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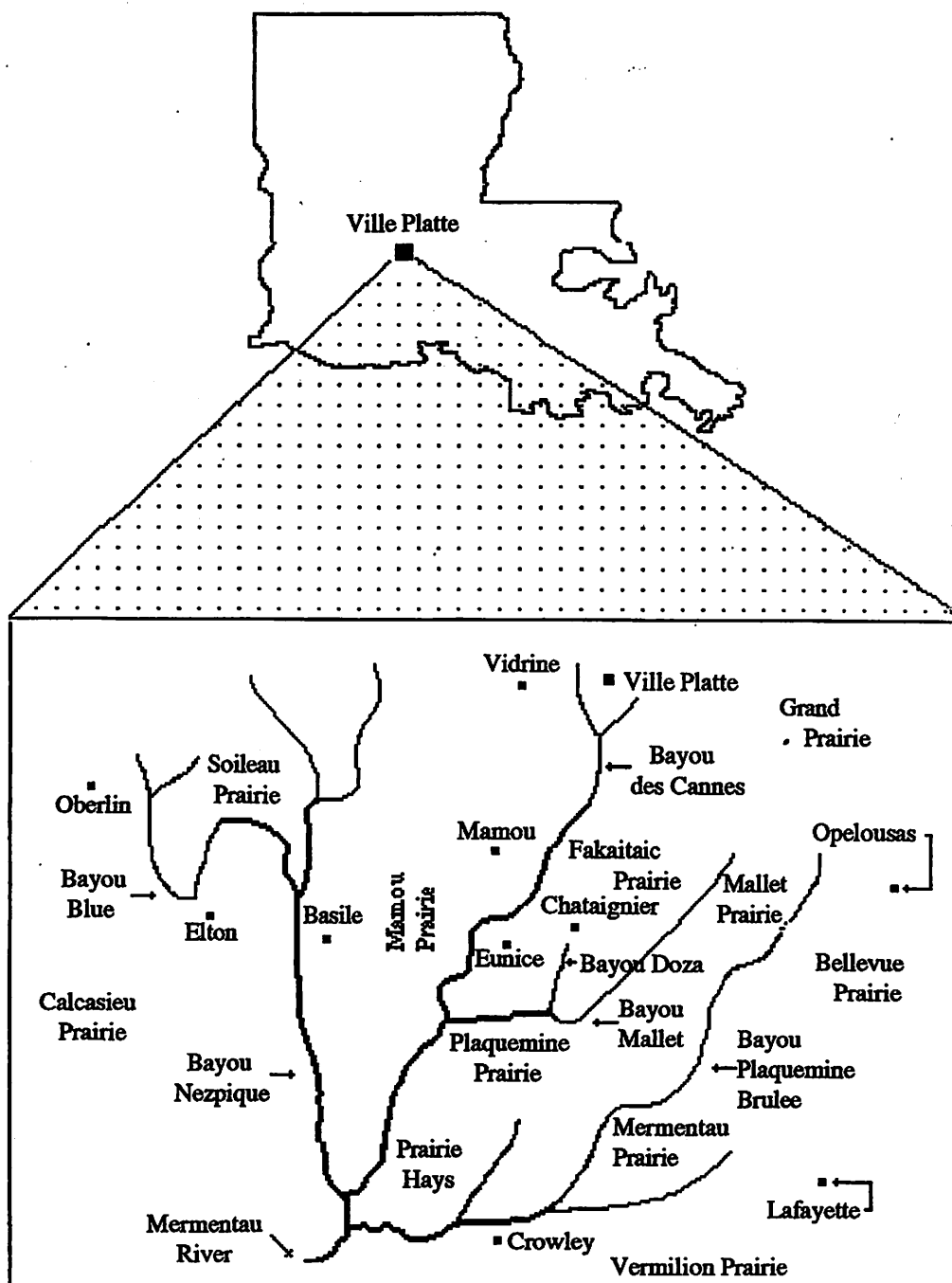
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JOHN W. CALLIHAM AND HIS PROVEN CHILDREN

Submitted by Talmadge L. Buller

There have been errors made in determining Calliham genealogy. These errors have appeared in print in various genealogical publications in Louisiana. Some individuals have joined hereditary societies based on incorrect information relating to the family. In justice to those who may have been responsible for the errors appearing in print, it is only fair that we acknowledge that the errors were made many years in the past when reliable genealogical information was very difficult to obtain.

