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*               MEETING NOTICE
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*   The Southwest Louisiana Genealogical
*   Society will hold its next regular
*   meeting, Saturday, March 19, 1983 at
*   10:00 AM, Calcasieu Parish Health
*   Unit, 721 Prien Lake Rd.
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*   Program will be a Panel Discussion of
*   the Various Phases of Louisiana Genea-
*   logical Research.
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MERRYVILLE CEMETERY, Merryville, La. (continued from Vol. 6, No. 4)(Compiled 1956)

MARGARET COOK  
1849 - 1926

F. R. FRAZER, MD  
1883 - 1941

BERT L. FRAZOR  
(no dates)

W. W. BETTIS  
July 15, 1882  
Aug. 6, 1956

LANEY CAGLE  
1887- 1937

HAROLD EUGENE CAMPBELL  
d. Mar. 3, 1950  
age 24 yrs.

'Infant' son of  
MR/MRS. OSCAR BAGGETT  
(no dates)

CATHERINE ELIZABETH WHITTINGTON  
Apr. 24, 1883  
Jan. 16, 1924

MARY A. LESLEY  
1863 - 1927

JIMMIE LAMAR  
Oct. 28, 1929  
Oct. 30, 1932

FANNIE BENISON  
July 15, 1897  
Oct. 26, 1932

JAMES OWENS  
Feb. 7, 1853  
Sept. 26, 1926

MARY ALICE OWENS  
d. Sept. 6, 1946  
age 75 yrs.

HUNTER H. LEWIS  
Oct. 31, 1852  
Nov. 9, 1921

ADDIE LEWIS  
1863 - 1940

ADDIE MAYE LEWIS  
1926 - 1928

'Infant' son of  
MR/MRS. DAVE LEWIS  
b. & d. Jan. 10, 1945

BARBAR ANN ?  
Mar. 18, 1942  
June , 1944

WILLIAM ROY CRAIN  
La. Fireman 3C.L.  
US Navy  
d. May 5, 1933

PINKNEY MATTHEW CRAIN  
d. Mar. 18, 1948  
age 77 yrs.

MARY E. CRAVEN  
1862 - 1936

ANDREW J. WILLIAMSON  
Mar. 5, 1880  
July 30, 1950

ISAAC NICHOLS  
Nov. 22, 1889  
Aug. 20, 1892

T. J. BURKS  
Jan. 26, 1884  
May 13, 1954

AARON TERRY  
Aug. 19, 1819  
Jan. 20, 1905

GENIE TERRY  
Apr. 17, 1887  
Feb. 28, 1901

WILLIAM TERRY  
Jan. 22, 1858  
May 30, 1897

AMERICA McMAHON  
June 23, 1864  
Jan. 30, 1944

SARAH ELIZABETH JARRELL  
Aug. 30, 1867  
Aug. 29, 1954

LAURA HAYS  
Dec. 12, 1863  
Sept. 18, 1930

JOHN HAYS  
June 26, 1861  
Mar. 26, 1925

M. F. McMAHON  
b & d. Mar. 11, 1894

C. C. GOODWIN  
Jan. 15, 1882  
Sept. 23, 1956

JAMES EDWARD  
Mar. 8, 1919  
May 30, 1930

KITC. THORNHILL  
Aug. 29, 1915  
June 14, 1956

JOHN R. BYERLEY  
Mar. 11, 1911  
May 26, 1946

RUTH BYERLEY  
d. Mar. 28, 1939

JOHN PHILLIP BURR  
d. Dec. 12, 1945

LOUIE BYERLEY  
1912 - 1939

BEULAH FRANKLIN  
Apr. --, 1861  
Oct. 12, 1926

MRS. M. A. KEELING  
Nov. 27, 1847  
Nov. 6, 1919

JOHNNIE MORE  
Apr. --, 1874  
Jan. 28, 1919

I. A. NICHOLS, JR.  
July 14, 1915  
Oct. 17, 1917

CECIL B. COOLEY  
1903 - 1947

C. P. HALL  
(no dates)

WILLIAM WHITMERE  
Jan. 6, 1906  
Oct. 26, 1919

MAMIE O. WOOD  
1920 - 1921

A. D. A. FOUNTAIN  
1894 - 1926

J. H. HILDERBRANT  
d. May 4, 1938  
age 65 yrs.



IDA B. HILDERBRANT  
Sept. 8, 1878  
Apr. 7, 1952

CASSIE E. GRANT  
Dec. 20, 1892  
Aug. 20, 1926

JOHN W. GRANT  
d. Nov. 2, 1953

ELIZABETH GRANT  
Dec. 23, 1911  
Jan. 14, 1944

MARY GRAHAM  
1887 - 1955

MRS. MARY POWELL  
d. June 2, 1950  
age 74 yrs.

ROBERT E. OWENS  
Aug. 7, 1900  
Nov. 23, 1952

ENOCH MARSHALL  
Oct. 22, 1883  
Mar. 11, 1947

LORENA ROBERSON  
d. Nov. 15, 1936  
age 33 yrs.

NANNIE CAGLE COOLEY  
Feb. 16, 1879  
Jan. 27, 1956

BETTIE JOE PADGETT  
Oct. 19, 1933  
Nov. 24, 1934

M. W. FOLSON  
d. Sept. 14, 1939

WILLIAM A. CRAVEN  
1861 - 1942

WARREN CANTY  
June 2, 1871  
Jan. 4, 1954

WINNIE MITCHELL  
Feb. 5, 1870  
Aug. 11, 1943

NANCE NEELY  
Feb. 5, 1853  
Oct. 27, 1931

LAWARENCE STARK  
July 5, 1908  
Sept. 5, 1909

ALICE WINGATE  
Feb. 5, 1859  
June 21, 1936

W. H. SEALE  
Oct. 19, 1860  
Dec. 9, 1860

ARIZONA SKINNER  
Dec. 14, 1888  
Sept. 7, 1949

GARRISON SKINNER  
Dec. 8, 1919  
Dec. 7, 1920

W. C. HOPKINS  
Mar. 11, 1860  
Feb. 21, 1944

MANDY J. HOPKINS  
1859 - 1929

O. W. HOPKINS  
Apr. 12, 1884  
Nov. 22, 1906

MRS. JAMES BURIKS  
age 76 yrs.

MAHIES ---  
Dec. 23, 1859  
July 4, ---

ETHEL G. MCKEITHEN  
d. Mar. --, 1948

WILLIAM L. STRICKLAND  
May 21, 1866  
Aug. 4, 1932

CATHERINE MCMURRY  
d. July 13, 1947  
age 53 yrs.

THOMAS OSCAR MCMURRY  
d. Mar. 22, 1955

CADET MANCE STARK  
July 2, 1915  
Mar. 9, 1943

MRS. WILLIAM NICHOLS  
d. Feb. 18, 1947  
age 38 yrs.

JOSEPH CARL, JR.  
May 23, 1955

DELORES DICKERSON  
July 28, 1917  
June 19, 1948

NORMA HUNTER  
Feb. 13, 1912  
July 20, 1941

J. E. MEADOWS  
Jan. 22, 1874  
Feb. 7, 1953

LYDIA V. MEADOWS  
Mar. 25, 1905  
June 12, 1940

MARGARET ELIZABETH MEADOWS  
July 31, 1907  
Sept. 14, 1909

MRS. W. A. NEELY  
d. Oct. 29, 1933

JOHN ALLEN CAIN  
1876 - 1944

BERTIE GERALDINE CAIN  
1937 - 1939

JOHN T. SCHWASS  
July 3, 1860  
Mar. 10, 1919

CEAL AUDIE BRIGGS  
Sept. 25, 1906  
Dec. 2, 1906

JOES S. ROGERS  
May 30, 1883  
Apr. 25, 1954

MARGARET E. GRANDELIER  
Dec. 8, 1848  
Feb. 21, 1932

NAT CLARK  
Oct. 13, 1890  
June 9, 1953

'LEATHER BRICHES' -- this  
man's real name is supposed to  
be SMITH -- he was killed by  
a gang (no date)

VILMA GAINER  
Apr. 1, 1892  
Aug. 6, 1916

FEERN VENELL  
Sept. 16, 1918  
Jan. 7, 1920

HARRY B. HANMON  
Jan. 8, 1922  
May 15, 1939

MRS. JANICE HILDERBRANT  
Nov. 9, 1905  
Feb. 16, 1938

R. E. KIMMEY  
Apr. 17, 1879  
Aug. 6, 1946

THOMAS ELLIS DRODDY  
Dec. 23, 1911  
Apr. 21, 1912

E. L. THOMPSON  
Dec. 15, 1871  
Feb. 2, 1919

SUSAN LEE  
Feb. 1, 1858  
Apr. 27, 1918

MARCUS B. ALFORD  
1883 - 1947

ANNA JANE GILES  
d. Dec. 18, 1955

WADE H. YAWN  
July 9, 1877  
Dec. 8, 1949

LYDIA M. YAWN  
June 23, 1818 (?)  
Mar. 23, 1938

W. M. PARKER  
d. Feb. 10, 1944

DAVID A. DEASON  
Sept. 29, 1898  
Apr. 4, 1956

D. D. NORRIS  
Apr. 11, 1866  
May 4, 1948

MARY JANE PUCKETT  
Dec. 30, 1847  
May 1, 1926

ED FRZAR  
July 19, 1908  
Apr. 19, 1909

D. A. LYONS  
1875 - 1941

M. E. FRAZAR  
Aug. 21, 1875  
June 30, 1914

MARY ANN LYONS  
d. Nov. 23, 1947

FLOSSIE NICHOLS  
Dec. 6, 1904  
June 20, 1905

E. J. WELLS  
1875 - 1944

HENRY J. WELLS  
Feb. 23, 1905  
Dec. 26, 1921

MARY CLARK  
Aug. 29, 1857  
June 15, 1944

JOHN J. WATKINS  
July 10, 1868  
Aug. 21, 1927

HORACE NEWTON  
Mar. 20, 1892  
Apr. 29, 1920

ANNIE LOIS GAINER  
Sept. 8, 1916  
Aug. 11, 1918

CORP. ROBERT L. HAYGOOD  
(no dates)

LOUIS STRICKLAND  
age 72 yrs.

JOHN W. BURK  
Aug. 3, 1863  
Nov. 20, 1920

ALLEN F. BURK  
Sept. 17, 1901  
Sept. 15, 1919

EDWARD E. ESTES  
Sept. 8, 1879  
Apr. 15, 1944

MRS. D. F. GUNTER  
d. Apr. 21, 1949

MRS. PERRY WINDHAM  
d. Dec. 9, 1936

G. P. WINDHAM  
d. June 2, 1937

AVA ESTES MOXOM  
1880 - 1949

CHARLES AUGUSTUS ESTES  
1873 - 1921

J. D. SIDNOT  
d. Aug. 20, 1944

MRS. MARCUS BLANCHEY ALFORD  
--- 1887  
June 25, 1953

JAMES LEONARD GILES  
Dec. 18, 1944  
Dec. 25, 1944

AMANDA NICHOLS  
Oct. 27, 1902  
Nov. 15, 1902

FOUNTAIN M. PUCKETT  
1887 - 1945

W. J. PUCKETT  
Dec. 25, 1850  
June 20, 1927

MARTHA JANE NORRIS  
Nov. 10, 1862  
Jan. 1, 1941

GEORGE M. HADLEY  
1884 - 1947

LAVERNA E. HADLEY  
--- 1888  
Mar. 5, 1950

SOBRONIA BURKS  
Dec. 1, 1880  
Dec. 28, 1919

ANGELENE JINSON  
Nov. 9, 1871  
Feb. 8, 1938

LYDIA RODGERS  
1889 - 1932

A. PADDEN  
Apr. 26, 1902  
Dec. 3, 1954

LEE JONES  
(no dates)

DAISY LEE HAGLER  
1879 - 1937

MINNIE WOLF  
May 8, 1867  
July 21, 1943

JOHN W. GRANT  
d. Nov. 21, 1953

RUBY STEWARD  
Mar. 14, 1912  
Feb. 11, 1913

ANNIE L. GRAHAM  
Aug. 13, 1910  
Mar. 17, 1949

MARY ELIZABET ASHMORE  
June 6, 1881  
Jan. 12, 1931

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PLACES IN CALCASIEU (from Lake Charles American Press, Jan. 23, 1931)

NIBLETT'S BLUFF - Now a mere place on the old Sabine River, six miles west of Vinton, for long years one of the most important points on the Old Spanish Trail. In the latter times during the Civil War, a military post was established at Niblett's Bluff. Troops and cannon were there and rather extensive fortifications were built there. The great stretches of breastworks may still be seen, overgrown by trees large enough for the sawmill.

PERKINS - A station of the K.C.S. railroad, 4 miles south of DeQuincy, named for James K. Perkins, whose descendants are living in DeQuincy now.

PERKINS FERRY - A free ferry across the Calcasieu River about a mile west of the Lake Charles & Northern railroad bridge and 2 miles north of the city. Established and operated for years by Reece Perkins, from whom it got its name.

PRIEN - a pretty hamlet on the rolling land southeast of Prien Lake. Mostly summer residences of families of Lake Charles. It got its name from Cyprien Duhon, an early citizen, whose nickname was Prien.

ROSE BLUFF - Formerly a village and shipping point on the right bank of the Calcasieu River a few miles north of Moss Bluff. The late A. Pujo built a mill on the river. When a post office was established there he gave the place the name of Rose Bluff for his daughter Rose. About a mile west there is the old Farquhar cemetery where are buried many members of the Moss, Ryan and Pujo families.

SULPHUR MINES - A village 3 miles northwest of the city of Sulphur. It has important sulphur mines and formerly had a post office until rural free delivery was instituted. The mines were recently abandoned and as a result the village has but a few inhabitants.

TOOMEY - A station of the S.P. railway southwest of Vinton. The post office was called Jacksonville for T. J. Jackson "an old resident until the office was discontinued."

VINCENT - A settlement on the west side of the Calcasieu River a few miles above Moss Lake. It was named for Pierre Vincent who owned much land in that vicinity.



The following article was taken from the LAKE CHARLES DAILY PRESS describing the Tyler-Reid wedding which took place January 17, 1900.

#### A BEAUTIFUL AND IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

##### Large Attendance and Numerous Valuable Gifts

One of the most beautiful and interesting weddings of the season occurred at the Church of the Good Shepherd (Episcopal) in this city, last night, when Rev. F.O.H. Boberg united in marriage, Mr. Thomas S. Tyler and Miss Maud G. Reid.

The sacred edifice was beautifully decorated with garlands of evergreens and a wedding bell of English ivy.

At an early hour carriages bearing invited guests began to arrive, and before the hour appointed for the ceremony the church was crowded with friends of the young couple.

Music was rendered by Miss Ida Boutyette, organist, Messrs. McKinney and Jordan, violinists, and the vested choir.

Preceded by the ushers, Messrs. Chas. Kearney and Walton Wall, the bridal party entered in the following order:

Miss Gertrude Beardsley, bridesmaid, and Mr. E. H. Hartman, groomsmen.

Miss Stella Stone, maid of honor.

The bride and her father, Mr. J. M. Mason.

The groom and his "best man" entered from the vestry, preceded by the vested choir, and the beautiful and impressive ceremony of the church was read. Mr. J. M. Mason gave away the bride.

The bride was attired in white organdie over satin, with bridal veil, and carried a handsome bouquet of natural flowers. The bridesmaids also wore white organdie.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, where bounteous refreshments were provided.

The bride is one of the most beautiful and piquant belles of our fair sunny land, and to her physical attractions are added rare traits of heart and mind.

The groom comes to our city from Alabama with an enviable reputation and is most deserving of the fair young wife he has chosen.

If wishes had power their life path should be strewn with roses to the end; even the shadowy valley should be arched with fragrant flowers and lead into the land where happy spirits bask forever in the light of the radiant smiles of a benignant Creator.

##### WEDDING PRESENTS

Silver and gold cream ladle, Mrs. Emma Jenkins, Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Silver butter knife, Miss Irene Tyler, Atlanta, Ga.

Solid silver gravy ladle, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Willingham, Atlanta.

Set of silver knives and forks, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mason.

Decorated fruit dish, Mr. Orin Mason.

Oak writing cabinet, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wintle, Leesville, La.

Cake plate, Miss Nettie Wintle, Leesville, La.

Water set, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Chavanne.

Silver and gold butter knife and sugar spoon, Mr. and Mrs. A. Strauss.

Silver olive spoon, Mr. and Mrs. Lanz.

Two cut glass pepper and salt shakers, Miss Ethelind M. McCassen, Saginaw, Michigan.

Berry set, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gunn.

Handsome vase, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Von Phul.

Gold lined card receiver, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knapp.

Silver and gold olive spoon, Mr. W. B. Pearl and Mabel Ebersole, Toledo, Iowa.

Hand painted cake dish, Miss Rigmaiden.

Decorated cake dish, Miss Frazier.

Gold and silver after dinner coffee spoons, Mr. A. Levy.

Two pictures, A. Hollins.  
Dresden clock, Miss Daisy Brown  
Set of silver teaspoons, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wall.  
Silver and gold sugar spoon, Edgar L. Riddick.  
Blud china night lamp, Jesse Edmonston.  
Set of after dinner coffee cups, Dr. T. L. and G. H. Rock.  
Set of silver sherbert spoons, J. Herbert Steidley.  
Silver butter knife, D. R. Swift.  
Chamber set, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Goodman.  
Parlor lamp, Mrs. Ed Ryan.  
Cream pitcher, Little Libbie Edmonston.  
Salad dish, Misses Mollie and Hattie Kinder.  
Tamis tray, Miss Annie Gill.  
Rockwood pitcher, Mr. Herald Rock.  
Moquet rug, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gill.  
China dinner set, Messers, Hollier and Hartman.  
Iron lamp, John and Will Downs.  
Set teaspoons, Captain and Mrs. Andrews.  
Gold sugar shell and butter knife, Vreeland Fatjo and Walton Wall.  
Oak table, Moore, Overland and Trotti.  
Carving set, Misses Beardsley, Stone, Boutyette and Gertrude Beardsley.  
Fancy plate, E. E. Barnett.  
Fancy cake plate, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kaufman.  
Silver mounted fruit basket, Charles Wall and Charles Kearney.  
Hand painted bread plate, Miss Winifred Eastwood.  
Rug, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lewis.  
Silver and gold sugar spoon, Dr. F. C. Watson.  
Silver olive fork, Miss Zena Thompson.  
Handsome oak and leather rocking chair, Messrs. L. L. Lowry, John L. Henning,  
R. H. Keener.  
Bride's bouquet, Mr. Andrew Brooks, Houston.  
Pickle fork, Lula M. Nason, Chesaning, Michigan.  
Set silver teaspoons, John and Wade Marshall, Crowley, La.  
Set silver teaspoons, Mrs. Dayton, Mrs. Thayer, Mrs. Davies and Miss Davies, Ed  
Harris and Kate Rogers, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan.  
Congratulations by letter and wire-- Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. McCants, Meridian, Miss.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cronkhite, Edmore, Mich.; Charles A. Webb, W. J. Mereweither, Ben  
and Issac Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Guy P. Brough, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Clark,  
Eutaw, Ala.

## A SAD INCIDENT

While attending the Tyler-Reid wedding at the Episcopal Church last night, Mrs. C. C. Crawford was taken suddenly ill and her physicians today think her recovery doubtful.

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15 GENERATION CHARTS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE SOCIETY FOR \$1.25. CONTACT THE SOCIETY AT OUT P. O. BOX IF YOU WISH TO ORDER; THEY WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT OUR NEXT MEETING.

MAGNOLIA CEMETERY (McKinley St., Westlake, La.) Continued from Vol. 6, No. 4

HARRY W. VOLQUARDSEN  
Jan. 6, 1903  
Oct. 9, 1942

CHESTER GOSS  
d. Apr. 23, 1899  
age: 4 yrs., 11 mos.

FRANCES MILDRED SLOAN  
Oct. 18, 1898  
Oct. 25, 1908

JAMES Z. JONES  
Nov. 29, 1861  
Feb. 26, 1899

LUCIE L., wife of  
J. Z. JONES  
Oct. 21, 1865  
July 16, 1897

RODERICK G. HAWKINS  
Dec. 10, 1928  
Feb. 26, 1929

PATRICK B. HAWKINS  
b & d Mar. 17, 1930

RONALD GLENN LANDRY  
July 9, 1950  
Aug. 8, 1950

JESSIE EDGAR GUILLORY  
May 24, 1904  
Mar. 23, 1964

MARTIN E. GUILLORY  
La. Y/2 US Navy, WWI  
Nov. 25, 1896  
Mar. 15, 1960

CARLAND EDWARD GUILLORY  
WOW age 26 yrs.  
(no dates)

LUCY LEBLEU GUILLORY  
Aug. 29, 1871  
Jan. 25, 1949

EMILE GUILLORY  
Jan. 22, 1858  
July 5, 1935

LEONARD H. GUILLORY  
Mar. 1, 1911  
Feb. 22, 1937

SHELDON E. GUILLORY  
Oct. 28, 1908  
Nov. 18, 1940

JOSEPH W. GUILLORY  
Sept. 20, 1891  
Feb. 20, 1971

AMANDA MEISLER  
native of Germany  
d. Feb. 27, 1892  
age 31 yrs., 6 mos.

LOUISE HARRINGTON, wife of  
C. C. SMITH  
Mar. 22, 1873  
Mar. 15, 1916

CHARLES C. SMITH  
Jan. 20, 1859  
Feb. 25, 1916

LINA SMITH  
June 1, 1893  
Nov. 8, 1894

JAMES WALLACE, son of  
C. C. & LOUISE SMITH  
Jan. 16, 1892  
-- 1900

WILLIAM BISCHOLL, WOW  
Feb. 7, 1864  
Aug. 14, 1913

CHRISTIAN B. BAHNSEN  
Sept. 18, 1860  
Apr. 2, 1900

PAULINE BAHNSEN  
Nov. 1, 1865  
July 17, 1939

LOUISA HALL  
Feb. 14, 1845  
Aug. 24, 1906

ELLA MAE SMITH  
Apr. 12, 1889  
Aug. 12, 1918

MARY COOPER, wife of  
ADOLPH DESHOTELS  
1841 - 1894

G. HARVEY MIDDLETON  
Aug. 1, 1898  
Jan. 28, 1971

WILLIAM A. COLE  
d. Mar. 6, 1899  
age 33 yrs., 7 mos.

ALBERT S. HAWKINS  
Aug. 4, 1867  
Aug. 31, 1927

MYRA JOHNSON HAWKINS  
Aug. 22, 1873  
Apr. 24, 1962

ADA G., daughter of  
WM. & IDA PILLEY  
d. Jan. 1, 1903  
age 12 yrs.

EMANUEL BOLSIUS  
Dec. 22, 1885  
Mar. 16, 1959

ALBERT SMITH  
Mar. 4, 1876  
Feb. 21, 1943

EMMA BOLSIUS SMITH  
Nov. 25, 1883  
July 20, 1969

R. H. BOLSIUS  
Nov. 29, 1881  
Jan. 10, 1953

DAVID H. GOODE  
Feb. 24, 1881  
Jan. 3, 1970

MABEL DUNN  
Oct. 5, 1907  
May 29, 1953

WILLIAM FRANK DUNN  
Apr. 3, 1907  
Aug. 4, 1957

STEPHEN SEDLOCK  
Aug. 20, 1865  
June 18, 1902

JULIA SEDLOCK DUNN  
Sept. 1, 1873  
June 15, 1937

W. F. DUNN, SR.  
June 22, 1865  
Mar. 14, 1937

DONALD ROY HICKS  
July 28, 1936  
Aug. 5, 1957

JOHN EVAR HOLLANDER  
La. T/Sgt. US Mar. Corp. Res. WWII  
Sept. 29, 1902  
July 26, 1968



CARL H. HOLLANDER  
La. PFC Ord. Dept. WWII  
Dec. 23, 1913  
Feb. 25, 1963

JOHN S. HOLLANDER  
Feb. 11, 1872  
Sept. 27, 1949

AMANDA K. HOLLANDER  
Jan. 19, 1876  
June 4, 1957

HILDA LOUISE HOLLANDER  
Jan. 30, 1900  
Sept. 1, 1903

EDNA HARTWELL ANDERSON  
July 12, 1877  
June 26, 1966

ROSE ANDERSON  
Aug. 12, 1873  
Jan. 6, 1966

ANDREW GUSTAVE ANDERSON  
Dec. 6, 1858  
Feb. 25, 1906

BERTHA JULIA HARTWELL  
June 28, 1842  
June 26, 1905

SIDNEY F. ANDERSON  
La. PVT 28 Tng.Gp.AAF-WWII  
Dec. 2, 1903  
June 2, 1967

LEAN ROSE MIDDLETON, daug. of  
Mr/Mrs. G. H. MIDDLETON  
d. May 12, 1926

MATTIE ANN LUTZ, wife of  
A. J. PRATER  
May 3, 1820  
Jan. 20, 1900

CHARLES F. LUTZ  
Co. F La. Inf. CSA  
June 20, 1842  
Apr. 9, 1910

WILLIE IRA LUTZ, son of  
C.F. & S. E. LUTZ  
Feb. 11, 1881  
Oct. 8, 1912

DUGLAS WALTER, son of  
C.F. & S. E. LUTZ  
Apr. 11, 1901  
Aug. 6, 1913

SARAH E. LUTZ, daug. of  
WALTER & ELIZA CONADY  
Oct. 4, 1855  
Nov. 1, 1935

SVEN EDWARD ANDERSON  
Mar. 18, 1866  
Nov. 1, 1926

EARL H. BUTCHER  
Oct. 27, 1901  
Aug. 31, 1968

"BOBBY JOE" Robert J.  
MOORE, SR.  
Oct. 17, 1938  
Jan. 17, 1965

JOSEPH M. HARRIS  
Nov. 25, 1906  
July 1, 1964

LILLIE BELLE HARRIS  
Feb. 25, 1909  
Sept. 12, 1970

ENOCA THIBODEAUX  
May 6, 1891  
Jan. 14, 1964

JAMES REESE HERFORD  
May 3, 1891  
May 5, 1968

ARAH YAWN HERFORD  
Mar. 28, 1893  
Jan. 7, 1961

CLEVELAND J. BULLER  
May 20, 1903  
Aug. 23, 1963

ALAN SCOTT, son of  
Mr/Mrs. E. L. COLE  
Dec. 28, 1961  
Sept. 9, 1964

WM. EDWARD MERRIMAN  
May 3, 1892  
July 26, 1965

DONALD RAY ROBERTSON  
Feb. 28, 1948  
Dec. 13, 1960

MAMIE NIXON DAVY  
July 15, 1889  
Apr. 22, 1961

EDWIN ALLEN BUTTS  
La. EM/2 US NR WWII  
Jan. 27, 1915  
Dec. 31, 1957

BULAH FAYE SMITH WILLIAMS  
Dec. 18, 1912  
Dec. 18, 1968

LIDDIE E. ELLIOTT  
Apr. 12, 1908  
Dec. 16, 1963

BARNEY B. ELLIOTT  
Aug. 24, 1897  
Sept. 9, 1961

HUGH "BOY" HANSBROUGH  
Oct. 12, 1930  
May 5, 1961

CARL WAYNE, son of  
MR/MRS. GORDON W. GOKE  
Nov. 11, 1959  
Nov. 16, 1959

BEULAH MAY, daugh. of  
MR/MRS. W. W. STRIBLING  
Sept. 6, 1902  
Sept. 18, 1903

VIRGINIA THORP LEMEUR  
Feb. 13, 1898  
Sept. 30, 1968

ALCIDE F. LEMEUR  
Aug. 12, 1896  
Jan. 9, 1966

FLORENCE JANE LEMEUR  
Nov. 28, 1853  
Feb. 25, 1949

BESSIE LEE CARTER SIMS  
Aug. 24, 1908  
Dec. 28, 1969

EPHRAIM J. CARTER  
June 16, 1886  
Oct. 27, 1933

OTTO RUNKEL  
Dec. 15, 1847  
Mar. 4, 1923

H. E. CARTER  
(no dates)

GERMAN WING  
Aug. 2, 1855  
Nov. 27, 1937

SUSANNA LANDRY, wife of  
GERMAN WING  
Apr. 1, 1856  
Mar. 22, 1950

EMMIT R. WING  
Dec. 4, 1892  
Sept. 25, 1923

W. A. WING  
Oct. 17, 1882  
July 29, 1915

JOSEPH J. WING  
Feb. 18, 1880  
Dec. 29, 1963

EMMA ELLENDER, wife of  
JOSEPH J. WING  
Aug. 26, 1871  
Mar. 15, 1952

JAMES DAVID WING  
Feb. 28, 1910  
Feb. 25, 1940

JULIAN ELLENDER  
Feb. 24, 1953  
age 85 yrs.

JOSEPHINE SMITH, daugh. of  
LYEAT SMITH  
d. Mar. 25, 1894  
age 27 yrs.

CARROLE SILLMAN  
d. July 7, 197-

MABLE M. DOUCETTE  
Aug. 31, 1911  
Oct. 30, 1968

VERNIE MABEN REYNOLDS, SR.  
Nov. 5, 1906  
Aug. 18, 1967

INEZ SOPHIA VATTER  
Aug. 13, 1889  
July 29, 1904

MARTHA HAROEFF  
July 30, 1894  
May 11, 1968

JOSEPH HOWARD FOX  
May 10, 1897  
Apr. 4, 1971

JOHN W. SKINNER  
Mar. 14, 1866  
Dec. 31, 1901

WILLIAM M. SMITH  
1876 - 1950

DORA DATENHOFF, wife of  
WM. SMITH  
1879 - 1939

JOHN W. HOWELL  
Jan. 12, 1895  
age 35 yrs.

