6 children.

113.325.231 Brenda Wolfe, born 29 June, 1948, married Claudis Smith.

113.325.232 Nancy Jane Wolfe, born 16 Aug., 1950, married Sieve Kessel, 9 June, 1973.

113.325.233 John Wolfe, born 29 June, 1952 in Ripley, West Virginia.

113.325.234 Patricia Wolfe, born 11 Feb., 1959 in Ripley, West Virginia.

113.325.235 Wayne Wolfe, born 23 July, 1960 in Ripley, West Virginia.

113.325.236 Joe Wolfe, born 1962 in Ripley, West Virginia.

113.325.24 Samuel Delvon Lowry, born 2 May, 1923 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 21 Jan., 1949 to Julia Buckland. Served in World War II: 5 children.

113.325.241 Patricia Diane Lowry, born 8 Nov., 1950, married Cleveland Boggess, 3 Sept., 1971.

113.325.242 Carole Jean Lowry, born 22 May, 1952, married James Hamm, 9 June, 1973.

113.325.243 James D. Lowry, born 24 June, 1958.

113.325.244 Sharon Lynn Lowry, born 26 June, 1965.

113.325.245 Audrey Gaye Lowry, born 23 Jan., 1971.

113.325.25 Verlene Lowry, born 20 Sept., 1924 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 6 Sept., 1946 to Eugene Henderson: 4 children.

113.325.251 Donnie Henderson, born 29 April, 1948 in Ohio.

113.325.252 Karen Henderson, born 1 Nov., 1950 in Ohio.

113.325.253 Keith Henderson, born 11 Jan., 1955 in Ohio.

113.325.254 Glenn Henderson, born 22 Oct., 1958 in Ohio.

113.325.26 Alma Evelyene Lowry, born 5 April, 1926,

Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 17 April, 1948 to Wayland Gilkeson of Lawn, West Virginia: 5 children.

113.325.261 Dwight Gilkeson, born 15 Dec., 1948, married Judith Thomas.

113.325.262 Nesta Gilkeson, born 12 March, 1950, died 27 Nov., 1953. Buried in McElhenney Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Grassy Meadows. (Information from obituary dated 11 Dec., 1953, Greenbrier Independent.)

113.325.263 Twila Marie Gilkeson, born 16 Aug, 1955 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia.

113.325.264 Virginia Gayle Gilkeson, born 14 May, 1957 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia.

113.325.265 Sandra Gilkeson, born 12 Jan., 1961 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia.

113.325.27 Bertha Ellen Lowry, born 9 April, 1928, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 22 July, 1960 to Ernest Williams, II: 3 children.

113.325.271 Ernest Walter Williams, III, born 17 March, 1961 in Sacramento, California.

113.325.272 Kay Ellen Williams, born 13 March, 1962 in Sacramento, California.

113.325.273 Jay Williams, born 13 Aug., 1966 in Sacramento, California.

113.325.28 Martha Iris Lowry, born 21 May, 1930 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 31 Dec., 1949 to Billy Rae Lackey: 3 children.

113.325.281 Billy Lackey, born 12 Jan., 1953 in Ohio. Married Geraldine ————.

113.325.282 Betty Lackey, born 26 June, 1954 in Ohio. Married James Bailey.

113.325.283 Martha Lackey, born 18 June, 1956 in New Jersey.

113.325.29 Frederick Nelson Lowry, born 10 Feb., 1933, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married 22 Aug., 1953 to Joyce Davis: 2 children.

113.325.291 Frederick Nelson Lowry, Jr., born 28 July,

1954 in Texas. Married Vickey ————.

113.325.292 Cindy Lowry, born ——— 1961 in Delaware.

113.325.20 Rodney Allen Lowry, born 18 Feb., 1940, married Edith ————: 4 children.

113.325.201 Martin Lowry, born 12 Oct., 1960.

113.325.202 Michael Allen Lowry, born 19 April, 1964.

113.325.203 Tammy Lowry, born ————.

113.325.204 Jeffrey Lowry, born ————.

113.325.3 John Basil Lowry, born 13 Nov., 1897, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Never married. Died 24 Aug., 1970, buried in McElhenney Cemetery, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia.

113.325.4 James Franklin Lowry, born 8 Feb., 1900, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Married Bernice Sue Canterbury, 5 June, 1926: 2 children.

113.325.41 Betty Ann Lowry, born 11 Oct., 1930, at Rock Camp, West Virginia: 4 children.

113.325.411 Gary Clyde, born 19 April, 1951.

113.325.412 William Robert, born 15 June, 1952.

113.325.413 Charles Eugene, born 21 Sept., 1953.

113.325.414 Rosetta Ann, born 8 July, 1955.

113.325.42 Bertie Jane Lowry, born 1 Dec., 1935, at Rock Camp, West Virginia. Married Cover Jackson Blankenship, 2 July, 1953: 4 children.

113.325.421 Patricia Jane Blankenship, born 8 Oct., 1956, at Pearisburg, Virginia.

113.325.422 Debora Lillie Blankenship, born 4 Feb., 1959, Pearisburg, Virginia.

113.325.423 Jackie Darlene Blankenship, born 27 Nov., 1961, Peterstown, West Virginia.

113.325.424 Janetta Lynn Blankenship, born 13 Sept., 1969, Bluefield, West Virginia.

113.325.5 Robert Nelson Lowry, born 16 Jan., 1902, at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. Never married. Died 6 Dec., 1967, buried at St. Albans, West Virginia.

-- Information 113.325 through 113.325.5

from the records of Samuel Clayborn Lowry.

113.326 James Alexander Montgomery, born 26 Oct., 1869, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, died 9 Nov., 1960, at Birmingham, Alabama. Married 6 Feb., 1896 to Zula Ann Smith of Alabama. Received his first patent for a coal washer in 1900. Founded the Montgomery Coal Washing and Manufacturing Company in 1902: 4 children.

113.326.1 Ruth M. Montgomery, born Oct., 1897, Birmingham, Alabama. Married W. B. Phillips, 5 Oct., 1916. Lives at Birmingham, Alabama: 3 children.

113.326.11 Frances Philips, born 16 Aug., 1917. Married Oliver DeCray Vanderbilt III, 11 Nov., 1939: 2 children.

113.326.111 Oliver DeCray Vanderbilt IV, born 8 Nov., 1941, in Cincinnati, Ohio. Married Kathy Spahr 18 Jan., 1961: 5 children.

113.326.111.1 Ann Vanderbilt, born 18 Jan., 1961.

113.326.111.2 Elizabeth Philips Vanderbilt, born 27 June, 1963.

113.326.111.3 William Stewart Vanderbilt, born 3 April, 1966.

113.326.111.4 Paige Frances Vanderbilt, born 10 Feb., 1968.

113.326.111.5 Oliver DeCray Vanderbilt V, born 25 July, 1969.

113.326.112 Madelon Weir Vanderbilt, born 1 July, 1942. Married Charles Shelton Peck, 22 Nov., 1969 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: 1 child.

113.326.112.1 Christopher Shelton Peck, born 8 Nov., 1972 in Boston, Massachusetts.

113.326.12 William Byers Philips, Jr., born 27 May, 1926 in Birmingham, Alabama. Married Marie Powell, daughter of Bolling Raines Powell and Jane Marie Arnold, 14 Feb., 1953: 3 children.

113.326.121 Marie Randolph Philips, born 20 Dec., 1953.

113.326.122 Katherine Montgomery Philips, born 21 Aug., 1957.

113.326.123 William Byers Philips, III, born 3 Oct., 1958.

113.326.13 Betty Ruth Philips, born 14 Sept., 1929. Married Charles R. Byrd, Jr., 2 Feb., 1951: 3 children.

113.326.131 Charles Richard Byrd, born 14 Nov., 1952.

113.326.132 Blair Montgomery Byrd, born 1 Feb., 1956.

113.326.133 Ruth Frances Brooks Byrd, born 12 Oct., 1967.

113.326.2 Charles Joseph Montgomery, born Dec., 1898 at Birmingham, Alabama. Married Helen Maliere. Died Feb., 1968, wife died 1964. Both buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, Alabama. No children.

113.326.3 Frederick Alexander Montgomery, born 15 May, 1908 at Birmingham, Alabama. Married Lois Thornton. Died 14 July, 1972. Buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, Alabama. No children.

113.326.4 Elosie Smith Montgomery, born 15 June, 1910 at Birmingham, Alabama. Married Samuel Cranford Blackshear. Live at Gadsden, Alabama: 3 children.

113.326.41 Brenda Ruth Blackshear, born 12 May, 1941 at Montgomery, Alabama. Married Edward Wilder Smith 3 February, 1962: 3 children.

113.326.411 Edward Wilder Smith, Jr., born 14 January, 1964 in Concord, Massachusetts.

113.326.413 Montgomery Alexander Smith, born 22 June, 1972 in Decatur, Alabama.

113.326.42 Martha Vann Blackshear, born 9 Dec., 1942. Married Kent William Salisbury (M.D.): 2 children.

113.326.421 Katherine Blackshear Salisbury, born 1 July, 1970.

113.326.422 Elizabeth Carol Salisbury, born 28 Oct., 1971.

113.326.43 Mary Montgomery Blackshear, born 9 June, 1947. Married Jefferson Beauregard Sessions

III, 9 Aug., 1969: 1 child.

113.326.431 Mary Abigail Sessions, born 14 Jan., 1974.

-- Information 113.326 through 113.326.4 from John F. Montgomery records and obituary dated Nov., 1960.

113.327 Mary Catherine (Maggie) Montgomery, born 10 Sept., 1871 at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, died 27 Dec., 1950 in Beckley, West Virginia, buried in Bennett Mt. Cemetery, West Virginia. Married 2 Oct., 1895 to William Pierce Myles, born 29 June, 1875, died 7 Sept., 1921, buried in Bennett Mt. Cemetery, son of John Thomas Myles and Paulina A. (Roach) Myles. Lived at Maud Chapel and Bennett Mt., West Virginia: 6 children. Maggie Montgomery Myles married (2) 17 Feb., 1926, John Gilkeson of Lawn, West Virginia.

113.327.1 Zula Edith Myles, born 21 July, 1896. Married Thomas Harvey Keaton, born 4 June, 1878, at Culloden, Cabell County, West Virginia, son of John and Frances (Alderson) Keaton. He operated the T. H. Keaton Insurance Co., Beckley, West Virginia. He died at age eighty-three in 1962, buried Sunset Memorial Park Cemetery, Beckley, West Virginia: 3 children.

113.327.11 Frances Catherine Keaton, born 6 Sept., 1928, Beckley, West Virginia, died 12 Oct., 1964, buried in Beckley, West Virginia. Married 28 May, 1953, Aldus Andre Martin: 1 child.

113.327.111 Sharon Catherine Martin, born 15 Sept., 1954, Baltimore, Maryland.

113.327.12 Betty Jo Keaton, born 6 Sept., 1928, Beckley, West Virginia, died April, 1929, buried in Beckley, West Virginia.

113.327.13 Thomas Harvey Keaton, Jr., born 18 Sept., 1929, Beckley, West Virginia, married 6 June, 1956, Bonnie Haven Willis, daughter of Goff Willis and Lola Alice Snuffer: 2 children.

113.327.131 Anna Marie Keaton, born 21 April, 1957, Beckley, West Virginia.

113.327.132 Lisa Lynn Keaton, born 6 July, 1965, Oneonta, Alabama.

113.327.2 John Aldine Myles, born 13 Feb., 1898. Married Ella Mae Hedrick on 25 Dec., 1923, daughter of Joseph Hedrick and Sallie Virginia Boothe Hedrick of Patterson Creek, West Virginia. Live at Covington, Virginia: 3 children.

113.327.21 Virginia Catherine Myles, born 9 Oct., 1924, Bennett Mt., West Virginia, married (1) Porter Ware: 2 children. Married (2) Preston Bell: no children.

113.327.211 Sherry Leigh Ware Bell, born 24 Oct., 1948. Married Theodore George Gayok, 9 April, 1955.

113.327.211.1 Montell Gayok, born 4 Aug., 1971, Salt Lake City, Utah.

113.327.211.2 John Myles Gayok, born 20 Nov., 1973, Salt Lake City, Utah.

113.327.212 May Myles Ware Bell, born 28 Feb., 1950. Married James Jedidiah Gregory, Jr., 10 March, 1969.

113.327.212.1 Linda Faye Gregory, born 14 May, 1970, Roanoke, Virginia.

113.327.212.2 Michael Wayne Gregory, born 9 March, 1972, Roanoke, Virginia.

113.327.22 John William Myles, born 25 Dec., 1925, Bennett Mt., West Virginia. Married Rosalee Ruth Holiday. Served World War II: 1 child.

113.327.221 Peggy Joyce Myles, born 10 March, 1948. Married Gary Wayne Crawford, 28 June, 1969.

113.327.23 Jean Wilmer Myles, born 25 Dec., 1925. Died 25 Dec., 1925. Buried in Myles Cemetery, Bennett Mt., Greenbrier County, West Virginia.

113.327.3 Joseph Preston Myles, born 13 Feb., 1900, died 23 Nov., 1963 at Glen Daniel, West Vir-

ginia, buried Sunset Memorial Park Cemetery, Beckley, West Virginia. Married in 1933 to Caretta C. Lane: 1 child.

113.327.31 Ramona Joe Myles, born ————, married Clarence Clay: 2 children.

113.327.311 Timothy Clay.

113.327.312 A son.

113.327.4 William Thomas Myles, born 20 Sept., 1904, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, married Mildred Jarrell, 29 Aug., 1928 at Horse Creek, Raleigh County, West Virginia, daughter of Marshall Jarrell and Laura Jane Jarrell: 3 children.