Some of the difficulties facing researchers dealing with the family of John W. CALLIHAM are listed as follows:

- (1) The writer finds no succession file for John W. CALLIHAM.
- (2) Some individuals have confused John W. CALLIHAM who was still alive in St. Landry Parish in 1831 with John CALLIHAM, who died in Rapides Parish, Louisiana before 1826.
- (3) Some individuals have confused Nicholas M. CALLIHAM, son of John W. Calliham with Nicholas CALLIHAM who was a son of David CALLIHAM, Jr. Nicholas M. CALLIHAM died in Polk County, Texas in 1847 while Nicholas CALLIHAM was living in Madison County, Mississippi in 1850.

The two men, John W. CALLIHAM and John CALLIHAM, were perhaps closely related, possibly being first cousins. The descendants of both men used "Calliham" as the proper spelling of the name. Naturally there is considerable variety in the spelling of the family name when the name was written by individuals not connected with the family. Circumstantial evidence suggests that John W. CALLIHAM and John CALLIHAM were probably descended from Nicholas CALLIHAM, who, along with his brother, Morris Calliham, lived in Surry County, Virginia as early as 1713. ¹

The above John CALLIHAM married first, Lucy MAY, married second, while advanced in age, Judith ROBERT, a widow. John CALLIHAM had five children by his first marriage and none by his second. One son, John CALLIHAM, Jr. was killed in the War of 1812. The four surviving children of John CALLIHAM and Lucy MAY are found in notarial records of Rapides Parish. ²

Information on the descendants of John CALLIHAM and Lucy MAY have appeared in print for many years. Very little has appeared in print regarding the family of John W. CALLIHAM.

¹ Microfilm: Deeds and Wills, 1715 - 1730, p. 376, Surry County, Virginia, showing Will of Morris Calliham with his brother, Nicholas serving as executor.

² Reprint of Louisiana Genealogical Register, Vol. I, No. 4, appearing in Louisiana Genealogical Register, Vol. 30, No. 4, p. 322. Also, Stafford, Dr. G. M. G., General Leroy Augustus Stafford, p. 218.

(John W. Calliham con't.)

It appears that John W. CALLIHAM was illiterate. When his daughter, Nancy, married in 1815, John W. CALLIHAM made his mark on the marriage bond and on the letter of consent, his name being written by others as "John W. CALLAGHAN." However, in 1822, in the letter of consent for the marriage of his granddaughter, Elizabeth HENNESEY, he gave his signature (or what was purported to be his signature) before witnesses, as "John CALLIHAM." In 1829, in the letter of consent for the marriage of his daughter, Rebecca, he gave his signature (or what was purported to be his signature), as "John W. Calliham." In 1831, in the letter of consent for the marriage of his grand-daughter, Cinthia ROBINETT, he gave his signature (or what was purported to be his signature) as John Calliham." A number of public documents properly support the statement that the above signatures pertain to John W. CALLIHAM. The writer believes that the alleged signatures, as given, were actually made by other individuals, possibly family members. We assume that the letters of consent were written in the house of John W. CALLIHAM, possibly by his wife. However, when John W. CALLIHAM was in the courthouse at Opelousas to make a marriage bond, he found it necessary to make his mark.

The name of "John W. CALLIHAM" appears in the public records of Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas, with the initial "W" being present. The writer suspects that the initial "W" may stand for "Weaver." Nicholas CALLIHAM, who lived in Surry Count, Virginia in the 1720's, was married to Joyce WEAVER, daughter of John WEAVER.³

John W. CALLIHAM, of unknown place of origin, was born about 1760 or earlier, based on census information and other records. Sometime before 1800 he married Rebecca ACRIDGE (ACREDGE, or AKRIDGE). Due to the seemingly great differences in the ages of the proven children, we suspect that John W. CALLIHAM may have been married more than one time. If such is true, we lacking knowledge of a previous marriage.

In 1802 "John CALLIHAM" (believed to be John W. CALLIHAM) settled on the north bank of the Homochitto River in Adams County, Mississippi Territory. On March 20, 1804, he claimed a pre-emption right to 640 acres, stating that he had settled on the land in 1802 and that he had a wife and eight children. On December 6, 1806, he was issued Certificate No. 155 for 640 acres.⁴ The land records do not show the initial "W" in his name; however, his land was in that portion of Adams County that became Franklin County in 1809. Therefore, we find "John W. CALLIHAM" listed in the 1810

³ Microfilm: Deeds and Wills, 1715 - 1730, p. 244, Surry County, Virginia, showing Will of John Weaver with "Joyce Calliham" listed as a daughter; Also, same volume, p. 907, showing deed made by "Nicholas Callyham and Joyce his Wife."