H. W. ELLIOTT  
Jan. 25, 1857  
Oct. 5, 1915

LIZZIE COOPER CRAMM  
July 3, 1883  
Dec. 4, 1904

LEWIS COOPER  
Dec. 13, 1830  
Dec. 26, 1912

NICHOLAS DEWITT MITCHELL  
Mar. 16, 1868  
July 5, 1916

THECKLA DEWITT COOPER  
Feb. 17, 1849  
Mar. 18, 1937

PNELLA CLIFTON DOESCHER  
Nov. 17, 1873  
Apr. 18, 1944

IRA CLIFTON  
Aug. 15, 1880  
Feb. 15, 1921

EDGAR B. GOULDIN  
Dec. 26, 1895  
Jan. 28, 1966

JEFFERY SHANE, sone of  
MR/MRS. HOWARD BROWN  
Mar. 23, 1961  
Sept. 27, 1961

ADELE J. CARVER  
Sept. 23, 1928  
Apr. 28, 1965

DEJUAN JOYCE, daugh. of  
MR/MRS. JOHN C. FONTENOT  
Jan. 8, 1957  
Jan. 9, 1957

JOHN C. FONTENOT  
La.S/1 US NR-WWII  
Jan. 26, 1916  
Dec. 29, 1963

HOUSTON L. PURVIS  
La.PFC 3704 Base Unit  
AAF- WWII  
June 6, 1913  
Nov. 6, 1970

THELMA LOFTEN  
b. OUSLEY  
1905 - 1969

ARTHUR B. ELLIOTT  
Dec. 6, 1904  
Mar. 7, 1965

ARTHUR P. LEBLEU  
Oct. 9, 1966  
Jan. 20, 1967

DARRYL ROYSON, son of  
MR/MRS. J. R. DARBONNE  
Sept. 30, 1961  
Oct. 4, 1961

CATHERINE FAY, daugh. of  
MR/MRS. ELROY DARBONNE  
Aug. 13, 1956  
June 15, 1963

COLLEEN SCHULTZ, wife of  
BERNARD DARBONNE  
Aug. 22, 1928  
June 15, 1963

SUSAN CHERYL, daugh. of  
BERNARD DARBONNE  
May 29, 1947  
June 15, 1963

BERNA GAY, daugh. of  
MR/MRS. BERNARD DARBONNE  
May 11, 1946  
June 15, 1963

BENNETT CLYDE, son of  
MR/MRS. BERNARD DARBONNE  
Dec. 14, 1953  
June 15, 1963

CYNTHA A. LEE, daugh. of  
MR/MRS. BERNARD DARBONNE  
June 12, 1951  
June 15, 1963

JAMES FLEMMING, son of  
MR/MRS. JAMES A. COOK  
Apr. 13, 1968  
Aug. 27, 1968

PATRICK WAYNE, son of  
MR/MRS. R.L. DOUGHTY, JR.  
Apr. 23, 1960  
Nov. 1, 1963

JOHN ACKLIN PETRY  
Dec. 14, 1898  
Sept. 15, 1963

ANNA LEE, wife of  
RALPH H. PETRY  
Nov. 23, 1899  
July 30, 1968

LANGE DAVID, son of  
MR/MRS. DAVID ABSHIRE  
Nov. 15, 1961  
Nov. 16, 1961

ULYSSES A. BROUSSARD  
Apr. 8, 1879  
Sept. 28, 1963

PAULUS DOUCET, JR.  
Mar. 9, 1904  
May 26, 1959

SALATHIDA CANADY  
Co. K 2 US Vol. Inf..  
Sp/Am. War  
(no dates)

MAXIMILIAN LUTZ  
La. PVT 402MP Escort  
June 25, 1899  
May 12, 1959

PEARL A. LUTZ  
Sept. 18, 1877  
Oct. 24, 1957

TILLON LUTZ  
July 3, 1879  
Oct. 26, 1955

STELLA ISABELLE, daugh. of  
MR/MRS. CHARLES F. LUTZ  
Aug. 6, 1894  
Sept. 1, 1896

SAMUEL LUTZ  
Dec. 19, 1896  
Sept. 23, 1898

GUY WALTON  
May 15, 1892  
June 27, 1896

MARY S. WALTON  
Sept. 6, 1859  
May 19, 1913

CHARLES A. ANDERSON  
1856 - 1926

M. F. HARRIS  
July 5, 1871  
July 6, 1913

BERTHA CHRISTINE ANDERSON  
Apr. 23, 1897  
age 6 mos.

PERRY BRISCOE  
Aug. 24, 1899  
Dec. 13, 1957

RICKEY PERRY TUNKS  
Oct. 13, 1949  
Apr. 14, 1964

DANIEL JAMES GOINGS  
Nov. 26, 1913  
Aug. 30, 1964

RENA AUSTIN WHEELER  
Jan. 11, 1914  
May 29, 1965

PAUL MERCER, son of  
MR/MRS. K. L. McDONALD  
Mar. 4, 1942  
Nov. 29, 1957

CLARENCE R. MOREHEAD  
La. F/2 US Navy-WWII  
Sept. 25, 1894  
Feb. 20, 1969

EDISON FONTENOT, SR.  
Oct. 24, 1912  
Mar. 31, 1958

JIMMIE ELLIOTT  
Dec. 9, 1932  
Apr. 5, 1964

SUSIE E. EASON  
Oct. 21, 1908  
May 3, 1968

MARY COURVILLE, wife of  
OZEMA JOHNSON  
Feb. 1, 1903  
Oct. 26, 1951

ALLEN J. CARROLL  
Dec. 5, 1891  
Sept. 8, 1967

SGT. WILLIAM A. 'BILL' GUILLORY  
Mar. 31, 1946  
July 19, 1967

LT. COL. B.C. STINEMETZ  
Cmdr. US MC-1/St.  
Reconnaissance Btl.  
1st Marine Div.-Vietnam  
(no dates)

WILLIAM L. BRIDGES--1968  
Killed in Action in Vietnam

JESSE R. PAYNE  
TX PVT 1817 Serv. Unit-WWII  
Aug. 16, 1914  
Sept. 4, 1957

CHRISTIAN C. JOHNSON  
La. 1st/Sgt COD 28 Bn.  
US Guards - WWI  
July 25, 1891  
June 2, 1970

JULIA LANDRY ROY  
Dec. 20, 1875  
Dec. 29, 1960

VALENTINE ROY  
Jan. 10, 1869  
Mar. 20, 1945

DOUGLAS PRATER  
La PFC 988 Mil. Pol. Co. WWII  
Aug. 24, 1916  
Jan. 25, 1968

BERTHA LUTZ PRATER  
Aug. 10, 1885  
May 6, 1964

JOHN A. PRATER  
Apr. 26, 1871  
Sept. 15, 1948

GEORGE E. THOMPSON  
June 9, 1891  
Sept. 18, 1945

ALMA GARNER, wife of  
MARSHALL SMITH  
Sept. 23, 1910  
Nov. 18, 1945

GEORGE W. CLIFTON  
Apr. 30, 1868  
Feb. 18, 1947

CHARLES WAYNE KELLY, son of  
MR/MRS. FLOYD KELLY  
Dec. 16, 1938  
Dec. 2, 1955

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## BOOK REVIEW

EUGENE AND EDITH - 1870-1916 by Emily Brown Stothart; hard cover, 150 pp., indexed, no price given, may be ordered from the author at Rt. 3, Box 486, Coushatta, La. 71019. This unique book is the story of Mrs. Stothart's parents, Eugene Levi Brown and Edith Isabella Duncan. A family background on the Brown and Duncan families is given in the introduction to the book. The Brown family moved to the Raymond Community, 12 miles from Jennings, La. in 1884. While living in La. Eugene met and fell in love with Edith Duncan, a school teacher and at one time principal of Jennings Elementary School. The Brown family moved to Siloam Springs, Ark. in 1905, and the courtship of Edith and Eugene is revealed through their letters written in 1906 and 1907. They were married Nov. 5, 1907. Tragedy seemed to follow their short marriage. Their first child, the author, was born in 1908. Eugene died in 1909 before the birth of their second daughter, Eugenia, who lived only until 1914. In 1915 Edith married Eugene's brother, Earl, but this union ended with Edith's death in 1916. Although family histories are not usually noted for their ability to keep the reader's undivided interest, this is an exception. Beautifully written, this reviewer could not put it down and was misty-eyed through most of it. Interesting photographs and family mementoes - particularly Edith's yearly birthday greetings to her daughters add much to the otherwise beautiful story.

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CAJUN ROOTS, The Genealogy of Joseph Octave Theriot & Viola Broussard by Beverly Theriot Coleman, soft cover, 200+ pp., \$25.00 from author at P. O. Box 1643, Liberty, Texas 77575. Contains charts, family histories, pictures, maps, marriage, birth and death records, etc. Contains many Acadian, French, German, Spanish and Irish names...Arsenault, Aucoin, Babin, Bayol, Bergeron, Breaux, Broussard, Comeau, Daigle, DePrados, Doiron, Domingues, Edlemaire, Forest, Fostin, Hansberry, Hebert, LaCase, Romero, Rulong, Segura, Theriot, Toucheque, Vien, only to name a few.

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From Lois Culver, 14945 Gale Ave., Hacienda Hts., CA 91745: A group of 20 HAYES/HAYS researchers, all bent upon untangling the Hayeses in La. and Tex., have banded together and are publishing a quarterly paper to further that research. This is not a commercial project, as each is only paying the actual costs of each edition. It's strictly Hayes-searching - no fancy artwork, no waste space. Interested Hayes searchers should send a deposit of \$8-10 which should last a year or more. For libraries, societies and others, the cost is \$8.00/yr. Our combined effort in these two states has resulted in finding "roots" for several of our members.

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1840 CENSUS OF CALCASIEU PARISH, LA. indexed, 24 pp, 8½ X 11, Bristol cover, spiral binding, \$4.00 + 1.00 postage. 1870 CENSUS OF CALCASIEU PARISH, LA., indexed, 209 pp., 8½ X 11 Bristol cover, spiral binding, \$20.00 + 1.50 postage. Both may be purchased from the compiler: Geneva Bailey Seymour, 5009 42nd St., Lubbock, Texas 79414.

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The McKINNEY Family Association, founded in 1981 is publishing a quarterly, MCKINNEY MAZE for interested researchers. Patricia McKinney Kirkwood is the editor and all correspondence should be addressed to: 2750 W. 232nd St., Torrance, CA 90503. Membership is \$10/yr. and queries are free to members.

## CALCASIEU PARISH MARRIAGES 1910-1915

In the devastating fire of April 10, 1910 the Calcasieu Parish Court House, as well as the Catholic Church and many other buildings, was destroyed and practically all records lost. There were a few records listed before 1910. These will be included with the records below which are arranged alphabetically by groom only. There are also some early successions available which we hope to publish in future issues.

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE OF MARRIAGE
Abbott, Willie	Ritter, Mittie	6/11/14
Abernathy, Mager	Duhon, May	6/12/13
Ableton, Levy	Fox, Mary	8/27/12
Abraham, Phillip	Ambroise, Charlotte	3/12/15
Acord, E. C.	McElworth, Ida	9/15/15
Adams, C. B.	Rudel, Bertha T.	12/23/14
Adams, Guy M.	Bartell, Julia E.	12/7/11
Adams, Warren	Taylor, Annie	7/1/11
Adams, Willie	Brooks, Martha	5/3/15
Addison, C. Jason	Barrett, Bessie May	2/18/12
Adkins, Mack	Sweet, Oilovia	7/4/12
Ahrens, F. H.	Richards, Mittie Elizabeth	11/23/15
Akin, Thomas	Ballard, Mrs. Lizzie	9/25/11
Ainsworth, A. S.	Wash, Martha	1/22/14
Albert, John H.	Root, Lillie G.	5/24/10
Alexander, Arthur	Spears, Hazel	2/14/14
Alexander, Lee C.	Ellender, Pearl	6/17/11
Alexander, Scott	Holden, Emma	12/11/15
Alexander, Simeon	Cruikshank, Gustana	10/5/10
Alfred, Emile	Stewart, Eliza	11/6/15
Alford, James W.	Olivier, Marie Eloise	12/20/13
Aloa, Fausto	Valleji, Carolto	6/18/13
Alphonse, Walter	Tillman, Jaeamer	7/4/14
Allen, A. B.	Murphy, Zella	9/5/14
Allen, Arthur	Young, Jessie	7/24/13
Allen, August	Anderson, Estella	6/3/12
Allen, Douglas M.	Perkins, Gertrude L.	12/31/10
Allen, Freme	Thomas, Marie	5/9/13
Allen, Joseph B.	Beaumert, Elizabeth	10/20/15
Allen, Sam	Collins, Nettie	11/19/13
Allen, Walter	Harton, Alice	12/24/15
Allenson, Edward	Riley, Eiger	11/26/10
Allison, L. O.	Miers, Lydia	8/6/11
Allison, Robert	Hill, Louella	8/16/15
Allmore, Joseph	O'Quin, Cecilia	4/16/13
Alred, Jim	Davis, Lizzie	11/24/10
Alston, Mathis	Cloessner, Clara	5/26/12
Alston, Paul Warren	Myhand, Estelle Octavia	10/28/15
Ambrose, Junius	Perrault, Alestine	7/23/13
Ammons, Milton A.	Pilling, Mrs. Amanda	8/19/10
Anderson, Clyde M.	Caron, Nellie M.	1/30/11
Anderson, Herman	McDonald, Adalee	6/10/12
Anderson, Ike	Bailey, Dora	4/12/15
Anderson, Joe	Williams, Nettie	2/8/12

Anderson, Robert	Jones, Florence	5/15/17
Anderson, Si	Jones, Eva	12/12/12
Anderson, Thomas	Savoie, Lena	12/19/12
Anderson, Willie	Smith, Mary Smith	11/28/13
Andrews, Leonard Francis	Taylor, Mrs. Lucille	1/14/11
Andrus, Albert	Macara, Mary	6/25/12
Andrus, Anderson	Burnett, Dora	12/8/12
Andrus, Benjamin	Holland, Doxine	8/2/10
Andrus, Jasper Eugene	McCorquodale, Lydia Virginia	2/2/11
Andrus, John Stephen	Bourriague, --	4/6/11
Andrus, Oscar	Anderson, Sarah	4/7/11
Anisworth, Charles H.	Faucett, Mary	6/21/15
Antoine, Ed	Laws, Adeline	7/28/14
Antoine, Matthew	Ernest, Carrie	2/15/11
Arabie, Louie	Marcantel, Arise	6/25/12
Arceneaux, A., Jr.	Foret, Maude	9/12/14
Arceneaux, Adolph	Newell, Mamie	3/10/13
Arceneaux, Ambrose	Bellard, Alberta	9/12/11
Arceneaux, E. C.	Melancon, Clair	9/29/14
Arceneaux, Joseph	Beaudin, Mary	7/28/13
Arceneaux, Morris	Millard, Bessie	1/16/13
Archard, Ira N.	Hetrick, Mrs. Violet May	6/4/13
Arino, J. P.	Vincent, Rennie	4/29/14
Ardoin, Duplese	Hardy, Avia	10/22/12
Ardoin, Sampray	Hardy, Merelia	12/16/12
Arledge, John	Lyons, Edna	5/8/13
Arledge, Tommy	Alston, Lavonnie	3/27/12
Armstrong, Elijah	Richard, Edna	7/17/12
Armstrong, Ruben	Chevis, Orelia	12/15/15
Armstrong, Victor	Mitchell, Edna	8/24/14 (license date)
Arnold, James V.	Hamilton, Cordelia	8/7/10
Arthes, Arthur	Piernauguat, Docilla	11/20/12
Artolee, Moses	Carter, Mary	4/18/11
Arville, Marcenac	Lejune, Mary	12/20/11
Ash, George E.	Landry, Eugenia	12/25/15
Ashford, George Thomas	Thompson, Bessie	5/22/10
Ashford, Joseph	Holmes, Lilly	4/26/11
Ashworth, Archie	Samuel, Minnie	12/5/12
Ashworth, Levi	Clark, Elizabeth Rachel	10/31/11
Assunto, Frank	Scalisi, Mary	2/2/13
Assunto, John	Pecorino, Lena	2/13/12
Assunto, Samuel	Walker, Clara	2/14/12
Atteberry, William A.	Smith, Zondie	11/16/12
Aucoin, Henry	Champeaux, Sophia	7/27/13
August, Adam	Lewis, Pauline	5/28/15
Augustine, Henry Landry	Peloquin, Lilly	10/3/12
Augustine, Joseph	London, Mrs. Lucille	12/9/14
Augustus, William	Gray, Lula	1/30/12
Austin, A. F.	Bailey, Lenore	9/21/10
Austin, William, Jr.	Budreau, Eavel	7/13/12
Aycock, R. L.	Sevindell, Dealy	2/29/12



Babcock, Henry	King, Jessie	11/13/11
Babineau, Adolph	LeBlanc, Mrs. Elizabeth Redriguez	8/8/14
Babineaux, Morris	Landry, Olympe	11/9/11
Babinot, Eulise	Mouton, Elmiza	1/18/13
Badders, James G.	Brock, May	8/28/12
Badger, C. A.	Siler, Mrs. Fannie	2/2/14
Baggett, Dennis	White, Lula	1/1/13
Baggett, D. W.	Soileau, Emma E.	3/21/11
Baggett, Ebbie	Benoit, Vivian	8/16/15
Baggett, Janus G.	Fruge, Grace	3/3/12
Baggett, Louis M.	Powell, Ruby	3/15/11
Bagneris, Charlie	Foxas, Alice Jenkins	1/9/11
Bailey, Homer J.	Goudeau, Harriet	6/23/15
Bailey, J. M.	Recter, Miss M. G.	6/15/10
Bailly, Fernand	Hungerford, Nellie	6/29/11
Baily, James W.	Glasco, Lula	4/29/11
Baker, Alexander	Champagne, Estelle Evaline	7/24/15
Baker, Elmer E.	Dyer, Ida	12/14/11
Baker, Ernest	Sallier, Mrs. Jessie	12/19/15
Baker, George	Hebert, Laura	6/8/11
Baker, George	Roy, Sadie	6/14/12
Baker, Sam	Williams, Mary Alice	10/6/12
Baldwin, Pierre M	Wallace, Mrs. Adda B.	3/18/14
Baldwin, Stanley	Saxby, Hazel	11/23/10
Balen, Rube	Harris, Mrs. Lizie	8/29/12
Banken, J. M.	Dickens, Ellar	10/20/14
Bankins, Jim	Smith, Mellie	2/28/12
Banks, Charles	Richard, Phyllis	4/29/15
Banks, Sciak	White, Minnie	4/23/11
Ball, Robert F.	Lacy, Enid	11/8/14
Ball, Walter Marion	Whittington, Maude	5/9/14
Bames, Houston	Hammond, Maggie Sue	11/8/10
Baptist, Moise	Narcise, Anita	9/25/15
Baptiste, Jack	Roberts, Cornella	4/21/13
Barbay, Louis E.	Bazine, Irene	8/26/14
Barbe, Louie D.	Gorham, Zoe Olive	6/29/10
Barbe, Paul J.	Pierce, Lucille Lita	2/7/12
Barbee, Sim	Galligher, Nellie	11/2/10
Barber, Sidney	Ledeoux, Maria	11/20/11
Barber, Thomas Benjamin	Rivett, Agnes	11/19/10
Barentine, Adolph	Hamilton, Ida E.	5/19/12
Bargerman, James	Higginbotham --	11/27/12
Barkus, Isaiah	Griffin, Ludie	8/6/10
Barnabas, Uriah E.	Jardell, Lizzie	9/3/10
Barnes, Allen	Clifton, Katie	12/19/12
Barnes, James Richard	Hall, Annie	1/11/12
Barnes, Thomas E.	Morrison, Helen R.	12/1/15
Barnes, Virge	Washington, Julia	9/21/14
Barney, Elmer	Wells, Fleata	4/8/13
Barrett, Anthony George	Rosado, Mrs. Louella	12/8/15
Barrett, Ulysses Perry	Dobbins, Mrs. Mina	1/1/11
Barrow, W. M.	Alimo, Mrs. Clara	4/16/13
Bartell, Robert P.	Rowe, Lillie Garner	4/21/12
Bartlett, C. H.	Greenroad, Nettie	2/18/14

Bass, Elish  
 Bates, Charles William  
 Batiste, Alfred  
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 Batte, C. E.  
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 Batts, Tom  
 Bauers, William  
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 Baumgarten, Walter M.  
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 Bazin, Fred Lewis  
 Bean, Serd  
 Bean, T. W.  
 Beara, Dulva  
 Beard, Clarence M.  
 Beaussire, Ernest F.  
 Bebee, Lee  
 Beckman, Steve  
 Beezley, C. F.  
 Belile, Cyril A.  
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 Bell, George W.  
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 Benison, W.  
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 Benoit, Joseph Avie  
 Berge, Paul A.  
 Berlin, Frank Stokes  
 Berrell, Leon  
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 Berry, Albert  
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???Am still searching for my POWELLS & WARDS. My gr. parents were Henry Clay POWELL b. 1842 (s/o Eliza BROWN POWELL & ---POWELL) & Nancy Alice WARD b. 1849 La. (d/o Daniel L. WARD & Caroline Alzenith \_\_\_\_\_). Henry & Nancy had 10 children, first 8 born in La., last 2 in Tx.; they m. in Lake Charles (?) ca. 1863; eldest dau. Alzenith M. POWELL m. Steven H. RENFRO in Lake Charles 1 Sept. 1882 (have copy of marriage record, mostly illegible). Henry & Nancy WARD POWELL on 1870 & 80 census in Calcasieu Par; Daniel L. & Caroline WARD on 1860 & 70 census; Daniel probably d. 1870-80 as Caroline & son William F. were with POWELLS 1880; dau. Fanny b. 1860 must have by this time; have no info. on her. Daniel WARD was a blacksmith & Henry POWELL was a lumber man.

??? Also need information on Louisa SHATTUCK/CHADDOCK b. 1848 La. m. Louis Blake POWELL, also sister Muscogee (Skogee) SHATTUCK/CHADDOCK b. 1853 La. m. William Edward POWELL; all lived in Bosque & Erath Co., Tx.....Any information will be greatly appreciated; postage will be returned...Artie Powell McDonald, 23582 N. Bryant Rd., Acampo, CA 95220.

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??? Need information on following: I. JOSHUA GRIFFITH b. ca. 1775 m. JEMIMA HAZLETON; II. HENRY GRIFFITH b. ca. 1800 m. ARMILDA BORROW (BARROW) b. ca. 1800; III. JEMIMA GRIFFITH b. ? m. JAMES HODGE(S); IV. JEANETTE HODGE(S) m. JAMES RALPH STEWART (killed at High Island) m. (2) GEORGE WHITE...Jean Byerly Hufnall, Rt. 1, Box 600, LaGrange, TX 78945.

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1860 census, ASSUMPTION PARISH, LA., copied & indexed by Audrey B. Westerman is now available; softcover - \$12.50; may be ordered from compiler at Rt. 3, Box 682, Thibodaux, La. 70301.

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The LaGrange, Texas newspaper carries a genealogical column written by member JEAN BYERLY HUFNALL. Jean sent us a recent column - the entire article was about the Southwest La. Genealogical Society and Kinfolks! Many thanks, Jean, for the wonderful publicity.

# Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler Pauline Hooper Person No. 1 on this chart is the same  
Address 1001 Henning Dr. person as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State Sulphur, LA 70663  
Date 17 Nov. 1980

Chart No. \_\_\_\_\_

b. Date of Birth  
p.b. Place of Birth  
m. Date of Marriage  
d. Date of Death  
p.d. Place of Death

4 John Jasper Allen  
(Father of No. 2)  
b. 13 Jan. 1859  
p.b. Taney City, MO  
m. 8 Feb. 1883  
d. 16 Dec. 1949  
p.d. Tulsa, OK

2 Archie Dee Allen  
(Father of No. 1)  
b. 5 Dec. 1892  
p.b. Iowa Falls, Iowa  
m. 6 June 1914  
d.  
p.d.

5 Ada Riley  
(Mother of No. 2)  
b. 24 May 1862  
p.b. Lafayette Co., Wisconsin  
d. 24 July 1896  
p.d. Hilltop, Arkansas

1 Katherine Pauline Allen  
b. 12 Dec. 1916  
p.b. Tulsa, OK  
m. 8 Dec. 1936  
d.  
p.d.

8 Cyrus Clyde Shook  
(Father of No. 3)  
b.  
p.b.  
m.  
d. Dec. 1897  
p.d. Pawnee, OK

3 Mary Frances Shook  
(Mother of No. 1)  
b. 7 Apr. 1896 - Pawnee Co.  
p.b. Pawnee Indian Territory, OK  
d.  
p.d.

7 Catherine Rosetta Jenkins  
(Mother of No. 3)  
b. 25 Nov. 1879  
p.b. Louisville, KY  
d. 28 June 1947  
p.d. Cleveland, OK

Irwin Elmo Hooper  
(Spouse of No. 1)  
b. 10 Nov. 1907 d.  
p.b. Osceola, MO p.d.

8 Henry F. Allen  
(Father of No. 4)  
b.  
p.b.  
m.  
d.  
p.d. Annona, TX  
9 Margaret Griffin Long  
(Mother of No. 4)  
b. 12 May 1839  
p.b. Rockford, Illinois  
d. 7 Apr. 1935  
p.d. Edmond, OK

10 John Riley  
(Father of No. 5)  
b. 18 Nov. 1826  
p.b. Mercer Co., PA  
m. 3 Aug. 1849  
d. 23 Jan. 1919  
p.d. Iowa Falls, Iowa  
11 Phredima Rawden  
(Mother of No. 5)  
b. 22 Nov. 1829  
p.b. Ashtabula Co., Ohio  
d. 3 Jan. 1916  
p.d. Iowa Falls, Iowa

12 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Father of No. 6)  
b.  
p.b.  
m.  
d.  
p.d.  
13 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother of No. 6)  
b.  
p.b.  
d.  
p.d.

14 George Washington Jenkins  
(Father of No. 7)  
b. 11 Aug. 1854  
p.b. Meade Co., KY  
m. 1875/76  
d. 21 Nov. 1916  
p.d. Pawnee, OK  
15 Sarah Isabell Howard  
(Mother of No. 7)  
b. 3 Nov. 1855  
p.b. Harden Co., KY  
d. 23 Apr. 1894  
p.d. Pawnee, OK

16 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Father of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
m.  
d.  
17 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
d.  
18 John Barrett Long  
(Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b. 16 Oct. 1811  
m.  
d. 11 July 1888  
19 Anna --  
(Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b. 3 May 1817  
d. 27 Apr. 1905  
20 Henry Riley  
(Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
m.  
d.  
21 Mary Cline  
(Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
d.  
22 Stephen W. Rawdon  
(Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b. 22 Jan. 1803  
m.  
d.  
23 Louisa --  
(Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b. 17 Sept. 1807  
d.  
24 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
m.  
d.  
25 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
d.  
26 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
m.  
d.  
27 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
d.  
28 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Father of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
m.  
d.  
29 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
d.  
30 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
m.  
d.  
31 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
b.  
d.

# Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler Lee Granger

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City, State Lake Charles, LA 70605

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_.

Chart No. \_\_\_\_\_

4 John LaBove  
(Father of No. 2)  
b. 1882?  
p.b. Creole, Cameron, LA  
m. 9 Apr. 1904  
d. 1931?  
p.d. Creole, LA

2 John Savan LaBove  
(Father of No. 1)  
b. 5 Sept. 1911  
p.b. Creole, Cameron, LA  
m. 25 Nov. 1933  
d. 15 June 1975  
p.d. Lake Charles, LA

5 Celestine Benoit  
(Mother of No. 2)  
b.  
p.b.  
d.  
p.d.

1 Leora Theresa LaBove

b. 23 Oct. 1934  
p.b. Big Lake, LA  
m. 4 Apr. 1959  
d.  
p.d.

6 Daniel Peshoff  
(Father of No. 3)  
b. 24 Apr. 1890  
p.b. Lake Charles, LA  
m. 2 Dec. 1912  
d.  
p.d.

3 Ina Peshoff  
(Mother of No. 1)  
b. 28 June 1914  
p.b. Hayes, LA  
d.  
p.d.

7 Amelia Venable  
(Mother of No. 3)  
b. 1894  
p.b.  
d. 1919?  
p.d.

Warren Tempa Granger

(Spouse of No. 1)

b. 19 May 1929 d.  
p.b. Lake Charles, LA p.d.

8 Emile LaBove

(Father of No. 4)

b. Mar. 1825  
p.b.  
m. 2 Sept. 1889  
d.  
p.d.

9 Elizabeth Duhon

(Mother of No. 4)

b. Feb. 1849  
p.b.  
d.  
p.d.

10 Desire "Lovan" Benoit

(Father of No. 5)

b. Feb. 1865  
p.b.  
m. 1882  
d.  
p.d.

11 Louisiana Touchet

(Mother of No. 5)

b. 1864?  
p.b.  
d.  
p.d.

12 Marcelain Peshoff

(Father of No. 6)

b. 1865?  
p.b. Cameron, LA  
m.  
d. 1890?  
p.d. Cameron, LA

13 Catherine Ezora Duhon

(Mother of No. 6)

b. 1868  
p.b.  
d. 18 Mar. 1930  
p.d. Big Lake, Cameron, LA

14 John Venable

(Father of No. 7)

b.  
p.b.  
m.  
d.  
p.d.

15 Alzina Trahan

(Mother of No. 7)

b.  
p.b.  
d.  
p.d.

16 b. (Father of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

17 m. (Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

18 b. (Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

19 m. (Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

20 b. (Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

21 m. (Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

22 b. (Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

23 m. (Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

24 b. (Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

25 m. (Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

26 b. (Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

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29 m. (Mother of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

30 b. (Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

31 m. (Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)



This is the first issue of our seventh year of publication. As we have never published a table of contents and only a partial index of back issues, we feel that some of our newer members may be interested in some of the records and articles that appear in back issues. All back issues are available for \$1.00 for issues 1977 through 1979 and \$1.50 for 1980 to present. The Surname Index for 1982 is \$5.00. Below is a partial table of contents of previous issues:

#### CHURCH RECORDS:

Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, Lake Charles  
Members, 1887; Marriage Records, Births & Baptisms, Death Records -  
1887-1914.  
St. John Lutheran Church, Lake Charles  
Births to 1914  
First Presbyterian Church of Lake Charles  
Baptisms, Marriages, Deaths  
Jackson Street Methodist Church, Lake Charles  
Baptisms, Marriages, Deaths  
Simpson United Methodist Church  
Early Members  
First United Methodist Church  
Baptisms, Deaths

#### BIBLE RECORDS:

Weber Bible  
Paggeott-Norman Bible  
Hale- Hickock Bible

#### CEMETERIES:

Small private Hackberry, La. Cemetery  
Areno Memorial Cemetery, Sulphur  
Grand Lake Cemetery  
Hi-Island Cemetery, Creole  
Perkins Chapel Cemetery  
Wakefield Family Cemetery, Cameron  
Chenier-Perdue Cemetery  
Hopewell Cemetery, DeRidder  
Lorrain-Derouen Cemetery, Hayes  
Corporation Cemetery, Lake Charles  
Magnolia Cemetery, Westlake  
Merryville Cemetery

#### FAMILY HISTORIES

Biography of Dosite Samuel Perkins, MD  
LeBleu Family  
Rion Family  
DeForest - Foret Family

#### COURT HOUSE RECORDS:

Cameron Parish Marriage Records - 1874-1899  
Death Certificates, Jennings, La. Mar. 1914-Feb. 1919

#### MISC.

Lake Charles High School Graduates - 1891 -1900  
Area Students at Keachie Baptist College 1856-1911  
Orphan Trains  
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## SOCIETY LIBRARY

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Southwest La. Records, Fr. Donald Hebert, Vols. 1 - 4 (1756-1847)

Histoire & Genealogie des Acadiens, Bona Arsenault, 6 Vols.

Bailey-Bouret, Geneva Bailey Seymour

\* Breaux, Geneva Bailey Seymour

\* Granger, Geneva Bailey Seymour

Acadian Descendants, Janet Jehn, Vol. V, VI

\* Sallier Family, SWLGS

Olivier de Vezin Family, Ida Maylen

Peloquin Family, Ida Maulen

Information from Headstones in Four Old Cemeteries of Lake Charles, Matson

Genealogical Resources, 1975 ed., Bayouland Library System

Sources and Repositories, 1978, Gencor, Inc.