113.327.41 William Marshall Myles, born 1 Aug., 1929, Hazel Eagle, Raleigh County, West Virginia, married 15 June, 1967, Myrna Kay Morris: 2 children.

113.327.411 Kelli Rae Myles, born 5 Jan., 1968, Hyattsville, Maryland.

113.327.412 Allison Beth Myles, born 26 April, 1973, Glen White, West Virginia.

113.327.42 Betty Lee Myles, born 25 June, 1931, Dry Creek, Raleigh County, West Virginia, married 1949, John Robert Ratliff, Beckley, West Virginia, son of Basil Omer Ratliff and Tina Louise Upton: 3 children.

113.327.421 John Robert Ratliff, Jr., born 18 March, 1950, Hinton, West Virginia, married Ruth Ann Sisson, 2 May, 1971.

113.327.422 Richard Alan Ratliff, born 2 Jan., 1952, Hinton, West Virginia, died 2 July, 1971, as result of automobile accident, buried in Hinton, West Virginia.

113.327.423 Nancy Lee Ratliff, born 18 Feb., 1955, Hinton, West Virginia.

113.327.43 Regina Laura Myles, born 10 Feb., 1937, Glen Rogers, West Virginia. Married Robert Thomas Smith, son of John Henry Smith and Beatrice Ellen Thomas: 3 children.

113.327.431 Vicky Lynn Smith, born 4 Dec., 1956, Beckley, West Virginia.

113.327.432 Robin Lee Smith, born 26 Aug., 1963, Beckley, West Virginia.

113.327.433 Laura Jane Smith, born 19 July, 1964, Beckley, West Virginia.

113.327.5 James Lendon Myles, born 12 Jan., 1908, died 6 Sept., 1916. Buried in Bennett Mt. Cemetery.

113.327.6 Lyle Lee Myles, born 3 June, 1912, married Dorothy Payne, died 4 March, 1964, buried Northlawn Memorial Gardens, Cuyhoga Falls, Ohio: 3 children.

113.327.61 Rena Myles, married Henry Jones, Akron, Ohio: 3 children.

113.327.611 Sherry Jones.

113.327.612 Gary Jones.

113.327.613 Terry Jones.

113.327.62 Caretta Lorene Myles, born 8 Sept., 1934, at Blue Sulphur Springs, West Virginia. Married (1) Hugh Denzil Bever, 18 Oct., 1952: 4 children. Married (2) Leroy Herbert Streby, 11 June, 1970: no children.

113.327.621 Keith Allen Bever, born 18 Sept., 1953, Akron, Ohio. Married Joyce Irene Hickman, 20 June, 1970.

113.327.621.1 Melissa Jean Bever, born 20 Oct., 1970, Akron, Ohio.

113.327.622 Richard Lee Bever, born 7 May, 1955, Akron, Ohio, not married.

113.327.623 Gregory Dale Bever, born 1 Nov., 1957, Akron, Ohio.

113.327.624 David Lyle Bever, born 24 Feb., 1965, Akron, Ohio.

113.327.63 Dottie Myles, married Robert Wright, Akron, Ohio: 2 children.

113.326.631 Dwane Wright.

113.327.632 Denise Wright.

— Information 113.327 through 113.327.63

from Mrs. John Myles, Bennett Mt., West Virginia, records.

113.328 Samuel A. Montgomery, born 16 March, 1873, at Grassy Meadows, West Virginia, died 25 Dec., 1875. Buried in Lewis Cemetery, Grassy Meadows, West Virginia. (Information from John F. Montgomery records.)

113.33 James Nelson Montgomery, born 15 Nov., 1818, at Goshen, Virginia, died 7 June, 1886, at Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married 16 Nov., 1847, Ann Susan Jacob, born 16 Nov., 1825, died 23 June, 1897. Farmer and teller in bank. Resided at Randolph and Lee Streets, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Both buried in Old Stone Cemetery at Lewisburg: 5 children.

113.331 Mary Elizabeth Nelson Montgomery, born 2 Feb., 1857, died 31 Dec., 1937. Married 17 Oct., 1877, Frank Chilton Brown, born 24 June, 1853, died 3 Oct., 1893: 5 children.

113.331.1 James Montgomery Brown, born 30 Sept., 1878. Married three times. No children. Lived at Ft. Worth, Texas, and Atascadera, California. Occupation -- advertising and manager of department store.

-- Information 113.33 through 113.331.1 from records of Dr. John F. Montgomery and records of Old Stone Church, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.331.2 Emma Granville Brown, born Sept., 1880, died 21 March, 1964, buried Old Stone Church, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married 27 June, 1906 to Robert E. Lee Wood of Lewisburg, born in Nelson County, Virginia, 21 Nov., 1872, died 5 Sept., 1924, buried Old Stone Cemetery. No children. (Information from obituary Greenbrier Independent, dated 23 March, 1964.)

113.331.3 Anne Montgomery Brown, born 1 Dec., 1882, died 7 April, 1947. Married 16 Nov., 1904, to

John Simpson Crawford, born 18 Sept., 1879, died in 1938. Clerk County Court, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Later lived in Fort Worth, Texas. Buried Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia: 3 children.

113.331.31 Mary Brown Crawford, missionary to Luluabourg, Belgian Congo. Graduate of University of Texas. Unmarried.

113.331.32 Bess Burdette Crawford, married William H. Dixon. Lived in San Angelo, Texas.

113.331.33 John Simpson Crawford, Jr., lives Fort Worth, Texas.

-- Information 113.331.3 through 113.331.33 from obituary, Greenbrier Independent, dated April, 1947.

113.331.4 Edna Marshall Brown, born ——1886, married 10 June, 1911, to William Burdette Crawford, born ——— 1886, died 16 Nov., 1946: 2 children.

113.331.41 John Granville Crawford, born 5 Nov., 1914, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 30 Dec., 1968, buried in Thomrose Cemetery, Staunton, married Martha Elizabeth Diggs, 12 Jan., 1935, daughter of Samuel Jackson Diggs and Bessie Jeanette Oliver: 4 children. Attended Hampden Sydney College two years, graduated from University of Virginia Medical School, 1939, practiced medicine in Staunton, Virginia, 1947-1968.

113.331.411 Elizabeth Montgomery Crawford, born 23 May, 1936, Richmond, Virginia, married 23 June, 1956, Roger Wade Perry II, son of Roger Wade Perry and Ola Oliver: 3 children.

113.331.411.1 Elizabeth Leigh Perry, born 1 Nov., 1959, Richmond, Virginia.

113.331.411.2 Katherine Kimberly Perry, born 22 Aug., 1961, Springfield, Ohio.

113.331.411.3 Roger Wade Perry III, born 29 Aug., 1964, Budigen, Germany.

113.331.412 John Granville Crawford, Jr., born 14 Sept., 1942, Memphis, Tennessee, died 9 Oct., 1942, buried in Memphis, Tennessee.

113.331.413 Catherine Marshall Crawford, born 13 Dec., 1948, Staunton, Virginia, married Paul Lockwood II, 23 Nov., 1972.

113.331.414 John Patrick Crawford, born 13 March, 1952, Staunton, Virginia.

113.331.42 William Burdette Crawford, born Feb., 1924, married (1) Florence Marianne Nelson. Practicing physician in Woodstock, Virginia: 2 children.

-- Information 113.331.4 through 113.331.42 from records Dr. John F. Montgomery and records Old Stone Church, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.331.421 William Bruce Crawford, born 28 Aug., 1955.

113.331.422 Thomas Hugh Crawford, born 31 Aug., 1957.

113.331.5 Frank Chilton Brown, Jr., D.D. Born 4 July, 1890, died 2 July, 1955. Buried in Charleston, West Virginia. Educated Hampden Sydney College, Union Theological Seminary, University of Glascow, Scotland, and Oxford. Served as minister Logan, West Virginia, Charleston, West Virginia, Dallas, Texas. Moderator of General Assembly, Southern Presbyterian Church, 1940-41. Taught at Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Georgia, for a number of years prior to his death. Married 27 Oct., 1915, Mary Oden Hausford: No children. (Information from Dr. John F. Montgomery, Lewisburg, W. Va.)

113.332 Nannie Jacob Montgomery, born 24 July, 1849, died 2 Sept., 1861. Unmarried.

113.333 John Alexander Montgomery, born 31 Aug., 1851, married (1) 16 Nov., 1880 to Fannie Rodes Bright, daughter of Alexander and Martha M. (Guy) Bright, born 29 Nov., 1859, died 2 Aug., 1885: 3 children.

113.333.1 Guy Bright Montgomery, born 5 Sept., 1881, died 3 March, 1965. Married (1) 23 Oct., 1907 to Lucy Virginia Walton, born 12 Jan., 1885, died 19 Aug., 1911: 2 children to this marriage.

113.333.11 Guy Bright Montgomery, Jr., born 22 Sept., 1908, married 22 Oct., 1938, to Virginia Lee Sarver, daughter of Lahma Carma Sarver and Hallie Mae Goff: 2 children.

113.333.111 Virginia Gail Montgomery, born 14 May, 1941, Ronceverte, West Virginia, married 15 Aug., 1964, Dr. Harry Richard Marshall, Jr., son of Mrs. Harry R. Marshall.

113.333.111.1 Mary Page Marshall, born 5 April, 1971, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.333.111.2 Lucy MacLee Marshall, born 16 Nov., 1972, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.333.112 Page Walton Montgomery, born 20 Feb., 1943, married 20 June, 1964 in Old Stone Church, Lewisburg, to Ralph Alexander Nash, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Nash, Sr. of Alderson, West Virginia: 3 children.

113.333.112.1 Virginia Caroline Nash, born 15 Oct., 1968, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.333.112.2 Robert Alexander Nash, born 2 June, 1971, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.333.112.3 Christopher Montgomery Nash, born 5 Feb., 1973, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.333.12 Henry Alexander Montgomery, born 2 March, 1910, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married Nell May McCrary (Wilkerson), 1 March, 1967, daughter of Alvin Breckenridge McCrary and Juanita Maude Collins.

113.333.13 Lucius Walton Montgomery, born 18 Aug., 1911, died 3 Sept., 1911.

113.333.1 Guy Bright Montgomery, born 5 Sept., 1881, died 3 March, 1965, buried Old Stone Cemetery, married (2) 29 April, 1914, to "Fannie" Frances Herbert Bouldin, born 23 Oct.,

1882: 2 children.

113.333.14 Bessie Bouldin Montgomery, born 4 Feb., 1915, married 16 April, 1935, to Robert Newton Vaughan: 3 children.

113.333.141 Elizabeth Bouldin Vaughan, born 4 Dec., 1942, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 12 June, 1965, John Stoughton Benjamin, son of Henry Stoughton Benjamin and Frances Anne Horine: 2 children.

113.333.141.1 Arwen Bouldin Benjamin, born 18 Nov., 1970, Huntington, West Virginia.

113.333.141.2 Elizabeth Stoughton Benjamin, born 21 May, 1973, Beckley, West Virginia.

113.333.142 Robert Montgomery Vaughan, born 26 Jan., 1945, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 20 Dec., 1969, Betty Irene Broyles, daughter of Robert Foster Broyles and Irene Wills: 1 child.

113.333.142.1 Robert Foster Vaughan, born 17 Sept., 1973, Roanoke, Virginia.

113.333.143 Nancy Edmunds Vaughan, born 21 May, 1948, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married in Old Stone Church in Lewisburg 18 Aug., 1973 to Harold Mack Dolan, Jr., son of Harold Mack Dolan and Mary Frances Kellison.

113.333.15 Evelyn Edmunds Montgomery, born 13 Nov., 1916, married Hollie Brackenborough McCormack, Jr., 6 Dec., 1941 in Old Stone Church, Lewisburg, West Virginia: 1 child.

113.333.151 Gertrude Montgomery McCormack, born 11 May, 1949 in Winchester, Virginia. Married Charles Montgomery Harris, 29 Aug., 1970 in Winchester, Virginia.

113.333.2 James Nelson Montgomery, born 20 Nov., 1883, died of cholera infantum, 20 Aug., 1884.

113.333.3 Alexander Cochran Montgomery, born 3 July, 1885 in Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 5 May, 1970, buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, Alabama, married Ruby Mun-

ger, daughter of Robert Sylvester Munger and Mary Collett, 3 Oct., 1910. Live in Birmingham, Alabama: 4 children.

113.333.31 Frances Bright Montgomery, born 7 April, 1912, married Thomas Ray Schultz, Jr., son of Thomas Ray Schultz and Bessie Burk, 11 Oct., 1933: 2 children.

113.333.311 Thomas Ray Schultz III, born 8 May, 1937 in Birmingham, Alabama. Married Barbara Ann Hullett, daughter of Vertis Hullett and Zora Bell Murphree, 18 Nov., 1960 at Trenton, Georgia: 3 children.

113.333.311.1 Thomas Ray Schultz IV, born 11 Oct., 1961 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.311.2 Sandra Montgomery Schultz, born 28 March, 1963 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.311.3 William Hullett Schultz, born 18 March, 1964 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.312 Frances Montgomery Schultz, born 10 April, 1940 in Birmingham, Alabama. Married Robert Edward Anderson, son of George Edward Anderson and Marjorie Moss, 28 Dec., 1962: 2 children.

113.333.312.1 Robert Edward Anderson, Jr., born 24 March, 1964 in Selma, Alabama.

113.333.312.2 Catherine Munger Anderson, born 31 March, 1968 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.32 Alexander Cochran Montgomery, Jr., born 11 Nov., 1913 in Birmingham, Alabama. Married Virginia Ruby, daughter of ——— Ruby and Hazel Goodnow, 28 April, 1942. Alexander died 31 May, 1950, buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, Alabama. Virginia married (2) Seth W. Jewell: 2 children.