⁴ Private Land Claim, John Calliham, Record Group 49, National Archives.

(John W. Calliham con't.)

Territorial census of Franklin County and we note the presence of the initial "W" in the original records. He was the only John CALLIHAM listed in Franklin County.

Between 1810 - 1815 John W. CALLIHAM moved his family to St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, possibly settling in Pine Prairie. On July 29, 1815, "John W. CALLAGHAN" personally appeared in the office of Judge George KING in Opelousas and voluntarily consented to the marriage of his daughter, "Nancy CALLAGHAN and Anthony REED." John W. CALLIHAM placed his mark, before witnesses, on the document. On the same day "John W. CALLAGHAN" placed his mark on the marriage bond with Anthony REED. The marriage record shows that both parties were residents of St. Landry Parish.

John W. CALLIHAM's mark consisted of a convoluted line somewhat resembling a written "L" or "S."⁵

There were two men identified as "John CALLAGHAN" listed as heads of households in the 1820 federal census of St. Landry Parish. The writer believes that the John CALLAGHAN listed between Thomas GAY and Anthony REED is John W. CALLIHAM, with ten people in the household.⁶

There were also two men identified as "John CALLAGHAN" listed as heads of households in the 1830 federal census of St. Landry Parish. The writer believes that the John CALLAGHAN listed between J. M. DEBAILLON and John CHAVIS is John W. CALLIHAM.⁷ James B. GLAZE and Anthony REED were nearby. There was a total of four people in the household, all males. We know that Rebecca CALLIHAM, wife of John W. CALLIHAM, was alive in 1829 for she gave her signature on the marriage consent for her daughter, Rebecca, in that year. Therefore, if the above household in the 1830 census was indeed the household of John W. CALLIHAM, then it would appear that Rebecca, his wife, had died in 1829 or 1830.

We know that John W. CALLIHAM was still alive in 1831 for in that year he wrote (or had someone write) the note of consent for the marriage of his granddaughter, "Sinthey ROBNET" and "Thomas MOORHEAD."⁸

⁵ Photocopy of marriage records supplied by Mrs. Callie P. Avera. Not identified by number and not certified.

⁶ 1820 Federal Census of St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, p. 421.

⁷ 1830 Federal Census of St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, p. 49.

⁸ Certified photocopy, Marriage of Sinthey Robinet and Thomas Moorhead, No. 80, 1831, St. Landry Parish.

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We are lacking the date of death of John W. CALLIHAM. Since we find no succession record in St. Landry Parish, it is possible that he moved to another parish shortly before his death.

We have established by documented proof the names of six of the children of John W. CALLIHAM. Obviously there were more, but the writer chooses not to speculate. In the following list of children the order of birth is not certain.

The proven Children of John W. CALLIHAM:

- (1) Sarah CALLIHAM
- (2) Patsey CALLIHAM
- (3) Morris A. CALLIHAM
- (4) Nancy CALLIHAM
- (5) Nicholas M. CALLIHAM
- (6) Rebecca CALLIHAM

(1) Sarah CALLIHAM, born about 1780, married first, William HENNESEY; married second, Zebulon ROBINETT. Lived in Franklin County, Mississippi Territory 1805 - 1808. ⁹ Moved to St. Landry Parish and lived near Bayou Boeuf in 1813. ¹⁰ On January 12, 1822, Sarah Robinett made her mark on the letter of consent granting Ezekiel THOMAS permission to marry her daughter "Elizabeth HENNESEY." On the same piece of paper we find the following note: "Mr. E. THOMAS has also the consent of Grandfather and Grandmother their names is signed in Presence of us." The signatures of "John CALLIHAM" and Rebecah CALLIHAM" appear and we see the signatures of "J. T. CALLIHAM" and Morris CALLIHAM" as witnesses.