Building an American Pedigree, 1974, N. E. Wright

Louisiana - Ahnentafels, Ancestor Charts and Family Group Sheets, Natchitoches  
Genealogical & Historical Association, 1982

Shoulders of Giants, History of Henning Memorial United Methodist Church,  
(Sulphur, La.) 1894-1976

Louisiana Genealogical Register, issues 1974 to present

Back issues of our exchange publications (current issues are in Genealogical Room of Calcasieu Parish Library, Main Branch).

\*Note: These publications have strayed; if any of our members have these please contact our librarian.

## PRIVATE LIBRARIES

Many of our members have private libraries which they will be willing to share with you by looking up information for a SASE; if you are willing to share your information with others, please let the Society know so that your holdings may be printed in future issues.

Shirley Burwell, Rt. 8 Box 168, Lake Charles, La. 70605 (477-0603) has the following:

MISSOURI - The Land of Taney - A History of an Ozark Community, Elmo Ingenthron

OKLAHOMA - Oklahoma's Blending of Many Cultures, Lu Celia Wise (History of Ok.)

OHIO - County by County in Ohio Genealogy, Petta Khous & Genealogy Staff, State  
Library of Ohio (available material at State Library)

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## FROM OUR EXCHANGE PUBLICATIONS:

"Acadian Genealogical Exchange", Oct. 1982, p. 120 & 121 - La. Colonial  
Records and Where to Find Them.

"LaVoix Des Prairies", Jan. 1983 Vol. 4, #12 gives a copy of Declaration  
of Intention from the Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization and extractions  
from Immigration Book, Vol. 1, New Orleans.



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## PARISH NAMES

Some of Louisiana's 64 parishes have names that are of Indian origin. Some of these, like Avoyelles, Caddo, Natchitoches, Ouachita and Tensas are names of tribes themselves, while others retain the names which were given by Indians who lived there. Among the latter are the parishes of Calcasieu (meaning "crying eagle"), Catahoula ("beloved lake") and Tangipohoa ("ear of corn").

Many others recall the French occupation and the Acadian migration. Lafayette and Orleans parishes were named for French noblemen, the Marquis de Lafayette and the Duke of Orleans, brother of the French king. Other parishes like Baton Rouge ("red stick"), Sabine ("cypress"), Plaquemines ("persimmons"), Lafourche ("the fork"), Terrebonne ("good earth"), and Pointe Coupee ("cut point") retain the names given them by the French. Iberville, Bienville and La Salle parishes were named for French explorers. Acadia and Evangeline relate to the exiles from Nova Scotia.

The Spanish influence is shown in the names of DeSoto parish (named for the famous explorer), the parishes of East and West Feliciana ("happy land"), Concordia ("new paradise"), and Iberia (named for the Iberian peninsula of Spain).

Several parishes have names showing the Catholic influence in Louisiana. Among these are St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Tammany, St. Landry, St. Mary, St. Martin, St. Helena, St. Bernard, and St. Charles. Catholic festivals are commemorated in the names of Ascension and Assumption Parishes.

Four parishes are named for geographic peculiarities. They are Rapides, Red River, Vermilion, and Richland.

The rest are named for men who played a role in the history of our country or our state. Among the former are Washington, Franklin, Jefferson, Jackson, Madison, Jefferson Davis, Beauregard, Lincoln, Grant, East and West Carroll, Vernon, and Webster. The latter includes the parishes of Allen, Bossier, Cameron, Claiborne, Morehouse, Winn, Livingston, and Caldwell.

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## LOUISIANA'S NEWSPAPERS

In 1764 Denis Brand, a Frenchman, obtained the exclusive right to operate a printing press in the colony of Louisiana. He printed only pamphlets and official documents.

The first newspaper in Louisiana, printed in French, of course, was the Monditeur de la Louisiane. The exact date of the first publication is not known but it was about 1794 and was published in New Orleans.

The second newspaper of the colony was the Telegraphe. It was printed partly in English and was extremely conservative and upheld the prerogatives of the French nobility. It was published in 1803.

The Louisiana Gazette, printed in 1804, was printed in English. The earliest paper published outside New Orleans was the Time-Piece of St. Francisville in 1811.

Over fifty newspapers, totally or partially in French were published from 1840-1850. One of the most famous L'Abeille de la Nouvelle, called the New Orleans Bee, which was published only in French, lasted almost a hundred years from 1827 to 1925.

The Daily Picayune which eventually became the New Orleans Times Picayune, began in 1837. In 1840 the Caddo Gazette, parent of the Shreveport Times, began publication in Shreveport. The Baton Rouge Advocate was first printed in 1842.

In 1855 the Calcasieu Press, forerunner of the Lake Charles Press, was published by Martel and Spence. The Lake Charles Commercial began in 1881, followed by the American in 1885 and the Lake Charles Tribune; which was first called the Lake Charles Weekly American, and later the Lake Charles American. In 1910 the Lake Charles American merged with the Lake Charles Weekly Press to form the Lake Charles American Press, still the major newspaper being published in southwest Louisiana.





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## MEETING NOTICE

The next meeting of the SWLGS will be Saturday, May 21, 10:00 AM at the Calcasieu Health Unit, Lake Charles. The guest speaker will be Lu Thornton Hancock of DeRidder and a correspondent for the Lake Charles American Press. She will talk on the CURTIS JACOB COLLECTION of the Beauregard Parish Library.

Mr. Jacobs, a native of Fields, La. and a member of the SWLGS Society, was a descendant of pioneer families of the Beauregard area. After his death in 1981 the vast amount of genealogical and historical data which he had collected was given by his wife, Mrs. Gladys Jacobs, to the Beauregard Historical Society.

Mr. Jacobs along with a cousin, Ray Hyatt, gathered an incredible collection of pioneer family records. Among Jacobs and Hyatt's goals was to include everyone who was buried in Beauregard Parish who was born before 1880. It has been estimated that there are about 150,000 names in the data collected, which also includes births, marriages, census records, land records, tax records, etc.

The City of DeRidder and the Beauregard Parish Library Board donated the necessary funds to purchase a minicomputer and with a grant from the Louisiana Committee for the Humanities, a computer program is being developed so that information can be retrieved for research. Because of the mass of information it will be about two years before the records will be available to the public.

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The March meeting of the Society was attended by 47 members. The Program was a panel discussion of the varied phases of Louisiana Research. Panelists were Gwen Barras, Kathleen Stagg, J. T. Platt, Pat Huffaker, Carol Sanders, Faye Sedotal, and Louise Hanchey who discussed the periods of early French, Spanish, German, Canadian, Acadian, and American periods in Louisiana. Louise Hanchey prepared a helpful list of some sources for these records. (The list is available from the Society for a SASE.) She also prepared a list of genealogical centers for those doing Louisiana research. Below is a partial listing:

Alexandria Historical & Genealogical Society  
Cor. of 5th & Washington St. (487-8556)  
Hours 10-4 Tues. - Sat.  
Alexandria, La.

Bayouland Library System  
(Inter-library Loan System)  
301 W. Congress St.  
Lafayette, La. 70501

Centroplex Library Branch  
120 St. Louis St. (389-4960)  
Baton Rouge, La. 70806

Dept. of Archives & History  
Louisiana State University Library  
Baton Rouge, La. 70803

Dupre Library (La. Room)  
University of Southwestern La.  
Lafayette, La. (231-6025)  
(Designated as official depository for La.  
Records; filming all La. records in Spain)

State Land Office  
Capitol Station  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

E Baton Rouge Library  
7711 Goodwood Blvd. (389-3370)  
Baton Rouge, La.  
(State Depository for DA  
Genealogical Collection)

Louisiana Historical Society  
Gallier Hall  
545 St. Charles Ave.  
New Orleans, La. 70130

La. State Library  
760 Riverside North  
P. O. Box 131 (342-4940)  
Baton Rouge, La. (Depository for  
La. Genealogical & Historical Soc.)

La. State Museum  
751 Chartres St.  
New Orleans, La. 70116

State Archives & Records Service  
1515 Choctaw St. (342-5440)  
Baton Rouge, La. 70804  
Hours: 8-4:30 Mon-Fri.

# CALCASIEU PARISH MARRIAGES 1910 - 1915

(Continued from Volume 7, No. 1)

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE OF MARRIAGE
Berryhill, Dan	Davis, Mrs. Ella	12/3/11
Bertrand, Clarence	Hymel, Odette	1/30/12
Bertrand, Joe	Moore, Corinne	5/27/12
Bertand, Joseph	Boudreaux, Avia	11/17/10
Bertrand, John	Mayfield, Pauline	12/13/11
Bertrand, Julian	Fontenot, Eudea	12/9/12
Bertrand, Leyand	Breaux, Dolinda	4/18/10
Bertrand, Nathaniel	Oquin, Melisa	5/17/13
Betts, Rayford	Riggs, Ida	11/21/10
Berwick, Jack	Clayton, Mrs. Mamie	6/22/14
Beyer, Herman	Dunbar, Lela	7/1/14
Beylis, Theo	Henry, Lela	6/29/15
Bilbo, Eddie	Booth, Laura	1/14/15
Bilbo, Lyman	Cruickshank, Mattie	7/22/14
Bilbo, Richard	Curdy, Emma	11/28/11
Bins, Almo	Sherman, Mrs. R. H.	3/16/14
Bishop, Walter	Hanchey, Frances	12/10/11
Blackman, Henry M.	Babcock, Margaret E.	11/24/12
Blackman, Tom	Turner, Sissie	8/16/12
Blaisdell, Obert H.	Brame, Effie Lee	1/14/14
Blake, Cleveland	Gray, Nellie	5/15/11
Blake, Harrison	Williams, Cecile	12/11/11
Blalock, Edw. J.	Perry, Lovinia	10/6/10
Blanchard, Gaston	Lewis, Louise	11/11/14
Blanchard, Theodore	Aucoin, Cleona L.	5/27/13
Blanchard, Theodore	Aucoin, Cleona L.	Affadavit
Blankenship, Jos. Rubin	Brackney, Ada Ellen	9/17/13
Blocker, H. H.	Hamilton, Lizzie	6/30/12
Bob, Charles	Power, Queen	5/17/10 license date
Bodley, Frank	Dennis, Rosa	5/13/12
Boler, Jim	Pryer, Bonita	1/15/14
Boling, George Ray	Dantel, May	6/28/11
Bolsuis, Emanuel	Smith, Pocahontas	6/9/10
Bondurant, Frank Marion	Ramsey, Mrs. Maud Collier	6/15/10
Bonnecarrere, Wallace	Duhon, Tilly	8/15/11
Bonnette, D. C.	Erath, Alma Louise	6/21/15
Bonnin, Octave P.	Harris, Mrs. Mamie Pachen	6/29/12
Bonnin, Ruso	East, Sally	5/24/13
Book, Fred	Vincent, Willie May	11/15/11
Bordelon, Wilins Elma	Allen, Lois	12/3/11
Boswell, Thomas L.	Rachal, Helen C.	9/12/12
Boswell, Walter	Gilbert, Mrs. Maggie	9/22/12
Bothwick, William White	Tragle, Cecile	1/11/11
Boudreaux, Aristide	Picard, Mrs. Felicia	4/12/13
Boudreaux, A. C.	Hannan, Josephine	8/14/12
Boudreaux, Charles	Landry, Nellie	5/31/13
Boudreaux, Sam	Faulk, Olivia	3/24/13

Bourgeois, Luma	Pousson, Aimee	2/21/11
Bourgeois, Phillip A.	LeBlanc, Rosa	2/15/15
Bourque, Adam	Arceneaux, Alicia	8/15/10
Bousson, Walter D.	Duhon, Edna	11/14/13
Boutte, Earl	Prescott, Sarah E.	5/31/15
Boutte, John	Lyons, Agnes	3/24/14
Boutte, Leo	Simmons, Pearl	12/13/14
Boutte, Willie V.	Brown, Rosana	11/1/11
Bowens, E. D.	LeBlanc, Mrs. Hilda	1/16/14
Bower, T. E.	Miller, Eva E.	5/13/14
Bowers, Jesse A.	Ferguson, Eva May	12/17/13
Bowers, Napoleon	Wilson, Gertrude	8/25/15
Bowman, Henry	Zachary, Edmonia	11/28/11
Bowman, J. L. R.	Grantham, Alice	4/16/11
Boyd, William	Frank, Mrs. Elizabeth	4/18/11
Boyle, Edward Louis	Cooksley, Annie Elizabeth	7/15/11
Box, A. F.	Larmour, Mrs. Carrie	5/3/12
Boxton, Alec	Ashworth, Mary	10/13/11
Bradford, Dave	Clayton, Annie Lou	5/23/11
Bradley, Charlie	Woods, Arvilla	3/13/12
Bradley, Will	Seals, Fannie	5/23/12
Brail, Roland C.	Simpson, Elva	3/4/11
Branch, Dock	Mason, Francis	3/27/11
Bramham, Hamilton	Wiley, Daisy	12/11/11
Brammer, Jacob Charles	Allen, Emma Mary	6/1/10
Brannon, H. L.	Drost, Maud	11/4/15
Brannon, James A.	Clifton, Henrietta	10/11/11
Brashear, John	Morrison, Zelma	10/10/11
Braunig, Ike	Arnier, Mrs. Maud	7/4/14
Braxton, Harrison	Perkins, Harriet	6/29/11
Braxton, Milton	Edwards, Sarah	2/29/12
Breaux, Joseph	Breaux, Mary	6/13/14
Breaux, Joseph	LeBleu, Anna	3/9/15
Breaux, Oras	Darron, Clara	9/11/15
Breaux, Oscar	Miller, Edna	12/23/14
Breaux, Severin P.	Sigur, Helen	6/21/10
Breucher, George	Robinson, Fannie	4/15/12
Brice, Calvin L.	White, Mrs. Bessie M.	1/27/12
Bridges, E. L.	Wyatt, Mrs. Maggie	2/14/14
Bridges, Henry Woodard	Nelson, Fannie M.	12/12/11
Briggs, Clinton Loree	Michie, Claire	8/28/12
Brooks, Clyde	Rawlings, Bertha	5/11/11
Brooks, Henry P.	Glaze, Clara Bessie	6/14/14
Brooks, James	Simon, Eithe	4/25/12
Brooks, Jeff	Thomas, Ella	4/28/13
Brooks, Robert	Davies, Beulah	6/21/15
Brossette, Rufus	Corbello, Sedonia	9/29/10
Brossette, R. L.	Coting, Dora	9/5/14
Broussard, Alexander	Bertrand, Julie	1/25/12
Broussard, Alphonse T.	Landry, Nienzie	9/14/11
Broussard, Calis G.	Kleinpeter, Flora	2/6/14

Broussard, Dave	Granger, Aline	12/30/12
Broussard, Despinnie	Foreman, Hilda	6/14/10
Broussard, Drozan	Granger, Mrs. Bazilide	11/17/15
Broussard, George R.	Lyon, Eva D.	8/1/15
Broussard, Henry	Babin, Mrs. MDgio	2/20/15
Broussard, Joseph	Zeno, Elector	2/19/14 license date
Broussard, Joseph	LeBlanc, Bernadette	3/20/15
Broussard Lester C.	Young, Dora	10/9/12
Broussard, Loyd	Simmons, Amy	12/22/12
Broussard, Lucien	Guidry, Isabella	5/29/11
Broussard, Nora	Monsis, Alida	2/26/12
Broussard, Paul	Boudreaux, Mary Sappie	4/1/14 license date
Broussard, Paul Dennis	Louvaillier, Daisey M.	8/6/14
Broussard, Randolph H.	Simmons, Nellie	10/25/11
Broussard, Sevenix	Olivias, Lioria	2/29/12
Brown, Clarence	Williams, Florine	6/26/12
Brown, Edward P.	Hudson, Zelda Bell	1/7/14
Brown, Frank	Cattor, Cordia	6/16/10
Brown, Henry	Green, Mary	6/26/15
Brown, Isreal	Scott, Lena	5/28/11
Brown, J. Lee	Garrie, Lucy	5/10/13 license only
Brown, James B.	Norman, Mrs. Docia	1/24/14
Brown, John	Williams, Amy	6/12/15
Brown, Joseph	Bearb, Ozea	5/6/12
Brown, Joseph	Clark, Mary	8/2/12
Brown, Luke	Oxford, Emma	9/21/10
Brown, Martin	Bean, Ola	11/27/11
Brown, Noble	McDowell, Frances	12/17/11
Brown, William J.	Sellers, Lillie	11/2/12
Brown, Willie	Lejeanne, Hattie	10/25/11
Broyles, Lucien E.	Booksh, Ida Elma	6/3/15
Bruckhaus, William	Fulton, Minnie D.	11/6/10
Brummet, Clarence	Bundick, Mrs. Ella	8/9/10
Bruner, Walter Scott	Hester, Sarah	8/2/11
Brune, Leonard	Nugent, Ortele	4/25/12
Bryant, Elie	Crowell, Mrs. Anna V.	10/7/12
Bryant, Dave J.	Stadler, Mrs. Minnie	1/15/14
Bryant, Harry	Mason, Lizzie	2/1/15
Bryant, Sidney	Garrett, Lulu	5/9/12
Bryant, W.	Martel, Mary	6/3/12
Bruning, William A.	Hines, Catherine	11/25/13
Bruno, Faustin	Guidry, Clarice	8/25/13
Buchanan, Edgar A.	Jordan, Pamela	6/25/10
Buck, Wilson	Hall, Mattie	8/7/12
Buckney, G. H.	Mears, Mrs. Bertie	11/24/12
Budd, J. O.	Trevey, Linnie	6/11/15
Buehler, Leon	Davies, Hattie	12/8/13
Buller, Archie	Gary, Julia	4/18/11
Buller, Ernest	Gary, Rosalie	4/18/11
Buller, Ephrom	Darbonne, Valentine	8/10/11
Buller, Jerome	Darbonne, Lucile	11/28/12
Buller, Oscar	Marcantel, Dorsine	3/31/10



Buller, Thomas Lee	Garbarino, Eva	12/13/11
Bullock, Charles J.	Graham, Edna L.	6/1/11
Bumgarten, Fred A.	Reese, Pearl	11/23/10
Bunn, W. C.	Osterholt, Miss Hilda W.	11/27/13
Bunch, Kinney R.	Doiron, Mary Ida	11/25/14
Burge, Cecil	Book, Chale	11/9/11
Burge, Mack	Sonier, Estelle	7/2/14
Burgin, Stone	Curtis, Priscella	6/18/14
Burke, John	Lyons, Irene	3/20/13
Burke, Richard	Field, Adella	11/10/10
Burke, Warland	Gayle, Katie Adolphine	9/20/13
Burkes, John	West, Nancy Elmina	3/15/12
Burks, Frederick Coney	Foreman, Mary	9/5/14
Burks, Robert	Stutes, Susan	2/13/12
Burleson, A. J.	Eastworth, Etta	9/11/15
Burnett, James R.	Cumby, Kate Katherine	8/26/12
Burns, Harry	Gerdson, Josephine	2/22/13
Burns, Joseph W.	Rasmussen, Mrs. Marguerite	2/21/15
Burns, Joshua	Cately, Eva	9/7/15
Burns, Sam	Dixon, Margarette	10/4/15
Burnside, L. R.	Adams, Louise	11/14/12 license date
Bushnell, Maxile	Caesare, Alexina	11/29/10
Butter, Roscoe C.	Sapp, Minnie	10/11/13
Buxton, Ellis	Inzer, Mrs. Willie Mae	2/15/11
Byers, J. G.	May, Grace Maude	1/29/14
Byrnes, Robert John	Hayden, Ellen Louise	6/12/12
* Brou, Arthur	Ryan, Laura	7/25/15
* Braggs, Howard	Harris, Nettie	2/25/12
* Burns, Willie	Moss, Maggie	10/19/14

\* out of alphabetical order

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#### FROM OUR EXCHANGE PROGRAM

*Our Names's the Game*, Vol. 8, No. 6, Jan. 1983. An item dated 27 Sept. 1828 in the "Shamokin Canalboat", says, "As known, the ship captains often take emigrants to America with the stipulation to leave themselves to be sold for a fixed time, for their fare. In the German papers the market prices for these emigrants is given as follows - Usually the Captain receives for a German 60 to 80 dollars, for an Englishman or Scotchman, 30 dollars, and for an Irishman, 20 to 25 dollars; they cannot get rid of a Spaniard or Portuguese at any price."

*Navarro Leaves and Branches*, Vol. VI, No. 1, Feb. 1983. Ever wonder why you cannot translate or understand some census reports? Perhaps this excerpt from the *Natchez Trace Newsletter* will help you. "I am a census taker for the city of baffalow. Our city has groan very fast in resent years and now in 1865, it has becum a hard and time consuming job to count all the peePhill. There are not many that can do this work, as it is nesesarie to have an ejuchashun, which a lot of pursons still do not have. Anuther atributeart needed for this job is good spelling for meny of the peePhill to be counted can hardle speek inglish, let alone spel there names!"



## PARISH NAMES

Some of Louisiana's 64 parishes have names that are of Indian origin. Some of these, like Avoyelles, Caddo, Natchitoches, Ouachita and Tensas are names of tribes themselves, while others retain the names which were given by Indians who lived there. Among the latter are the parishes of Calcasieu (meaning "crying eagle"), Catahoula ("beloved lake") and Tangipohoa ("ear of corn").

Many others recall the French occupation and the Acadian migration. Lafayette and Orleans parishes were named for French noblemen, the Marquis de Lafayette and the Duke of Orleans, brother of the French king. Other parishes like Baton Rouge ("red stick"), Sabine ("cypress"), Plaquemines ("persimmons"), Lafourche ("the fork"), Terrebonne ("good earth"), and Pointe Coupee ("cut point") retain the names given them by the French. Iberville, Bienville and La Salle parishes were named for French explorers. Acadia and Evangline relate to the exiles from Nova Scotia.

The Spanish influence is shown in the names of DeSoto parish (named for the famous explorer), the parishes of East and West Feliciana ("happy land"), Concordia ("new paradise"), and Iberia (named for the Iberian peninsula of Spain).

Several parishes have names showing the Catholic influence in Louisiana. Among these are St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Tammany, St. Landry, St. Mary, St. Martin, St. Helena, St. Bernard, and St. Charles. Catholic festivals are commemorated in the names of Ascension and Assumption Parishes.

Four parishes are named for geographic peculiarities. They are Rapides, Red River, Vermilion, and Richland.

The rest are named for men who played a role in the history of our country or our state. Among the former are Washington, Franklin, Jefferson, Jackson, Madison, Jefferson Davis, Beauregard, Lincoln, Grant, East and West Carroll, Vernon, and Webster. The latter includes the parishes of Allen, Bossier, Cameron, Claiborne, Morehouse, Winn, Livingston, and Caldwell.

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## LOUISIANA'S NEWSPAPERS

In 1764 Denis Brand, a Frenchman, obtained the exclusive right to operate a printing press in the colony of Louisiana. He printed only pamphlets and official documents.

The first newspaper in Louisiana, printed in French, of course, was the Monditeur de la Louisiane. The exact date of the first publication is not known but it was about 1794 and was published in New Orleans.

The second newspaper of the colony was the Telegraphe. It was printed partly in English and was extremely conservative and upheld the prerogatives of the French nobility. It was published in 1803.

The Louisiana Gazette, printed in 1804, was printed in English. The earliest paper published outside New Orleans was the Time-Piece of St. Francisville in 1811.

Over fifty newspapers, totally or partially in French were published from 1840-1850. One of the most famous L'Abeille de la Nouvelle, called the New Orleans Bee, which was published only in French, lasted almost a hundred years from 1827 to 1925.

The Daily Picayune which eventually became the New Orleans Times Picayune, began in 1837. In 1840 the Caddo Gazette, parent of the Shreveport Times, began publication in Shreveport. The Baton Rouge Advocate was first printed in 1842.

In 1855 the Calcasieu Press, forerunner of the Lake Charles Press, was published by Martel and Spence. The Lake Charles Commercial began in 1881, followed by the American in 1885 and the Lake Charles Tribune; which was first called the Lake Charles Weekly American, and later the Lake Charles American. In 1910 the Lake Charles American merged with the Lake Charles Weekly Press to form the Lake Charles American Press, still the major newspaper being published in southwest Louisiana.



PARISHES AND PARISH SEATS

MAGNOLIA CEMETERY (McKinley, St., Westlake, La.) Continued from Vol. 7 No. 1)

EDWARD J. FRANKLIN  
Oct. 17, 1961  
Oct. 18, 1961

WILLIAM E. FRANKLIN  
La. 1st/SGT CMD-WWII  
Mar. 17, 1903  
Apr. 2, 1951

PAUL LANGLEY  
La. CPL 86 Mecz. Cav.  
Rec. Sq/ WWII  
Nov. 26, 1910  
Jan. 10, 1968

CHARLINE HOLDER  
June 18, 1919  
Apr. 6, 1958

GEORGE M. HOLDER  
Jan. 10, 1901  
Apr. 6, 1958

ERNEST O. TAYLOR  
Feb. 8, 1905  
Apr. 20, 1957

RAYMON CHARLES BARNES  
June 16, 1906  
June 21, 1959

EDWARD GARY RIPLEY  
La. Mech. Co. A Mach. Gun  
BM WWI  
Feb. 2, 1894  
Apr. 9, 1962

ROSE MARIE GUIDRY  
Sept. 30, 1949  
Jan. 23, 1964

CONSTANCE HEBERT GUIDRY  
Apr. 13, 1877  
Aug. 25, 1968

MELANIE RUTH CHAPMAN  
Jan. 25, 1963  
Feb. 16, 1963

SCOTT ANTHONY, son of  
MR/MRS. LOUIS CHISHOLM  
May 29, 1950  
Feb. 22, 1970

EMERY J. RICHARD  
La. PFC 187 Gen. Hosp.-WWII  
Feb. 8, 1922  
Aug. 17, 1966

MARY KATHERINE ALFORD  
Born: MUNN  
Aug. 14, 1922  
Sept. 15, 1967

URANIE MARY MAYNARD  
Born: MILLER  
Jan. 29, 1897  
July 29, 1968

VERONICA ANN CHAPMAN  
June 29, 1960  
Mar. 7, 1966

CHARLES EDWARD COMEAUX  
Jan. 15, 1965  
July 16, 1965

REIGINA COMEAUX  
Mar. 14, 1920  
Dec. 24, 1970

SAM S. WELLS  
Jan. 15, 1872  
Sept. 7, 1915

AILEEN ANDERSON VINES  
Oct. 5, 1904  
May 27, 1970

G. HARVEY MIDDLETON  
Aug. 1, 1898  
Jan. 28, 1971

EDNA BELLE HENRY, wife of  
C. A. LUTZ  
Oct. 25, 1894  
Mar. 8, 1935

CHARLES ADOLPH LUTZ  
Jan. 24, 1883  
Jan. 7, 1948

CHARLES ADOLPH LUTZ, JR.  
Oct. 1, 1924  
Aug. 25, 1957

PAUL BROWN  
La. PVT 161 Inf. 41 Div.  
died: Feb. 26, 1941

WILLIE MAE BROWN  
Apr. 6, 1866  
Nov. 15, 1958

JAMES F. NELSON  
Oct. 17, 1847  
Nov. 27, 1916

EZEKIEL SMITH  
d. Jan. 9, 1898  
age: 21 yrs., 8 mos., 6 days

BEVIL GRANVILLE, son of  
MR/MRS. EVANS  
d. Nov. 1, 1898  
age: 21 yrs., 3 mos., 13 days

CLIFTON ST. CLAIR, son of  
B.G. & M.M. EVANS  
d. Feb. 24, 1898  
age 16 yrs., 10 days

A. GOINGS  
Mar. 5, 1823  
Jan. 30, 1898

EDWARD R. PARKER  
La. PFC M.D.-WWII  
Jan. 19, 1910  
Dec. 27, 1949

HENRY FREDRICK GRUNDMANN  
Oct. 27, 1849-Straul Sund,  
Germany  
Jan. 22, 1903

WILLIE GRUNDMANN  
Nov. 11, 1886  
May 7, 1956

NOLAN ELENDER  
Feb. 27, 1880  
July 14, 1951

STEPHEN G. ELEDER (ELENDER?)  
July 31, 1856  
Dec. 7, 1931

FRANK ELENDER  
Woodman Pine Knot Camp #11  
d. Sept. 22, 1904  
age 26 yrs., 5 mos., 29 days

"Son" of  
MR/MRS. THOMAS C. STEEN  
Oct. 29, 1908  
Apr. 5, 1909

MARGRET E. VINCENT, wife of  
S. G. ELENDER  
d. Oct. 1, 1901  
age 50 yrs., 1 mo., 18 days

SIDNEY J. DUPIN  
July 30, 1888  
June 3, 1930

INEZ SOPHIA VATTER

Aug. 13, 1889

July 29, 1904

JOANNA BLAYLOCK STUBBS

b. Aug. 12, 1896

(only date)

WILLIAM H. STUBBS, JR.

La.TEC/5 756M.P. Bn.-WWII

Apr. 10, 1919

Jan. 6, 1971

CLARA B. WING

Apr. 25, 1893

Mar. 15, 1970

JAMES H. AKINS--Mason

Jan. 1, 1894

Feb. 23, 1964

CLEM JOSEPH DUHON

Aug. 31, 1906

July 27, 1962

ALFRED PHILIP HAWKINS--Mason

May 15, 1911

Sept. 23, 1962

PHILIP GLENN, son of

MR/MRS. PHILIP HAWKINS

b. & d. Dec. 12, 1931

SCOTT ALLEN, son of

MR/MRS. GLEN CARPENTER

Feb. 13, 1961

July 5, 1962

JOHN S. YOUNG

La.SGT 726 Bomb.SQ.AAF-WWII

Dec. 4, 1908

July 24, 1970

MAGGIE M. PERRY, wife of

JOHN P. YOUNG

Mar. 4, 1877

Dec. 10, 1959

JOHN P. YOUNG

Feb. 7, 1881

Dec. 8, 1963

ANTONIA FRANZ, son of

MR/MRS. M. L. MEEK, JR.

Mar. 1, 1961

Feb. 14, 1963

LAURENCE HUDSON

Mar. 10, 1904

Jan. 8, 1965

TERRES PIERRE FONTENOT

Nov. 2, 1907

Nov. 11, 1958

ANNABELLE HARMON FONTENOT

b. Oct. 26, 1908

(only date)

MICHAEL SCOTT, son of

MR/MRS. PAUL I. LOGUE

b & d Jan. 22, 1966

FIDEL C. ALANIZ, SR.

Mar. 24, 1913

Oct. 10, 1967

JERRY LEE

Apr. 24, 1952

June 21, 1953

DAVID ARTHUR MOTT, son of

MR/MRS. WILMER MOTT

Aug. 24, 1951

June 21, 1953

GEORGE ACHESON

Mar. 12, 1912

Feb. --, 1962

AZATINE GOODEAUX

Mar. 17, 1922

Apr. 10, 1967

MAYUS LANGLEY

Jan. 10, 1903

Oct. 22, 1961

ROBERT L. CHEEK

Apr. 6, 1892

Aug. 10, 1961

RETHA A. EGGERT

Jan. 18, 1892

Jan. 21, 1968

LAWRENCE M. GUZMAN

La. F/3 US Navy

Apr. 29, 1906

Oct. 27, 1962

FANNIE MAE COLE

b. May 4, 1886

(only date)

FRANCIS S. ADAMS

La. CPL 13 Co. 162 Dpt.