113.333.321 Alexander Cochran Montgomery III, born 9 March, 1943. Married Nancy Lee Culligan, daughter of Thomas John Culligan and Leona Mary Diederich, 1 March, 1969: 1 child.

113.333.321.1 Amanda Kathleen Montgomery, born 15 April,

1972 in Yonkers, New York.

113.333.322 Hazel Goodnow Montgomery, born 3 Jan., 1949 in Birmingham, Alabama. Married David Livingstone Rowe, son of Harley Edward Rowe and Lois May Farr, 8 Aug., 1970 in Denver, Colorado.

113.333.322.1 Brian David Rowe, born 24 Jan., 1974.

113.333.33 Robert Munger Montgomery, born 17 June, 1917 in Birmingham, Alabama. Married Betty Mary Reeves, daughter of Malcolm McNabb Reeves and Sarah Matilda Copeland, 30 Nov., 1941 in Eufaula, Alabama: 4 children.

113.333.331 Mary Fontaine Montgomery, born 17 March, 1943 in San Diego, California. Married Phillip Oakley Hurst, Jr., son of Phillip Oakley Hurst and Bette Wooten, 2 April, 1965 in Los Angeles, California: 1 child.

113.333.331.1 Phillip Oakley Hurst III, born 25 Nov., 1966 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.332 Virginia Celeste Montgomery, born 24 June, 1945 in San Diego, California. Married John Philmont Martin, Jr., son of John Philmont Martin and Evelyn Jean Kidd, 28 Oct., 1967 in Birmingham, Alabama: 2 children.

113.333.332.1 Margaret Elizabeth Martin, born 28 April, 1971 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.332.2 Catherine Fontaine Martin, born 13 Dec., 1972 in Spartanburg, South Carolina.

113.333.333 Marlin Elizabeth Montgomery, born 9 June, 1948 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.334 Robert Munger Montgomery, Jr., born 11 July, 1956 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.34 Mary Munger Montgomery, born 27 July, 1921 in Birmingham, Alabama. Married William Alfonso Watts, Jr., son of William Alfonso Watts and Leona Henderson, 19 Jan., 1943 in San Antonio, Texas: 2 children.

113.333.341 Mary Munger Watts, born 5 May, 1944 in Enid, Oklahoma. Married Michael Blair Put-

nam, son of Tracy Wallace Putnam and Bernice Mae McCarty, 16 Dec., 1967: 2 children.

113.333.341.1 Mark Allen Putnam, born 14 Dec., 1969 in San Diego, California.

113.333.341.2 William Lee Putnam, born 30 Nov., 1973 in San Diego, California.

113.333.342 William Alfonso Watts III, born 5 Oct., 1948 in Birmingham, Alabama. Married Janine Thomason, daughter of Clarence Grover Thomason, Jr. and Jane Celia Judd, 19 June, 1971: 1 child.

113.333.342.1 William Alfonso Watts IV, born 14 Nov., 1973.

113.333 John Alexander Montgomery, born 31 Aug., 1851, married (2) 27 Dec., 1888 to "Carrie" Caroline Lewis, born 2 Dec., 1865, died 2 Jan., 1951: 6 children. John Alexander was a Colonel in the Civil War. Lived at Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.4 Caroline Lewis Montgomery, born 14 Dec., 1889, Birmingham, Alabama. Married 1 June, 1912, Frederick Grist Stickney: 3 children.

113.333.41 Frederick Grist Stickney, Jr., born 5 June, 1913, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, married Virginia MacLeod, 1940: 3 children.

113.333.411 Frederick Grist Stickney III, born 7 Jan., 1942, Mobile, Alabama, married 17 Feb., 1968 Avos Aileen Hamrick in All Saints Episcopal Church, Mobile, Alabama.

133.333.412 Ann Louise Stickney, born 26 June, 1945, Mobile, Alabama, married 18 July, 1970, Joseph Stone Doggett, Mobile, Alabama.

113.333.413 Clifford William Stickney, born 28 Dec., 1949, Mobile, Alabama, married 29 Aug., 1970, Valerie Ann Pettigrew.

113.333.42 Robert Nabors Stickney, born 21 Oct., 1915, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, married (1) Hazel Mariol LeTendresse, daughter of Walter LaTendresse of Woonsocket, Rhode Island: 3 children.

113.333.421 Robert Nabors Stickney, Jr., born 31 Aug., 1954, Livingston, Alabama.

113.333.422 Walter LaTendresse Stickney, born 15 Jan., 1956, Livingston, Alabama.

113.333.423 Hazel Marion Stickney, born 13 June, 1957, Livingston, Alabama.

113.333.43 Caroline Montgomery Stickney, born 21 July, 1917, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, married Thomas Campbell Sawyer: 4 children.

113.333.431 Thomas Campbell Sawyer, Jr., born 9 Aug., 1942, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, married Janice Elaine Parker.

113.333.432 Robert Stickney Sawyer, born 24 Dec., 1943, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, married 25 Nov., 1967, Kristina Marie Inge in Mobile, Alabama, Trinity Episcopal Church.

113.333.433 Caroline Montgomery Sawyer, born 8 Jan., 1946, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, married 16 Sept., 1967, Eugene Keith Jordan, St. Mary's Catholic Church, Mobile, Alabama.

113.333.434 Ann Montgomery Sawyer, born 9 Aug., 1949, Mobile, Alabama, married 28 Aug., 1971, Daniel Michael Mulligan, St. James Episcopal Church, Mobile, Alabama.

113.333.5 Anne Jacob Montgomery, born 22 July, 1893, died ——— 1960.

113.333.6 Lewis Garland Montgomery, born 26 Sept., 1895, died 25 Dec., 1909.

113.333.7 Hugh Nelson Montgomery, born 10 April, 1899, in Birmingham, Alabama, died 24 June, 1956, buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, Alabama, married 26 Dec., 1924 Sidney Tazewell Morton, daughter of James Bridges Morton and Fleta Winston McMahon: 3 children.

113.333.71 Fleta Caroline Montgomery, born 8 Oct., 1925, Birmingham, Alabama, married 26 July, 1945, Wardlaw Mason Watson, son of Lawler Finklea Watson and Annie Lee Mason: 5 children.

113.333.711 Wardlaw Mason Watson, Jr., born 13 Oct., 1946, Birmingham, Alabama, married Christine Rickett, 24 Aug., 1968: 1 child.

113.333.711.1 Sidney Elizabeth Watson, born 2 Feb., 1972, Augusta, Georgia.

113.333.712 Carol Montgomery Watson, born 15 Oct., 1949, Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.713 Hugh Montgomery Watson, born 19 March, 1952, Montgomery, Alabama.

113.333.714 Gage Morton Watson, born 1 Nov., 1953, Montgomery, Alabama, married Robert Harrison Pollard, 8 Sept., 1973, Montgomery, Alabama, son of Ezekiel Allen Pollard and Mary Marjorie Williams.

113.333.715 David Lee Watson, born 26 July, 1955, Birmingham, Alabama.

113.333.72 Hugh Nelson Montgomery, Jr., born 24 Sept., 1928, Birmingham, Alabama. Married Aileen Morrow Harris, 7 Feb., 1970, Birmingham, Alabama, daughter of Edward Crampton Harris and Dorothy Harris.

113.333.73 James Morton Montgomery, born 4 July, 1931, Birmingham, Alabama, married 12 June, 1953, Helen Patton Martin, daughter of Louis Jacob Martin and Helen Hendricks: 4 children.

113.333.731 Louis Martin Montgomery, born 21 May, 1956, Sheffield, Alabama.

113.333.732 Caroline Morton Montgomery, born 24 March, 1958, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

113.333.733 Helen Sidney Montgomery, born 23 May, 1959, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

113.333.734 Fleta Louise Montgomery, born 8 Aug., 1960, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

113.333.8 Louise Garland Montgomery, born 10 Aug., 1903, Birmingham, Alabama, married 30 June, 1928, Charles Wilson Eliason, Jr., son of Charles W. Eliason and Eleanor Simonds: 2 children.

113.333.81 Louise Garland Eliason, born 21 Dec., 1942, Chicago, Illinois, married 16 Feb., 1968, William Plummer French, son of Frank John French and Bettina Plummer: 1 child.

113.333.811 William Plummer French, Jr., born 11 Sept., 1968, New York City.

113.333.82 Charles Wilson Eliason III, born 3 Oct., 1945, Dayton, Ohio, married 9 Dec., 1967, Nancee Mae Hasselberg, daughter of Berton L. Hasselberg and Barbara Starret: 1 child.

113.333.821 Charles Wilson Eliason IV, born 15 March, 1969, Champaign, Illinois.

113.333.9 Burwell Lewis Montgomery, born 31 Jan., 1908, Birmingham, Alabama, died Feb., 1925.

113.334 Sallie Estelle Montgomery, born 24 May, 1854, died 4 July, 1906, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia, married (1) 25 Aug., 1882, William Abner Frantz (born 4 Nov., 1853, died 20 Sept., 1899): 3 children to this union. Married (2) John William Montgomery, a distant cousin, who had previously married Jacintha Alice Rodes. Their six sons and three daughters appear elsewhere under the descendants of Thomas Montgomery (113.4) and Juliette Delhouse.

113.334.1 Susanne Montgomery Frantz, born 7 July, 1883, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 10 Sept., 1971, buried in Stonewall Jackson Cemetery, Lexington, Virginia. Married Samuel White McCorkle, Jr. (son of Samuel White McCorkle, Sr. and Lula Strain Dunlap), 6 Aug., 1915: 4 children.

113.334.11 Samuel White McCorkle III, born 24 May, 1916, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 31 May, 1916, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.334.12 Margaret Estelle McCorkle, born 26 Sept., 1918, Bluefield, West Virginia, married 8 May, 1939, Cecil K. Wiseman: 2 children.

113.334.121 Kenneth Alan Wiseman, born 10 May, 1950, Ronceverte, West Virginia, married 26 Nov., 1971, Carolyn Ann Greer, Lincoln, Nebraska.

113.334.122 Stephen Neil Wiseman, born 4 Dec., 1951, Charleston, West Virginia.

113.334.13 Mary Montgomery McCorkle, born 9 March, 1920, died 9 March, 1920, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.334.14 William Frantz McCorkle, born 19 Dec., 1924, Hinton, West Virginia, married 10 Oct., 1945, Evelyn Pankey, daughter of William Alvis Pankey and Mary Miller. Banker, Lexington, Virginia: 1 child.

113.334.141 William Frantz McCorkle, Jr., born 10 April, 1951, Lexington, Virginia.

113.334.2 Estelle Vivienne Frantz, born 6 Aug., 1887, Lewisburg, West Virginia. A.B. degree from Alabama Synodical College, Talladego, Alabama, 26 May, 1908. Attended Art Institute, Chicago, 1909-1913. Followed art career. Remained in Chicago until retirement. Now lives in El Paso, Texas.

113.334.3 Mary Bell Frantz, born 5 April, 1894, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 31 Dec., 1924, Robb Roy Ricketts, Jr.: 1 child.

113.334.31 Jane Marie Ricketts, born 5 Dec., 1926, Chicago, Illinois, married 10 Nov., 1951, Lloyd Webb Taylor, Jr.: 2 children.

113.334.311 Lloyd Webb Taylor III, born 24 Aug., 1954, Waxahachie, Texas.

113.334.312 James Scott Taylor, born 14 Sept., 1961, El Paso, Texas.

113.335 William Gabriel Montgomery, born 3 June, 1861, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 5 Oct., 1886, Sarah Sophia Perkins of Birmingham, Alabama, died 31 Dec., 1917, Birmingham, Alabama: 3 children.

113.335.1 James Nelson Montgomery, born 29 July, 1887, Birmingham, Alabama, died 14 April,

1964. Married 14 June, 1917, Aurie Hollingsworth Lancaster, daughter of Robert Alexander Lancaster and Ola Eliza Hollingsworth: 5 children.

113.335.11 Sophie Earle Montgomery, born 29 May, 1918, Nauking, China. Married 2 June, 1942, Atlanta, Georgia, Paul Shields Crane, son of John Curtis Crane and Mary Florence Hedleston: 6 children.

113.335.111 Virginia Crane, born 4 Oct., 1950, Osaka, Japan. Married 10 Feb., 1971, San Francisco, California, Robert Norman Gleser, son of Harold Gleser and Anne Cohen: 2 children.

113.335.111.1 Brian Gleser, born 6 Aug., 1971, Summertown, Tennessee.

113.335.111.2 Eugene Gleser, born 10 June, 1973, Summertown, Tennessee.

113.335.112 John Curtis Crane, born 3 Sept., 1952, Atlanta, Georgia.

113.335.113 Elizabeth Letitia Crane, born 21 May, 1954, Chonju, Korea.

113.335.114 Janet Crane, born 7 Aug., 1955, Chonju, Korea.

113.335.115 James Montgomery Crane, born 18 Feb., 1958, Seoul, Korea.

113.335.116 William Lancaster Crane, born 27 Jan., 1963, Chonju, Korea, died 19 July, 1966, Chonju, Korea.

113.335.12 Virginia Lancaster Montgomery, born 30 Dec., 1920, Tsing Kiangpu, Kiangsu, China. Married 7 April, 1953 in Kobe, Japan, Robert Donnell McCall, son of Roy King McCall and Nell Eugenia Donnell: 3 children.