On January 14, 1822, Ezikiel THOMAS and Joseph T. CALLIHAM signed the marriage bond. The Reverend Isham NETTLES, a minister of the Baptist Order, was authorized to join together in holy matrimony "Ezekiel THOMAS," legitimate son of "Samuel THOMAS" and "Susanna McCARY," native of South Carolina and "Elizabeth HENNESEY," legitimate daughter of "William HENNESEY" and Sarah ROBINETTE," native of Mississippi. Isham NETTLES certified that he had joined the couple in holy matrimony on January 22, 1822, in presence of "Joseph CALAHAM" and Morris CALAHAM." ¹¹

⁹ Tax Rolls

¹⁰ American State Papers (ASP), Vol. 3, p. 210.

¹¹ Certified photocopy, Marriage Records, Ezekiel Thomas and Elizabeth Hennesey, No 3 1/2, 1822, Opelousas.

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Proof of the marriage of Sarah CALLIHAM to Zebulon ROBINETT is found in the marriage record of Ramson G. REAMS and Mary ROBINETT in 1826. These records show Mary ROBINETT to have been a native of Mississippi and a daughter of "Zebulon ROBINETTE and Sarah CALLIGHAM." Nicholas CALLIHAM signed the marriage bond. ¹²

Zebulon ROBINETT is found in the 1820 federal census of St. Landry Parish ¹³ but is not found in the 1830 federal census anywhere in Louisiana. We assume that he had moved to Rapides Parish before 1830 and had likely died in that parish. We find Sarah ROBINETT in the 1830 federal census of Rapides ¹⁴ and we assume that she is the widow of Zebulon. Sarah ROBINETT may have died in Rapides or possibly re-married and moved to Texas. We have proof of the names of five of her children by her two marriages.

(2) Patsey CALLIHAM, born before 1800, married on August 25, 1809, in Adams County, Mississippi Territory, Aaron FERGUSON. "John CALLIHAM," the father of Patsey CALLIHAM, gave his personal consent to the marriage. ¹⁵

The above marriage record does not contain John CALLIHAM's signature or mark but we are confident that Patsey was a daughter of John W. CALLIHAM. Dr. Stafford, in his book on General STAFFORD, makes no reference to Patsey CALLIHAM as being a daughter of John CALLIHAM and Lucy MAY. There was only one other John CALLIHAM in Adams County in 1809, he being John W. CALLIHAM. In addition, we find Aaron FERGUSON listed in the 1810 Territorial census of Franklin County, the same county wherein John W. CALLIHAM lived. Aaron FERGUSON is found in the 1820 federal census in East Baton Rouge Parish ¹⁶, in the 1830 federal census in Copiah County, Mississippi ¹⁷ and in the 1840 federal census of Natchitoches Parish. ¹⁸ It appears that his wife, Patsey, had died and he had re-married before 1850. Aaron FERGUSON is found in the 1850 federal census of De Soto Parish, Louisiana with his wife shown as "Delila." ¹⁹

¹² Certified photocopy, Ransom G. Reames and Mary Robinett, No. 81, 1826 Opelousas.

¹³ 1820 Federal Census of St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, p. 421.

¹⁴ 1830 Federal Census of Rapides Parish, Louisiana, p. 95.

¹⁵ Certified photocopy, Marriage license and statement of consent (written by clerk at the time license was issued), Marriage Book I. p. 23 (or 123), Adams County, Mississippi.

¹⁶ 1820 Federal Census of East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana, p. 20.

¹⁷ 1830 Federal Census of Copiah County, Mississippi, p. 128.

¹⁸ 1840 Federal Census of Natchitoches Parish, Louisiana, p. 137.

¹⁹ 1850 Federal Census of De Soto Parish, Louisiana, p. 195.

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(3) Morris A. CALLIHAM never married. In 1824, Morris CALLIHAM, along with Ezekiel THOMAS and his wife, Elizabeth, moved to the Mexican state of Texas. They were among the "Old Three Hundred," the first three hundred families to become part of Stephen F. AUSTIN's Colony in Texas.

In July of 1824, Stephen F. Austin, along with others, met at the house of William SCOTT east of the San Jacinto River for the purpose of helping the colonists complete their applications for land grants. Burke's Texas Almanac for 1879 provides the following account of one of the incidents at the meeting:

One of the incidents of the day was a fight between two of the settlers; William VINCE becoming enraged at Ezekiel THOMAS, knocked him in the head with a blacksmith's hammer, which was near at hand, and laid him out senseless for about an hour, much to the disgust of the Mexican Commissioner; but under the skillful treatment of Dr. KNUCKLES, he was restored and sent home and recovered. ²⁰

Morris CALLIHAM and Allen VINCE, in order to qualify as a family, formed a partnership. They took their land on the south bank of Buffalo Bayou in present Harris County. Ezekiel THOMAS took his league on the north bank of the bayou directly across the bayou from the Calliham - Vince League. It is alleged that Morris CALLIHAM and Ezekiel THOMAS were the first to construct houses on the bayou. The town of Houston was not founded until twelve years later. At the present time this land forms a large part of the eastern metropolitan area of Houston.