Brig. - WWI

Jan. 16, 1899

June 18, 1969

JOSEPHINE JANICE

Dec. 14, 1896

June 30, 1962

WILLIAM HENRY STUBBS

Sept. 30, 1895

July 13, 1965

PERMELIA J. TAYLOR,

wife of J. F. NELSON

Aug. 18, 1845

Feb. 18, 1890

ELEON MILAM

Dec. 20, 1898

Feb. 19, 1900

GLADYS MILAM

Dec. 2, 1896

Mar. 9, 1904

ELIZABETH ANN TAYLOR,

wife of J. W. SHERARD

Feb. 21, 1837

Oct. 13, 1906

JAMES W. SHERARD- Mason

d. May 15, 1896

age 60 yrs., 10 mos., 21 da.

MAGGIE SHERARD, daugh. of

JAMES SHERARD &

ELIZABETH ANN TAYLOR

July 5, 1872

Oct. 19, 1940

EMANUEL M. BOLSIUS

Dec. 22, 1885

Mar. 16, 1959

ALMA BROWN, wife of

J. A. PETERSON

Mar. 5, 1897

June 29, 1924

BERTHA MARIE ANDERSON,

infant of EDWARD &

EDNA ANDERSON

Oct. 27, 1898

Oct. 29, 1898

(Concluded)

## THE PERRIN FAMILY OF VERMILION PARISH, LOUISIANA

Jean Perrin (Peyron), born in France circa 1833, was believed to have been orphaned as a boy of parents that died approximately 24 hours of each other. He apparently lived near the coast of France because it is believed he worked on the docks loading ships. He came to south Louisiana at about age 20 as a stowaway aboard a ship that had stopped in Canada on its voyage to south Louisiana, circa 1853. Apparently fearing that he might be discovered and returned to France, he adopted the surname Peyron.

While aboard the ship as a stowaway, Jean was befriended by a priest, Father Mayo, whose destination was south Louisiana. Jean was very religious and confided in the priest. He confessed to Father Mayo that his true last name was Perrin.

Upon his arrival in south Louisiana, Jean, like Father Mayo, settled near Abbeville. Jean established a blacksmith shop north of Abbeville near the Vermilion Bayou.

Jean was first married to Marguerite Frederick. Of their marriage three children were born: Henry, Grace and Jules. Marguerite Frederick had been previously married to a man whose last name was Landry; he died during their marriage. From this marriage was one daughter, Marie Landry. A story pertaining to the said Landry gentlemen is as follows: he and his brother-in-law, Charles Frederick were serving in the same company in the Confederate forces during the Civil War. Inasmuch as Mr. Landry and Charles Frederick were close to home they requested, and were granted, a two-day leave to visit their family. Once at home with his family, Mr. Landry was persuaded to stay an extra day because the family was going to have a large boucherie. This extra day proved to be disastrous for him; when he returned to this company he was court martialed and ordered executed as an example to the other men. Charles Frederick, his brother-in-law, was selected to serve on the three-man firing squad. Fortunately for Charles, he was not forced to fire upon his brother-in-law; a good friend in his company offered to take his place on the firing squad which executed Landry.

Things went well for Jean Perrin and his young family. They saved money and Jean, along with other Frenchmen living in the area, pooled their resources and decided to speculate in the mining of sulphur. They embarked upon a joint venture in Sulphur, La. and homesteaded land. It is believed that Jean owned about 200 acres. Unfortunately, the venture proved unsuccessful.

While Jean was living in Sulphur, Marguerite died. He was financially and emotionally bankrupt, and with help of his brother-in-law, Francois Frederick, loaded up his young children and personal belongings in an oxcart and came back to the Meaux area of Vermilion Parish.

Jean's brother-in-law, Charles Frederick, offered to raise his three year old son, Jules. Jean agreed and Charles Frederick took the boy home and reared him in the Tigre Lagoon (Henry) area. Jules was brought to make his first communion before Father Mayo, the priest who had befriended Jules's father; he recognized the name and told the young boy that actually his last name was Perrin, not Peyron. From that time forward Jules Perrin abandoned the last name Peyron and used the surname Perrin.

Jean married Louisa Pitre and reared his second family in Meaux. Of his second marriage the following children were born: Henrietta, Lonrita, Natalia, Cecile, Jean and Pierre.

Jean Peyron lived on his property he had acquired west of Meaux. He was a farmer most of his life. He was known to have been a rather quiet but stern man. He spoke only French, and apparently was a literate person who enjoyed reading in French. He was a tall, slender, light-complexioned man with steel blue eyes. In his later years he enjoyed being with his grandchildren and working in his garden.

Jean died while in his late 80's; he predeceased his second wife, Louisa, who died in her mid 90's. They are buried in the Pitre family cemetery near Meaux.

Charles Frederick, who reared Jean's son, Jules, was married to Zulma Dubois and had three daughters: Odeide, Zulmae, and Irma. Jules, being the only boy of the house, was favored by family members as a youth. He maintained limited contact with his natural father due to transportation and communication inadequacies. They did, however, visit occasionally. As a youth, Jules feared that perhaps his natural father would take him away from his foster father, Charles Frederic, whom he loved very much and who had lavished upon him so much care and affection. As a result, he apparently never became close to this natural father, Jean.

Jules had a happy, carefree upbringing. He attended a rural, private school for a short time where lessons were in French. It was located near the Tigre Lagoon (Henry) area. Although he received little formal education, Jules later became adept in math and business matters and became known as a sharp and intelligent businessman.

Jules married Corinne Broussard, circa 1895; of their marriage five children were born: Henry (1897), Clayton (1900), Laphide (1903), Jules, Jr. (1905), and Glaude (1908). Corinne's parents were Onezime Broussard and Irma Miguez; she was one of nine children, born on February 20, 1873, in the Prairie Gregg (Henry) area.

During the first year of marriage, Jules and Corinne lived with his in-laws in Henry, La. near the Landry cemetery. He farmed for a year and then opened a general store on school board property which served the entire Prairie Gregg area. The business flourished and the store became a hub of the community.

Jules remained in business there until about 1913, when he bought 40 acres of land about 1½ miles east of the school board property onto which he moved his large general store. Later a large, spacious house was also built next to the store. It was there that the Perrin family resided. The house was always open to family and friends and it became a focal point of activity for the residents of the Prairie Gregg area.

The business prospered and Jules acquired additional land in the area; however, much of his business was on credit and when the depression hit in the late 1920's this caused severe financial difficulties and he lost much of his property. Additionally, the family suffered from two disastrous fires. First the store burned down and later, on an election day, the family house also burned. The house was the center of community affairs and voting was held there. As was the custom, a big dinner had been prepared for family and friends and it was believed that too much heat generated from cooking so large a dinner caused the house's chimney to overheat, thereby causing the fire. The grief caused to the family by the loss of their beloved home was never overcome and it seemed to accent the sufferings of the entire community during the dark ages of the Great Depression. After the store burned, it was not rebuilt; Jules managed, however, to save the rest of his property through the farming of his land.

Jules, though active in public affairs, never sought public office. However, he maintained a keen interest in politics, knew a lot of people and was often consulted by landmen in obtaining information concerning the signing of oil and gas leases in the area. He was a kind, friendly man not easily disposed to anger. He inherited a love of people from his uncle and foster father, Charles Frederick (affectionately known as "Nonc Beb"). Corinne, though loved by all, was, by contrast, irrepressible and never at a loss for words.

Jules' main recreation was going to his camp on the Vermilion Bay with his family and friends. It was located on the west end of the Boston Canal which was known as the Hackberry area. In 1915 the family went to the camp for a visit and nearly perished in a storm. Jules, Corinne, Gladue, Clayton, along with Clomare Broussard, his wife, Elizabeth, and their children, were staying at the camp when a large hurricane struck unexpectedly. They had brought some lumber to build a cattle pen and, but for this lumber, they would have perished. When the weather turned extremely bad, the men began building a raft with the lumber. During the night the weather got progressively worse; the water began rising and the wind increased. At approximately 9:00 PM, they realized that the camp might blow away, so they left it, waded through the water, boarded the crudely constructed raft and tied it to a hackberry tree. The group waited out the storm on the raft until the following day when the water subsided. They were rescued by Mr. William Guidry who had come to check on them. As was often the case in those days, the storm was unexpected and many people in the area, who were less fortunate or unprepared, perished.

Jules Perrin, Sr., along with Aristide Broussard, formed the Landry Cemetery Association in February, 1932 which exists to this day.

Jules died on September 4, 1949. His wife, Corinne, died on July 19, 1959. Until their deaths both were devoutly religious Catholics.

Jules and Corrine Perrin and their descendants have contributed to and shared in the rich history of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

(Additional research reveals that the spelling Jean used was properly "Peyran" rather than "Peyron".)

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## LYONS GENEALOGY

Two of our members wrote that they have additional information on the Lyons family genealogy published in our Fall 1982 issue. They are Geneva Bailey Seymour, 5009 42nd St., Lubbock, TX 79414 and Dorothy Lawrence, 136 Greenwood Dr., Jennings, LA 70546. Mrs. Lawrence writes: "the article omitted the first Lyons in this area: John Lyons, b. 1750, d. 1835 and his wife Nancy Ahart, d. 1809. The youngest son was simply listed as David Lyons. He was b. ca. 1799 prob. Bayou Que de Tortue, m. 14 Jul. 1822 Rebecca Merriman; d. by 30 Apr. 1825. He left two children David Merriman Lyons b. ca. 1823 m. 1849 Euphemie Petry; and Elizabeth Lyons b. ca. 1825 m. 1842 William Shaw. This family is a very old La. Family. My husband is a descendant of David Lyons and Margaret Rebecca Merriman."



MARRIAGE RECORDS, CALCASIEU PARISH, 10 September 1866 through  
7 January 1873 Performed by Justice of the Peace, Delino Derouen

(Original records abstracted by Elizabeth H. Cagnon, indexed by Elizabeth H. Cagnon and Dorothy P. Lawrence, typed by Helen D. Fusilier for the DAR.)

Jefferson Davis Parish, which had been a part of Calcasieu Parish, was formed in 1913. It is believed that all of the marriages took place in that section that is now Jefferson Davis Parish.

In June, 1982 these original documents were discovered in the vault of the Jennings City Hall. No one has been found who knew of their existence or where they were kept prior to the establishment of Jennings in the 1880's.

The City of Jennings, under the administration of Mayor William T. Cagnon, Jr. and Saday Manuel, City Clerk, gave the original documents to the Jennings Carnegie Public Library, where they are now housed.

The loss of all of the Calcasieu records in the fire of 1910 which destroyed the court house, as well as numerous city blocks in Lake Charles, makes the Derouen marriage records even more valuable.

In abstracting this material every attempt was made to copy the records exactly as they were written. Occasionally, a name is spelled two or even three ways in one document. Each document is hand written by Mr. Derouen and each one bears his name and title as well as the name of the bride and the groom and three witnesses.

(The Southwest Louisiana Genealogical Society was given a copy of these original documents and these have been made a part of the Society's library.)

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE	WITNESSES
ANDRUS, WILLIAM	OSEMONED, MADELAINE	29 Sept. 1870	Froizin Roy John James George Washington
ARDOIN, SYPRIEN	LANDRY, ROSALIE	22 Jan. 1867	Leon Hebert Darmancour Lopez Donlouis Gary
ARDY, JOSEPH	ARDOIN, ANGELINE (Ageline)	4 Feb. 1867	Joseph Corbelo Tousin Demare Syprien Ardoin
BALOUM, HILL	LEBENINE, CHARLOTTE (Lobenine)	7 Jan. 1873	Jedeon Saunier Leandre Figurant Joseph Figurant
BESHEAR, ALEXANDER (F.M.C.)	LEBLANC, CELESTE (F.W.C.)	19 Mar. 1870	Olivier D. Broussard Antoine Arceneaux Joachaim Laboue
BESHEAR, JOSEPH	BODOIN, CELESTE	12 Sept. 1871	F. G. HAY Eugene Guidry Antoine Ardy
BONIN, CHARLES (of Parish of Lafayette, La.)	DUGAS, ANASTAZIE	20 Jun. 1870	--Constantin Louis Gus. Breaux A-- Delhomme
BOURGEOIS, ALCIDE	BOURGEOIS, MATHILDE	22 Oct. 1867	David Foreman -. D. Targess(Fargess) Elisee Guillory

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE	WITNESSES
BOURJOI, ALFRED	HEBERT, MARIE D.	25 Jul. 1869	Louis Doulangen E. V. Verret Jacob Welsh
BROUSSARD, ABRAHAM (of Vermilion Parish)	BROUSSARD, JULIE T.	23 Apr. 1867	A. Legepere Olivier D. Broussard Gabriel Broussard
BROUSSARD, ARTHUR (of Vermilion Parish)	BROUSSARD, APOLINE	9 Nov. 1869	Wm. Laurents Fenelon Broussard Joseph Savoy
BROUSSARD, CHARLES D.	ROMERO, VICTORIA	9 Aug. 1869	Wm. Laurents Abraham Broussard Louis Broussard
BROUSSARD, JOACHAIM (Joachaine) (Of St. Landry Parish)	ARINGTON, EULALIE	17 Jun. 1867	--D. Thibodeaux Olivier D. Broussard Jos. St. Andrus
BROUSSARD, JOSEPH	LAPERUSE, EUGENIE	28 Jun. 1870	Francois Legros Firmin Landry Leo Broussard
BROUSSARD, LOUIS	BROUSSARD, EMELIA (Mrs.) (widow of Augustin Benoit) (resident of Vermilion Par.)	23 Apr. 1867	A. Legepere Olivier D. Broussard Gabriel Broussard
BROUSSARD, PRIVAT	MILLER, MARY A.	27 Jul. 1869	Bazile Broussard Drazan Broussard D. Hebert
BUCHEUR, DESIRE (freedman)	BROUSSARD, MARCELITTE (freedwoman)	18 Mar. 1869	F. G. Hay B. E. Clark --- ---
CAMPBELL, GEORGE W.	TRAHAN, FRANCOISE DEVINE	22 Jun. 1868	D. Hebert Valcin Hebert Joseph Trahan
CLAY, HENRY (freedman)	-----, CARMELITE (freedwoman) (daugh. of Francoise --)	8 Jul. 1867	Emile Moutry Arison Tenner Homere Moutry
COLLINS, JAMES	WELSH, FANY	30 Nov. 1868	Joseph Corbelo Jacob Welsh Ulysse Fruge
CORBELLO, ALPHONSE AMEDEE	VERET, MARIE VICTORINE (Verret)	31 Dec. 1867	Elias Guillory Joseph Ardy Alcide Bourgeois
CREATHER, BEN (F.M.C.)	CHRETIEN, ELISABETH (F.W.C.)	10 May 1870	Homise Moutre George Hill Hipolyte Kaly
DAIGLE, ADAM	MILLER, LIZE	12 May 1868	Sifroid Hebert Alphonse Hebert Onézime Fontono
DEROUEN, CLEBERT	HAYES, LUCRETIA	20 Dec. 1870	Aurelien Derouen Pierre Lenoir Joseph Derouen
DEROUEN, ULINOR (Ulinrd)	ANDRUS, MARTHA	3 Jan. 1871	John Hayes Arvillien Derouen Leo Derouen

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE	WITNESSES
DIEZ, ANTOINE	BERTRAND, JOSEPHINE	20 Apr. 1869	Joseph Reed -- --
DUHON, ONEZIME	LEGROS, JULIE (Mrs.) (widow LeJeune)	4 Mar. --	Adrien Guidry Pierre Leblanc Donlouis Gary Wm. F.D. Mechan
FRUGE, L. (of St. Landry Par.)	KNIGHT, JOSEPHINE	3 Aug. 1870	G. B. Demoriant F. G. Hay H. C. Fruge
GARY, LOUIS	LABOVE, ELISABETH	2 Jun. 1870	Darmancour Lopez Valentin Saunier Valcin Hebert
GRADNEGO, LOUIS (F.M.C.) (of St. Landry Par.)	CHRETIEN, AGLAE (F.W.C.)	30 Apr. 1868	Pierre Lenoir Emile Buller Pierre Verret
GRANGER, MARCEL	MALLET, ELISE	4 Mar. 1867	Alexandre P. Hebert Francois Benoit Abraham Broussard
GUIDRY, TELESORE	BROUSSARD, CARMELITE	21 Feb. 1871	G. Gibbs Zephiran Guidry G. Oliver
GUILLORY, ELISEE	ROBICHAUD, JUSTINE (widow Arcenause)	11 Nov. 1867	Pierre A. Hebert James Holland Tolivar Hayes
HARDY, ANTOINE (freedman)	BISHIER, MELANIE (freedwoman)	3 Feb. 1869	Hypolytte Primo Eugene Guidry John James
HAYES, JOHN J.	HEBERT, ROSA A.	22 July 1868	T. Hebert James Holland Wm. Laurents
HAYES, TOLIVAR	MALET, EVELINA	13 Jan. 1868	James Holland John Hayes David Holland
HEBERT, ADOLPHE	DEMAREST, ADELINE	10 Jan. 1869	Archibald Guidry David Foreman Victor Veret
HEBERT, ERASTE	HAYES, MARTHA	23 Jul. 1867	Bazile Broussard Tolivar Hayes David Foreman
HEBERT, MAURICE	STINE, FLORIDA	13 Jan. 1868	B. E. Clark Paren Hayes James Holland
HEKINBOTHONS, ANDREW (Hikinbothon) (freedman)	BISHIR, FELONISE (freedwoman)	17 June 1867	Alexander P. Hebert John James Desire Bishir
HILL, GEORGE (of Vermilion Par.)	CHRETIEN, ELIZA	18 Jan. 1871	David Foreman Francois Benoit Tolivar Hayes
LABOUE, WILLIAM (Labove)	GARY, ROSALIE	25 Aug. 1870	Joseph Reed Louis Gary Victor Richard
LANDRY, FIRMAIN (Firmin)	BROUSSARD, AMELIE	31 May 1869	Privat Broussard Francois Legros Paulen Broussard

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE	WITNESSES
MALET, TERTULE	BUREAU, MARIE E.	8 Feb. 1869	Asezione Mallet Francois Benoit -- Daigle
MILER, GUSTAVE	TRAHAN, FANY	16 Jun. 1870	M. Whittington Joseph Reed Hermogene Guidry
MOULTRY, HOMERE (of Vermilion Par.)	CHRETIEN, EMELIE	18 Jan. 1871	David Foreman Francois Benoit Tolivar Hayes
OLIVER, GEORGE (note: back of document states: "Aurelien Derouen, Lacassine")	GUIDRY, EURANIE	28 Feb. 1870	--Rowe Antole Gauthier Telesmore Guidry
PELOQUIN, CESAIRE	WELSH, LYDIA	29 Jan. 1868	Ulysse Fruge Elisee Guillory Jacob Welsh
RANET, HENRY	TRAHAN, MARIE E.	14 Sept. 1870	G. W. Campbell A. Dupuy Octase Benoit
ROWE, MATHEW (Matthew) (of St. Landry Par.)	VALDETARO, MARY ODELIA (Odilia)	2 Oct. 1871	F. M. Rowe F. G. Hay George Oliver
ROY, EUGENE	MILER, MARIE ELOUISE (Elosnie)	21 Apr. 1868	F. G. Hay B. E. Clark Joseph Berjo
SAUNIER, VALANTIN (Valatin) (of St. Landry Par.)	GARY, ROSALIE	17 Jul. 1867	Leon Hebert Darmancour Lopez Leucien Breau
SAVOY, JOSEPH	LEBLANC, FELICIANE (Felicianne)	4 Mar. 1867	Norber Duhon Eugene Laviolette Eugene enou
THERIOT, CHARLES	SAVOY, SILVANIE (Silvania)	28 Sept. 1868	Armogene Corner Syphroyen Boudreau Olivier D. Broussard
TRAHAN, JOSEPH (Special license produced from the Clerk of the 8th Judicial District Cout of Parish of Calcasieu, dated 3 Sept. 1866 authorizing the marriage; married at home of Valcin Hebert.)	HEBERT, ELINA	24 Sept. 1866	Alexandre P. Hebert --- Cornar Zephiran Guidry
TRAHAN, OSAIME (Special license produced from Clerk of 8th Judicial District Court of Parish of Calcasieu, dated 3 Sept. 1866 authorizing the marriage; married at home of Silveste Bertrand.)	GASPARD, ANASTASIE	10 Sept. 1866	N. Broussard Louis Broussard Silveste Bertrand
WELSH, JACOB	SIMMONS, SUSAN	10 Dec. 1868	David Foreman Henry Welsh Leon Metivier

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Like to correspond with descendants of Alexander FERGUSON b. 1740, Scotland; m. Mary PARKER, Va. Son Stephen D., b. 1785 Bedford Co., Va. and son (my g.-grandfather) Carlus George FERGUSON, b. Jan. 1813, Franklin Co., Va. Need name of Carlus' 1st wife; his place of death & date (maybe Wolfe City, Tx.). Carlus m. Sarah Jane ORREN ca. 1860. Sarah b. ca. 1842, Tn. Need her parents' names & dates.....

Henry Michael MUMMEY, b. 1847 Schuylkill Co., Pa., m. Elizabeth MAHAN, b. ca. 1848, Ohio (middle name may have been Dezrette); m. 1868, Auglaize, Ohio. Elizabeth d. in Jefferson Co., Tx., 1922. ... Henry Mic MUMMY descendant of Isaac MUMMEY b. 26 May 1821, Schuylkill Co., Pa. Isaac d. 20 Mar. 1885, Labette Co., Ks. m. Mary Magdaline BLANK b. 1824 Pa., d. 18 Feb. 1909, Ks. Need Mary's parents. Could they be Peter & Catherine BLANK? What is Catherine's maiden name?....

Need parents of Robert SCHMIDT b. Oct. 1851, Germany. Where? Who are his parents? When did he come to America? Robert m. Hannach MUELLER d/o Charles & Magdaline -----? Hannah and parents came to US ca. 1867. What port? Appreciate any help on any of the above.....MARY BURDEN SEALES, PO Box 8278, Lumberton, Tx 77711.

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Arrora Ellen (Annie) CHRISTIE b. 29 Mar. 1865, Lake Charles, La. d. 12 July 1950, Wichita, Ks.; m. (1) 1883, Trinity Co., Tx., Charles A. LEWIS; (2) 1893, Angelina Co., Tx., Jabin S. COX. Need information of her parents, John Henry CHRISTIE, b. ca. 1831, Trinity Co., Tx. and Ellen PATE b. ca. 1833, Ala. Family resided in La. until about 1876. ....KAREN COX WOHLWEND, 12909 S. 30th St., Omaha, NE 68123.

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#### BOOK REVIEW

*The following book has been given to the Society by member Helen Bidwell Kiehl in memory of her parents, Benjamin ("Ben") Franklin Bidwell and Fannie Holmes Bidwell. It will be placed in the Society library for the use of our members.*

BIDWELL FAMILY HISTORY 1587-1982, Vol. I, compiled by Joan J. Bidwell, Gateway Press, Inc., Baltimore, 1983. \$45.00, 1094 pages, indexed, hard cover.

The project of compiling this book took 12 years. It contains 90% of the information available on the Bidwell family. All Bidwells listed are the direct descendants of Richard Bidwell (1587-1647), a native of England, through his son John (1620-1687). Richard was an early settler of Windsor, Connecticut (identity of his wife is unknown). John Bidwell married Sarah Wilcox and was one of the founders of Hartford, Connecticut, as indicated on the Founders Monument erected in 1837 in Hartford on which John's name appears. The index to the book contains approximately 70,000 names of Bidwells and related families too numerous to list. Each person in the book has an individual number and is listed in numerical order along with a biographical sketch, where available. Interesting photographs, photo-copies of wills, military service records, legal documents and maps further enhance the first rate quality of the book. The inside covers are illustrated with maps showing the states of California, Iowa, New York, Missouri, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, and Ohio where places bearing the name Bidwell are located. Anyone with Bidwell connections will certainly find as complete record of his family as is possible to compile in this book.

# Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler BETTY TYLER ROSTEET Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Address 2801 St. Francis St.  
 City, State Sulphur, LA 70663  
 Date February 1983

Chart No. I

b. Date of Birth  
 p.b. Place of Birth  
 m. Date of Marriage  
 d. Date of Death  
 p.d. Place of Death

4 **THOMAS SHERMAN TYLER**  
 (Father of No. 2)  
 b. 15 Nov. 1874  
 p.b. Tuscaloosa, Alabama  
 m. 17 Jan. 1900  
 d. 1 Nov. 1939  
 p.d. Lake Charles, LA

2 **THOMAS JOSEPH TYLER**  
 (Father of No. 1)  
 b. 1 Jan. 1901  
 p.b. Lake Charles, LA  
 m. 13 Feb. 1926  
 d. 20 Aug. 1961  
 p.d. Lake Charles, LA

5 **MAUD GERTRUDE REID**  
 (Mother of No. 2)  
 b. 8 June 1882  
 p.b. Stilson, Kansas  
 d. 11 July 1960  
 p.d. Lake Charles, LA

1 **BETTY JO TYLER**

b. 14 March 1932  
 p.b. Lake Charles, LA  
 m.  
 d.  
 p.d.

6 **OSCAR FULLINGTON**  
 (Father of No. 3)  
 b. 21 Apr. 1868  
 p.b. Colfax, Iowa  
 m. 23 Jan. 1893  
 d. 29 July 1925  
 p.d. Lake Charles, LA

3 **MINNIE ADELIA FULLINGTON**  
 (Mother of No. 1)  
 b. 8 March 1905  
 p.b. Fenton, LA  
 d.  
 p.d.

7 **AFFA EMMA HARDING**  
 (Mother of No. 3)  
 b. 30 Sept. 1868  
 p.b. Paw Paw Grove, Illinois  
 d. 30 June 1930  
 p.d. Lake Charles, LA

**EDGAR MEDD ROSTEET**  
 (Spouse of No. 1)

44. b. 4 Dec. 1931 d.  
 p.b. Lake Charles, LA p.d.

8 **JOSEPH HENRY TYLER**  
 (Father of No. 4)  
 b. 2 Mar. 1831  
 p.b. N. Newington, England  
 m. 21 June 1855  
 d. 3 Nov. 1904  
 p.d. Tuscaloosa, Alabama

9 **JANE ELIZABETH COTTRELL**  
 (Mother of No. 4)  
 b. 28 June 1838  
 p.b. London, England  
 d. 8 Apr. 1900  
 p.d. Atlanta, Georgia

10 **WILLIAM W. REID**  
 (Father of No. 5)  
 b.  
 p.b. Connelville, PA  
 m. 26 Aug. 1878  
 d. 1891  
 p.d. Lake Charles, LA

11 **JOSEPHINE AMELIA PAGGEOTT**  
 (Mother of No. 5)  
 b. 23 May 1861  
 p.b. Manistee, Michigan  
 d. 16 Mar. 1913  
 p.d. Mena, Arkansas

12 **EDGAR BOYINGTON FULLINGTON**  
 (Father of No. 6)  
 b. 6 Sept. 1838  
 p.b. Hinesburg, Vermont  
 m. 6 Nov. 1859  
 d. 14 Aug. 1924  
 p.d. Lake Charles, LA

13 **MELISSA ALVIRA DEE**  
 (Mother of No. 6)  
 b. 7 Dec. 1837  
 p.b. Ohio  
 d. 5 June 1902  
 p.d. Lake Charles, LA

14 **JOHN HARDING**  
 (Father of No. 7)  
 b. 11 Aug. 1831  
 p.b. Exeter, PA  
 m. Jan. 1867  
 d. 4 June 1904  
 p.d. Yates Center, Kansas

15 **MINNIE THOMASINA BOSTIC**  
 (Mother of No. 7)  
 b. 23 Apr. 1849  
 p.b. PA  
 d. 21 May 1930  
 p.d. Los Angeles, Calif.

16 **HENRY TYLER**  
 b. 4 Nov. 1792 (Father of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. 2)  
 m. 9 Mar. 1829  
 d. 1849, before July

17 **ELIZABETH HUNT**  
 (Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. 3)  
 b. ca. 1801  
 d. 1849, before July

18 **WILLIAM DAVID COTTRELL**  
 (Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b. ca. 1803  
 m. ca. 1830  
 d. 21 Jan. 1895

19 **ELIZABETH DEARING**  
 (Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b.  
 d. ca. 1850

20 **JAMES A. REID**  
 (Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b.  
 m.  
 d. before July 1891

21  
 (Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b.  
 d.

22 **CHARLES G. C. PAGGEOTT**  
 (Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b. 24 Nov. 1830  
 m. Quebec, Canada  
 d. 20 May 1902

23 **SARAH NORMAN**  
 (Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b. 1829  
 d. 24 Dec. 1892

24 **ARTEMUS H. FULLINGTON**  
 (Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b. 7 Jan. 1811  
 m. 28 Oct. 1835  
 d. 23 Oct. 1888

25 **FANNIE P. BUELL**  
 (Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b. 6 May 1817  
 d. 1896

26 **JEREMIAH DEE**  
 (Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b. 1784  
 m. 1812

27 **BETSY BLAKE**  
 (Mother of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 d. 2 Sept. 1791

28 **HARRY HARDING**  
 d. 16 May 1837

29 **SALLAYE MONTAYNE**  
 (Father of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b. 1801  
 m.  
 d. 18 Mar. 1868

30  
 (Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b.  
 m.  
 d.

31  
 (Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. 1)  
 b.  
 d.

# Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler Gayle Klam  
 Address 36 Pinewood  
 City, State Carbondale, ILL  
 Date Nov. 17, 1982

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_.

Chart No. \_\_\_\_\_

b. Date of Birth  
 p.b. Place of Birth  
 m. Date of Marriage  
 d. Date of Death  
 p.d. Place of Death

4 **NICHOLAS GUENTHER**  
 (Father of No. 2)  
 b. 1834  
 p.b. Germany  
 m. 15 Jan. 1861  
 d. 31 Oct. 1904  
 p.d. New Orleans, LA

2 **JOHN H. GUENTHER, SR.**  
 (Father of No. 1)  
 b. 25 June 1875  
 p.b. New Orleans, LA  
 m. 21 Oct. 1902  
 d. 30 Jan. 1960  
 p.d. New Orleans, LA

5 **MARY RIEDER**  
 (Mother of No. 2)  
 b. 19 Nov. 1841  
 p.b. Baden-Baden, Germany  
 d. 7 Oct. 1933  
 p.d. New Orleans, LA

**JOHN H. GUENTHER, JR.**

b. ± 1 May 1909  
 p.b. New Orleans, LA  
 m. 20 Aug. 1940  
 d. 29 May 1976  
 p.d. New Orleans, LA

6 **JOSEPH SCHMITT**  
 (Father of No. 3)  
 b. 5 May 1849  
 p.b. Iberville Par., LA  
 m. 15 Feb. 1880  
 d. 12 Sept. 1912  
 p.d. New Orleans, LA

3 **REGINA SCHMITT**  
 (Mother of No. 1)  
 b. 29 Aug. 1882  
 p.b. Bayou Goula, LA  
 d. 24 Sept. 1980  
 p.d. New Orleans, LA

7 **MARIE BREAUX**  
 (Mother of No. 3)  
 b. 14 June 1855  
 p.b. Iberville Par., LA  
 d. 19 May 1932  
 p.d. New Orleans, LA

**VERNA ROBINSON**

(Spouse of No. 1)

b. 7 Feb. 1910  
 p.b. New Orleans, LA p.d.