113.335.121 Robert Donnell McCall, Jr., born 2 June, 1954, Kobe, Japan.

113.335.122 Roy King McCall, born 13 Oct., 1955, Kobe, Japan.

113.335.123 Frances Nell McCall, born 22 Oct., 1958, Osaka, Japan.

113.335.13 Aurie Hollingsworth Montgomery, born 7 Dec., 1922, Tsing Kiangpu, Kiangsu, China. Married 2 June, 1946 in New Orleans, Louisiana, John Knox Miller, son of Alfred Hoyt Miller and Jennie Merle Little: 4 children.

113.335.131 Aurie Hollingsworth Miller, born 27 Aug., 1948, Banner Elk, North Carolina, married 14 Aug., 1970, Edwin Bugg Fortson, Jr., son of Edwin Bugg Fortson and Laura Blackshear Rogers.

113.335.132 James Montgomery Miller, born 6 April, 1951, Luebo, Belgian Congo. Married 10 June, 1973, Susan Elizabeth Snellings at Orlando, Florida, daughter of Robert William Snellings and Dorothy Hutchason.

113.335.133 John Neal Miller, born 2 Feb., 1957, Lubando, Congo.

113.335.134 Harriet Merle Miller, born 26 July, 1959, Bulape, Congo.

113.335.14 James Nelson Montgomery, Jr., born 17 Jan., 1927, Hwain Kiangsu, China. Married 30 Aug., 1950, Marjorie Jean Kinder at Oak Park, Illinois, daughter of Lester Sprague Kinder and Helen Hayes: 3 children.

113.335.141 James Lester Montgomery, born 9 Aug., 1951, Ft. Bragg, North Carolina.

113.335.142 Judith Ann Montgomery, born 7 Oct., 1953, Charleston, West Virginia.

113.335.143 Peggy Hayes Montgomery, born 4 Sept., 1955, Charleston, West Virginia.

113.335.15 Robert Lancaster Montgomery, born 25 Oct., 1929, Tsing Kiangpu, Kiangsu, China. Married 11 Aug., 1956, Pauline McConnell Harrop at Charleston, West Virginia, daughter of Walter Ellis Harrop and Pauline Rebecca McConnell: 5 children.

113.335.151 Rebecca Rose Montgomery, born 18 Aug., 1957, Hualien, Taiwan.

113.335.152 Robert Lancaster Montgomery, born 20 April,

1959, Hualien, Taiwan.

113.335.153 David Harrop Montgomery, born 9 Jan., 1962, Richmond, Virginia.

113.335.154 Kathryn Hollingsworth Montgomery, born 18 Jan., 1964, Hualien, Taiwan.

113.335.155 Susan Jennifer Montgomery, born 6 Nov., 1969, Atlanta, Georgia.

113.335.2 Hattie Earle Montgomery, born 28 June, 1889, Birmingham, Alabama. Unmarried. Taught school forty-one years.

113.335.3 William Gabriel Montgomery, Jr., born 13 Aug., 1899, Birmingham, Alabama. Married 24 Feb., 1950, Caroline Mushal Fowlkes (Balfour), daughter of Walter Battle Fowlkes and Isabel Davidson Mushal.

113.34 William Hughart Montgomery, born 4 May, 1821 at Goshen, Virginia, died 7 March, 1883 at Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married Ruth E. Jacob of Wheeling, West Virginia. Both are buried in the Old Stone Cemetery at Lewisburg, West Virginia. He was a merchant, a Presbyterian, and respectable citizen: 6 children.

113.341 Elizabeth Mitchell Montgomery, born 30 Sept., 1851, Falling Spring (Renick), West Virginia, died 17 Sept., 1931, Lewisburg, West Virginia, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married 25 June, 1873, Silas Boxley Mason, son of Claiborne Rice Mason and Drusilla Winifred Boxley: 9 children.

113.341.1 Ruth Eliza Mason, born 30 April, 1874, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 4 Jan., 1915 at Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married 11 Oct., 1899, Samuel Charles Beard, son of Samuel Christopher Beard, M.D., and Miriam McNeel: 4 children.

113.341.11 Estaline Montgomery Beard, born 25 Jan., 1900, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died March,

1970, married 6 June, 1924, Robert Oliver Blauvelt. Lived in Summersville, West Virginia: No children.

113.341.12 Silas Boxley Beard, born 8 April, 1903, died 2 Aug., 1903, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.341.13 Samuel Charles Beard, Jr., born 31 Dec., 1910, died 4 Dec., 1911, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.341.14 Elizabeth Hamilton Beard, born 18 April, 1912, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 15 Aug., 1936, Richard Agatho Wiersteiner, son of Conrad Joseph Wiersteiner and Alma Louise Schwartz: 3 children.

113.341.141 Samuel Richard Weirsteiner, born 19 June, 1937, Charleston, West Virginia, married 5 Sept., 1965, Kyriaki Adamindou: No children.

113.341.142 Conrad Hamilton Wiersteiner, born 24 Dec., 1938, Charleston, West Virginia, married 1 Sept., 1962, Yvonne Estelle Cordova, daughter of John M. Cordova and Esther Romeo: 6 children.

113.341.142.1 Estelle Marie Wiersteiner, born 19 Aug., 1963, Colorado Springs, Colorado.

113.341.142.2 Richard Jonathan Wiersteiner, born 1 Nov., 1964, Covington, Virginia.

113.341.142.3 Conrad Joseph Wiersteiner, born 23 Oct., 1965, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.341.142.4 David Wiersteiner, born 28 Sept,, 1968, died 28 Sept., 1968, buried in Covington, Virginia.

113.341.142.5 Karl Eric Wiersteiner, born 25 Aug., 1969, Clifton Forge, Virginia.

113.341.142.6 Robert Felix Wiersteiner, born 7 Sept., 1973, Clifton Forge, Virginia.

113.341.143 Elizabeth Louise Estaline Wiersteiner, born 27 April, 1940, Charleston, West Virginia, married 25 July, 1964, John Kenneth Williams, son of Marshall Eugene Williams and Della Alice Musick: 4 children.

113.341.143.1 Patricia Maureen Williams, born 1 Dec., 1965, Huntington, West Virginia.

113.341.143.2 Theresa Louise Williams, born 13 Nov., 1967, Roanoke, Virginia.

113.341.143.3 Elizabeth Marie Williams, born 12 Dec., 1968, Roanoke, Virginia.

113.341.143.4 Christopher Martin Williams, born 12 Nov., 1972, Roanoke, Virginia.

113.341.2 Claiborne Rice Mason, born 22 June, 1875, Pence Spring, West Virginia, died 12 July, 1891, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.341.3 William Horatio Mason, born 19 Feb., 1877, Pence Spring, West Virginia, died 1940, buried in Laurel, Mississippi, inventor of "Masonite," married 29 Jan., 1908, Mirian Dana, daughter of Frank G. Dana and Jean Alexander, LaCrosse, Wisconsin: 2 children.

113.341.31 Elizabeth Montgomery Mason, born 15 March, 1909, Easton, Pennsylvania, married (1) 16 May, 1934, James Jefferson Mayfield II: 1 child. Married (2) 12 March, 1955, Charles White Gamble.

113.341.311 William Mason Mayfield, born 1940, died 1949.

113.341.32 Jean Alexander Mason, born 19 April, 1912, Easton, Pennsylvania, died 6 July, 1964, buried in Laurel, Mississippi, married 2 Jan., 1941, Edward Oliver Bowles: No children.

113.341.4 James Montgomery Mason, born 12 Aug., 1879, Pence Spring, West Virginia, died Oct., 1905, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.341.5 Dora Tate Mason, born 26 Dec., 1881, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 2 April, 1955, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 15 June, 1904, Charles William Biggs, son of Samuel C. Biggs and Agnes Olivia Peyton: 1 child.

113.341.51 Charlotte William Biggs, born 22 April, 1905, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 27 June, 1931, Walter Southgate Brewster, son of William Brewster and Mary Southgate: 3 children.

113.341.511 Tate Mason Brewster, born 16 May, 1933, Laurel, Mississippi, married 18 Oct., 1952, Samuel Madison Hudson II, son of Elmer Lloyd Hudson and Helen Marshall Taylor: 4 children. Live at Wooster, Ohio.

113.341.511.1 Walter Brewster Hudson, born 16 Jan., 1954, Canton, Ohio.

113.341.511.2 Samuel Madison Hudson III, born 27 Feb., 1955, Cleveland, Ohio.

113.341.511.3 Laura Stoddard Hudson, born 14 March, 1957, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.341.511.4 William Mason Hudson, born 21 Nov., 1959, Laurel, Mississippi.

113.341.512 Mary Southgate Brewster, born 1 Aug., 1935, Laurel, Mississippi, married 28 Aug., 1959, Dudley Dean Flanders, son of Elmer Dean and Frances Eleanor Purser: 3 children.

113.341.512.1 Dana Mason Flanders, born 30 May, 1960, New Orleans, Louisiana.

113.341.512.2 Elizabeth Boland Flanders, born 12 April, 1962, New Orleans, Louisiana.

113.341.512.3 Robert Purser Flanders, born 4 Feb., 1965, New Orleans, Louisiana.

113.341.513 Charlotte Biggs Brewster, born 19 March, 1940, Laurel, Mississippi, married 20 June, 1957, Richard Lewis Hobson, son of Samuel Hobson and Annie Laurie Lewis: 2 children.

113.341.513.1 Richard Lewis Hobson, Jr., born 10 Nov., 1961, Elgin AFB, Florida.

113.341.513.2 Tate Mason Hobson, born 24 Oct., 1964, K. I. Sawyer AFB, Michigan.

113.341.6 Annie Clifford Mason, born 3 May, 1884, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died Feb., 1887, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg,

West Virginia.

113.341.7 Elizabeth Montgomery Mason, born 2 March, 1887, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 1 Nov., 1971, buried in Stuart-Price Cemetery near Stuart Manor, married 1 Aug., 1906, Samuel Price Preston, son of John Alfred Preston and Sarah Lewis Price: 5 children.

113.341.71 Silas Mason Preston, born 12 Dec., 1907, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 14 Feb., 1941, Margaret Montgomery Raine, daughter of Joseph William Raine and Isabel Walker McCann: 3 children.

113.341.711 Silas Mason Preston, Jr., born 6 Nov., 1946, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 22 March, 1969, Linda May Osborn: 1 child.

113.341.711.1 Andrew Mason Preston, born 5 Nov., 1969, Ft. Lewis, Washington.

113.341.712 Joseph Raine Preston, born 18 Oct., 1950, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.341.713 Margaret Montgomery Preston, born 3 Jan., 1952, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 25 May, 1972, Gudur Venkatesh Srinivas Kulkarni, native of India.

113.341.72 John Alfred Preston, born 18 Feb., 1911, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 19 Oct., 1940, Mary Isabella Bradford, daughter of Lawrence Jewell Bradford and Alice Isabella Davis: 4 children.

113.341.721 Samuel Bradford Preston, born 29 Oct., 1942, Cincinnati, Ohio, married 22 Aug., 1970, Mary Frances Fiala, daughter of Frank Charles James Fiala and Ruth Karch: 1 child.

113.341.721.1 John David Preston, born 12 Oct., 1973, New York, N.Y.

113.341.722 Elizabeth Mason Preston, born 17 Dec., 1944, Cincinnati, Ohio, married 12 Dec., 1970, Joy Evans Hadley, son of Pierre Robinson Hadley and Margaret Kathryn Irvine.

113.341.723 Jane Davis Preston, born 15 April, 1948,

Long Beach, California.

113.341.724 James Tate Preston, born 7 June, 1949, Long Beach, California.

113.341.73 Samuel Price Preston, Jr., born 25 May, 1912, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 21 Feb., 1946, Mary Holt (Schauffler): 2 children.

113.341.731 Nancy Stuart Preston, born 3 Dec., 1946, Charlottesville, Virginia, married Gary Nichols: 2 children.

113.341.731.1 Elizabeth Stuart Nichols, born Jan., 1968.

113.341.731.2 Robert Stephen Nichols, born April, 1969.

113.341.732 Sally Lewis Preston, born 19 July, 1948, Charlottesville, Virginia, married William Thomas: 2 children.

113.341.732.1 Michelle Thomas, born March, 1969.

113.341.732.2 Michael Thomas, born 1970.

113.341.74 William Montgomery Preston, born 6 July, 1916, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 29 Dec., 1939, Lydia Comstock Alderson, daughter of George P. Alderson and Lydia Comstock: 2 children. Attended West Point. Served in World War II, Lt. Col. stationed at Ft. McClellan, Alabama, was Commanding Officer of the 16th Battalion, 6th Regiment, IRTC. He was awarded Legion of Merit for meritorious service as supply officer and adjutant to the U.S. Army Military Command to the Imperial Iranian Gendarmerie from Aug., 1942 to Feb., 1946.

113.341.741 Lydia Alderson Preston, born 19 Oct., 1949.

113.341.742 Elizabeth Montgomery Preston, born 12 Feb., 1953.

113.341.75 James Tate Preston, born 13 April, 1918, attended U.S. Naval Academy, served in World War II, killed in action 16 April, 1945, buried in National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific, Hawaii.

113.341.8 Winifred Boxley Mason, born 2 Jan., 1891, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married Howard

Chester Williams 2 July, 1912: 3 children.

113.341.81 Howard Chester Williams, Jr., born Aug., 1913, died April, 1914, buried in Elizabeth, New Jersey.

113.341.82 Mason Williams, born 6 Feb., 1924, Easton, Pennsylvania, died 25 Oct., 1973, buried at Easton, Pennsylvania, married 18 Sept., 1948, Barbara Bachman: 3 children.

113.341.821 Mason Williams, Jr., born 26 July, 1949, Easton, Pennsylvania.

113.341.822 Howard Chester Williams III, born 11 April, 1952, Easton, Pennsylvania.

113.341.823 David Williams, born 30 May, 1955, Easton, Pennsylvania.

113.341.83 Hampton Clutter Williams, born 30 Dec., 1926, Easton, Pennsylvania, never married.

113.341.9 Charlotte Eugenia Mason, born 4 Jan., 1895, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 1 Nov., 1923, Edgar Farnsworth Dickson, son of Clarence Farnsworth Dickson and Eliza Rebecca Renick: 4 children.

113.341.91 Elizabeth Montgomery Dickson, born 14 Sept., 1924, Second Creek, West Virginia, married 3 Sept., 1948, Meade Faver Degges, son of Francis Tucker Degges and Margaret Bolling McIlwaine: 1 child.

113.341.911 Francis Knox Degges, born 29 Nov., 1950, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, married 28 July, 1973, Susan Irene Schack.

113.341.92 Clarence Farnsworth Dickson II, born 10 Jan., 1927, Second Creek, West Virginia, married 18 Jan., 1954, Bessie Brown (Williams), daughter of Robert Brown of Arborvale, West Virginia: 3 children.

113.341.921 Joseph Brown Dickson, born 19 June, 1958, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.341.922 Richard Renick Dickson II, born 27 July, 1960, Baltimore, Maryland.

113.341.923 Sarah Farnsworth Dickson, born 16 Dec.,

1963, Ronceverte, West Virginia.

113.341.93 William Mason Dickson, born 21 Nov., 1929, Second Creek, West Virginia, married 25 Oct., 1958, Ann Page Myers, daughter of John William Myers and Lorraine Helen Barnhart: No children.

113.341.94 Edgar Farnsworth Dickson, Jr., born 31 Jan., 1932, Second Creek, West Virginia, married 30 June, 1956, Mary Southgate Hearon, daughter of Fanning Miles Hearon and Baylis Brewster: 2 children.

113.341.941 Charlotte Mason Dickson, born 8 Sept., 1958, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.341.942 Fanning Hearon Dickson, born 28 March, 1962, Richmond, Virginia.

113.342 James Franklin Montgomery, born 29 March, 1854, at Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 20 Aug., 1918, married 24 June, 1884, Anne Mathews Withrow of Lewisburg, West Virginia: 3 children.

113.342.1 William Mason Montgomery, born 15 May, 1885, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 15 July, 1949.

113.342.2 James Withrow Montgomery, born 26 Oct., 1887, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 12 Sept., 1912, Edith Montfort Posey of Frankfort, Kentucky, died 19 Jan., 1950. Buried in Frankfort, Kentucky: 2 children.

113.342.21 James Withrow Montgomery, Jr., born 5 July, 1914, Frankfort, Kentucky, died 3 Dec., 1927. Buried in Frankfort, Kentucky.

113.342.22 Genevieve Posey Montgomery, born 1 Sept., 1916, Frankfort, Kentucky, married William Curtis Livingston, Jr., 30 Aug., 1931, Frankfort, Kentucky: 2 children.

113.342.221 William Curtis Livingston III, born 17 June, 1943, Evansville, Indiana, married Pamela Sullivan 3 April, 1970: 1 child.

113.342.221.1 William Curtis Livingston IV, born 30 June,

1973, New York, N.Y.

113.342.222 Ann Posey Livingston, born 1 March, 1947, Frankfort, Kentucky, married William Brock Wainscott 27 Feb., 1971: 1 child.

113.342.222.1 William Brock Wainscott, Jr., born 14 Feb., 1973, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

113.342.3 Zachariah Dangerfield Montgomery, born 19 July, 1897, in Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.342.4 Franklin Roberts Montgomery.

113.343 Martha W. Montgomery, born 24 Feb., 1856, died 19 June, 1857, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.344 Zachariah Jacob Montgomery, born 19 July, 1859, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 1927 in Frankfort, Kentucky, married 10 Oct., 1883, Claudia Australia Maer of Columbia, Mississippi: 3 children.

113.344.1 Elizabeth Mason Montgomery, born 19 Jan., 1885. Married Arthur P. Williamson, April, 1947. No children.

113.344.2 Anne Montgomery, born 3 Oct., 1886, married 22 April, 1908, Charles Beard Schoolfield: 2 sons.

113.344.21 Zach Montgomery Schoolfield, born 7 April, 1909, died 2 Dec., 1958, buried in Frankfort, Kentucky, married Sept., 1933, Susan Scott Briggs, daughter of Guy Briggs and Grizildo Scott: 2 children.

113.344.211 Zach Montgomery Schoolfield, Jr., born 28 Sept., 1935, Grand Coulee Dam, Mason City, Washington.

113.344.212 Guy Briggs Schoolfield, born 8 Dec., 1938 at Lexington, Kentucky, married 25 May, 1963, Linda Mae Ruble, daughter of Doyle Victor Ruble and Helen Pardoe: 2 children.

113.344.212.1 Guy Briggs Schoolfield, Jr., born 26 Jan., 1964 at Burlington, Iowa.

113.344.212.2 Montgomery Ruble Schoolfield, born 23 Jan., 1967 at Burlington, Iowa.

113.344.22 Mason Montgomery Schoolfield, born 10 Aug., 1910 at Frankfort, Kentucky, married 1948 Katherine Whitfield. Live in Roanoke, Virginia.

113.344.3 Elsie Shattuck Montgomery, born 27 May, 1889 at Frankfort, Kentucky, married John Case Taylor.

113.345 Annie P. Montgomery, born 31 May, 1861, died 12 June, 1886, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.346 Jane Clifford Montgomery, born 26 April, 1867, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 12 Oct., 1934, Louisville, Kentucky, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 25 June, 1890 at Lewisburg, West Virginia, Mason Mathews, son of Alexander F. Mathews and Laura M. Gardner: 3 children.

113.346.1 Florence Maud Mathews, born 11 April, 1892, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 26 June, 1918, John Buford Hendrick, Jr., at Lewisburg, West Virginia, son of John Buford Hendrick and Georgia Lyons: 2 children.

113.346.11 Jane Swigert Hendrick, born 7 Oct., 1924, Baltimore, Maryland, married 26 April, 1947, George Milton Sherrill, son of Charles Sherrill and Mary Ferrel Brooks: 4 children.

113.346.111 Eliza Jane Sherrill, born 30 June, 1950, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.346.112 Martha Lynn Sherrill, born 20 Nov., 1955, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.346.113 Leslie Hendrick Sherrill, born 6 Jan., 1957, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.346.114 Laura Lee Sherrill, born 13 Jan., 1964, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.346.12 Florence Mason Hendrick, born 1 Feb., 1931, Louisville, Kentucky, married 12 June, 1953, Narbourne Frank Tharpe: 2 children.

113.346.121 John Tharpe, born 9 Nov., 1955, Louisville,

Kentucky.

113.346.122 Narbourne Hendrick Tharpe, born 7 July, 1959, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.346.2 Alexander F. Mathews, born 23 Aug., 1895, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died in World War I, Amiens, France, buried in Arlington Cemetery.

113.346.3 Elizabeth Montgomery Mathews, born 20 Feb., 1900, Lewisburg, West Virginia, married 17 April, 1926, Charles Edward Hodgin, Jr., son of Charles Edward Hodgin and Nettie Irma Murray: 2 children.

113.346.31 Charles Alexander Hodgin, born 6 April, 1931, Louisville, Kentucky, married 3 Aug., 1956, Diane Carol Deutsche, Louisville, Kentucky, daughter of Edward Richard Deutsche and Mildred Ruth Wolke: 2 children.

113.346.311 Charles Edward Hodgin III, born 30 April, 1957, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.346.312 Jennifer Anne Hodgin, born 20 April, 1961, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.346.32 Elizabeth Anne Hodgin, born 6 Aug., 1934, Louisville, Kentucky, married 25 Aug., 1956, John Elvis Williams, Louisville, Kentucky, son of John R. Williams and Helen Stout: 3 children.

113.346.321 Elizabeth Anne Williams, born 13 Dec., 1957, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.346.322 Margaret Tea Gardner Williams, born 31 July, 1959, Mt. Holly, New Jersey.

113.346.323 Mary Hodgin Williams, born 28 Aug., 1964, Louisville, Kentucky.

113.35 Franklin T. Montgomery, born 13 May, 1824, in Goshen, Virginia, died 20 Feb., 1872. Married Elizabeth Kearns. Deacon Old Stone Presbyterian Church, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Both are buried in the Old Stone Cemetery: 3 children.

113.351 Martha Kearns Montgomery, born 5 Oct.,

1858, died 25 Jan., 1923. Married 24 June, 1884, to James McClung Rader of Greenbrier County, West Virginia, born 21 Jan., 1855, died 25 May, 1939, son of Green and Rebecca (McClung) Rader. Both were Presbyterians and are buried in the Old Stone Church Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia. James Rader was born in Williamsburg District, Greenbrier County: 3 children.

113.351.1 Franklin Kearns Rader, born 13 May, 1885, in Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 28 Nov., 1965, buried in Hillcrest Memorial Cemetery, Dallas, Texas, married 13 June, 1918, Carrie Brown, daughter of Horace Brown and Mary Eliza Rudd: 1 child.

113.351.11 Franklin Kearns Rader, Jr., born 21 Nov., 1919, married 8 Nov., 1943, Letitia Doble, daughter of William Edwin Doble and Letitia Graveson: 2 children.

113.351.111 Letitia Carolyn Rader, born 2 July, 1946, married 8 May, 1971, Stanley Dean Wissman: 1 child.

113.351.111.1 Jennifer Lee Wissman, born 13 July, 1972.

113.351.112 Stephanie Hamilton Rader, born 7 July, 1950, married 15 Aug., 1969, Darrell Lee Wiltrap.

113.351.2 James Wilson Rader, Yorktown, Virginia, born 24 April, 1888, Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 7 Nov., 1957, buried in Lewisburg, West Virginia, married Katherine King Caperton, 20 April, 1938: no children.

113.351.3 Martha Montgomery Rader, born 6 Sept., 1893 in Lewisburg, West Virginia, died 31 Aug., 1965, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married Alexander Scott Turner, son of Edward Carter Turner and Marianna Hamilton Carter, 7 Nov., 1922 in Lewisburg, West Virginia: 3 children.

113.351.31 Martha Montgomery Turner, born 21 Feb.,

1925 in Lewisburg, West Virginia, married Col. William Harvey McMurray, son of Col. Clarence McCain McMurray and Priscilla Leslie Moore, 24 June, 1950: 2 children.

113.351.311 John Moore McMurray, born 10 Sept., 1953.

113.351.312 Edward Turner McMurray, born 30 May, 1962.

113.351.32 Nancy Carter Turner, born 21 June, 1926 in Lewisburg, West Virginia, married Stanley Thomas Snodgrass, son of Thomas Calhoun Snodgrass and Ophelia Mae Reid, 3 April, 1949 in Lewisburg, West Virginia: 4 children.

113.351.321 Stana Carter Snodgrass, born 9 April, 1950 in Nashville, Tennessee.

113.351.322 Thomas Turner Snodgrass, born 30 March, 1953, Nashville, Tennessee.

113.351.323 Nancy Montgomery Snodgrass, born 7 July, 1957, Nashville, Tennessee.

113.351.324 Lant Scott Snodgrass, born 3 Dec., 1966, Nashville, Tennessee.

113.351.33 James Alexander Turner, born 15 Sept., 1932 in Lewisburg, West Virginia, married Elizabeth Sheila Clark, daughter of James Martin Clark and Evalyn Stevens, 1 March, 1958 in Nashville, Tennessee: 3 children.

113.351.331 Martin Alexander Turner, born 16 April, 1959, Lexington, Kentucky.

113.351.332 Elizabeth Montgomery Turner, born 1 Feb., 1961, Lexington, Kentucky.

113.351.333 David Hyde Turner, born 16 March, 1967, Lexington, Kentucky.

113.352 Bettie Kearns Montgomery, born 4 Jan., 1861, died 15 Sept., 1865, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.353 Nannie Waddell Montgomery, born 16 Dec., 1863, died 16 Aug., 1934, buried Williamson, West Virginia. Married William Decatur Slaven, 20 Nov., 1890: 3 children.

113.353.1 Lant Rader Slaven, born 16 Aug., 1891 in

Lewisburg, West Virginia, married Rowena Pearl Rardon, daughter of Edward Everett Rardon and Margaret Jane Blake, 5 Oct., 1920 in Bluefield, West Virginia: 4 children.

113.353.11 Elizabeth Montgomery Slaven, born 22 April, 1923 in Roanoke, Virginia, married Phal Hawthorne Canada, son of Beverly Thomas Canada and Hallie Belle Tuck, 1 Feb., 1958 in Columbus, Ohio: 2 children.

113.353.121 Glenn Rardon Canada, born 18 Nov., 1959 in Columbus, Ohio.

113.353.122 Nancy Tuck Canada, born in Stephenville, Newfoundland, Canada.

113.353.13 Nancy Waddell Slaven, born 10 Sept., 1926 in Roanoke, Virginia, married James Britt Davis, son of James Burk Davis, 9 July, 1948 in Williamson, West Virginia: 1 child.

113.353.131 Lant Burk Davis, born 6 March, 1954 in Birmingham, Alabama.

113.353.14 Katharine Hooper Slaven, born 19 Nov., 1927 in Williamson, West Virginia, married Curt Alvis Levis, son of Leopold Levis and Irene Becker, 22 June, 1958 in Columbus, Ohio: 3 children.