8 **ANDR. GUENTHER**

(Father of No. 4)

b.  
 p.b.  
 m.  
 d.  
 p.d.

9 **ANNA MARIA PREUSS**

(Mother of No. 4)

b.  
 p.b.  
 d.  
 p.d.

10 **MARTIN REIDER**

(Father of No. 5)

b.  
 p.b.  
 m.

1808

d. 6 Jan. 1864  
 p.d. New Orleans, LA

11 **CATHERINE FURST**

(Mother of No. 5)

b.  
 p.b.  
 d.  
 p.d.

12 **R. LEON SCHMITT**

(Father of No. 6)

b.  
 p.b.  
 m.  
 d.  
 p.d.

14 June 1848

13 **SOLIDAIN HEBERT**

(Mother of No. 6)

b. 24 Aug. 1827  
 p.b.  
 d.  
 p.d.

14 **JOSEPH ARVELIEN BREAUX**

(Father of No. 7)

b. 23 Sept. 1815  
 p.b. St. Gabriel's Parish  
 m. 11 Feb. 1836  
 d.

15 **ANNE CELIMA HEBERT**

(Mother of No. 7)

b. 20 Aug. 1818  
 p.b. St. Gabriel's Parish  
 d.  
 p.d.

16

b. (Father of No. 8,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 m.  
 d.

17

b. (Mother of No. 8,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 d.

18

b. (Father of No. 9,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 m.  
 d.

19

b. (Mother of No. 9,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 d.

20

b. (Father of No. 10,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 m.  
 d.

21

b. (Mother of No. 10,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 d.

22

b. (Father of No. 11,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 m.  
 d.

23

b. (Mother of No. 11,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 d.

24 **ISASIA SCHMITT**

b. (Father of No. 12,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 m.

25

**SARAH IRSHMAN**

b. (Mother of No. 12,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 d.

26 **AUGUSTE HEBERT**

b. 31 Dec. 1792 (Father of No. 13,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 m. 1 Feb. 1825  
 d.

27

**MATHILDE LAMBREMONT**

b. (Mother of No. 13,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 d.

28 **ARSENE BREAUX**

b. (Father of No. 14,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 m. 29 Jan. 1798  
 d.

29

**MARIE GENEVIERE DAIGLE**

b. (Mother of No. 14,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 d.

30 **ALEXANDRE HEBERT**

b. 25 Nov. 1783 (Father of No. 15,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 m. 9 Feb. 1803  
 d.

31

**EMELIE COMEAUX**

b. 22 Aug. 1782 (Mother of No. 15,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 d.

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THEY TASTED BAYOU WATER (New Iberia), Maurine Bergerie  
NEW IBERIA, Glenn Conrad  
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CONFIRMACIONES (1789-1800), Genealogical Research Society of New Orleans  
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THE PIGFORD FAMILY, Dr. Russell C. Pigford (notes of Pigford Family, 1728 - 1803 & others, 1967, indexed.  
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STALLWORTH ROOTS & RECEIPTS, 1980.  
Some xeroxed pages of ROGERS OF THE PIEDMONT SECTION, SC and ALLIED FAMILIES, 1965, no index.  
DUPLIN CO., NC WILLS, 1730-1862, 1982, alphabetized.

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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17,  
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 Guest Speaker to be announced.

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A BEGINNERS WORKSHOP was held on Saturday, July 16 at the Main Branch of the Calcasieu Parish Library. Over forty persons attended this excellent workshop, chaired by Kathleen Stagg and assisted by several members of the Society. Besides the steps required in beginning a genealogy, books and other sources available in the Library were covered and an explanation given to their use. We hope to have more of these workshops in the future if interest is great enough.

Member KATHLEEN STAGG was the guest speaker at the August 8 meeting of the Lioness Club. Her topic was "Basic Beginning Genealogy".....Kathleen has also been invited to speak at the September 1 meeting of the Galveston County (Texas) Genealogy Society on "Research in Louisiana".

The Southwest Louisiana Genealogical Society publications (listed as V. 1 - 1977 -- Surname Index) were given as a source in Vol. 3 of American, British, and Heraldry Bibliography compiled by P. William Filby and published by the New England Genealogical Society.

The following books have wandered from our Society Library: Sallier Family, SWLGS and Granger, Seymour. Please check your personal library to see if you forgot to return these books.

SEPTEMBER 1983 WILL MARK THE TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE SOUTHWEST LOUISIANA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY!!!

# CALCASIEU PARISH MARRIAGES 1910 - 1915

(continued from Volume 7, No. 2)

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE OF MARRIAGE
Cagney, Joseph	Artego, Osea	11/7/12
Cain, Asa	Cannon, Mary Sue	5/17/11
Cain, E. C.	Welch, Mattie	10/22/11
Caldwell, Andrew J.	Cook, May	4/24/12
Caldwell, Isaac	Taylor, Emma	2/18/12
Caldwell, James	Tyler, LeeRoy	8/30/15
Cale, Manal A.	Shattuck, Katherine A.	3/27/12
Callahan, Eli	Lafosse, Rosa	11/6/13
Callister, Lee A.	Goodspeed, Mae	4/2/12
Camear, James	Martin, Dora	12/29/11
Cameron, Archie	Shaddock, Anne Gertrude	6/15/10
Camina, Constantino	Ferrosico, Preciosa	5/30/14
Campbell, J. A.	Dorman, Velma	8/30/15
Campbell, J. C.	Allen, Willie	4/29/13
Campbell, J. Posey	Webster, Mary Ethel	8/26/14
Campbell, Ray	Bovyn, Emily	7/4/10
Campbell, Webster	Collins, Francis	4/22/12
Campbell, Wm. Gilchrist	Hamilton, Edith May	6/8/11
Canada, Robt.	Youkum, Irene	3/17/14
Canady, Wm.	Green, Mrs. Octavia	9/7/12
Capdeville, Emanuel	Richard, Mary	2/14/12
Capella, Alesantro	Brosciana, Maria	4/27/11
Caple, Oscar R.	Wood, Jewell	11/10/10
Captain, Stephen	Bottley, Dollescar	4/16/10
Carey, Leroy	Frazier, Carrie	9/17/12
Carlock, Dan	Kent, Jane	9/23/14
Carnahan, Frank F.	Willcox, Ethel	12/21/10
Carnahan, Jas. Gordon	Fairchild, Grace A.	10/6/14
Carnahan, Willie Gibson	Stafford, Laura Pearl	9/24/14
Caron, Emile	Granger, Willie	11/16/14
Carpenter, John Hardy	Sonia, Mrs. Purilla	9/1/12
Carr, Cromiel A.	Shelp, Josephine V.	3/9/11
Carrier, Philogene	Carrier, Elizabeth	11/22/13
Carson, Dan L.	Sallier, Tillie	9/14/14
Carson, James	Harris, Mrs. Carrie	9/2/11
Carter, David L.	Nero, Alma	2/16/15 lic. date
Carter, Foster	Carter, Annie Mae	1/21/15
Carter, Henry	Bellock, Ellen	6/19/13
Carter, Ira C.	Mitchell, Jennie	11/25/14
Carter, Jas.	Washington, Stella	11/24/14
Carter, John	Oxendine, Eula	8/19/10
Carter, John	Guillory, Sarah	6/2/14
Carter, John	Williams, Georgia	2/18/15
Carter, John Culberson	Andrua, Altha Augusta	5/12/12
Carter, Rex	Narans, Belle	7/27/12
Carter, Zack	Mason, Lelia	6/18/15
Caruthers, Dallas	Drost, Amoline	11/23/15
Cary, Archie L.	Page, Mamie	5/12/12

Cary, Joe	Martinez, Dora	11/2/12
Cash, C. I.	Simmons, Lillie	1/17/14
Cassell, F. C.	Spencer, Mrs. Lula	8/28/12
Castille, D. J.	Arnaudet, Marie	9/29/12
Castine, Joe	Smith, Mrs. Lula	8/15/14
Caston, Chas. S.	Alston, Nina	6/24/14
Catlin, Frank Durand	Jessen, Rosalie Helen	12/30/14
Causey, Aleck	Augustin, Mary Frances	7/30/12
Causey, Thos.	Oquin, Arcelia	7/14/13
Cavaretta, Rosaria	Pampaline, Maria	6/1/11
Celestine, Alex	Johnson, Pauline	12/7/15
Cezar, Victor	Petre, Marceline	12/23/15
Chachere, Oscar	Berry, Susie	6/7/11
Chadwick, Wm. R.	Carson, Myrtle	11/8/11
Chaffin, Adelbert E.	Saul, Mrs. Rosa	1/24/11
Chagnor, Sam	Delahoussaye, Lena	12/18/13
Chaisson, Abel J.	Hebert, Juanita	6/14/11
Chambers, Rev. Lee	Butler, Emma L.	1/12/14
Chambers, Will	Biggs, Leather	10/18/11
Champ, Fred	Hall, Joana	7/10/11
Champagne, John Claiborne	O'Donnell, Perena Anna	9/5/12
Champagne, Loadice	Picard, Azena	4/18/14
Chandler, Chas. Clure	Griffin, Ella Price	10/11/11
Chandler, F. H.	Phillips, Jessie M.	4/2/14
Chapman, Edw. F.	Streater, Jean R.	5/11/10
Chappel, James	Thompson, Viola	2/17/13
Charity, Henry	Wigner, Easther	10/9/14
Charity, M. M.	Pewis, Maggie	4/10/13
Charity, Willis	Keller, Caroline	10/17/11
Charles, James	Elmore, Mrs. Frances	7/1/12
Charles, James	Dauchan, Florence	7/10/13
Charles, Paul	Jones, Luella	9/12/14
Charles, Robert	Gennette, Lydia	4/4/12
Charles, Tenance	Comeaux, Cecile	11/19/10
Charles, Tony	Antoine, Frances	5/16/10
Chassion, Ambrose	Weatherford, Ailey	2/3/13
Chatman, Eddie	Manuel, Frazin	8/11/10
Chaumont, Sebastian	Reed, Leonon	10/3/11
Chauvin, Jos. Zeno	Pindell, Mary Madeline	6/14/14
Chavanne, Will L.	Adams, Mildred Annie	6/26/13
Chavis, John	Roundtree, Mrs. Pinky	4/26/11
Chenier, Aaron	Haine, Hazel	6/1/14
Chesson, C.	Sober, Miss S. M.	12/10/14
Chestnut, Chas.	Murray, Minnie	8/11/12
Chestnut, Lewis	Wilson, Fannie Ora	12/25/10
Chevalier, Clement	Atamar, Viney	9/2/13
Chevelier, A. D.	Prevot, Stella	6/15/13
Chiasson, Amar	Verret, Esther	1/12/10
Chiasson, Anatole	Kabadeaux, Bertha	7/13/15
Chiasson, Angelas	Henry, Alice	5/7/12
Chitwood, Milton D.	King, Frances Berdin	1/25/11
Chretien, John	Lewis, Corinne	3/10/14
Christopher, Chas.	Vilce, Ophelia	2/26/12
Chronister, Eli	Frye, Marie A.	7/13/14
Cina, Gartom	Mancuso, Lena	2/23/13

City, Harry	Boman, Melday	5/23/13
Claiborne, Joe	Wilson, Leona	4/22/10
Clark, Butler	Carter, Luvenia	5/11/10
Clark, Butler	Lewis, Virginia	5/17/13
Clark, Charlie	Roberson, Sarah	10/19/10
Clark, Ed	Jones, Grace	4/19/11
Clark, Ed	Jones, Amanda	1/1/12
Clark, Elzey	Johnson, Nettie	2/10/15
Clark, Frederick A.	Liechty, Judity	8/11/11
Clark, Isaac	Staten, Bell	12/22/12
Clark, J. R.	Cooper, Mrs. Loula	10/16/15
Clark, John	Alexander, Edith	8/12/11
Clark, Nat	Simmons, Daisy Lee	4/29/10
Clark, Rhances	Perkins, Joysey	3/11/12
Clark, Richard	Perkins, Lilly	10/14/10
Clark, Richard	Alexk, Julia	9/7/14
Clark, W. C.	White, Mrs. Maggie	7/17/10
Claunch, Floyd L.	Landry, Daisy M.	10/6/14
Clay, Henry C.	Withers, Jerusha	12/19/11
Clayton, Robt. Edward	Baggett, Liddie	7/31/10
Clement, Aurelien	Landry, Estelline	10/28/12
Clement, Eldridge	Roberts, Julia	1/11/11
Clement, John	Meaux, Cecilia	1/16/10
Clendon, J. L.	Jones, Lela	12/24/10
Clifton, Dave	Mathis, Aurelia B.	2/28/12
Clubbs, Will	McKay, Fannie	12/25/10
Coats, R.	Griffin, Mrs. Edna	11/11/15
Cobbs, Morris	Brown, Charlotte	12/11/13
Cochran, Claude	Ludgate, Alma Lee	1/19/12
Cochran, James E.	Mathis, Ila	1/4/12
Coe, Athan	Nevils, Jennie	5/5/12
Coe, Dave	Strother, Della	7/4/11
Cole, Allen A.	McFatter, Alice	1/19/13
Cole, Anderson	Anthony, Gillie Georgia	5/11/13
Cole, Charley	Vincent, Mae	10/21/15 lic. date
Cole, Jasper J.	Papin, Blanche E.	6/17/12
Cole, John T.	Devillier, Clotilde	9/1/10
Cole, Jacob L.	Carpenter, Mary D.	10/5/11
Cole, J. Atley	Sutton, Lula Mae	10/15/11
Cole, Conrad C.	Iles, Inez	8/6/11
Cole, Oliver N.	Overstreet, Jamie	12/24/11
Cole, Thos. B.	Carpenter, Edith C.	12/11/12
Cole, Wallace	McNeal, Viola	12/11/11
Cole, Wm. Cleveland	Bowman, Ethel Fay	5/15/10
Coldwell, Robert Lee	Franklin, Harriet	9/2/11
Coleman, Barney M.	Watson, Mary J.	10/16/10
Coleman, Henry	Blaze, Ruby	6/22/15
Coleman, Robt.	Jones, Caroline	12/26/12
Coleman, Robt. L.	Beyer, Marie M.	6/11/03
Coleman, Womack	Brown, Evalina	3/23/11
Coley, John W., Jr.	Cocke, Isla Mae	6/4/10
Colley, F. P.	Merritt, Mrs. Ethel Claire	6/27/11
Colley, Wm.	Brittain, Carnegie	11/30/11



Collier, H. C.	Floyd, Beatrice	6/26/13
Collins, Andrew S.	Carter, Lola	8/2/15
Collins, Joseph	Pipkins, Mary	2/13/13
Collins, G. H.	Burnett, Ellen	4/24/10
Colvin, Henry	Miles, Isabella	10/8/10
Comeaux, Andoche	Roberts, Dora	8/1/10
Comeaux, Marwall	Morrison, Lillian	4/8/12
Commings, Art R.	Gentry, Grace	7/13/10
Compton, Jas. Thos.	Diener, Louise Irene	3/8/15
Conilleau, Alexander	Moore, Balzire	4/8/12
Connelly, Mitchell	Cooley, Sallie	4/23/10
Connelly, Henry	Romance, Ella	9/27/15
Conner, Ed	Johnson, Bessie	7/20/10
Conner, Wm. Wallace	Neely, Alice	4/9/11
Connie, Wash	Jackson, Mrs. Lou	12/21/13
Condon, J. R.	Mixon, Jewell	10/22/10
Conrad, L. N.	Cooper, Dixie Lee	9/27/15
Constance, Tommy	Smith, Hester	10/19/12
Conyers, Frederick I.	Hunter, Elizabeth H.	3/21/13
Cook, B. A.	Axelson, Mrs. Loretta	11/22/13
Cook, Robert Elroy	Bouchard, Marie Agnes	10/25/15
Cook, Victor E.	Pitts, Beulah E.	3/15/11
Cooke, Samuel	Melindy, Etta	6/15/11
Cooley, Benton	Reeves, Donnis	7/3/12
Cooley, Burrell A.	Frusha, Zena	10/10/12
Cooley, Dostie	Frusha, Cora	12/20/11
Cooley, Thos. Jefferson	Coward, Edna	9/30/12
Cooley, Wm. B.	Miers, Alice	5/5/10
Cooper, Allen	Lemur, Grace	11/20/12
Cooper, Clarence	Patterson, Elma E.	6/26/10
Cooper, Geo.	Talton, Mrs. Rachel	5/28/11
Cooper, Frederick E.	McAviney, Elsie	8/9/15
Cooper, Johny	Pierce, Minerva	8/20/10
Cooper, Morgan	Scott, Mrs. Lilly	4/1/11
Cooper, Thos. C.	Bibb, Lorena	6/24/14 lic. date
Coplen, Jas. R.	Ellender, Pearl M.	12/24/12
Coplin, Jas. E.	Lafosse, Rosa	3/11/13
Coplin, Lee M.	Trousdale, Stella M.	12/1/12
Corbello, Aleck	Hebert, Mary	6/26/12
Corbello, Benj.	Breaux, Ella	11/5/12
Corbello, Charlie	Dowden, Pearl	5/23/13
Corbello, Clifford N.	Miller, Ivy	1/22/12
Corbello, Evert	Bertrand, Aurelia	4/25/10
Corbello, Geo.	Louvier, Adelina	6/11/14
Corbello, John	Gentiel, Hilda	12/25/12
Corbello, Jos.	Daigle, Dora	7/15/13
Corbello, Leonard	Bruce, Mattis	9/18/11
Corbello, Oscar	Schock, Nina	12/27/15
Corbello, Victor	Derouen, Olivia	11/29/11
Corbello, W. M.	Bilbo, Laura M.	12/31/13
Corkran, Burl	Gilley, Nanna Alma	5/10/11
Cormier, Adam	Gillette, Beatrice	12/2/12
Cormier, Alexander, Jr.	Cooper, Dora	2/20/11
Cormier, Leonard	Corbello, Victoria	5/23/10
Cormier, Louis	Lagrange, Agnes	11/25/12

Cormier, Oscar	Boutte, Eva	11/28/12
Corsey, Robt.	McLeod, Laura	2/3/13
Cosine, Marinous	Reeves, Emma	12/15/11
Cotropia, Same	Dilbartolo, Binna	10/4/11
Cottolon, Frank	LeBleu, Donie	7/18/14
Cotton, A. C.	Pool, Nellie	12/17/13
Coulson, James	Jones, Ada Belle	10/21/11
Courville, Demarr	Fruge, Annora	10/7/11
Cousley, Raymond John	Demming, Lella May	4/21/15
Coverdill, J. C.	Garlow, Amelia	4/22/14
Cox, A. B.	Wheeler, Grace	7/1/15
Craft, Henry	Fletcher, Dina	11/16/12
Craft, Arthur	Harvey, Sarah	5/4/10
Craig, Arthur A.	Venissat, Alexanderine A.	3/24/13
Craig, Henry	Perkins, Mrs. Mary	1/26/14
Craig, Les E.	Haley, Elizabeth	12/27/11
Crawford, Jack Burke	Kirk, Belle	9/20/14
Crawford, Sinclair Singleton	Sloane, Ollie Rita	10/22/14
Crenier, Levi	Brewer, Estelle	11/9/12
Croche, Aurelien	Babineaux, Azelia	6/25/10
Crochet, Ferman	Borgnes, Eva	5/30/10
Crockett, Wm. L.	Tull, Mrs. Berdie	12/16/15
Crosby, Edwin Kenneth	Ashton, Marcella	3/20/12
Crossman, Chas. John	Feazell, Emma	3/19/11
Crowder, Henry H.	Rachal, Lillian	8/14/12
Crowder, Joseph P.	Nelson, Mrs. Annie	1/5/14
Cryer, Jos.	Ross, Bettie	8/24/10
Culluro, Filippo	Murea, Stefano	6/12/10
Curd, Wm.	Parsons, Mary	11/2/11
Curran, Jesse	Tullos, Mrs. Nettie	6/15/13
Curtis, B. J.	Elkins, Mrs. Emma	12/17/13
Curtis, Isreal	Gordon, May Alice	9/12/12
Curtis, J. C.	Garlow, Amelia	4/22/14
Curtis, Wm.	Broussard, Lillie	3/1/15
Cutright, Andrew	Obongo, Florida	9/8/10
Cyrus, Joseph	West, Mrs. Louise	5/4/13

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Help current and future researchers by making your work accessible to others by sharing through your local library and genealogical society and by placing it in local repositories where your family once resided.

In addition to the vital statistics such as births, deaths, and marriages, don't forget to include physical descriptions, education, religion, where they owned land, occupations. Remarks about given names handed down through the generations, patterns of deaths, genetic features such as blue eyes and curly hair, inherited throughout a family, should be included. In learning about your ancestors you may find out why you are you!

## WHAT'S IN A NAME?

In doing research one often is confronted by strange and unusual surnames. The American Language by Henry L. Mencken lists some interesting surnames including Lighthouse, Oxx, Gotobed, Ugly, Loophole, Gallows, Wedlock, Allchin, Bitsh, Glue, Oyster, Toad, Whisker, Yeast, Sewer, Upthegrove, Bilious, Outhouse, Forgetto, Dollarhide, and Buttermilk.

In the 1790 census, according to M. C. Oursler, former administrative assistant in the Census Bureau, about 30% of the families bore "names appearing as parts of speech in everyday conversation." These included such surnames as Dumb, Looney, Gushing, Soup, Vinegar, Grog, Grapevine, Waffle, Hornbuckle, Turnipseed, and Petticoat.

England also has its share of unusual surnames such as Venus, Shakelady, Kisser, Cutmutton, Goodbeer, Burnup, Foulfish, Gumboil, and Pitchfork.

John is the most popular given name for males in the U. S. Since the days of William the Conqueror John has been predominant among people of British lineage. Second is William, followed by Charles, James, Robert, Harry, Joseph, and Edward.

Mary is the most popular name for females in the U. S., followed by Elizabeth, Barbara, Dorothy, Helen, Margaret, Ruth, Virginia, Jean, and Frances, according to H. L. Mencken.

The early practice of bestowing saints' names on each child at baptism was followed not only in Catholic Europe, but even in such Protestant areas as Prussia, Denmark and Sweden. But at the end of the 16th century, the English Puritans revolted against saints' names and began to name their children names from the Old Testament such as Moses and Abraham, along with pious admonitions such as Love, Patience, Praise-God, and the like.

The use of surnames as given names appeared in England and the colonies at the end of the 16th century. Boys were given names like Howard, Clifford, Dudley, etc.

The Revolutionary War brought babies named for heroes, such as Hamilton, Jefferson and Franklin. Each succeeding conflict has produced a new set of popular given names.

Invented or romantic names, especially for girls, were not uncommon.

Changes in surnames occur everywhere and at all times. According to The American Language many familiar English surnames are Anglized forms of Norman-French names; for example, Sidney from St. Denis and Sinclair from St. Clair. Some Irish names are derived from Gaelic names such as Findley from Fionnlagh and McLane from MacIlleathain.

General George Custer was the great-grandson of a Hessian soldier named Koster. General J. J. Pershing was the descendant of a German immigrant named Pfoersching. Andreas Huber was the ancestor of President Hoover. George Westinghouse descended from a Westphalian named Wistinghausen. Buffalo Bill Cody's actual surname was Kothe or Kothè.

On the German Coast of Louisiana the French changed the German surnames almost beyond recognition. Huber became Houbre, Oubre or Ubre; Lesch became Lecheux or Leche; Troxler became Trosclair; Reichardt became Richard.

An old tale tells of a Scotsman named Ferguson, whose name was changed to Feurestein when he settled among the Germans in western New York. He moved to an English settlement and his name was translated to Flint. One of his grandsons came to Louisiana, where his name became Pierre a Fusil, and a son of this man later had his name translated to Peter Gun.

Some surnames have been so changed in the United States through the years that they are hardly recognized in their original forms. If you are at a loss

in finding an immigrant ancestor, consider some of the following translations and changes.

Lee	Lea, Leigh
Young	Yunge, Jung, Ljung, LeJeune
Cooper	Keeper
Leonard	Leonhardt, Lehnerts
Rockefeller	Roggenfelder
Black	Swartz
Smith	Novak, Schmidt, Kowalogyk, Haadad, Kovaks, Seppanen
Ames	Oehm
Richard, Richards	Reichardt
King	Koning, Reis, Meilach
Miller	Milher, Mlynar, Mylonas, Molanari, Muller
Noble	Knoebel
Gossett	Guizot
Bailey	Bayle
Shoemaker	Schumacher, Svec
Carpenter	Zimmerman, Stolar
Newhouse	Nieuwhuis
Fisher	Fiescher
White	Blanco, Weiss, Bianco, LeBlanc
Short	Kurtz
Cook	Koch
Wallace	Valis, Walles
Prescott	Praestegaard
Scott	Scaccia
George	Giorgi, Georgiou
Simmons	Siminowicz
Gardner	Ogrodowski
Stone	Kiviniemi, Wawrzynski
Kress	Golebiewski
Perry	Perrera, Piira
Daniels	Puhakka
Kelly, Kelley	Karikanta, Kallay
Church	Chiesa
Kennedy	Canade, Canadeo, Canady
Manning	Marino
Rogers	Rodriguez, Rodrigues
Marks	Marquez
Wood, Woods	Silva, de Silva, Dubois
Forrest	Foret
Jones	Jonas, Ionescu
Drinkwater	Boileau
Larraby	La Rurere
Bunker	Bon Couer
Reno	Renaud
Fox	Renaud
Bushway	Bourgeois
Russel	Rossignol
Wheeler	Kerekes
Taylor	Gzabo, Tertzagian
McCleary	Maklary

Khoury or Corey  
Johnson  
Malcolm  
Paul  
Brahms  
Moore  
Cline  
Carroll  
Beecham  
Chumly  
Lincoln  
Granger  
Tolliver

Al-Khuri  
Ohanesian, Jeansonne, Janson  
Melkonian  
Boghos  
Abrahams  
Mohr, Muir  
Klein, Kline  
Callowhill  
Beauchamp  
Cholmondeley  
Linkhorn, Lenccolne  
Crenshaw  
Taliaferro, Tallifers

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Need info. on following: I. Names of parents of Robert TREMBLE (b. ca. 1840) & Octavia (Eva) DUGAS (TREMBLE). II. Names of parents of Octave LEBLANC & Doralise RICHARD (LEBLANC). III. Louis Isodore ESPARGELIERE (M. Josephine POUSSON 1862); he was pioneer physician in Mermentau area late 1800's; b. France, 1824, left 1851; would like to know more about him: why he left France, where he received medical degree, any info. on his life. He d. 1917, Midland, LA; had 2 daugh. Julie d. young & Eva (my gr-grandmother) m. Philobert SIMON all from Mermentau area. Info. greatly appreciated; postage refunded.....  
DOLORES JORDAN, 816 Cherrydale, Lake Charles, LA 70605.

Am searching for any kind of information about this couple: JOE LAZERONE and MARY FALETTA. One daugh. Lucy, b. 15 Jan. 1907, Alexandria, LA.....  
GENEVIEVE HERTEL, 1606 N. 9th St., Garden City, KS 67846.

Am seeking parents of JOSEPH VIATOR, b. ca. 1780-1790 in Iberia Par., LA. He married Marie Parlange MIGUEZ, seeking her parents, same period of time and location....MRS. PAT HUFFAKER, 1317 Tulane St., Lake Charles, LA 70605.