113.353.141 Alan Patrick Levis, born 14 April, 1961 in Columbus, Ohio.

113.353.142 Linoa Katharine Lewis, born 8 Sept., 1963, Columbus, Ohio.

113.353.143 Susan Irene Levis, born 13 Aug., 1966, Columbus, Ohio.

113.353.2 Alexander Nelson Slaven, born 6 Feb., 1894, died 11 Nov., 1895, buried in Old Stone Cemetery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

— Information 113.352 through 113.353.2 from Greenbrier County Court records, Lewisburg, West Virginia, and the D.B. Montgomery book.

113.353.3 Franklin Wilbur Slaven, born 6 May, 1903 in Lewisburg, West Virginia. Married Anne

Kathryn Redmond, daughter of Robert Redmond and Elizabeth Anne Basil, 23 Nov., 1926 in Long Beach, California: 3 children.

113.353.31 Nancy Anne Slaven, born 30 July, 1928 in Long Beach, California, married Benton Edington Reams, son of Chatham Coffee Reams and Avaligne Oakes Edington, 21 Aug., 1948 in California: 3 children.

113.353.311 Suzanne Montgomery Reams, born 3 Nov., 1953 in Miami, Florida. Married Rex Stuart Bridges, 7 June, 1973.

113.353.312 Hugh Edington Reams, born 28 Sept., 1954 in Fort Ord, California.

113.353.313 Nancy Redmond Reams, born 16 May, 1957, Annapolis, Maryland.

113.353.32 Anne Kathryn Slaven, born 22 July, 1931 in Annapolis, Maryland. Married Bertram Larry Parr, son of Bertram Lionel Parr and Annie Dorsie Martin, 11 July, 1959, Annapolis, Maryland: 2 children.

113.353.321 Steven Franklin Parr, born 10 March, 1963, Fort Ord, California.

113.353.322 Robert Randall Parr, born 11 Nov., 1964, Annapolis, Maryland.

113.353.33 Jane Montgomery Slaven, born 5 Nov., 1939, Long Beach, California. Married Gerald Archibald Nelson, son of Arthur Hopkins Nelson and Pearl Josephine Billie, 10 June, 1960: 2 children.

113.353.331 Charles Montgomery Nelson, born 15 Dec., 1962, Springfield, Massachusetts.

113.353.332 Margaret Benton Nelson, born 15 July, 1966, Annapolis, Maryland.

113.36 Mary Ann Montgomery, born 10 Feb., 1826 at Goshen, Virginia, died 25 Aug., 1832. Lived at Goshen and Poplar Grove, Virginia. -- Information from Dr. John F. Montgomery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

113.37 Nannie Estaline Lockhart Montgomery, born

2 Jan., 1829 in Goshen, Virginia, died 18 Nov., 1912 in Charlottesville, Virginia. Married 14 Nov., 1850 to Lyttelton Waddell, born 24 Jan., 1829, died 30 April, 1886. He was editor of the Staunton Spectator and the Charlottesville Chronicle; served in the Civil War; and operated a shoe store: 8 children.

113.371 Montgomery Waddell, born 4 May, 1853, died Feb., 1858. Unmarried.

113.372 Elizabeth St. Clair Waddell, born 7 July, 1855, died 18 Nov., 1922, married 3 Sept., 1884, William Hugh McGee, an Episcopal minister: 4 children.

113.372.1 Alice Montgomery McGee, born 24 July, 1885. Lived at Charlottesville, Virginia, died 1973. Buried in Riverview Cemetery, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.372.2 Nannie Lockhart McGee, born 30 May, 1887, married 19 Nov., 1906 to John T. Hancock, who died in 1965: 2 children.

113.372.21 James Waddell Hancock, born 5 April, 1914, married 9 Aug., 1943 to Louise Janssens. Killed in a plane accident while in service in Germany, Aug., 1957: 1 son.

113.372.211 Stephen Waddell Hancock, born 9 Aug., 1946.

113.372.22 John Thomas Hancock, born 17 Nov., 1909, married 17 Sept., 1938 to Laura Tyler, born 28 Jan., 1912. Lives in Toccoa, Georgia: 2 children.

113.372.221 John Thomas Hancock III, born 15 June, 1941.

113.372.222 Tyler William Hancock, born 8 March, 1947.

113.372.3 Lucy Earl McGee, born 3 June, 1891, married Everett Wilson, died 1969, buried in Riverview Cemetery, Charlottesville, Virginia: 1 child.

113.372.31 Elizabeth Waddell Wilson, born 26 Sept., 1917.

113.372.4 Elizabeth Douglas McGee, born 30 Jan., 1895, died 1971, buried in Riverview Cemetery, Charlottesville, Virginia, never married.

113.373 Alexander L. Waddell, born 25 March, 1857, died 25 Oct., 1857.

113.374 Lucy Douglas Waddell, born 14 March, 1860, died 9 Oct., 1938, buried in Maplewood Cemetery. Married 3 Sept., 1884 to James Burnley Wood. Businessman, deacon and treasurer of Presbyterian Church: 4 children.

113.374.1 Lyttelton Waddell Wood, born 17 March, 1889, died 12 Feb., 1962, buried in Maplewood Cemetery, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 18 May, 1915, Eunice LeGrand Watkins, daughter of John Benjamin Watkins and Lelia Neville Michaux: 3 children.

113.374.11 Neville Watkins Wood, born 29 Aug., 1916, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 15 June, 1940, Ralph Witten Feil, son of Clifford Merlin Feil and Beatrice Ruth Witten: 3 children.

113.374.111 James Witten Feil, born 5 June, 1943, Rochester, New York, married 26 June, 1965, Ann Sharolyn Hoose, daughter of Sharon Bernard Hoose and Helen Louise Shirley: 2 children.

113.374.111.1 Ashlyn Louise Feil, born 21 April, 1968, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

113.374.111.2 Holly Elizabeth Feil, born 21 Dec., 1971, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

113.374.112 Ralph Lyttelton Feil, born 24 July, 1945, Rochester, New York. Married 2 May, 1970, Phyllis Sumner Peterson, daughter of Sumner William Peterson and Phyllis Kathryn Smith.

113.374.113 Nancy Watkins Feil, born 29 Sept., 1948, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 20 Nov., 1967, John Charles Lowry, son of Charles Everett Lowry and Gertrude Pauline Brown: 2 children.

113.374.113.1 James Watkins Lowry, born 6 June, 1968, Williamsburg, Virginia.

113.374.113.2 David Edward Lowry, born 12 April, 1970, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.374.12 Lucy Douglas Wood, born 2 Aug., 1920, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 27 May, 1942, John Richard Morris, Jr., son of John Richard Morris and Edith Leigh Dickey: 4 children.

113.374.121 John Richard Morris III, born 6 Jan., 1947, Cleveland, Ohio.

113.374.122 David Lyttelton Morris, born 24 May, 1949, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.374.123 Gordon Lee Morris, born 18 Aug., 1952, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.374.124 Martha Dickey Morris, born 17 May, 1957, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.374.13 James Burnley Wood II, born 24 Sept., 1924, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 27 June, 1951, Margaret Nair Wilson, Clifton Forge, Virginia, daughter of Jed Wilson and Mar-Nair: 3 children.

113.374.131 Lyttelton Waddell Wood II, born 19 March, 1952, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.374.132 Douglas Thornston Wood, born 1 April, 1954, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.374.133 Margaret Nair Wood, born 6 June, 1956, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.374.2 Laura Poore Wood, born 24 Sept., 1894, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 18 Aug., 1918, C. Bernard Bailey, son of Joel Smith Bailey and Clara Garrett: 1 child.

113.374.21 Lucy Bailey, born 26 April, 1923.

113.374.3 Nannie Montgomery Wood, born 11 June, 1902, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 12 Aug., 1933, William R. Duke.

113.374.4 James Drury Wood, born 25 Sept., 1904, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 28 April, 1930, Gladys Lindsay Dollens, daughter of Jeremiah Andrews Dollens and Willie Ann Woodson: 2 children.

113.374.41 Shirley Anne Wood, born 13 July, 1931, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 5 July,

1952, Malcolm Hamrick Brown: 1 child.

113.374.411 Shirley Dollens Brown married 3 Nov., 1973, William Talbot, Bloomington, Indiana.

113.374.42 James Drury Wood, Jr., born 23 Jan., 1937, Charlottesville, Virginia.

113.375 James N. Waddell, born 25 Dec., 1851, died 26 July, 1924, buried in Maplewood Cemetery, Charlottesville, Virginia. Married 25 Aug., 1897 to Margaret Blount Daniel. Businessman and a Presbyterian: 2 children.

113.375.1 Cornelia Blount Waddell, born 30 Oct., 1898, married Armistead Gordon: 1 child.

113.375.11 Ann Gordon. Married.

113.375.2 Margaret Montgomery Waddell, born 27 Jan., 1901, married William H. Manning: 3 children.

113.375.21 William H. Manning, Jr.

113.375.22 James Waddell Manning.

113.375.23 Margaret Manning.

113.376 Charles E. Waddell, born 25 July, 1864, died 2 June, 1886, never married.

113.377 Franklin S. Waddell, born 19 Jan., 1867. Never married.

113.378 William Wirt Waddell, born 9 July, 1869, married 10 Dec., 1890 to Martha Payne. Teller in bank, vice-president: 5 children.

113.378.1 James N. Waddell, born 29 Nov., 1891, Charlottesville, Virginia, died young.

113.378.2 William Wirt Waddell, Jr., born 10 Sept., 1894. Married Barbara Flack. Physician at University of Virginia: 2 children.

113.378.21 William Wirt Waddell III, married Nancy _____.

113.378.22 Ann Lyttelton Waddell, married Fred Vance.

113.378.3 Mary Walker Waddell, born 26 Aug., 1898, Charlottesville, Virginia, married Frederick L. Watson: 2 children.

113.378.31 Frederick L. Watson, Jr., married Sarah Opie.

113.378.32 Martha Watson, married Allen Coleman.

113.378.4 Lyttelton Waddell, born 1 Jan., 1902, Charlottesville, Virginia, married 10 Aug., 1926, Virginia Venable, daughter of W. P. Venable and Eliza Rittenour of Farmville, Virginia. Served twenty years as Circuit Judge of Albermarle County, Virginia; 2 children.

113.378.41 Virginia Venable Waddell, married E. Collins Brown: 2 children.

113.378.411 Michael Brown.

113.378.412 Gregg Brown.

113.378.42 Judith L. Waddell, married Henry T. Rowe: 4 children.

113.378.421 Henry T. Rowe, Jr.

113.378.422 Lyttelton W. Rowe.

113.378.423 Eliva W. Rowe.

113.378.424 Virginia V. Rowe.

113.378.5 Nancy Elizabeth Waddell, born 3 Feb., 1910, Charlottesville, Virginia, died 5 Jan., 1973, buried in Maplewood Cemetery, Charlottesville, Virginia, married E. Hudson Cole: 2 children.

113.378.51 E. Hudson Cole, Jr.

113.378.52 Mary Cole.

— Information 113.37 through 113.378.5 from records Mrs. John T. Hancock, Atlanta, Georgia, and Haydn's Virginia Genealogies.

113.4 Thomas Montgomery, born 16 Feb., 1790, died 5 Sept., 1848. Married Juliette (Julia) Dalhouse. Lived at Deerfield, Virginia: 3 children.

113.41 John Lyle Montgomery, died young.

113.42 William Wallace Montgomery, born 16 Oct., 1813, died 17 March, 1887, married Elizabeth Irvine: 2 children.

113.421 Eugene Irvine Montgomery, born 5 May, 1856, Deerfield, Virginia, died 29 June, 1921, married Virginia McVeigh Jordan, born 25 June, 1861, died 3 Sept., 1953: 4 children.

113.421.1 Alma Eugenia Montgomery, born 1886, died

1963. She never married, was a librarian. Taught at Mary Baldwin College and Miami Beach, Florida.

113.421.2 Wallace McVeigh Montgomery, born 17 Oct., 1888, Deerfield, Virginia, died 7 Aug., 1973, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia. Married (1) Margaret Maude Stevens, who died 5 May, 1959: 2 children. Married (2) Elizabeth "Betty" Sommerville.

113.421.21 Wallace McVeigh Montgomery, Jr., born 31 Aug., 1916, Deerfield, Virginia, married 25 June, 1942, Clara L. Hainlin: 2 children.

113.421.211 Wallace McVeigh Montgomery II, born 5 April, 1945, Miami Beach, Florida. Married 15 Aug., 1968, Wanda Cannedy: 1 child.

113.421.211.1 Wallace Paul Montgomery, born 20 Feb., 1973.

113.421.212 John Prescott Montgomery, born 30 Jan., 1948, Miami Beach, Florida.

113.421.22 Eugene Stevens Montgomery, born 31 Oct., 1923, Miami, Florida, married Cathryn Pettersen, who was born 4 July, 1925, Madison, Wisconsin: 2 children.

113.421.221 Cathryn Suzanne Montgomery, born 30 Sept., 1953, Worthington, Ohio.

113.421.222 Ronald Pettersen Montgomery, born 12 Sept., 1959, Worthington, Ohio.

113.421.3 Cornelius Taylor Montgomery, born 1891, died 1971, buried in Scranton, Pennsylvania. An engineer for Bethlehem Steel. Married Lydia Mattes: 5 children.

113.421.31 Cornelius Taylor Montgomery, killed in Korean War.

113.421.32 Augusta Virginia Montgomery.

113.421.33 Mary Montgomery.

113.421.34 Dorthea Montgomery.

113.421.35 Peter Samuel Montgomery.

113.421.4 Elizabeth Montgomery, born 1900, married Watson A. Weatherup.

113.422 Agnes Montgomery, married David Taylor: 1 child.

113.422.1 Mazie Elizabeth Taylor.

113.43 Thomas Edwin Montgomery, died 1870, married Caroline Crawford: 1 child.

113.431 James Thomas Montgomery, born 1851, died 1901, married Margaret Elizabeth McCorkle (born 1848, died 1916) in 1877: 5 children.

113.431.1 Thomas Edwin Montgomery, born 1878, married Alice McCorkle Jones.

113.431.2 William James Montgomery, born 1880, married (1) Anna Louise Hodges, died 1918; married (2) in 1919, Ina Kidd.

113.431.3 Lina McCorkle Montgomery, born 1882, married 1904, Dr. William Mason Strong.

113.431.4 Alfred Baxter Montgomery, Rev., born 24 June, 1884, married 17 May, 1915 to Maud Isabel Taylor, born at Richmond, Virginia, 29 Oct., 1885: 2 children.

113.431.41 Alfred Baxter Montgomery, Jr., born 29 March, 1917 at Lodi, Washington County, Virginia. Minister, Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, North Carolina.

113.431.42 Helen Taylor Montgomery, born 14 May, 1919, Richmond, Virginia.

113.431.5 Samuel Robert Montgomery (1886-1925), married Ethel Bauer.

-- Information 113.4 through 113.431.5 from Alfred Baxter Montgomery records, Richmond, Virginia.

113.432 John William Montgomery, born 1854, died 1934, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia, married (1) Jacintha Alice Rodes and to this union were born nine children; married (2) Sallie Estelle Montgomery Frantz (113.334), a distant cousin. No children to this marriage.

113.432.1 Juliet Myers Montgomery, born in Deerfield, Virginia, buried in Arlington National Ceme-

tery, married Howard Winans of Jackson, Michigan: no children.

113.432.2 Rodes McClung Montgomery, born in Deerfield, Virginia, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia. Unmarried.

113.432.3 Nathan Hughart Montgomery, born in Deerfield, Virginia, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia. Unmarried.

113.432.4 Mattie Taylor Montgomery, born in Deerfield, Virginia, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Va., married Dr. George H. Hollar: 4 children.

113.432.41 Madelyn Hollar.

113.432.42 Nancy Lee Hollar.

113.432.43 Richard Hollar.

113.432.44 Emory Hollar.

113.432.5 Robert Echols Montgomery, born in Deerfield, Virginia, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia. Unmarried.

113.432.6 William Maule Montgomery, born in Deerfield, Virginia, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia: 2 daughters.

113.432.61 Caroline Montgomery.

113.432.62 Juliet Montgomery.

113.432.7 John Carlyle Montgomery, born 19 July, 1890, in Deerfield, Virginia, married Louise English: 1 child.

113.432.71 Betty Louise Montgomery.

113.432.8 Ethel Virginia Montgomery, born 18 April, 1891 in Deerfield, Virginia, married 6 Nov., 1917, Rollie Kennerly Rubush, born 1 Sept., 1891, died 18 Dec., 1957, buried in Beckley, West Virginia: no children. (Information on the children of 113.432 was furnished by Mrs. Rubush, who still resides in Beckley, West Virginia.)

113.432.9 Thomas McClintic Montgomery, born in Deerfield, Virginia, buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia. Unmarried.

113.433 Charles E. Montgomery.

113.434 Hettie Montgomery married William McClintock of Bath County, Virginia.

113.435 Mary Virginia Montgomery married John W. Glendy.

113.44 Mary Jane Montgomery, born 15 Nov., 1820, died 6 March, 1884, married Robert J. Glendy, born 30 March, 1814, died 30 Aug., 1889: 9 children.

113.441 Juliet Glendy married Summerfield Moon: 2 children.

113.441.1 Daisy Moon married T. H. Taylor: 2 children.

113.441.11 Summerfield Taylor.

113.441.12 Julia Taylor.

113.441.2 Mary Moon married Oscar M. Ball: 1 child.

113.441.21 Julia Ball.

113.442 Isabella Glendy, born 3 Feb., 1842, died 18 March, 1914, married John Sitlington Guy, born 28 Sept., 1841, died 28 Jan., 1898: 2 children.

113.442.1 Maysie Montgomery Guy married Frank Meriwether Somerville: 2 children.

113.442.11 Betty Guy Somerville married (1) Dr. Charles W. Sommerville, a Presbyterian minister and college professor, married (2) Wallace McVeigh Montgomery (113.421.2), a distant cousin. No children by either marriage.

113.442.12 Frank Meriwether Somerville, Jr., married Elizabeth Dunbar: 3 children.

113.442.121 Frank Meriwether Somerville III.

113.442.122 John Dunbar Somerville.

113.442.123 Elizabeth Sitlington Somerville. Unmarried.

113.442.2 Estelle Lilly Guy married Sanford James Carson: 2 children.

113.442.21 John Siltington Guy Carson married Elizabeth Sessoms.

113.442.22 Jane Dennison Carson. Unmarried.

113.443 Thomas Hughart Glendy. Unmarried.

113.444 John William Glendy married (1) Mary V.

Montgomery: no children; (2) Carrie Calhoun: 1 child; (3) Agnes Irvine: no children.

113.444.1 Julia Glendy.

113.445 Maysie Glendy, married Harvey Francisco: 1 child.

113.445.1 Mary Lyle Francisco.

113.446 Estelline Glendy married Samuel Erwin of Bath County, Virginia: 1 child.

113.446.1 Robert Erwin, married ————————: 5 children.

113.446.11 Margaret Erwin.

113.446.12 Mary Erwin.

113.446.13 Douglas Erwin.

113.446.14 William Erwin.

113.446.15 Guy Erwin.

113.447 Charles E. Glendy, married Belle Heisy.

113.448 Edmonia Glendy, married Mr. Bolar.

113.449 Edwin Glendy, died 1 Nov., 1861, age 5 years.

113.45 James Hughart Montgomery, a physician. Practiced medicine in Texas but returned to Augusta County in his latter years. Unmarried.

113.46 Charles D. Montgomery, unmarried.

113.47 A daughter who died young.

NOTE: Isabella Buchanan Montgomery (113.8) was the eighth child of the Reverend John and Agnes Hughart Montgomery and the youngest of the eleven children to leave descendants.

113.8 Isabella Buchanan Montgomery, born 25 Aug., 1798, died 11 Nov., 1878, married Major Eugenio Irvine of Rockbridge County, Virginia, born 1787, died 1865. Served in War of 1812; elder Presbyterian Church of Deerfield, Virginia; son of Francis M. Irvine who married Elizabeth Clements, son of Francis Irvine (died 1791) in Indian Wars 1755-56 and received land bounty, who was the son of Edward Irvine (1689-1771) from Ulster, Ireland, with five sons to Pennsylvania (ca.

1729).

113.81 Elizabeth C. Irvine, married William Wallace Montgomery (113.42), born 1813, died 1887. Elizabeth born 1824, died 1907. Both buried in Rocky Spring Cemetery, Deerfield, Virginia.

113.82 Esther J. Irvine, died early.

113.83 John Irvine, married Mary Coalter.

113.84 Francis Irvine, married Marie Coalter.

113.85 James Estill Irvine, married Hannah King, Augusta County, Virginia.

-- Information 113.432 through 113.85 taken from S. R. Houston book, Rocky Spring Cemetery records, Rocky Spring, Virginia, and Dr. John F. Montgomery, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

CHAPTER 13
MONTGOMERYS NOT DIRECTLY RELATED

From D. B. Montgomery of 1903, quoting an old manuscript we find, "Divers other Montgomerys with their families and flocks are come out of Scotland since 1692 and have taken farms in Ireland." Likely the same statement would apply to their coming to America.

From unrelated information of many sources, from data on the number of Scotch-Irish settlers who came to America and with understanding of their failure to keep written records, we must assume that many were of unrelated family lines. We also assume that it is impossible to bring together all the bits of information that have accumulated in the two centuries which have passed. Different spellings and other inaccuracies, such frequent use of given names as John or James with no middle name for more personal identification also add to the confusion. The historical statement is that "Scotch-Irish, disillusioned and embittered, embarked in a steady stream for America; some 200,000 had left Ulster for America up to 1776. Furthermore, their early isolated settlements from Pennsylvania and South Carolina eventually fanned out to make a chain of settlers which extended the length of the Appalachians. After this stage of migration passed groups tended to give up their original nationalities and mingle freely with people of other backgrounds."

A John Montgomery, founder of Clarksville, Tennessee, was a native of Southwest Virginia, having served as Justice of the Peace in Botetourt County from 1770 and later Fincastle County. In 1771 he explored the Cumberland Valley in company with Mansker, Drake, Bledsoe and others.

In 1777 he was interested in Clarke's scheme for conquest of the northwest. After long, interesting adventures he was named one of the first Commissioners of Clarksville in 1785. Montgomery County of Tennessee is named in his honor. He was killed by the Creek Indians, Nov. 11, 1794 in the Clarksville settlement. In the same raid, Col. Valentine Sevier, son-in-law of John Montgomery, and his family were also killed. (This John has been erroneously connected to the family of Jane Montgomery who married Samuel Newell. Jane's parents were John and Esther Houston Montgomery, who were married in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, 1738, and moved to Augusta County, Virginia, in 1747.)

Richard Montgomery also seems to have been confused by historians with our John Montgomery lines. Descended from an earlier Houston-Montgomery marriage, believed to be the same ancestral line, born 1736 in Ireland, he first came to America with British soldiers fighting "King George's War," 1745-54. He rose to rank of Captain in the British Army, resigned his commission, emigrated to America in 1773, cast his lot with the American patriots. He was captured in Montreal, Canada, and died of his wounds Dec. 31, 1775, while in the hands of the British. George Norbury MacKenzie, in "Colonial Familes of the United States of America, Vol. VII," 1917, records that Richard married July 24, 1773, Janet Livingston, born Aug. 27, 1743, died Nov. 6, 1828, daughter of Robert R. and Margaret Beekman Livingston of New York. There is no record of children.

MONTGOMERYS OF MONROE COUNTY, TENNESSEE

A William Montgomery, born in Pennsylvania, migrated to North Carolina, was on the tax list of Washington County, North Carolina (later Tennessee) in 1790. He had a land grant from North Carolina in Washington County, February, 1791, Grant 33 North Carolina Book 5, page 228. His land was on the Muddy Fork of the big Limestone Creek, adjoining land of Robert McLin. His wife's name is not known.

When their son, James, was quite young they came from Washington County to Blount and eventually to Monroe County, Tennessee. Their known children were:

1. James, born Jan. 21, 1791 near Statesville, North Carolina, died in Monroe County, Tennessee, 1881.
2. George, born March 8, 1800. He was bushwhacked and killed by a man named Duncan in Monroe County, Tennessee, March 7, 1866, buried in Glenn Rock Cemetery, Sweetwater. His wife, Alpha, had no children.
3. Elizabeth Starlisse, born 1798 in Washington County, Tennessee, died Aug. 8, 1875, buried in Glenn Rock Cemetery.

James, son of William Montgomery, above, was a soldier in the War of 1812, wounded in the battle of Horseshoe Bend, was the first pensioner in Monroe County, Tennessee. He married in Blount County, Tennessee, Dec. 28, 1817, Dorcas Russell (nee Miller), born Feb. 26, 1794, died Jan., 1870 in Sweetwater, Tennessee. They had nine children, for whom there is brief data.

1. Mary Wallace, born Jan. 1, 1819, died June 4, 1888, married March 14, 1844, Daniel Heiskell, born March 7, 1799, died July 2, 1875. Born in Winchester, Virginia, his parents were Frederick Heiskell and Elizabeth Stedinger. He had first been married to Elizabeth McBride. Daniel and Mary had children James Montgomery Heiskell, born Jan. 30, 1845, died March 26, 1898, married Oct. 18, 1874, Laura Jones; and Margaret Caroline, born Aug. 19, 1847, married Abijah Suggs; and Dorcas Ann, died 1855.
2. Elizabeth Caroline, born March 2, 1820 in Blount County, Tennessee, died 1897, married May 4, 1845, Samuel A. McCammon. All members of this family are buried in Old Grey Cemetery in Knoxville. Their children were:

   James, born Jan. 31, 1846, died July 25, 1928.
   John Upton, born March 10, 1848, died 1907, single.
   Elizabeth Mary, born July 27, 1853, died April 20, 1920, single.
   Dorcas Ann, born April 2, 1851, died Aug. 30, 1873,

single.

Samuel B., born June, 1860, died Jan. 18, 1877.

3. William McLin, born Nov. 30, 1821, died Sept. 4, 1838, Monroe County, single.
4. John Calvin, born June 5, 1823, died May 9, 1911, in Madisonville, Tennessee. He attended Fork Creek Academy and Tusculum College in Greeneville. He was in a business firm of Magill Montgomery and Co. of Madisonville. He married July 15, 1848, Martha Blair, daughter of William and Mahala Blair. Children of this marriage died young. After Martha's death, he married Oct. 9, 1890, Lena Matthews Wilson. Of their children, (1) John Calvin, Jr., died at nine months, (2) Murray Matthews, born June 27, 1893.
5. James Harvey, born Feb. 1, 1825, died May 26, 1888, married Mary Isabella Magill, born April, 1829, died Oct. 19, 1849.
6. George Stuart, born Jan. 27, 1827, died March 26, 1888.
7. Margaret Armina, born March 19, 1829, married in 1846, Ebenezar E. Johnston; they had four children.
8. Newton Russel, born Nov. 10, 1830, died Nov. 27, 1910, married February 25, 1861, Kathy Hall. Their children: Margaret Ruth (Maggie), 1859-1939, Artie, Samuel, Newton, Daniel, William D., 1857-1927, Mary (Mrs. Dickey), died June 5, 1943 in Knoxville.