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## BOOK REVIEW

IMPERIAL CALCASIEU RECORDS - SUCCESSIONS - 1840-1910, by Shirley V. Burwell, Rt. 8 Box 168, Lake Charles, LA 70605. \$15.00 plus \$1.00 postage; 133 pages, indexed, 8½ x 11, soft cover. Calcasieu Parish often creates a problem for genealogical researchers due to the disastrous fire of 1910 which destroyed the Court House and the Catholic Church. There were, however, some records which survived. This book contains some of the most important surviving records and should be a great help to those researchers previously having problems with this area. The book contains an introduction and brief history of Calcasieu Parish. The complete index of all successions filed in Imperial Calcasieu (which included present-day Cameron Parish until 1870 and Allen, Beauregard, and Jefferson Davis until 1912) comprises the first section. The second section contains genealogical information from 280 actual successions between 1840 and 1910 that were either re-filed or redone from other records after the fire. These previously unpublished records should be an important source for Calcasieu Parish researchers.  
(ed. note: see article on p. 67)

LACASSINE CEMETERY, Lacassine, La. - Submitted by Nola Corbello

John Carroll Bourgeois  
Nov. 11, 1933  
Jan. 23, 1976

Rose Derouen Bourgeois  
Nov. 3, 1917

Aimea Pousson Bourgeois  
May 2, 1889  
Jul. 29, 1970

Betty Mott Bourgeois  
Oct. 15, 1936

Leila F. Irwin  
Sept. 30, 1916

Rena Stutes Thompson  
Dec. 13, 1918

Marie E. Hebert  
Sept. 30, 1898

Asa J. Landry  
Oct. 6, 1922

Lena M. Hebert  
May 1, 1923

Theresa L. LeBouef  
Aug. 3, 1930

Anaise Thibodeaux Galley  
Sept. 16, 1913

Maggie Hebert Bourgeois  
Oct. 9, 1934

John Edward Bourgeois  
Apr. 22, 1912  
Jul. 1, 1969

Luma Bourgeois  
Oct. 16, 1887  
Apr. 28, 1973

Bobby Lee Bourgeois  
Jul. 14, 1936

Lunsford Cotton Irwin  
Aug. 16, 1915

Leroy Thompson  
Oct. 30, 1921  
Jan. 16, 1976

Arvelian Hebert  
Oct. 24, 1896

Mazie Landry  
May 22, 1926

Elton Hebert  
Mar. 21, 1921  
Dec. 2, 1980

Edward J. LeBouef, Sr.  
Aug. 21, 1926  
Sept. 22, 1981

Clarence Galley  
Apr. 11, 1911

Rena F. Hoffpauir  
May 11, 1918  
Oct. 26, 1980

Carl D. Corbello  
Jul. 20, 1915

Wilson J. Miller, Jr.  
Mar. 27, 1929  
Feb. 1, 1982

Nona L. Romero  
Jan. 7, 1951  
Oct. 6, 1980

Louis Bellon

Alcia Ardoin  
Jan. 27, 1895  
Dec. 24, 1971

J. B. Thibodeaux  
1905 - 1970

Connie Barnabus  
wife of Mitchell LeBleu  
Aug. 29, 1949  
Feb. 22, 1966

Rose Marie Hebert  
Oct. 30, 1926  
Jul. 19, 1966

Antoinette Gary Hebert  
May 10, 1910

Agnes M. Corbello  
Oct. 10, 1923

Carl Lee Broussard  
Sept. 8, 1953  
Mar. 11, 1980

Thia M. Bellon  
Sept. 2, 1911  
Feb. 20, 1979

Ella F. Landry  
May 25, 1917

Rudy Hebert  
Oct. 7, 1948  
Jul. 4, 1965

Wilbert J. Hebert  
Nov. 13, 1925

Wilton J. Hebert  
Sept. 26, 1903

Wilbert Kenny Hebert  
Feb. 13, 1918  
Sept. 2, 1957

Marie Pearl LeBlanc  
Dec. 11, 1921  
Jan. 8, 1983

Isaac LeDoux  
Jan. 14, 1907  
Mar. 1, 1978

Eddie Williams  
Jul. 9, 1909  
Dec. 26, 1974

Linny Bellon  
Sept. 25, 1927  
Dec. 30, 1973

Leolian Landry  
Oct. 17, 1918

Tammy Jo Gotreaux  
daug. of M/M Walter Gotreaux  
Aug. 28, 1968 - b & d

Grace Hebert  
July 27, 1902  
July 11, 1980

John Hebert  
Jan. 27, 1893  
Nov. 1, 1956

Jack Dugas  
Oct. 12, 1899

Rosa B. Guillory  
Jul. 12, 1906  
Apr. 12, 1977

Rene J. Duplechain  
Sept. 20, 1908

Rose F. Ardoin  
Aug. 30, 1910

Lou Ella Granger  
Mar. 8, 1930  
Nov. 15, 1978

Zannie Leger Dec. 30, 1914	Edna A. Dugas Feb. 5, 1904 (w/o Jack Dugas)	Carl J. Watts Dec. 11, 1922 June 1, 1975
V. J. Arsement June 12, 1900 Dec. 9, 1975	Clarence Myers Jan. 11, 1905 Sept. 5, 1976	Mayola I. Watts Mary 24, 1926
Rosmond Robideaux Oct. 31, 1902 Jul. 24, 1982	Lucy D. David Aug. 9, 1908	Victoria Corbello Cormier Aug. 2, 1889 Nov. 19, 1956
Leo Begnaud Dec. 17, 1913 Feb. 24, 1980	Alpha David Feb. 18, 1907 Oct. 18, 1968	Meliza Trahan Istre Dec. 21, 1899
Lucy Corbello Dec. 5, 1879 Dec. 14, 1971	Zoe Fontenot Hebert Dec. 18, 1904 Dec. 11, 1976	Raymond Istre Apr. 3, 1899 Oct. 29, 1957
Gladys Dugas Mar. 9, 1910 Dec. 29, 1969	Weber J. Hebert Feb. 28, 1902 May 7, 1976	Martha Istre Broussard Apr. 26, 1923
Harry C. Guillory Sept. 21, 1902 Oct. 10, 1971	Vivian V. Vest Apr. 27, 1902 Feb. 21, 1981	Anthony A. Broussard Jan. 27, 1897
Alice Duplechain Oct. 11, 1905	Irene H. Vest June 9, 1907	Lerodais Guillotte Dec. 21, 1892 Mar. 20, 1961
Asa Ardoin Dec. 31, 1899 May 4, 1970	Adam Landry Nov. 22, 1907 Dec. 22, 1979	Magil J. Marceaux Jan. 31, 1898 Nov. 17, 1965
Nancy Duhon Sept. 17, 1982 b & d	Eda Landry Sept. 5, 1916	Magil Marceaux May 13, 1904 Nov. 8, 1977
Blanche Leger Apr. 4, 1917 May 24, 1978	Nrisley Fontenot Oct. 20, 1913 Sept. 8, 1968	Frank David Apr. 30, 1912 June 8, 1982
Slema M. Arsement daug. of M/M J & R Arsement Dec. 21, 1921	Pauline LeBouef Cormier Jul. 19, 1929	Terry Lee David Nov. 6, 1948 Nov. 20, 1965
Rosalie R. Arsement Mar. 28, 1903	Propser Mallet Mar. 6, 1908 Feb. 18, 1975	Frank Frederick Jan. 19, 1912 Nov. 6, 1980
Ida Derouen Robideaux May 1, 1903 May 2, 1969	Pearl D. Mallet	Antoinette Frederick Sept. 8, 1918
John Eddie Cormier Nov. 26, 1923	Verna Mae G. Harrington Sept. 5, 1918 Nov. 26, 1970	Theresa Ann Frederick Mar. 4, 1946 Nov. 20, 1965
Ella Cormier Begnaud May 18, 1921	Reynus A. Harrington Oct. 16, 1900 Apr. 6, 1961	Mrs. Frank David July 22, 1913 July 29, 1976
Joseph Dugas Jul. 27, 1877 Jan. 12, 1957	Milton J. Istre Dollie W. Istre	Vivian M. Louviere born Richard Sept. 22, 1921

Andrew Louviere May 2, 1920	Agnes Boudreaux Mouton Feb. 16, 1912 June 29, 1968	James Provost Aug. 27, 1879 Dec. 26, 1963
Anna Grace Hebert June 18, 1953 June 28, 1980	M. Bryant D. Bryant	Michael A. Dupre Dec. 8, 1964 b & d
Ramie Trahan Sept. 26, 1917 July 9, 1968	Ettie Louviere Foreman Mar. 7, 1903 Aug. 28, 1976	Rowena A. Dupre Aug. 24, 1965 Aug. 25, 1965
Jill "Black" Granger Nov. 28, 1907 Oct. 13, 1963	Elton Foreman Feb. 2, 1906 Oct. 25, 1981	Amanda B. Bertrand Oct. 15, 1905
Clarphy Gary Apr. 28, 1913	Anita Bourque Foreman Jan. 12, 1912 Oct. 17, 1981	Clement Bertrand Dec. 27, 1904 June 15, 1977
Mattie Golie Gary daug. of M/M Clarphy Gary Oct. 21, 1948 b & d	Aaron Dale Foreman Aug. 12, 1966 Aug. 13, 1966 s/o M/M Floyd Foreman	Gurney Thibodeaux Oct. 3, 1931 June 28, 1970
Ozite B. Garry Apr. 28, 1913 May 5, 1983	George Soileau Aug. 14, 1912 Oct. 29, 1978	Dora Thibodeaux 1909 - 1968
Raymond M. Arsement, Jr. July 22, 1966 Oct. 9, 1981	Amy Manuel Feb. 10, 1914 Oct. 8, 1979	Joseph Thibodeaux 1906 - 1973
Milton LeJune Mar. 22, 1922 Sept. 8, 1974	Hubert Demary Mar. 5, 1882 June 19, 1961	Allie W. Melason Aug. 7, 1903 Oct. 7, 1969
Cynthia Louise Duhon Mar. 27, 1956 Apr. 3, 1976	Louisa L. Demary Mar. 29, 1885 Sept. 4, 1976	Joseph B. Melson July 2, 1901 Oct. 5, 1977
Houston Sonnier Apr. 20, 1922 Nov. 17, 1972	Joseph L. Landry, Sr. Sept. 10, 1908 June 29, 1958	Lula Prejean Nov. 14, 1917
Portlis Sonnier Aug. 16, 1902 Jan. 12, 1983	Myrtle Miller July 19, 1910 July 18, 1980	Kenneth Prejean June 10, 1947
Alle Sonnier Nov. 7, 1905 July 30, 1981	Eba Miller Jan. 10, 1889 Oct. 3, 1958	Arthur Prejean Sept. 9, 1913
Norma S. Sonnier Sept. 30, 1905	Rose Leger Miller Feb. 16, 1889 Aug. 24, 1968	Hubertie Brasseaux Oct. 25, 1906 May 11, 1975
Joseph A. Sonnier Mar. 28, 1909	Howard J. Godeaux Oct. 30, 1921 June 29, 1958	Arcade Prudhomme Feb. 6, 1909 June 25, 1974
Norbert Fuselier Feb. 10, 1906 Sept. 19, 1976	Mrs. James Provost Dec. 5, 1879 Jan. 22, 1962	Lydia Prudhomme Dec. 29, 1911 Jan. 17, 1978
Eula M. Fuselier May 31, 1913		Paula L. Prudhomme Sept. 30, 1963 Oct. 26, 1963
		John Trahan Dec. 13, 1910 Apr. 7, 1977



Louis Viziant	Leuel Joseph Monceaux	Aaron Boyd Ardoin
Jan. 7, 1904	Oct. 5, 1924	s/o M/M Elroy L. Ardoin
Dec. 17, 1975	Apr. 24, 1959	June 8, 1971
Flossie M. Viziant	Electa Young Deville	Oct. 3, 1971
July 24, 1914	Sept. 8, 1891	Hypolite Ardoin
Almond Leger	Sept. 17, 1963	Dec. 20, 1884
1905 - 1974	Mark Ardoin	Feb. 16, 1963
Pearl Huire Abshire	Nov. 7, 1904	Alidie H. Ardoin
Oct. 17, 1916	Jan. 29, 1971	June 4, 1885
Oct. 6, 1970	Joseph Ardoin	Dec. 20, 1973
Elie L. Leger	June 15, 1912	Rufus "Ben" Benoit
Sept. 28, 1911	Nov. 19, 1965	Nov. 30, 1918
Mar. 10, 1980	Harris Thomas Mott	July 31, 1977
Felician B. Leger	Oct. 29, 1907	Theresa K. Benoit
June 26, 1911	Elfie Mary McGee Mott	Aug. 14, 1922
Mar. 9, 1968	Oct. 16, 1916	Despana Granger
Elias Benoit	Timothy Moore	Apr. 20, 1886
July 6, 1900	July 18, 1954	June 24, 1959
Mar. 7, 1968	Apr. 7, 1974	Mrs. Despana Granger
Archangle Mott	Harriet H. Trahan	Edna H. Benoit
Mar. 29, 1910	1923 - 1968	Mar. 25, 1893
Lonnie Hebert Mott	Paul Neal Trahan	Mar. 31, 1968
Sept. 10, 1913	Sept. 8, 1921	Frank Benoit
John E. Benoit	Feb. 1, 1969	Mar. 14, 1895
Apr. 8, 1938	Asa Trahan	July 16, 1959
Dec. 16, 1974	Aug. 27, 1893	Clyde Benoit
Azar Benoit	Aug. 18, 1971	Aug. 29, 1916
Dec. 18, 1908	John Gerard	Dec. 23, 1977
Nov. 25, 1964	Oct. 21, 1898	Louise Benoit
Edward W. Bosemer, Jr.	Mar. 4, 1974	Sept. 26, 1923
Dec. 19, 1935	Armagine Fuselier	Mar. 13, 1974
Aug. 2, 1968	June 4, 1890	Vernon Ray Benoit
Stanislaus Arcade Donaldson	Mar. 25, 1976	s/o M/M Clyde Benoit
Dec. 25, 1894	Joyce Babineaux Arsement	June 27, 1944
Sept. 11, 1961	July 6, 1933	Mar. 9, 1961
Ada Abshire Monceaux	Patricia Lee Lognion	Neville J. Roussell
1896 - 1964	Dec. 19, 1952	Jan. 4, 1891
Levy Hebert	May 25, 1975	June 3, 1965
July 21, 1897	James Daniel English, Jr.	Lucille S. Roussell
Dec. 20, 1958	1905 - 1979	June 7, 1902
Adia Ardoin Hebert	Aldes Joseph Lognion, Jr.	June 20, 1969
July 12, 1900	Aug. 6, 1923	Camillia G. Ardoin
Nov. 27, 1975	Nov. 5, 1982	Apr. 1, 1882
Harold Lynn Smith	Thelma Verret Lognion	Dec. 18, 1967
Mar. 31, 1969	Sept. 26, 1927	Philozie Ardoin
Dec. 28, 1969	Michael Jody Lognion	June 7, 1882
	July 7, 1958	Mar. 12, 1969
	Oct. 8, 1969	

(to be continued)

SUCCESSION OF ALADIN HEBERT AND ALEXANDER HEBERT

(Contributed by Virginia Dalehite from the records of Livingston Land Title Co.; original records were destroyed in the Calcasieu Parish Court House in 1910.)

Probate No. 99 Succession of: Aladin Hebert, husband of Marie Euphemie Hebert  
Estate Opened: March 6, 1855

Number and List of Heirs: Minors: Eraste, Alcide and Rosa Hebert

Inventory made: April 7, 1855.

Item 8: A certain tract of land lying on Make Meuton and contg. four arpents front on said Lake by forty arpents in depth and bounded above by land in community between the said deceased and Placide Hebert and below by land belonging to Placide Hebert, appd. at \$160.

Item 9: A certain tract of land situate on Lake Meuton being in community between said deceased and Placide Hebert containing two arpents front by forty in depth bounded above by land belonging to Derozin Boudreau and below by lands belonging to the deceased. Appd. at \$60.

Note: These 2 items compose what is now Lot 4 of Sec. 14-11-3.

Administrat\_\_\_\_\_

Natural Tut: Marie Euphemie Hebert, Co-Tutor: Ozeme Derouen.

Under-Tutor: Alexander Hebert

Family Meeting held 1st: July 28, 1855. 2nd: July 31, 1858.

Recommendation: 1st. That property be adjudicated to Widow at price of Estimation on condition that - she recognizes & acknowledges the sum of \$1000. to be due each minor. Rec. - That Ozene Derouen be made Co-Tutor.

Homologated\_\_\_\_\_ Order of Sale\_\_\_\_\_ Sale Made\_\_\_\_\_

Account Filed: July 10, 1869. Homologated: Sept. 29, 1869.

Probate No. 202 Succession of: Alexander Hebert

He died Aug. 25, 1865. Estate Opened Oct. 28, 1865.

Number and List of Heirs: Minors: Eraste, Alcide & Rosa Hebert, minors children of Mrs. Euphemie Hebert & heirs of their decd. father Aladin Hebert, Counsel for absent heirs, M. J. Rosteet. Heirs, Major, Minoce C. Broussard, Alexander Broussard, Belsire Broussard, wife of Simomth Lachausse and Carmelite Hebert, wife of Gustave Laurent all residents of Vermillion Ph. Besire Hebert, wife of Severine Broussard of Beaumont, Tex., Aspasia, wife of Napoleon B. Broussard, Heraste Hebert, Rosa Hebert, wife of John Hayes and Desire Hebert.

Inventory made Nov. 23, 1865:

Item No. 1. SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sect. No. 3, Twp. 12 S. R. 4 W. contg. 160 acs. more or less, with imps. It being the last residence of decd. appd. at \$1500.

Item No. 2. 1000 acs Swamp Land (more or less situated on the West side of the River Mermentau Bd. N. by Lands of Chas. H. Andrus, E. by the sd. Mermentau River, S. by Lands formerly belonging to Francois Corso and West to Lands supposing to belong to Guidry & Andrus and known as the Wm. Mouton tract. appd. at 2.00 per acre amounting to \$2000. Piernas Tract ck.

Item No. 3. The undivided half of 6 arpents front on the River Mermentau by 40 arpents deep (more or less) situated in the West side of sd. River in this Parish & Bounded N. by Lands formerly belonging

to Francois Corso E. by sd. River, S. by Lands of Drozen Bodeaux and on the W. by lands supposing to belong to Theogene Guidry appd. at \$120. (Piernas Tract ck)

Item 3rd (two 3rd given) 120 acs. as per Military Land Warrant No. 55,504 in favor of Hipolite Cormier & 322 82/100 acs as per Cert. No. 6059 in favor of Alexanr Hebert, 335 39/100 acs as per Cert. No. 6060 in favor of Alexanr Hebert, 162 55/100 acs as per Pat. of the sd State No. 4966 in favor of William Campbell, 160 acs. State Pat. No. 5542 in favor of John Campbell, 202 71/100 acs as per State Pat. No. 4965 issued in favor of Honorie Berrand, 40 acs as per Military Land Warrant No. 74,764 issued in favor of Hipolite Cormier, 320 acs as per State Pat. No. 5541 issued in favor of Desire Berrand, 324 14/100 acs as per State Pat. No. 4964 issued in favor of Alexanr- Hebert 320 acs or 370 acs as State Pat. No. 6956 issued in favor of Desire Hebert, 608 35/100 acs as per State Pat. No. 10940 issued in favor of Alexandr- Hebert 4.46 74/acs as per State Pat. No. 10936 issued in favor of Alexandr Hebert, 447 85/100 acs as per State Pat. No. 10939 in favor of Alexandr Hebert, contg. in all 4297 18/100 acs more or less situated in the Ph. of Calcasieu on the West Side of the Mermentau River and adjoining the Homestead Tract apprd. at 50 cts. per acre amounting to \$2148.

There are also papers showing Separate Property sd. decd. and of Clarisse Broussard, admr.

Administratx: Clarice Broussard, widow Natural Tutx: Euphemie Derouen  
Family Meeting held Jany. 26, 1867 Recommendation that all the property belonging to sd. Estate in which the sd. Minors are interested by adjudicated to Mrs. Clarisse Broussard, widow of the sd. Alexander Hebert decd. at the price of Estimation.

Homologated: Aug. 21, 1869. Order of Sale \_\_\_\_\_ Sale Made: \_\_\_\_\_

Account filed: Provisional Aug. 24, 1869, Final Acc. Nov. 18, 1869.

Homologated \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: Consent of Heirs to Horm. of Prov. Tableau, Belzire Hebert, wife of Severine Broussard 3/5/70, Rosa Hebert, wife of Jno. Hayes 9/30/69, Aspasia Hebert, wife of N. Broussard 7/28/74, Desire Hebert, Belzire H. wife of Severine Broussard and the Minor, Alcide Hebert 3/26/70. Eraste Hebert 9/18/69, Eraste. Rosa H., wife of John Hays, Carmelite H., wife of Gustave Lorrent, Minos Broussard, Alexander Broussard and Belzire Broussard, wife of L. Lachausse 11/24/69.

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From ACADIAN PROFILE, Vol. 10 No. 6, Mar. 1983: An article entitled "Tracing your Acadian Ancestors", by Gladys deVillier tells the beginning researcher how to start and gives many good sources of Acadian and Louisiana information. There is also a list of the "First Families of Acadia", the census of Port Royal in 1671. "Genealogists and historians say all the half-million Acadian descendants living in Louisiana today can trace their heritage to one or more families listed here who were living in old Acadie 85 years before the infamous dispersion and exile."

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THE THREE BELLS is a quarterly publication devoted to the research of the BELL family. Subscription price is \$9.00/yr., edited by Mrs. Molly Reigard, 1321 Gum Tree, Huffman, TX 77336.

# FUNERAL NOTICE.

DIED:

*At his home, in this city, Sunday, December  
17th, 1899, at 3 o'clock a. m.,*

**JACOB RYAN,**

*Born at Perry's Bridge, Vermilion Parish, La.,  
aged 84 years, 10 months and 3 days.*

*The friends and acquaintances of the family are  
respectfully invited to attend the funeral which will  
take place tomorrow (Monday) morning at 10:00  
o'clock from the late residence of the deceased on  
Lake Front.*

*Interment in Bilbo Cemetery.*



## MASONIC NOTICE.

HALL LAKE CHARLES LODGE No. 165, F. AND A. M., }  
LAKE CHARLES, LA., December 17, 1899. }

The officers and members of LAKE CHARLES LODGE No. 165, F. AND A. M.,  
are requested to attend a special communication of this Lodge at nine o'clock  
to-morrow (MONDAY) morning, for the purpose of attending the funeral of  
BRO. JACOB RYAN. All Masons in good standing are invited to attend.

By order of

LEON SUGAR, W. M.

I. REINAUER, Secretary,

LAKE CHARLES, LA., DECEMBER 17, 1899.

# FUNERAL NOTICE

DIED

*At the residence of Mr. Bennie Ryan, 112 Pine St., on  
Sunday, April 5, 1908, at 9:15 p. m.*

**MRS. ANNIE HUSTON.**

*Born in Lake Charles, August 16, 1837.  
Aged 70 Years, 7 Months and 20 Days.*

*Relatives, friends and acquaintances of the family are  
respectfully invited to attend the funeral services  
which will be held at residence at 2 o'clock  
this (Monday) afternoon.*

*Interment in Bilbo Cemetery.*

*Lake Charles, April 6, 1908.*

(A copy of the following rare book owned by Shirley Burwell is in the process of being copied and will be placed in the SWLGS library as well as the Calcasieu Parish Library.)

INVENTORY OF THE PARISH ARCHIVES OF LOUISIANA - NO. 10 CALCASIEU PARISH (LAKE CHARLES), prepared by the Historical Records Survey - Division of Women's and Professional Projects - Works Progress Administration, The Department of Archives, Louisiana State University, March, 1938.

This book is one of a number of bibliographies of historical material prepared throughout the United States by the W. P. A. Historical Records Survey was undertaken in the winter of 1935-36 for the purpose of providing useful employment to needy unemployed historians, lawyers, teachers, and research and clerical workers.

In Louisiana the Historical Records Survey was under the supervision of Lyle Saxon. The objective was the preparation of complete inventories of the records of the State and of each parish, municipality and other local government units.

Chapter One of the book is a historical sketch of Calcasieu Parish, Chapter Two is an explanation of governmental organization and records system of Calcasieu and Chapter Three explains the housing, care and accessibility of the records. The records of the Mayo Title Guraranty (now Livingston Title)\* are included in this inventory even though these are private records, but inasmuch as they are copies and abstracts of original parish records which were destroyed by fire in 1910, parish officials have access to these records.

The book consists of 113 pages and is indexed. Listed below are a few of the records that are listed in the book which pre-date 1910. Unless otherwise indicated all records are housed at the Calcasieu Parish Courthouse.

Police Jury Minutes 1840 - -- (A-D, C-D, F-O) (missing Vol. E 1894-98).

Index to Minutes - 1840 - --.

Conveyances (Real Property) - 1840-1926 (Livingston)

Index to Conveyances - Vendor - 1840-1926 (Livingston)

Index to Conveyances - Vendee - 1840-1926 (Livingston)

Land Entry Book - 1803 - -- (Records of land acquired by homestead, grant or purchase from U. S. or La.) -

Mortgage Record - 1893 -- (R-T, W-Z, 1, 3-7, 9-27, 29-30, 37-121; destroyed by fire - Vols. A-Q, 1840-92; Vol. U, 1895-96, Vol. 2 -1900, Vol. 8 - 1902-03, Vol. 28 - 1909, Vol. 31 - 1910)

Civil Suits, 1886 - --

Index to Civil Suits by Plaintiff (1840- --)

Index to Civil Suits by Defendant (1840 - --)

Probate Case Record (1876 - --)

Successions (1840 - --) (Livingston)

Index to Succession Docket (1840 - --)

Parish School Board Minutes Book - 1887 - -- (Supt.'s Office)

\* Livingston Land Title Co., Inc., P. O. Box 989, 110 W. Kirby St., Lake Charles, LA 70601 (We are informed that the charge for researching these and other records is approximately \$50/hr.)



# Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler James F. Blake  
 Address PO Box 457  
 City, State Cameron, La. 70631  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_.

Chart No. \_\_\_\_\_

b. Date of Birth  
 p.b. Place of Birth  
 m. Date of Marriage  
 d. Date of Death  
 p.d. Place of Death

## 4 Theodore ROGERS

(Father of No. 2)  
 b. 7 July 1893  
 p.b. Cameron, Cameron, La.  
 m. 6 Feb 1914  
 d. 9 Mar 1956  
 p.d. Cameron, Cameron, La.

## 2 Charles Amos ROGERS

(Father of No. 1)  
 b. 24 Dec 1917  
 p.b. Cameron, Cameron, La.  
 m. 13 Apr 1937  
 d.  
 p.d.

## 5 Ada PESHOFF

(Mother of No. 2)  
 b. 19 Jan 1899  
 p.b. Cameron, Cameron, La.  
 d. 5 Nov 1952  
 p.d. Lake Charles, Cal., La.

## 1 Norma Jeanne ROGERS

b. 11 Nov 1937  
 p.b. Cameron, Cameron, La.  
 m. 10 Aug 1956  
 d.  
 p.d.

## 6 Andrew Miller EAGLESON

(Father of No. 3)  
 b. 25 May 1893  
 p.b. Grand Chenier, Cameron, La.  
 m. 1 Dec 1915  
 d. 8 Feb 1947  
 p.d. Port Arthur, Jefferson, Tx.

## 3 Alma Roberta EAGLESON

(Mother of No. 1)  
 b. 21 Feb 1916  
 p.b. Grand Chenier, Cameron, La.  
 d.  
 p.d.

## 7 Sallie SWEENEY

(Mother of No. 3)  
 b. 23 Nov 1894  
 p.b. Grand Chenier, Cam., La.  
 d. 18 Feb 1928  
 p.d. Grand Chenier, Cameron, La.

Joseph Braxton Blake, Jr.  
 (Spouse of No. 1)

8

b.  
 p.b.  
 m.  
 d.  
 p.d.

(Father of No. 4)

9

## Rosalie ROGERS

(Mother of No. 4)

b. 8 July 1877  
 p.b. Cameron, Cameron, La.  
 d. 27 June 1957  
 p.d. Cameron, Cameron, La.

## 10 John Marcelius PESHOFF

(Father of No. 5)

b. 24 June 1871  
 p.b. Cameron, Cameron, La.  
 m.  
 d. 12 Apr 1936  
 p.d. Cameron, Cameron, La.  
 Elizabeth BREAU

11

(Mother of No. 5)  
 b. 9 Mar 1870  
 p.b. Mermentau, Acadia, La.  
 d. 15 Aug 1935  
 p.d. Cameron, Cameron, La.

## 12 John EAGLESON

(Father of No. 6)

b. 16 Aug 1863  
 p.b. Grand Chenier, Cam., La.  
 m. 9 June 1891  
 d. 7 Feb 1953  
 p.d. Port Arthur, Jeff., Tex.  
 Jane WETHERILL

13

(Mother of No. 6)  
 b. 19 June 1872  
 p.b. Grand Chenier, Cam., La.  
 d. 25 Oct 1948  
 p.d. Port Arthur, Jeff., TX

## 14 George Carter SWEENEY

(Father of No. 7)

b. 6 Oct 1851  
 p.b. Grand Chenier, Cam., La.  
 m. 1872  
 d. 6 Nov 1922  
 p.d. Grand Chenier, Cam., La.  
 Aurelia MILLER

15

(Mother of No. 7)  
 b. 20 Aug 1853  
 p.b. Grand Chenier, Cam., LA.  
 d. 12 June 1928  
 p.d. Grand Chenier, Cam., LA.

16

b.  
 m.  
 d.

(Father of No. 8,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

17

b.  
 d.

(Mother of No. 8,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

18

## Milfor ROGERS

b. 10 Oct 1833  
 (Father of No. 9,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

19

d. 22 Sept 1896  
 Louisa JONES

b. 17 Oct 1845/47  
 (Mother of No. 9,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

20

## Edward PESHOFF

b. 1842  
 (Father of No. 10,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

21

d. 22 Mar 1913  
 Laurmie DAIGLE

b. 1846/50  
 (Mother of No. 10,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

22

## Lucien BREAU

b. 11 Mar 1840  
 (Father of No. 11,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

23

d. 10 Sept 1867  
 Josephine THIBODEAU

(Mother of No. 11,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

24

## William Hugh EAGLESON

b. 17 Mar 1818  
 (Father of No. 12,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

25

m. 10 Mar 1860  
 d. 3 Nov 1877  
 Louise GODARD

b. 13 Apr 1845  
 (Mother of No. 12,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

26

d. 18 Feb 1926  
 Robert WETHERILL (confed. soldier)

b. 30 Jan 1836  
 (Father of No. 13,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

27

## Harriet Ann SWEENEY

m. 1869  
 d. 29 Apr 1919  
 (Mother of No. 13,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

28

## John William SWEENEY

b. 14 June 1841  
 (Father of No. 14,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

29

d. Mar 1888  
 m. 14 June 1832  
 d. 17 Aug 1886

Sarah Jane HICKOK  
 (Mother of No. 14,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

30

## Pierre Valcourt MILLER

b. 15 Dec 1830  
 (Father of No. 15,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

31

## Amelia BROUSSARD

m. ca 1852  
 d. 18 June 1914  
 (Mother of No. 15,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

b. bt. 23 Aug 1835  
 (Father of No. 15,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

(SON OF #1)

Name of Compiler LUCIUS NEAL LYONS

Address 3602 WOODCREST

City, State TEMPLE, TEXAS 76502

Date OCTOBER, 1981

### Ancestor Chart

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. 2 on chart No. LYD.

Chart No. LY1

#### 4 DAVID A. LYONS

(Father of No. 2)  
b. JAN. 22, 1817  
p.b. OPELOUSAS, LA.  
m. JAN. 20, 1848  
d. APRIL 10, 1887  
p.d. EDGERLY, LA.

b. Date of Birth  
p.b. Place of Birth  
m. Date of Marriage  
d. Date of Death  
p.d. Place of Death

#### 2 RAYMOND C. LYONS

(Father of No. 1)  
b. APRIL 16, 1871  
p.b. EDGERLY, LA.  
m. JUNE 19, 1892  
d. MAY 19, 1939  
p.d. VINTON, LA.

#### 5 LOUISA PERKINS

(Mother of No. 3)  
b. MARCH 21, 1830  
p.b.  
d. AUGUST 14, 1918  
p.d. SULPHUR, LA.

#### 1 LUCIUS LOCKLEY LYONS

b. DEC. 13, 1895  
p.b. SULPHUR, LA.  
m. JULY 17, 1930  
d. OCT. 19, 1972  
p.d. LAKE CHARLES, LA.

#### 8 DOSITE A. BROUSSARD

(Father of No. 8)  
b. NOV. 25, 1849  
p.b. LAFAYETTE, LA.  
m. MAR. 16, 1871  
d. OCT. 21, 1939  
p.d. SULPHUR, LA.

#### 3 DOREASE BROUSSARD

(Mother of No. 1)  
b. JAN. 15, 1873  
p.b. CHOUPIQUE, LA.  
d. FEB. 13, 1896  
p.d. CHOUPIQUE, LA.

#### 7 TABITHA LYONS

(Mother of No. 3)  
b. OCT. 29, 1855  
p.b. EDGERLY, LA.  
d. OCT. 20, 1919  
p.d. SULPHUR, LA.

#### HELEN CHRISTINA BARBEROUSSE

(Spouse of No. 1)  
b. MAY 18, 1909  
p.b. ATLANTA, LA. p.d.

#### 8 SAMUEL LYONS

(Father of No. 4)  
bapt. JUN. 16, 1804 @ 10 YRS  
p.b. ST. MARTINVILLE, LA.  
m. DEC. 23, 1811 { OPELOUSAS,  
1837 } LA.  
p.d. OPELOUSAS, LA.

#### 9 TABITHA HAYES

(Mother of No. 4)  
b.  
p.b.  
d.  
p.d.

#### 10 JAMES PERKINS

(Father of No. 5)  
b. JUNE 11, 1801  
p.b. SOUTH CAROLINA  
m. FEB. 26, 1826 (OPELOUSAS)  
d. DEC. 13, 1867  
p.d. EDGERLY, LA.

#### 11 CATHARINE HENDERSON

(Mother of No. 5)  
b. JULY 21, 1806  
p.b.  
d. NOV. 7, 1885  
p.d. EDGERLY, LA.

#### 12 JOSEPH A. BROUSSARD

(Father of No. 6)  
b. NOV. 11, 1804  
p.b. ST. MARTINVILLE, LA.  
m. NOV. 7, 1831 (LAFAYETTE)  
d.  
p.d. EDGERLY, LA.

#### 13 DORALISE HEBERT

(Mother of No. 8)  
b. JAN. 15, 1814  
p.b. ST. MARTINVILLE, LA.  
d.  
p.d. EDGERLY, LA.

#### 14 AHART LYONS

(Father of No. 7)  
b.  
p.b.  
m.  
d.  
p.d.

#### 15 CATHERINE PERKINS

(Mother of No. 7)  
b.  
p.b.  
d.  
p.d.

#### 16 JOHN LYONS

(Father of No. 9)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 17 NANCY AHART

(Mother of No. 9)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 18 BOSMAN HAYES

(Father of No. 9)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 19

(Mother of No. 9)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 20 REES PERKINS

(Father of No. 10)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 21 MARTHA MORGAN

(Mother of No. 10)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 22 JOHN HENDERSON

(Father of No. 11)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 23 MARTHA FOSTER

(Mother of No. 11)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 24 JOSEPH BROUSSARD

(Father of No. 12)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 25 ANNE HEBERT

(Mother of No. 12)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 26 JOSEPH HEBERT

(Father of No. 13)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 27 ISABELLE DUHON

(Mother of No. 13)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 28 SAMUEL LYONS

(Father of No. 14)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 29 TABITHA HAYES

(Mother of No. 14)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 30 JAMES PERKINS

(Father of No. 15)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

#### 31 CATHARINE HENDERSON

(Mother of No. 15)  
Cont. on chart No. ...

## FROM OUR EXCHANGE PUBLICATIONS

Legacy the newsletter of the Louisiana State Archives & Records Service has been publishing listings of documents of the Opelousas Post. The July 1983 issue contains the continuing publication of the third series of listings. Two previous listings were indexed and published in 1965 and 1979, and all documents were microfilmed. The current listing is of unmicrofilmed documents from 1766-1803 A surname index may be consulted at the Archives. Photocopies cost 10¢/page (\$1 min.). Copies of documents in the first two series are available in microfilm prints only at \$.50-1.00/page, depending on size (\$1 min.). Address of the Archives is P. O. Box 44125, Baton Rouge, LA 70804. A sample of some of the listings follows:

- Opel: 24 June 1784 - Itemized invoice for BARTHELEMI LEBLEU with receipt from LEBLEU to JEAN HERNANDEZ. (3 pp)
- Opel: 20 Nov. 1785 - Petition for land on "Nementau" River by DAVID LEJEUNE, French & Spanish. (3 pp)
- Opel: 22 Apr. 1786 - Slave sale from THOMAS HOFFPAUER TO ANTOINE BOSIDORE (3pp)
- Opel: 12 May 1786 - Land sale from ROBERT COLLINGNOD to ANTOINE BELARD. (3 pp)
- Opel: 29 July 1786 - Power of attorney to sell land from CATHERINE VALENTINE DES BORDES, wife of F. EMOND to JACQUES DES BORDES. (3pp)
- Opel: 21 Aug. 1786 - Donation of land by LUKE COLLINS, SR. to LUKE COLLINS, JR. (4 pp)
- Opel: 22 Aug. 1786 - Declaration of intention by LUKE COLLINS, SR. in favor of his wife SARAH WHITE. (3 pp)
- Opel: 26 Aug. 1786 - Succession of LOUIS RICHARD, free mulatto. (13 pp)

For a complete listing see past issues of Legacy in the Genealogical Room of the Calcasieu Parish Library.

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The Louisiana Genealogical Register, June 1983 in a report on the annual meeting of the La. Genealogical & Historical Society quotes Elizabeth Shown Mills as reporting that during the Colonial Period more unmarried people came to Louisiana than in any other American colony except Maryland. Basically, the immigrants were French, even those who arrived in the Spanish period. The age of marriage has varied considerably through the years from as young as 12 years for girls and 16 years for boys to more than 20 years for women and 27 years for native-born men and 31 years for foreign-born men.

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Crow Wing County (Minn.) Genealogical Society Newsletter, July-August 1983 issue is devoted to Scandinavian research. The articles include tips and information on Finland, Denmark, Sweden and Norway.

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Rhode Island Roots is a new exchange publication which we have added to our exchange list. It is published quarterly by the Rhode Island Genealogical Society (P. O. Box 7618, Warwick RI 02887-7618) and in our opinion is a well-written journal that will surely be of use to those with Rhode Island connections. The June 1983 issue has an installment on their continuing series of the Rhode Island 1777 Military Census.

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The Yellowjacket, publication of the Great River Gen. Society of Quincy, IL, March 1982 has an article on the cleaning of cloth and leather bound books.

### FREE HELP

For a SASE Betty Rosteet, 2801 St. Francis St., Sulphur, LA 70663, will search the following books in her private library for your ancestor:

- "Kaskaskia Under the French Regime", Natalia Maree Belting
- "Les Anciennes Familles du Quebec", comp. by Brasserie Labatt Ltd.
- "Nos Ancetres - Quebec", Gerard Lebel
- "Dutch Uncles and New England Cousins", Wilson Clough
- "The Fruge's of Frakaitaic", J. Cleveland Fruge
- "The Fullertons of North America", Gordon Fullerton
- "The Opelousas Post", Gladys deVillier
- "Dictionnaire Genealogique des Familles Canadiennes", Cyprien Tanguay
- "Historie et Genealogie des Acadiens", Bona Arsenault
- "Descendants of Jasper Blake", Carlton E. Blake
- "The Magna Carta Barons and their American Descendants together with the Pedigrees of the Founders of the Order of Runnemede. Deduced from the Sureties for the Enforcement of the Statutes of the Magna Carta of King John", Charles Browning
- "Magna Carta Sureties, 1215", Frederick Lewis Weis

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Also, Shirley Burwell, Rt. 8 Box 168, Lake Charles, LA 70605, has in addition to her holdings listed in Vol. 7 No. 1 the following:

- "Carter Hall and Some Genealogical Notes on the Burwell Family of Virginia", Stuart E. Brown, Jr. & Ann Barton Brown
- "Record of the Burwell Family"
- "The Beverley Family of Virginia", Robt. Isham Randolph (excerpts)
- "The Randolphs of Virginia", Robt. Isham Randolph (excerpts)
- "The Children of Major Lewis Burwell II of Gloucester County in the Ancient Colony of Virginia", Everard Kidder Meade (reprinted from Vol. IV (944) of the "Proceedings of the Clarke County Historical Association"
- "Sketch of Carter Burwell (1716-1756)", compiled by Geo. Harrison Burwell, III

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### NEW BOOKS IN THE SOCIETY LIBRARY

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REMINDER: 1984 DUES ARE NOW PAYABLE

## SOCIETY NEWS

### New Members

- 334. MRS. SANDRA MIGUEZ, 1531 Hodges St., Lake Charles, LA 70601
- 335. MS. ELAINE PICOU, P. O. Box 455, Cameron, LA 70631
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- 340. BERNICE COBB WILLIAMS, 1917 Bank St., Lake Charles, LA 70601
- 341. HOYT WILLIAMS, 1917 Bank St., Lake Charles, LA 70601

### Address Changes

- 28. Judge Cleveland Fruge, 204 Hi School Dr., Ville Platte, LA 70568
- 30. Allen J. Fuselier, Rt. 1 Box 265A, Elton, LA 70532
- 77. Mrs. Daniel R. Perego, Box 136, Kinder, LA 70648
- 228. Mary Burden Seales, 185 Redbud Lane, Lumberton, TX 77656
- 275. Sallye Vernetta Hebert, Rt. 1 Box 1850, Sulphur, LA 70663
- 319. Falba Baeder, 10304 W. Winston, Apt. 7, Baton Rouge, LA 70809

OUR NOVEMBER MEETING was well attended. Guest speaker was TRUMAN STACEY, who presented a very informative talk on "Galvez and the American Revolution". Officers for 1984 were elected as follows:

President	- Pat Huffaker
Vice-President	- Carol Sanders
Recording Secretary	- Faye Sedotal
Corresponding Secretary	- Rosie Newhouse
Treasurer	- Betty Elliott

A By-Law change which had been presented at the September meeting to change our dues structure was voted on and passed. 1984 DUES WHICH ARE NOW PAYABLE WILL BE:

- \$10.00 - single membership
- \$15.00 - family membership
- \$20.00 - patron membership

A FORM WHICH YOU MAY USE TO ACCOMPANY YOUR DUES CHECK IS INCLUDED ON PAGE 91.

THE FIRST MEETING FOR 1984 IS SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, JANUARY 21 AT 10:00 AM AT THE CALCASIEU-CAMERON HEALTH UNIT, Kirkman St. & Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles.

### NEW BOOKS PURCHASED FOR SOCIETY LIBRARY:

Baton Rouge Diocese Records - Vol. III  
Imperial Calcasieu Records - Successions - 1840-1910 by Shirley Burwell

(For the information of those members who have inquired, the Society purchases books of general membership interest, not family histories; donations, of course, are encouraged.)

We still have 15 generation charts and "how to" books available for sale.

# CALCASIEU PARISH MARRIAGES 1910 - 1915

(contuned from Volume 7, No. 3)

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE OF MARRIAGE
Daharsh, A. D.	Dorham, Dora	8/3/10
Daigle, Alicia	Corbello, Bridget	6/6/12
Daigle, Aris Henry	Dountze, Gussie Maire	9/10/11
Daigle, Euches	Sloane, Ester	12/4/11
Diagle, Lezime	Frazin, Mrs. Malisa	7/27/12
Daigle, Lucien	Norris, Ava	12/6/13
Daiken, Ernest Edw.	Shoemake, Ruthy	11/23/15
Dalovisio, Joe	Vigare, Gionanmia	6/2/12
Daniel, Hardin	Mayfield, Clara	4/20/12
Daniel, John	Robertson, Alberta	7/24/15
Daniels, Edw.	Jones, Francis	4/28/10
Darbey, Joe	Spooner, Mrs. Mary	12/20/11
Darbon, Isaac	Mercantel, Dorasse	12/5/12
Darley, Ozan	Aucoin, Mrs. Jennie	7/13/12
Darbonne, Orel	Sarile, Stella	12/3/13
Dartez, Nelson	Aucoin, Felisco M.	11/25/13
Daudridge, Ben	Pugh, Martha	12/18/10
Daughtrey, Louis Alexander	Hill, Clarisa	7/11/14
Dautel, Lawrence Harvey	Nix, Floyd Pearl	6/18/13
Dauterive, Sydney J.	Glover, Verna	6/15/11
Davidson, Chas. A.	Freeman, Sallie	4/21/10
Davis, Allen	Robio, Josephine	6/25/12
Davis, Bernice B.	Baldridge, Oraline C.	5/26/13
Davis, Chas. Thomas	Harris, Alice Frances	8/4/11
Davis, Daniel Wesley	Davis, Mary	2/13/11
Davis, Earle	Whitford, Belle	11/7/12
Davis, F.	Plater, Hames	2/13/12
Davis, Frank J.	Mitchell, Cora	1/15/13
Davis, George	Vincent, Edna	7/17/15
Davis, Harry Everett	Gravell, Emma Ernestine	11/30/11
Davis, Joe	LeBleu, Mattie	2/9/11
Davis, Levi	Granger, Bernardie	8/28/12
Davis, Narcisse	McMahon, Mary	1/29/14
Davis, Pete	Belven, Mrs. Alice	2/28/15
Davis, Raymond	Colston, Laura	3/7/15
Davis, Will	Robinson, Annas	12/24/11
Davis, Wm.	Brown, Bessie	10/10/12
Dawson, Kelly	Seals, Ogle	6/17/11
Day, Glenn C.	Sallier, Frederica	8/27/13
Day, Oley	Bayes, Ellen	11/19/15
Day, Walter	Jackson, Mary	11/2/15
Dazio, Tony	Muse, Lillian	2/25/11
Dear, John Derward	Davis, Pearl	10/17/12
Deason, Alice C.	Powers, Nancy	4/12/11
Deason, Eugene L.	Churchill, Mrs. Pearl	9/14/15
Deaton, Roy E.	Marshall, Georgia May	7/27/10
Decuir, Gaston	Luckett, Euphemie	7/12/13
Dehon, Abner	Fontenot, Ava	12/19/12

Delahoussaye, Horace	Fusilier, Cora	5/18/10
Demarets, Camille	Hebert, Rosa	2/15/15
Demarst, Alcie	Pousson, Ivy	2/5/12
Demary, Euclide	Holland, Zellian	3/1/15
Demerit, Alcie	Dartez, Nollie	6/26/15
DeMerritt, Albert	Dubose, Matilda Viola	10/28/15
Demery, Antoine	Granger, Anatolie	12/2/15
Demery, Donat	Hebert, Oraline	11/22/15
Dennis, Aaron	Buckaman, Luella	1/30/13
Dennis, T. H.	Wood, Vannie	2/14/14
Denson, Hillrir	Brigga, Clara	9/25/10
Dent, Richard A.	Watson, Marie K.	5/24/13
Depingue, Louis	Berry, Ruth Anna	10/22/15
Derouen, Adeal	Stoute, Mrs. Azeldia	10/23/14 lic. date
Derouen, Alexander	Ravet, Annie	12/27/11
Derouen, Cesare	Derouen, Atie	1/2/11
Derouen, Duplesie	Maynard, Celema	11/11/12
Derouen, Eugene	Norris, Ida	4/25/11
Derouen, Faymond	Derouen, Ida	2/22/12
Derouen, J. W.	Blackman, Fannie Brent	6/15/14
Derouen, Placide	Derouen, Corine	8/17/13
Derouen, Raymond	Derouen, Eliza	12/4/11
Derouen, Dr. Robt. Francis	Selser, Martha L.	2/11/11
Desarmous, Euclide	Holland, Myrtle	7/30/10
Deshotel, Albia	Pitre, Ezora	11/5/12
Deshotels, Jesse D.	Cammack, Amanda M.	6/30/14
Desjardin, Silas	Nelson, Allice	12/18/12
Devener, Will	Campbell, Mary	7/20/15
Dever, Alvin	Lalanne, Elizabeth B.	6/11/13
Dever, Elbert R.	Snider, Edith May	9/17/13
Deville, Artelus	Latour, Marceline	1/31/11
Deville, Joseph	Broussard, Emily	4/13/13
Devis, Willis	Robinson, Leah	8/26/12
Dews, Walter Whitson	Clay, Olive	2/21/15
DeWitt, Ernest	Morrogh, Grace	11/29/12
DeWoody, A. C.	O'Brien, Palmier	12/29/14
Diacos, Stavros	Geanoplas, Mary K.	9/25/15
Dickson, Geo. A.	Crossman, Susan	11/29/13
Dill, John W.	Deans, Dovie	7/17/10
Dillon, John	Wilcox, Edna	11/10/13
Dixon, Aberdeen	Lane, Mrs. Molly	3/15/13
Dodd, J. C.	Johnson, Mrs. E. J.	3/11/14
Doescher, John H.	Clifton, Puella	5/30/10
Doiron, Ambrose	Martinez, Fabiola	6/25/13
Doiron, Edmond	Doiron, Mrs. Marcelie	5/20/12
Doiron, John F.	Singleton, Eufernia	9/1/10
Doiron, Ursan	Singleton, Elmile	2/20/12
Doiron, Wilfred	Potier, Virginia	12/26/14
Doise, Angelos	Bushness, Alidia	11/29/10
Dolve, Tom	Goyd, Edna	4/19/10
Donald, R. E.	Tilley, Flora	8/13/11
Donaldson, Robt. Lee	Hartley, Mrs. Lucy	4/27/12

Doolan, Dick B.  
 Doolan, Dixie B.  
 Doremus, Edw. Peter  
 Dossat, Albert J.  
 Dotson, Anderson  
 Doucet, Frank  
 Doucett, M. P.  
 Douglas, James L.  
 Doyle, Austin  
 Doyle, Leonard  
 Doyle, Mardy  
 Dozier, Stephen  
 Drachenberry, Wm.  
 Drake, Eli  
 Drake, Martin  
 Drazo, Henry  
 Drew, E. Alfred  
 Drew, Harrison A.  
 Dronet, Isidore  
 Drost, Chas. Richard  
 Dubard, David S.  
 Dubard, J. S.  
 Dubose, Peter  
 Dudley, J. A.  
 Duell, Ivy Otis  
 Dugas, Cleopha  
 Dugas, Jules  
 Dugas, Mr. Nora  
 Duggan, Lovell C.  
 Duhme, Louis  
 Duhon, Amrose  
 Duhon, Bernard  
 Duhon, Drozan  
 Duhon, Ellis  
 Duhon, Emile  
 Duhon, Eraste  
 Duhon, Frank  
 Duhon, Lastie  
 Duhon, Madison  
 Duhon, Oneil  
 Duhon, Robert  
 Duhon, Tanney  
 Duhon, Watkins  
 Duhon, Willie  
 Duhon, Willis  
 Dunham, Harvey  
 Dunham, Samuel  
 Dunhan, Leslie  
 Dunn, Calvin Walter  
 Dunn, E. J.  
 Dunn, Jeremiah T.  
 Duplechain, Alcibeade  
 Duplechain, Seda  
 Dupre, Lucius

Vickers, Ollie May 11/15/12  
 Perrigen, Katie E. 10/5/15  
 Kirkman, Mollie Worland 1/14/15  
 Whitworth, Mrs. Antonette 10/27/14  
 Going, Bessie 3/18/13  
 Savant, Arease 12/19/11  
 Stallings, Emily 3/6/13  
 Clark, Florence E. 4/20/15  
 Perkins, Nora 4/8/12  
 Burgess, Addia 5/7/10  
 Foster, Lizzie 6/13/12  
 Perkins, Minerva 6/22/10  
 Simmons, Myrtle 6/15/13  
 Vincent, Clementine 10/8/11  
 Bloodsworth, Lillie 2/7/12  
 Lena, Nicolina 9/21/12  
 Dryfuss, Viola 4/27/11  
 Usher, Ella R. 11/7/11  
 Norris, Avia 5/1/15  
 Kelley, Nellie E. 6/14/11  
 Kirkman, Mrs. Mary 11/27/12  
 Hogan, Delmar Clara 4/6/13  
 Morgan, Morona 11/1/13  
 Davis, Willie 10/15/13  
 Vinson, Essie 12/24/11  
 Oquain, Marcelien 12/29/13  
 Boudreaux, Elenor 10/21/15  
 White, Rose Anna 12/1/10  
 Doyle, Lena 2/3/12  
 Cunningham, Gladys M. 11/30/12  
 Barbie, May Jeanette 9/24/14  
 Lacy, Lavonia 3/15/15  
 Vincent, Marie 2/18/11  
 Geoffroy, Alphonsine 12/19/10  
 Duhon, Edmay 1/8/13  
 Richard, Ella 12/22/10  
 Granger, Nora 2/23/11  
 Duhon, Eveline 6/20/10  
 Fruge, Lucille 2/23/11  
 Guillotte, Victoria 10/5/15  
 Rigmaiden, Leonia 9/14/15  
 Gable, Hattie 12/29/13  
 Duhon, Amelia 12/5/14  
 Pearce, Ophelia 5/5/10  
 Hanks, Clara 12/22/10  
 Allen, Mrs. Ellen 1/28/12  
 Walton, Mabel Claire 9/13/12  
 Langley, Octavia 11/16/13  
 Marr, Mollie B. 9/17/12  
 Cannon, Mrs. Etta 1/23/13  
 Myers, Lena 1/8/11  
 Marcantel, Dolena 10/7/11  
 Chaumont, Estelle 8/1/11  
 Rochester, Alberta 3/19/12

Dupuy, Sidney	Broussard, Espasia	6/13/10
Dusen, Fay	Brown, Mrs. Sallie J.	12/11/13
Dutton, Jessie Lee	Barron, Nellie	3/5/11
Dyal, Oliver	Johnson, Clem	8/8/12
Dyer, Arthur	Cloud, Elizabeth	9/22/10
Dyer, Melton	Welch, Emmie	10/15/11
Dyer, Walter	Blanchard, Alice	8/25/15
Dyson, Felix	Foreman, Ora	5/19/10
Dyson, Hardy	Perkins, Ida	1/8/11
Dyson, James	Dyson, Mrs. Alice	7/19/12
Each, Wm. E.	Loudon, Sarah E.	1/1/13
East, Jeaniss	Dupre, Azelina	5/15/11
Easton, Circera	Wilson, Mrs. Jorcy	6/19/11
Ebert, Wm. A.	Taylor, Mrs. Hudson A.	3/14/14
Eddington, Lynas L.	Farris, Mrs. Ella	12/24/12
Eddy, David W.	Leake, Sarah A.	4/23/13
Edgar, John	Harris, Georgia	5/19/12
Edge, S. Z.	Malone, Ada	12/24/12
Edmond, Louis	Bryant, Ida	3/20/15
Edmondson, Aaron	Broussard, Lettie	2/1/12
Edridge, Henry	Clifton, Julia	5/25/11
Edwards, Auburn L.	Lenz, Rosalie	9/18/14
Edwards, Monroe	Smith, Lula	9/25/10
Edwards, Robt.	Tim, Bessie	5/11/12
Edwards, Timy	Olives, Gracie	5/20/11
Edwards, Williams	Renie, Mary	1/6/12
Elender, Bradley	Lacy, Mary Maude	7/31/13
Elender, Cleve	Lacy, Adelia	5/13/14
Elender, Floyd	Sanders, Annie	6/10/15
Elender, John A.	Lacy, Lillian	8/13/13
Elender Nathan	Landry, May	1/15/13
Elender, Simon	Hofer, Elise	9/15/12
Ellender, Elvin	Gorum, Rosa	6/17/11
Ellick, Edward	Johnson, Mrs. Louise	2/24/14
Elliot, W. H.	Gombert, Clementine	9/29/13
Ellis, A. C.	Smith, Mattie	11/22/13
Ellis, Argus Gilmer	Ellis, Bessie	4/13/12
Ellis, Artly G.	Schreib, Jeanette	12/28/14
Ellis, Henry W.	Murphy, Helen	2/13/15
Ellis, J. F.	Perry, Gussie	6/17/12
Elms, Harry N.	Beadle, Stella Marie	2/2/14
Elridge, Shorter	Hall, Elmira	5/12/10
Elveston, Alfred	Simmons, Cordie	3/19/12
Epps, H. L.	Scarver, Margarette	7/22/15
Epps, Henry L.	Wilson, Mrs. Ella	11/8/10
Epps, Perry F.	Martin, Mrs. Olin	4/20/11
Ernest, Willie	Hills, Fora	3/13/12
Escombas, --	Koonce, Susie	7/2/11
Escoubas, Albert	Picard, Rosalie	7/24/13
Esprey, Willie	Barney, Mary	11/7/13
Esselstyn, Henry Raymond	Houck, Edna May	11/18/11
Estrada, Manuel	Labauve, Lena	8/28/12



Etie, Chas.	Sloane, Cora	6/27/14
Etie, Gaston	Lyons, Annie	11/6/11
Etie, O'Neal Ralph	Landry, Ozeia	10/27/13
Etie, Phillip	Landry, Destine	4/27/11
Etien, Henry	Prater, Zenobia	10/3/12
Etier, Frank C.	Steiner, Mrs. Lillian	3/21/15
Evans, Edw. L.	Stephens, Lillian D.	2/26/13
Evans, George	Sarille, Mena	2/27/11
Evans, John	Garvin, Hester	4/15/12
Evnas, Harry Howard	Shaddock, Kate R.	9/28/10
Ewens, Spicy	Mouton, Ella	5/21/11
Ewing, Edw.	Brammer, Marie	12/28/15
Ewing, Jos. B.	Virgilio, Katherine E.	7/6/14
Ezell, Tom	Hebert, Lorina	7/9/13

(to be continued in next issue)

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### QUERIES

STERKER, STUCKER, STURKE, STURCKEN or similar searchers, I'd like to correspond. Hope to connect you with my early German research. Cecil Stuerke, 6233 Dellyne NW, Albuquerque, NM 87120.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

REUNION: Descendants of JAMES & CATHER DYSON are invited to attend a reunion on 8 January 1984 at 10:00 AM, Prien Lake Park, Lake Charles, LA. Bring a picnic lunch. For more information contact Elaine Picou, P. O. Box 455, Cameron, LA 70631.

I am beginning a family newsletter by subscription, \$12.00/yr., published quarterly, "BREngle BRANCHES" to bring together Brengle descendants... Charles Brengle, 6619 Pheasant Rd., Rte. #16, Baltimore, MD 21220.

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THE SOCIETY IS PARTICIPATING IN A NEW PROGRAM SPONSORED BY GEORGE THERIOT'S FOOD STORES. If you shop at George Theriot's please send your register receipts to our post office box. We will receive 1% of the total. Any money received is to go into our book fund.

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### SOME RECENT ADDITIONS TO THE GENEALOGY COLLECTION OF THE CALCASIEU PARISH LIBRARY:

976.4276	McLemore, Authula	THE EDGEWOOD STORY
976.4453	Ludeman, Annette	LA SALLE COUNTY: SOUTH TEXAS COUNTRY, 1956-1975
929.1	Baxter, Angus	IN SEARCH OF YOUR BRITISH & IRISH ROOTS; A COMPLETE GUIDE TO TRACING YOUR ENGLISH, WELSH, SCOTTISH & IRISH ANCESTORS
973		PHILADELPHIA NATURALIZATION RECORDS
973.7468	U. D. C.	CONFEDERATE PATRIOT INDEX
974.5		GENEALOGIES OF RHODE ISLAND FAMILIES: FROM RHODE ISLAND PERIODICALS
975.7	Moss, Bobby	ROSTER OF SOUTH CAROLINA PATRIOTS IN THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

LACASSINE CEMETERY - submitted by Nola Corbello (continued from Vol. 7,  
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ONELIA BROUSSARD (born June 21, 1918 ARDOIN) Nov. 20, 1974	MATTHEW SCOTT DUGAS s/o M/M REGGIE DUGAS Sept. 20, 1963 Mar. 21, 1969	JAMES HEBERT Feb. 9, 1903
ERNESTINE GARY Dec. 2, 1905 June 5, 1979	RODNEY THIBODEAUX, SR. Nov. 30, 1921 May 22, 1968	LELIA H. HEBERT Jan. 27, 1904
LAWRENCE GARY Jan. 6, 1905 Aug. 2, 1973	LEO ABSHIRE Apr. 29, 1907 Setp. 10, 1967	ELLA ROGER SHUFF Oct. 27, 1910
AGNES ARDOIN Jan. 3, 1912	NETTIE A. ABSHIRE Mar. 21, 1914 Nov. 4, 1981	ALEX SHUFF Nov. 21, 1910
WESLEY ARDOIN Apr. 4, 1909	MARK (s/o M/M EARL HARRINGTON b & d Oct. 1959	ROSE LOVIERE ROGER Jan. 7, 1918
MARY JO ROBINSON Mar. 12, 1919 June 3, 1979	ALVIN J. ROGERS June 24, 1940 Feb. 10, 1971	OSCAR ROGER Apr. 7, 1915
GENEVIEVE MALLET BENOIT Feb. 7, 1924	EDMOND ROGER Apr. 4, 1884 Oct. 24, 1976	KATHERINE BENOIT w/o ANIAS DUPLCHAIN July 7, 1921 Nov. 10, 1980
EDWARD BENOIT Nov. 23, 1921 June 10, 1982	LAURA ROGER (born Oct. 19, 1884 VANICOR) Sept. 21, 1975	ADAM ROUSSEAU Feb. 3, 1905 July 6, 1980
ROBERT SHUFF, JR. Oct. 29, 1927 Dec. 26, 1982	JOHN WAYNE ROGER s/o M/M J. B. ROGERS May 8, 1948 Apr. 28, 1964	AZELIA D. ROUSSEAU Apr. 17, 1905
STUART K. LAVERGNE July 29, 1950 June 14, 1978	CLARIZA PATIN June 2, 1894 Sept. 28, 1968	LEONARD MALLET May 8, 1909
CLARENCE ARDOIN Oct. 2, 1910	SHARON LEGER b & d Nov. 4, 1968	ROSELLA C. MALLET Nov. 20, 1911
ODELIA ARDOIN Feb. 10, 1913	BEATRICE L. COMEAUX July 8, 1908 Nov. 18, 1968	DERBEST DESORMEAUX Mar. 23, 1909
OZEIA F. YOUNG Oct. 29, 1902 Feb. 4, 1977	GEORGE DEGEYTER Mar. 13, 1910	LUDY M. DESORMEAUX June 12, 1905 Oct. 11, 1952
DONATLIE MALLET Nov. 1899	EVE B. DEGEYTER Aug. 17, 1913	ALEBY J. DESORMEAUX Apr. 19, 1897 Apr. 22, 1980
COLUMBUS BOURGEOIS Sept. 26, 1897 Feb. 20, 1977	WILLIE LEGER Jan. 9, 1914 Apr. 18, 1974	EVA DESORMEAUX (b. BROUSSARD) Sept. 5, 1898 Feb. 8, 1979
MABLE T. PRIMEAUX Jan. 1, 1917		CHARLES EDWIN HOWARD Mar. 25, 1908 Feb. 24, 1978
LAWRENCE PRIMEAUX Jan. 16, 1917		MAROUS LEGER Dec. 22, 1887 Mar. 10, 1974 (married May 18, 1915)

LUCILLE RODDY LEGER

DERRELL E. PROUTY

May 4, 1912

ELVIE B. PROUTY

Aug. 8, 1911

OLIVE C. RICHARD

1899 - 1969

WILLIAM BENOIT

July 7, 1898

Dec. 4, 1976

BEULAH COURTS BENOIT

Nov. 13, 1905

Jan. 17, 1960

ELAINE ELIZABETH BOURNE

b & d Jan. 30, 1960

CHARLES DUHON

Feb. 4, 1890

Feb. 17, 1960

LOUIS BERTRAND, SR.