James, son of Elizabeth Caroline Montgomery and Samuel A. McCammon of Knoxville, married Susan Ann Pickle. Their children were:

1. Hugh Montgomery, married Beulah Campbell in Knox County, Tennessee. They had Louise Elizabeth, born July 25, 1902, married Morris Murphy Henry, M.D., and Lillian Alice, born April 14, 1904, married Roy T. Greene.
2. Infant who died unnamed.
3. Elizabeth (Bessie), married John Hiram Bogart, had John Hiram, Jr., born Jan. 21, 1912, and James Randall, born 1915.
4. Caroline (Carrie), died 1854, single.
5. Samuel D., married April 6, 1919, Annie Y. Richerson.

Their son, Samuel D. McCammon, Jr., born April 16, 1920, is a Presbyterian minister.

6. Cynthia, married H. C. Buchanan. They had two children, Susan (Mrs. Bolin) and Henry Corley Buchanan.
7. John B. married Turley Farrar, M.D., is buried in Ponotoe, Mississippi.
8. James Newton.
9. William (living in Knoxville, single, when data was collected).

Murray Matthews, son of John Calvin and Lena Matthews Montgomery, married Emily Anne Dewberry, born June 7, 1894, daughter of Archie Wyan Dewberry and Bertha M. Easley. Their children were born in Fort Sill, Oklahoma. He became a colonel of the U.S. Army, was a veteran of World Wars I and II. Their two children:

1. Murray Matthews, Jr., born Aug. 13, 1918, an engineer and Lt. Col. U.S. Reserves, married Dec. 6, 1941 Esther Blackburn. Their children: (1) Ellen Jane, born Nov. 25, 1942, married Franklin Downs Parker, Ph.D., Entomology, University of California, had son, Scott Franklin Parker, June 18, 1966; (2) Martha Emily, born Nov. 17, 195 –; and (3) Thomas Murray, born Aug. 1, 1952.
2. Jane Anne, born Jan. 5, 1923, married Sept. 16, 1944, James P. Milton of Oakland, California. Their children are James Matthew, born Nov. 20, 1945, John Patrick, July 22, 1947, Peter Murray, April 14, 1949, Mary Anne, Dec. 11, 1951, Patricia Marie, September 21, 1954, Eileen Rose, August 13, 1957, and Michael Joseph, December 15, 1959.

Data for this Monroe County family comes from Goodspeed's 1887 publication and "Montgomerys of East Tennessee" by Ann Montgomery.

OTHER MONTGOMERY LEADS – BAKER'S CREEK CEMETERY, BLOUNT COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Long and thoughtful research has never been able to connect certain families whose graves are marked in the Baker's Creek Cemetery with the family of John Mont-

gomery and Esther Houston. At least three disconnected links are here. Possibly they were families who lived here awhile, whose descendants pushed on to new territories. We are including these families; first, to recognize their existence within the period of this study, second, to help others interested in finding their own ancestral line.

A. Thomas Montgomery and wife, buried in Baker's Creek Cemetery, have long been considered in relation to the line of John and Esther Houston Montgomery. He seems to have come from Ireland and likely had some kinship to our John but none that can be established from available records. For this information we are indebted to the work of Ann Montgomery and correspondence of Mrs. G. A. Mattson of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Thomas Montgomery, born near 1748–49, Ireland, came to America near 1768–69, enlisted in the Army in Pennsylvania, after 1783 came through Kentucky into Blount County, Tennessee, died here 1827–30. His wife, Mary Patton, also an immigrant, born around 1740, daughter of John and Jane Davis Patton, died around 1832. Their children were:

1. John Patton, born around 1770, merchant of Maryville.
2. William, born around 1772, died around 1832.
3. David, born around 1774, married Feb. 7, 1799, Margrate McCorete in Blount County.
4. George, born around 1776, died 1815.
5. Margaret P. (Peggy), born around 1780, and married Sept. 8, 1828, Samuel Blythe.
6. Susan, born around 1782, died before 1827, married ——— Blythe.
7. Elizabeth, born around 1784.
8. Samuel, born 1785, married Aug. 20, 1807, Nancy Jones.

William, son of Thomas and Mary Patton Montgomery, born in Blount County, received a land grant in Texas, 1830, at the age of fifty-eight, is buried in Joel Greenwood Cemetery in Plantersville, Texas. He married July 17, 1806, Phebe James, daughter of Jessie James (not the famous Jessie). She is thought to have been his second wife. All the children were born in Tennessee:

1. Mary Jane, born May 22, 1808, died April 10, 1880, married Franklin J. Greenwood, July 20, 1842.
2. Eddly, born Jan. 25, 1810, died around 1861, married Emeline Farris.
3. Ann, born 1812, married Joel Greenwood.
4. Elizabeth, married J.G.W. Pierson.
5. Sarah, married John F. McGuffin.
6. John.
7. Andrew, married Mary Farris.

Samuel, son of Thomas and Mary Patton Montgomery, born in Pennsylvania, died in Dade County, Missouri. He served in the company of Capt. James Gillespie in the War of 1812, moved to Carrol County, Tennessee in 1831, to Dade County, Missouri in 1851. He married Aug. 20, 1807, Nancy Jones, who died 1870. Children were:

1. Archibald
2. Lavinia
3. Francis Jones
4. Jane Ann
5. Mary
6. Elizabeth
7. Richard
8. George Washington, born July 7, 1824, died July 26, 1856. He married in Oct., 1851, Sarah Ann Rankin, born July 22, 1823, died 1870. They had a son, John Theodore Montgomery, born Oct. 18, 1852, who married Ada Geard, born Feb., 1856.
9. Sophia
10. Samuel Nelson
11. Nancy Isabell, married ——— Davis.

B. A Thomas Montgomery whose father, David, married Margaret McCameron, Feb. 7, 1799 in Blount County, Tennessee, cannot be placed in either line of descendency studied. He married Jan. 18, 1826, Frances (Franky) Carter of Blount County, born March 1, 1800, died Aug. 17, 1873 in Confort, Missouri. Their children were:

1. Joseph Carter, born Oct. 26, 1826, died Nov. 23, 1903.
2. Newton.
3. George, married Mary Buck, died Fayetteville, Arkan-

sas.

4. John P., born April 8, 1831, died March 9, 1892, married Oct. 25, 1840, Lucinda Perry.
5. Nancy, married Robert Hill, buried in Rocky Confort, Missouri.
6. Elizabeth, married Ellis B. (?), Rocky Confort, Missouri.
7. James.

Joseph, son of Thomas and Franky Montgomery, above, was born in Blount County, Tennessee, died in Rocky Confort, Missouri. He married in 1845, while in Tennessee, Martha Ann Love, born Feb. 11, 1825, of Haywood, North Carolina, the daughter of John Love and Mary McCracken. She died Feb. 3, 1890 in Rocky Confort, Missouri. Their children were:

1. John Love, born June 28, 1848, Red River, Texas, died March 12, 1924 in Rocky Confort, Missouri, married Oct. 15, 1868, Margaret Hyathe. Their two sons were: (1) Carter Hyathe, married Minnie Smith, had a son, George Carter Montgomery, and (2) John Walter, married Lola Christian.
2. Leander Smith, born Jan. 3, 1846 in Red River, Texas, died Feb. 17, 1897 in Rocky Confort, Missouri, married Nona Anneth.
3. George Thomas, born Feb. 24, 1851, Patrick, Arkansas, died Feb., 1899 in Texas, married Laura Ann Corley, 1871.
4. Rufus Burton, born Feb. 11, 1853, Patrick, Arkansas, died Sept. 13, 1915, Rocky Confort, Missouri, married Josephine Bailey.
5. Mary Frances, born April 11, 1855, Patrick, Arkansas, died in Rifle, Garfield County, Colorado, married Oct. 4, 1939, Jess Corley.
6. Martha Elizabeth, born Oct. 7, 1857 in Patrick, Arkansas, married Dec. 24, 1874, Albert Street.

C. Baker's Creek seems also to have been the point from which came Mrs. Margaret W. McConnell, whose daughter, Margaret McConnell Stevenson of Santa Rosa, California, is anxious to learn more. Her monument in Ainsworth, Iowa,

gives this information:

Margaret Montgomery McConnell
born 1793, wife of
James Harvey McConnell
died Feb. 16, 1869

In 1858, Margaret left Blount County with her McConnell sons, Isaac Wright and his wife, Andrew Vance and his wife, Josiah Hutton who never married but settled with them in Ainsworth, Washington County, Iowa. Margaret's first son, born in 1818, was named George Montgomery McConnell.

The husband of Margaret, James Harvey McConnell's family, comes from Joseph McConnell, who was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1745, married Susann Milligan, served in the Revolutionary War in Pennsylvania militia and migrated to Blount County, Tennessee, in 1787. His father was James McConnell and mother Mary; the father died around 1765 in Cumberland County, Pennsylvania. The estate settlement of James McConnell mentions Joseph as one of his twelve children. During the Revolutionary War, Joseph is listed as a taxpayer from 1778-1782 in Milford Township, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania. A widow Milligan also listed in the 1779 township assessment could possibly be the mother of Susan Milligan, wife of Joseph McConnell.

OTHER MONTGOMERYS OF TENNESSEE

Goodspeed's "History of Tennessee" has a story on Elbert C. Montgomery (Dec. 23, 1825-May 3, 1886) of Roane County, Tennessee. He was the sixth of seven children -- four sons and three daughters -- of John and Mary (Wenton) Montgomery. All the children are living (1887) in Missouri, excepting Elbert C. above; Alexander and Mary (Mrs. White) who moved to Missouri, then to Texas and finally to California. Elbert C. married in 1851, Elizabeth C. Stephens, daughter of William and Emeline Stephens of Bledsoe County. Their children were Mary E., who became Mrs. W. W. Smith; William S., who graduated from Emory and Henry College, Virginia, class of 1879; Maggie, a graduate

of Martha Washington College, Virginia, class of 1876; John A., graduate of Emory and Henry, 1883, was a teacher for some time; and Laura F., educated at Martha Washington College.

Thomas Montgomery, who was born in Ireland in 1808 of Irish parentage, was the father of Robert S. Montgomery, born Nov. 30, 1829 in South Carolina, came to Tennessee in 1844, and T.S., born March 30, 1843, also came to Bedford County, Tennessee. They were merchants at one time, owning a firm called Montgomery Brothers. Robert S. married March 13, 1855, Miss Susan Dysart, the daughter of James P. and Leah Dysart. They had Alice E. (Mrs. J. F. Tillman), Mary, Jimmie, Thomas A., Lillie (Mrs. W. C. Ransom), Denny, Gertrude, Inez and Robert H. His wife died 1881. T. S. married Sept. 27, 1866, Maggie L. Hagle, daughter of Peter and Esther Hagle. Their children were Flora, Esther, T. Clarence, Ethel, Susie and Hoyle. (From Goodspeed, 1887, Bedford County Biographies.)

A Robert Montgomery of Marshall County, Tennessee, born in Ireland in 1784 of Scotch-Irish descent, came to this country with his parents when only a lad and settled in South Carolina. He married Esther Spence and lived in South Carolina until his death in 1825. The mother and her children came to Tennessee to live; she died in 1859. Their son, Robert, born Sept. 5, 1810 in South Carolina, married June 5, 1855, Margaret P. Ormand of Alabama. Their children were Mary E. (Mrs. Mount), John O., Jane S. (Mrs. I. T. Wiggs). (From Goodspeed, 1887, Marshall County Biographies.)

MONTGOMERY TO NELSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, TO MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

A Thomas Montgomery, born in Ireland about 1750, came to Philadelphia, Tennessee, about 1769; served in the Revolutionary War as a Private in Capt. Swearingen's Co., under Col. Mackey in Pennsylvania, and in Morgan's Rifle Regiment of Virginia Troops; pensioned; died Aug. 30, 1834, Nelson County, Kentucky. He married first, Nancy Johnson; married second, Frances Pollard. Children were all born in

Madison County, Illinois.

1. Nelson, born Aug. 1, 1815, died Jan. 30, 1895, Edwardsville, Illinois, married Eleanor Kinder, had eight children.
2. John, born Feb. 7, 1817, died Dec. 29, 1893, Brighton, Illinois, married first Mercy H. Evans, second Elizabeth Jackson, had four children.
3. William, born Jan. 8, 1819, died Jan. 20, 1855, Madison County, Illinois. Single.
4. Nancy R., born Jan. 18, 1821, married Thomas J. Barnsack, had six children.
5. Thomas, born Jan. 22, 1823, died Nov. 22, 1847, single.
6. James, born Feb. 20, 1825, died March 17, 1873, Moro, Illinois, married Elizabeth McKittrick, had eight children.
7. Paris, born Feb. 24, 1827, died Dec. 13, 1863, Madison County, Illinois, married Elizabeth Job, had five children.
8. Matilda, born Jan. 10, 1829, died Nov. 7, 1830.
9. Amanda, born June 11, 1830, married Aug. 1, 1851, Zepheniah B. Job, had five children.
10. Hampton, born Nov. 10, 1833, died Sept. 22, 1900 in Missouri. Married Martha Greene and/or Sarah Rattan, had six children.
11. Miranda Ann, born Feb. 20, 1837, married William Loveland, lived in New York state, had two children.
12. Eliza Jane, born March 31, 1840, died April 8, 1910, married Thomas W. L. Belk, had seven children.

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