Dec. 5, 1900

Feb. 27, 1970

ESTELLE BERTRAND (b. HEBERT)

Dec. 19, 1907

WILLIAM CARY

Aug. 21, 1902

Jan. 21, 1968

LAWRENCE LOPEZ

Feb. 9, 1896

June 8, 1979

HAZEL LEBLEU BENOIT

Mar. 17, 1924

June 23, 1969

SEDIE R. BABINEAUX

Jan. 1, 1909

ALVIN BABINEAUX

Jan. 26, 1907

ADAM L. GOODMAN

Sept. 25, 1921

Apr. 18, 1976

EULA B. BREAUX

Feb. 1, 1931

DEWEY J. BREAUX

Aug. 25, 1925

Nov. 29, 1981

wife of FRANK GENIUS

EMMA BERGERON GENIUS

Mar. 29, 1886

May 19, 1973

FANNY L. LOUVIERE

Oct. 12, 1901

Feb. 18, 1978

ROSEMOND LOUVIERE

Mar. 3, 1901

Mar. 2, 1976

OLIVIA C. LOUVIERE

Jan. 3, 1907

SIMONET DAVID

Oct. 28, 1890

Jan. 12, 1973

WILLIA MAE LANDRY

Dec. 4, 1918

AGNES D. LEGER

Dec. 12, 1921

LORANZY LEGER

Feb. 18, 1917

HERMINA T. VANICOR

July 13, 1895

JULES VANICOR

Mar. 30, 1892

May 3, 1973

LUCILLE M. LANDRY

Feb. 20, 1911

EMMA LOU LANDRY

Nov. 22, 1948

BRYAN LANDRY, SR.

Dec. 26, 1907

June 25, 1974

ASA GARY

June 22, 1916

Apr. 27, 1973

VERIAN LOUISE SIBILE

May 23, 1934

VICTOR HUGO SIBILLE, JR.

Oct. 10, 1931

MARY VIRGINIA W. SIBILLE

Oct. 6, 1910

Nov. 12, 1980

VICTOR HUGO SIBILLE, SR.

Apr. 13, 1906

Jan. 7, 1980

DANIEL E. BOURNE, SR.

Oct. 7, 1895

July 22, 1981

ASA LEJEUNE

Aug. 28, 1917

Sept. 8, 1982

ELIA L. COX

LORETTA C. FONTENOT

Apr. 21, 1897

Aug. 8, 1975

WILLARD J. FONTENOT

Sept. 9, 1917

Nov. 4, 1974

AMY G. FONTENOT

Jan. 11, 1915

LENA H. HINTON

Aug. 27, 1900

May 25, 1974

EDNA GUIDRY

Aug. 1, 1905

Oct. 23, 1978

LUCIEN GUIDRY

Dec. 28, 1901

Sept. 2, 1962

ANTHONY A. HEBERT

May 6, 1945

Sept. 24, 1971

ALMA P. HEBERT

May 16, 1916

Apr. 15, 1973

ARTHUR PRESTON GUILBEAU

May 5, 1916

May 3, 1981

OLLA VIDRINE GUILBEAU

Jan. 16, 1895

HOSEA MANUEL

July 20, 1918

May 27, 1978

LUDY R. MANUEL

Jan. 15, 1920

(married Jun. 22, 1946)

HARRY MANUEL

Dec. 21, 1920

CIVIL SUITS - CALCASIEU PARISH, LA., SAVED FROM THE FIRE OF APRIL 23, 1910

After the fire of April 23, 1910 which destroyed the Calcasieu Parish Court House and most of the records, the "Daily American-Press" on May 3, 1910 published a list of those records which were saved. The following are those civil suits listed.

<u>Suit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>
3106	MARY A. ROGERS vs. WM. ROGERS	Nov. 29, 1897
3655	CYNTHIA A. LYONS vs. MARY M.(?) LYONS	Apr. 11, 1900
3697	ELSTNER MARTIN GROCERY CO. vs. O. F. BORDELON	Oct. 9, 1900
3766	PERKINS & MILLER LBR. CO. bs. THOS. L. HARDY	Dec. 13, 1900
3991	FRED G. LOCK vs. MAMIE L. LOCK	Oct. 1, 1901
4506	JOSEPH ROY vs. MARY HEINEN, et al	Apr. 3, 1903
4713	JOSEPH MARX vs. LA. W.R. CO.	Sept. 9, 1903
5209	MARY A. WELSH et al vs. JOHN DROST	June 30, 1904
5556	B. L. J. LONG vs. MARTHA R. WHITE et al	Jan. 12, 1905
5691	ORRIN S. DOLBY vs. MRS. GENA JORDAN	Apr. 12, 1905
5766	EMILY J. KIRKWOOD vs. W. A. KIRKWOOD	May 12, 1905
5777	BANK OF GUEYDAN vs. J. M. BOOZE et al	May 17, 1905
5930	JAMES T. STEWART vs. the CHICAGO TEXAS LAND & LBR. CO.	Oct. 10, 1905
6030	ANNE W. BURGESS vs. ANNIE E. NORRIS et al	Jan. 2, 1906
6157	FRANCIS MARTIN & CO. LTD. vs. MRS. M. A. MARTIN	Apr. 4, 1906
6174	FRED MILLER BREWING CO. vs. MARY ANN MARTIN et al	Apr. 17, 1906
6244	JOEL E. AMIS vs. DELTA AMIS	June 12, 1906
6259	D. R. SWIFT vs. CHICAGO TEXAS LAND & LBR. CO.	June 16, 1906
6329	H. C. GILL et al vs. CITY OF LAKE CHARLES	Oct. 12, 1906
6447	E. A. STERLING vs. E. W. WATTS	Dec. 8, 1906
6520	FRANK H. CUTTING vs. IRVING W. LAWSON	Jan. 31, 1907
6675	WM. KRIELOW vs. ROYAL PETROLEUM CO., et al	May 17, 1907
6727	HILLORY EVANS et al vs. LILLIE WALL, minor	June 14, 1907
6752	MRS. VIVIAN G. GRAHAM vs. ELLIS GRAHAM	July 2, 1907
6780	HIGGINS OIL & FUEL CO. vs. A. K. RILEY CO.	July 20, 1907
6807	LEOPOLD RAVIA vs. JULIA VINCENT	Aug. 27, 1907
6853	MATTIE F. COLLINS vs. FLORA C. FAIN et al	Oct. 6, 1907
6904	THE STANDARD DIST. CO. vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Nov. 15, 1907
6906	HOUSTON ICE & BREWING CO. vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Nov. 17, 1907
6908	STERNBERG & SONS vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Nov. 20, 1907
6912	PAUL JONES & CO. vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Nov. 22, 1907
6913	BENITO ROVIRA CO. vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Nov. 22, 1907
6917	THE I. TRAGER CO. vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Nov. 23, 1907
6926	MARX FLAXMAN & BRO. vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Nov. 29, 1907
6970	ARTHUR HOLLINS vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Dec. 28, 1907
6971	EINSTEIN BROS. vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Dec. 30, 1907
6980	WILEY GAUTHIER vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Jan. 7, 1908
6999	JULES C. KOENIG vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	Jan. 25, 1908
7058	ELLIS GRAHAM vs. VIVIAN MCCALL	Feb. 27, 1908

<u>Suit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>
7071	RICHARD R. DEUTSCH vs. JUDSON HARRIS	March 9, 1908
7154	JOSEPHINE GAUTHIER vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	May 5, 1908
7163	E. H. TAYLOR, JR. vs. P. A. GAUTHIER	May 19, 1908
7240	ASA F. LYONS vs. WALTER L. PETERS	June 15, 1908
7285	C. H. & W. L. BRISSETT, trustee vs. GULF LAND CO., LTD.	July 21, 1908
7377	FLOOD & CONKLIN vs. P. E. OLMSTEAD	Oct. 7, 1908
7422	J. M. NEELY vs. BETSY ANN NEELY	Oct. 31, 1908
7446	FRANK H. BANKER, et al vs. JOHN G. GRAY et al	Nov. 11, 1908
7463	EVANGELINE IRON WORKS, LTD. vs. NATIONAL OIL CO.	Nov. 27, 1908
7473	LEON SUGAR vs. C. M. RICHARD, assessor	Dec. 1, 1908
7474	CLARA KELLER vs. JOSEPH KELLER	Dec. 1, 1908
7583	KATHARINE ANDERSON vs. JOHN R. KELLY	Feb. 15, 1909
7601	M. M. SMITH vs. SMITH BROS. & CO.	Feb. 24, 1909
7608	C. F. GUNTHER vs. PETE SHROPULOS	Mar. 3, 1909
7618	WESCO SUPPLY CO. vs. B. H. MOBLEY	Mar. 3, 1910
7684	JOHN ECKHARDT vs. E. A. MATERNE	Apr. 10, 1909
7685	RUBY GRAY et al vs. CITY OF LAKE CHARLES	Apr. 10, 1909
7692	EMELIA PREMEAUX, widow of OVCE BROUSSARD, curator	Apr. 12, 1909
7725	G. B. COLEMAN et al va. A. BARBER et al	May 1, 1909
7744	CONTINENTAL LBR. & TIE CO. vs. MIDWAY LBR. CO., LTD.	May 11, 1910
7751	MRS. HARRIET PATTERSON vs. MRS. MARY L. HASTIE et al	May 17, 1909
7757	HOUSTON RIVER CANAL CO., LTD. vs. D. J. REID, tax collector, et al	May 19, 1910
7787	G. H. BASS & CO. vs. MRS. BERTHA SCHOCHET	June 4, 1909
7788	ENDICOTT JOHNSON CO. vs. MRS. BERTHA SCHOCHET	June 4, 1909
7789	C. R. DUNN vs. MABELLE DUNN	June 4, 1909
7810	MRS. EARNESTINE PERKINS vs. T. J. TROTTI, et al	June 22, 1909
7812	RITTER KAHN & CO. vs. WELLS FARGO & CO. EXPRESS	May 12, 1909
7822	MRS. EARNESTINE PERKINS vs. T. J. TROTTI, et al	July 3, 1909
7826	JOS. W. KINGREY et al vs. THOS. B. BAGGETT	July 13, 1909
7833	L. R. DEPUTY vs. S. T. SEGRAVES	July 21, 1909
7810	JENNINGS RICE MILL CO. vs. A. JOHNSON	July 26, 1909
7854	MATT MORRE vs. MRS. C. BUNKER	Aug. 4, 1909
7863	CAROLINE REESE vs. EDWARD DURGAN	Aug. 20, 1909
7871	ROWSON & HABER vs. J. C. ELSTNER	Sept. 1, 1909
7881	C. BRENT RICHARD vs. ANNA B. BARNELL et al	Sept. 11, 1909
7882	V. WAINWRIGHT vs. LAKE CHARLES OIL CO.	Sept. 13, 1909
7912	J. H. CHAPMAN vs. JOHN A. WILSON	Oct. 12, 1909
7918	VITAL ROMERO vs. AMANDA E. BEEMAN	Oct. 14, 1909
7922	MORGANS L. & TEXAS R. R. & S. S. CO. vs. A. A. GAUTHIER	Oct. 16, 1909
7929	COHN & KAPLAN vs. W. A. EDWARDS	Oct. 27, 1909

<u>Suit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>
7935	CHARLES G. MORTON vs. XETER REALTY CO.	Oct. 30, 1909
7949	J. M. HENDERSON vs. U. S. PHILLIPS et al	Nov. 11, 1909
7967	BRONNER MFG. CO. vs. MRS. B. SCHOCHET	Nov. 18, 1909
7969	HIRAM N. AINSWORTH vs. HEIRS OF A. H. NASON	Nov. 19, 1909
7975	THE FAIRBANKS vs. OIL CITY IRON WORKS	Nov. 24, 1909
8002	J. W. CLARK vs. L. W. MCCALL	Dec. 6, 1909
8023	WILLIAM KRIELOW vs. MRS. PETERKE OTTJES	Dec. 22, 1909
8037	B. F. AVERY & SONS vs. VALENTINE ROY	Jan. 3, 1910
8038	GULF GROCERY CO. vs. BEN HUTCHINSON	Jan. 3, 1910
8039	GEORGE CASSARA vs. MRS. JOSEPHINE MAY	Jan. 3, 1910
8040	HAMILTON BROWN SHOE CO. vs. LA. MFG. & MER. CO.	Jan. 3, 1910
8042	MERIDIAN FERTILIZER FACTORY vs. LA. MFG. & MER. CO.	Jan. 3, 1910
8043	A. CROSS vs. FRANCIS ELMORE	Jan. 4, 1910
8058	MARY K. BUNKER, agent vs. ST. LOUIS WATKINS & GULF RY. CO.	Jan. 15, 1910
8059	DERIDDER STATE BANK vs. PEOPLES SUPPLY CO.	Jan. 15, 1910
8063	GULF GROCERY CO. vs. JOS. MORGAN	Jan. 18, 1910
8064	WHITNEY SUPPLY CO., LTD. vs. PEOPLES SUPPLY HOUSE	Jan. 18, 1910
8065	WHITNEY & SLOO CO., LTD. vs. PEOPLES SUPPLY HOUSE	Jan. 18, 1910
8068	HIBBARD SPENCER BARTLETT CO. vs. L. L. THOMAS	Jan. 18, 1910
8070	MRS. L. K. SMARDON vs. HARRIET ARMSTEAD et al	Jan. 19, 1910
8072	DERIDDER STATE BANK vs. E. B. WYRICK	Jan. 19, 1910
8075	BEN CONIGLIA vs. D. J. HINSON et al	Jan. 20, 1910
8098	MANSUR ABRAHAM vs. ABRAHAM M. MANSUR	Feb. 7, 1910
8082	HENRY BENDIXEN vs. HERBERT E. HEALD	Jan. 28, 1910
8100	GULF GROCERY CO. vs. H. R. REYNOLDS	Feb. 10, 1910
8106	EDMUND B. CHAPMAN vs. MRS. LOLD M. WILSON, curatrix	Feb. 14, 1910
8109	H. LEVY & SON vs. JOE B. STOMA	Feb. 15, 1910
8118	NATIONAL AUTOMATIC FIRE ALARM CO. OF LA. vs. B. H. MOBLEY	Feb. 21, 1910
8119	T. H. GIVEN et al recrs. vs. B. H. MOBLEY	Feb. 21, 1910
8129	In re PLANTERS SUPPLY CO., LTD.	Feb. 28, 1910
8137	J. J. RIGMAIDEN et al vs. A. L. BARNETT	Mar. 5, 1910

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THE MILLER FAMILY (contributed by Steve Travis Lanier, 1605 18th St., Lake Charles, LA 70601 from his own research and the story of John Miller as told by Mrs. Arnold Durant Vincent, the former Gladys Ione Thompson.)

John Miller the progenitor of this branch of the Miller family was born in the early 19th century in Dublin, Ireland. He came to Galveston, Texas at about the age of 13 as a stowaway on a ship. Family stories say that his true name was John Dooleon (spelling may not be accurate). He changed his name to Miller sometime after he left Dublin. It is thought that in those days parents would "farm" out their children to work in order to have more income. For whatever reason John was unhappy with his situation and decided to seek a better life.

Representing himself to be 16 years of age, he was given a job as a deck hand on a ship. In later years he became captain and owner of his own vessel.

John Miller married ca. 1850's to Mary Katherine (whose last name is unknown) probably in Galveston, where they lived for a while. They moved shortly after to Louisiana where John had a homestead on the Calcasieu River between the Vincent Settlement and Hackberry - described as being in the vicinity of Rosebluff.

John Miller is remembered as having blue eyes, red hair and beard and gentle in disposition. Being a sea-going man he dressed in sea captain's clothes and wore gold buttons on his coat. He spoke with an Irish brogue and frequently talked of his voyages, the places he visited and the way the natives lived. He was gone from home for months at a time, but his time home was spent in gardening and raising livestock.

Death supposedly came to John Miller at sea not too far from home. He got a fish hook caught in his right arm and blood poisoning resulted. Instead of amputating the arm he said he would rather die than live the rest of his life without his arm. He was probably in his 60's at the time of his death.

After her husband's death, Mary Katherine moved to Beaumont, Texas to live with her son Charlie Miller, along with her daughters Eleanor and Mary Jane. Charlie was not married and owned a saloon in Beaumont near the center of town. One day Charlie disappeared. His German shepherd dog Bozo who customarily followed him was seen on the banks of the Neches River barking and whimpering. It is thought that Charlie may have fallen in the river and drowned, but most of the family believed he was murdered and his body thrown in the river for the money he usually carried with him. The faithful Bozo continued to return to the river looking for his master.

After Charlie's disappearance, Mary Katherine moved to Lake Charles where she lived until her death. While in Galveston she lived through the Galveston flood and floated on a feather bed during the high water. She belonged to the Baptist Church and is thought to have died of pneumonia and is buried in the city of Lake Charles or its vicinity.

John Miller and Mary Katherine had seven children who are listed below according to the order of birth.

1. John Miller, d. as a baby. He was referred to as "Little John".
2. Minnie Miller married a Judge Nelson in Galveston. They had one son Rupert Nelson.

3. George A. Miller b. 25 Dec. 1861 m. Rose Wilson. His twin was
4. Charlie Miller b. 25 Dec. 1861.
5. Crawford Miller m. Annie ---. Children were Clyde, Eugene, Genevieve, Carol (male), and others who died young. This branch of the family live in San Antonio, Texas where Crawford died.
6. Eleanor "Lollie" Miller d. 22 Jan. 1916, age 47, Lake Charles. She lived at 1901 S. Ryan St. and is buried in Sallier Cemetery. She was a dress maker and had a shop on Ryan St. above the Pure Food Grocery Store. The shop was known as Eleanor's Dress Shop and was patronized by many of the wealthy citizens of the town.
7. Mary Jane Miller b. 1875 m. Jasper William Thompson of Beaumont, owner of the Long-Bell Woodmill. They had seven girls:
  - a. Naomi Fay Thompson m. Lyman K. Knapp, d. 1918. Had one daughter Majorie Knapp.
  - b. Alma Ruby Thompson m. William Samuel Rhorer; one child Mary Eleanor Rhorer.
  - c. Gladys Ione Thompson m. Arnold Durant Vincent; one daughter Jane Marie Vincent who married Leo A. Markley.
  - d. Wilma James Thompson m. Beverly Lane Vincent; 2 daughters Betty Lee Vincent m. Robert Gordon Anderson and Lane Vincent m. Eddie Lanier.
  - e. Minnie Lee Thompson m. Theo A. Melancon; 2 daughters Stephene Fay Melancon m. Lee Hearon, and Connie Sue Melancon.
  - f. Nina May Thompson m. Bert Vincent; 3 children, Derryl Bert Vincent m. Baxley Thames, Patty Lou Vincent m. Don Randolph, and Bobbie Thompson Vincent.
  - g. Mary Louise Thompson m. William J. Dumatrait; 2 children, Billie Joe Dumatrait and Katherine Illene Dumatrait.

#### Descendants of George A. Miller and Rose Wilson

- I. George A. Miller b. 25 Dec. 1861 . He married Rose Wilson, b. 17 March 1866, Galveston, Texas. She was the daughter of Orth Wilson and Sylvia Malvinia Sallier and great-granddaughter of Charles Anselme Sallier and Catherine LeBleu. In a September 1980 issue of the Lake Charles American Press there appeared an article about early Lake Charles policemen. "George Miller.. was mentioned in an 1897 newspaper article as having captured a burglar. ..Miller was killed in a sawmill accident in 1906." A photograph accompanied the article showing four of these Lake Charles policemen, including George A. Miller. After the death of George Miller Rose Wilson married Joe Kelly. She died 10 May 1923 in Lake Charles.
  - A. Lola Ruby Miller b. 18 Dec. 1885, d. 5 Sept. 1903, Lake Charles. (studying to be a nun and died of pneumonia).
  - B. Georgie Mary Miller b. 12 May 1887, d. 10 Nov. 1899, Lake Charles.
  - C. John Antoine Miller b. 9 Aug. 1888, d. 5 Aug. 1889, Lake Charles.

- D. Florabell Miller b. 15 July 1890, d. 14 Nov. 1891, Lake Charles.
- E. Bertha Inez Miller b. 9 Apr. 1892, d. 2 July 1966, Lake Charles; m. 18 Mar. 1913 James Benjamin Jones.
  - 1. James Benjamin Jones b. 18 July 1915, lives Santa Monica, Ca.
  - 2. Bruce George Jones b. 19 July 1917
  - 3. Raymond Anthony Jones b. 19 Oct. 1921, lives San Jose, Ca.
- F. Patrick Joseph Miller b. 29 May 1894, Lake Charles, d. 1954; m. July 1930 Delia Vincent (2) Bessie Manning (no children).
  - 1. Howard Miller b. 2 Dec. --, Lake Charles, m. --, living in Bay City, Tx.
  - 2. Dorothy Miller b. --, Lake Charles m. Darnell Palmer
- G. Bruce Winsterd Miller b. 22 Feb. 1896, Lake Charles d. 12 Dec. 1965, m. 30 June 1919, Mowata, La. Ruth Irene Miles
  - 1. Rubye Irene Miller b. 8 Sept. 1920, Lake Charles m. 25 June 1946 Lowe Aiken Barnett, Jr. d. 25 Nov. 1962
  - 2. Bruce Winsterd Miller, Jr. b. 21 Feb. 1922, Lake Charles, m. 11 May 1949 Patricia Ann Young of Salt Lake City
  - 3. Annie Laurie Miller b. 2 Jan. 1928 m. 26 Feb. 1949 James David Pinkston
  - 4. Thomas Miles Miller b. 9 Dec. 1929 m. 28 Aug. 1960 Marlene Meske at Valley City, ND
  - 5. Richard Dean Miller b 26 Jan. 1933 m. 3 Sept. 1955 Alberta Fountain in Las Vegas, Nev.
- H. Allen Lee Miller b. 28 Dec. 1897, Lake Charles m. 19 Sept. 1923 Nannie Erin Donnelly, Crowley, LA, d. 11 July 1975, Jonesville, LA
  - 1. Deryl Joyce Miller b. 6 Feb. 1927, Vinton, LA m. 27 Dec. 1950 David G. Bishop, Jr., Pasadena, TX.
  - 2. Allen Donnelly Miller b. 8 Dec. 1932, Vinton, LA m. 8 July 1955 Mary Mcihelle Thomas at Waco, TX.; (2) Jo Clark Cates.
- I. Jennings Bryan Miller b. 19 Dec. 1899, Lake Charles, d. 25 Mar. 1967 Lake Charles; m. 29 June 1922 Rosa Belle Carter, Lake Charles.
  - 1. Jennings Bryan Miller b. 23 Apr. 1923, Lake Charles; m. 25 May 1945 Juelda Rose Breau at Ontario, CA; divorced 1951-
  - 2. Carter Edwin Miller b. 15 Aug. 1924, Lake Charles; m. 1 May 1945 Marie Rader, Gulf Port, MS-
  - 3. Doris Elaine Miller b. 30 Dec. 1927, Lake Charles; m. 14 Feb. 1951 Ensell Baker Lanier of Crowville, LA.
  - 4. Harry Wilson Miller b. 7 Sept. 1937, Lake Charles m. 21 Nov. 1962 Barbara Yawn of Beaumont, TX.
- J. William Edward Miller b. 8 May 1906, Lake Charles; m. 7 Aug. 1930 Ivy Mae Saucier.
  - 1. Carolyn Ruth Miller b. 29 Sept. 1931, Lake Charles; m. 7 Aug. 1954 Walter F. Wright.

# Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler Lilly N. Dufrene  
 Address 315 Beauregard  
 City, State Lake Charles, LA 70605  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_.

Chart No. \_\_\_\_\_

b. Date of Birth  
 p.b. Place of Birth  
 m. Date of Marriage  
 d. Date of Death  
 p.d. Place of Death

4 William John Nelson  
 (Father of No. 2)  
 b. 1-3-1863  
 p.b. St. Landry Par., La.  
 m. 17-11-1887  
 d. 10-9-1915  
 p.d. Lake Charles, La.

2 Austin Allen Nelson  
 (Father of No. 1)  
 b. 19-2-1890  
 p.b. Avoyelles, La.  
 m. 8-6-1910, Lake Charles  
 d. 28-7-1953  
 p.d. Lake Charles, La.

5 Mary Alda Oliver  
 (Mother of No. 2)  
 b. 7-10-1867  
 p.b. Sabine Par., La.  
 d. 26-7-1945  
 p.d. Lake Charles, La.

1 Lilly Mae Nelson  
 b. 11-6-1921  
 p.b. Lake Charles, La.  
 m. 29-8-1942  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

6 Samuel Ira Jinks  
 (Father of No. 3)  
 b. 11-3-1873  
 p.b. Cameron Par., La.  
 m. 15-4-1889  
 d. 5-12-1933  
 p.d. Lake Charles, La.

3 Harriet Lillian Jinks  
 (Mother of No. 1)  
 b. 10-3-1894  
 p.b. Lake Charles, La.  
 d. 30-1-1972  
 p.d. Lake Charles, La.

7 Mary Ophelia Hebert  
 (Mother of No. 3)  
 b. 10-3-1868  
 p.b. Big Lake, La.  
 d. 10-4-1939  
 p.d. Lake Charles, La.

James Hubert Dufrene  
 (Spouse of No. 1)  
 b. 2-9-1922  
 p.b. Lake Charles, La.

8 William Taylor Nelson, Jr.  
 (Father of No. 4)  
 b. ca. 1840  
 p.b. La.  
 m. 26-10-1859-St. Lan. Par.  
 d. 2-3-1893  
 p.d. Bayou Chicot, La.

9 Rebecca Bass  
 (Mother of No. 4)  
 b. 30-6-1837  
 p.b. La.  
 d. 14-2-1925  
 p.d. Ball, La.

10 John T. Oliver  
 (Father of No. 5)  
 b. 17-4-1845  
 p.b. Sabine Par., La.  
 m. 26-12-1866  
 d. 4-2-1932  
 p.d. Turkey Creek, La.

11 Mary "Polly" Maximillian  
 (Mother of No. 5)  
 b. 1-12-1845  
 p.b. Grimes County, Tx.  
 d. 24-11-1895  
 p.d. Turkey Creek, La.

12 Samuel Forman Jinks  
 (Father of No. 6)  
 b. 7-11-1830  
 p.b. Westmoreland Cty., Pa.  
 m. 2-6-1869, Cameron, La.  
 d. 30-3-1888  
 p.d. Lake Charles, La.

13 Eveline Ann Hale  
 (Mother of No. 6)  
 b. 12-10-1838  
 p.b. Ter. Par., La.  
 d. 15-1-1887  
 p.d. Lake Charles, La.

14 Lessain Hebert  
 (Father of No. 7)  
 b. 8-6-1830  
 p.b. Vermillion Par., La.  
 m. ca. 1854  
 d. 9-6-1886  
 p.d. Big Lake, La.

15 Tarzille A. Mouton  
 (Mother of No. 7)  
 b. 15-5-1836  
 p.b. Vermilion Par., La.  
 d. 10-5-1904  
 p.d. Big Lake, La.

16 William T. Nelson  
 (Father of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. ca. 1800, S.C.  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

17 Nancy Hazleton  
 (Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 1815, Ky.  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

18 Drury B. Bass  
 (Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 1815, La.  
 m. 8-9-1834, Opel., La.  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

19 Susanna Bell  
 (Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 1817, Rapidw., La.  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

20 James Oliver  
 (Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 1807, S.C.  
 m. ca. 1840, La.  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

21 Elizabeth Parrott  
 (Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 1822, Ala.  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

22 Antoine Maximillian  
 (Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. ca. 1827, La.  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

23 Nancy Rivers  
 (Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. ca. 1824  
 d. 2-2-1854, Tex.  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

24 Ira Jinks  
 (Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. ca. 1790, N.Y.  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

25 Nancy  
 (Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 1840, Ohio  
 m. 1807, Pa.  
 d. 29-4-1867, Ohio

26 James Hale  
 (Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 3-2-1812, Va.  
 m. 24-5-1836, La.  
 d. 6-2-1878, La.

27 Sarah Hayes  
 (Mother of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 12-6-1817  
 d. 1888-L.C. La.

28 Eloi Hebert  
 (Father of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 10-11-1799, La.  
 m. 15-2-1819  
 d. 1881

29 Celestin Breaux  
 (Mother of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 2-2-1803  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_

30 Joseph Onezime Mouton  
 (Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. 31-12-1798  
 m. 16-10-1815  
 d. 1850

31 Anazie Tarzille Hebert  
 (Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 b. ca. 1795  
 d. 3-1-1871

GRAND PRAIRIE CEMETERY (located 7 miles northeast of Washington, La.),  
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In 1852 four year old Adrien M. LAFLEUR was buried in part of the seven acres upon which the cemetery is located. The first parcel of land (about 4½ acres) was deeded to the catholic church on January 17, 1867 by Octave FONTENOT. Fontenot is one of at least 256 persons buried in the cemetery. Possibly 50 more persons are buried in what are now "lost gravesites". Below is a selected list of some of the oldest graves, those of persons born before 1850. (A complete list of burials is available from the SWLGS.)

Michael DUPRE, b. 12 Feb. 1849, d. 6 Dec. 1918  
Alida F. FONTENOT, b. 23 June 1841, d. 20 May 1879  
Octave FONTENOT, b. 17 April 1841, d. --  
Sophie L. FONTENOT, b. 1824, d. 29 March 1889  
Domia GUILLORY, b. 1816, d. 1883  
Francois GUILLORY, b. 21 June 1838, d. 3 Aug. 1927  
Jean B. GUILLORY, b. 1784, d. 13 Dec. 1875  
Adrien M. LAFLEUR, b. 1848, d. 1852  
Alida LAFLEUR, b. 14 Dec. 1840, d. 27 May 1918  
Marcelin LAFLEUR, b. 7 Oct. 1795, d. 3 Aug. 1868  
Modeste FONTENOT LAFLEUR, bt. 15 Oct. 1797, d. --  
Zenon LAFLEUR, b. 1820, d. 16 Oct. 1870  
Marie OGER, b. 1838, d. 13 Dec. 1874  
Dr. H. Yancitte ROBERIE, b. 2 May 1801, d. 13 May 1883  
Valcour SOILEAU, b. 1850, d. 20 Jan. 1930  
Alfred STAGG, b. 1850, d. 1904  
Josephine GUILLORY STAGG, wife of Phillipe STAGG, b. 11 Aug. 1811,  
d. 19 Dec. 1855  
Phillipe STAGG, b. 14 Sept. 1806, d. 8 Oct. 1870  
Pierre SYLVESTER, b. 1844, d. 22 Dec. 1924  
Cyville VIDRINE, b. 29 Oct. 1832, d. 24 Mar. 1913

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"Acadian Genealogy Exchange", Vol. XII, No. 4, Oct. 1983, p. 105:

Gwen McMillin has been compiling her list of Acadian ancestors whose descendants are eligible for admission into the DAR or SAR. Sylvian Sonnier and Francois Pitre had been previously proven but the following are newly proven. They are:

Acadian - Pierre Joubert

French - Louis Bergeron

French-Acadian - Amable Bertrand, Charles Vige, Francois Bisette, Noel Roy, Chalres Lacase

Italian - Donato Bello

She has submitted the following but they have not been verified as yet. Included are: Blaise LeJeune, Henry Fontenot, Antoine Bellard, Pierre Carriere, Michel Ritter, Pierre Doucet, Pierre Breaux, Pierre Lavergne, Jean Baptiste Juneau.

"Pioneer", Sioux Valley S. Dakota Genealogical Society, Vol. IX, No. 10,

Oct. 1983: warns that in addition to Beatrice Bayley and Sharon Taylor who advertise that they will send you a book of your family ancestry and then send a list of names from a phone book or such really useless material, we have two more names to watch for - Jack Evans and Walter Manning. Be careful when ordering items for sale by these people.

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