Morris CALLIHAM was dead by 1825. Nicholas M. CALLIHAM, in St. Landry Parish, apparently having learned of his brother's death, traveled to the new land to tend to his deceased brother's affairs. There he met with Humphrey JACKSON, an alcalde in Austin's Colony. He asked Jackson for additional time to settle the estate as he was going to get a power of attorney from his father and he needed to return to Louisiana to tend to his own business. Jackson gave him six months. About September 30, 1825, Jackson wrote to Stephen F. AUSTIN and informed him that "E. THOMAS" had sworn that "Nicholas Callaham" was a brother of Morris CALLIHAM. ²¹

²⁰ Burke's Texas Almanac quoted in "Houston, A History and Guide," WPA, American Guide Series, p. 21.

²¹ The Austin Papers, (Stephen F. Austin, Printed), Vol. I, Part 2, p. 1216.

(John W. Calliham con't.)

(4) Nancy CALLIHAM, probably born before 1800, married Anthony REED August 22, 1815, in St. Landry Parish. She was the mother of at least five children. Anthony REED's succession was opened in June 1837 in Opelousas. A document in his succession file shows that on April 12, 1841, Ellen REED, daughter of Anthony REED and Nancy CALLIHAM, acknowledged receiving her share of her deceased father's estate from Nicholas M. CALLIHAM, her former tutor. Ellen REED was married to Simon MATTE at the time the above receipt was made²²

(5) Nicholas M. CALLIHAM, born in Mississippi, possibly about 1803, married first, in St. Landry Parish on August 11, 1828, Frances MARSH, daughter of Needham MARSH and Nancy SIMMONS.²³ By this marriage he had one son, James Murdock CALLIHAM, born September 15, 1829, in Minden, Louisiana.²⁴ After the death of his first wife he married, in St. Landry Parish on July 12, 1830, Sarah Ann REAMS, widow of William MAINER.²⁵ By his second marriage he had twin daughters, Eliza Jane and Rebecca Ann CALLIHAM, born July 6, 1831.²⁶ The civil marriage records, in both instances, as cited above, reveal that Nicholas M. CALLIHAM was a son of John W. CALLIHAM and Rebecca ACRIDGE and a native of Mississippi.

Nicholas M. CALLIHAM should not be confused with the Nicholas CALLIHAM who was a son of David CALLIHAM, Jr. and Mary YOUNG. This "other" Nicholas CALLIHAM married Pauline BOATNER, August 22, 1844, in East Feliciana Parish. He and his wife and family are found in the 1860 federal census of Bowie County, Texas. This "other" Nicholas CALLIHAM is incorrectly shown in Dr. STAFFORD's book on General STAFFORD, as having married Sarah Ann REAMES. The same book speculates that the town of Calliham in McMullen County, Texas was probably named for Nicholas CALLIHAM. That speculation is wrong. The town was named for Joseph T. CALLIHAM, son of David Sommerlin CALLIHAM and grandson of Joseph T. CALLIHAM who lived in St. Landry Parish in 1820.²⁷

"N. M. CALLAHAM" was listed as head of a family in the 1840 federal census of St. Landry Parish.²⁸ In December of 1840 he returned to Texas and the new town of Houston. He carried with him a deed made on April 17, 1837, before Judge George

²² Photocopy of page from Succession of Anthony Reed, No. 809, St. Landry Parish, provided by Mrs. Callie P. Avera.

²³ Certified photocopy, Marriage No. 41, Opelousas.

²⁴ Dodd, Ella Frances Mainer, John Mainer 1759 - 1823, p. 82.

²⁵ Certified photocopy, Marriage No. 81, Opelousas.

²⁶ Dodd, Op. cit. p. 80.

²⁷ The Handbook of Texas, Vol. I.

²⁸ 1840 Federal Census of St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, p. 262.

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KING in St. Landry Parish. The deed conveyed Morris CALLIHAM's land in Harris County to Morris' partner, Allen VINCE.²⁹ In a court suit during the Spring Term, 1843, of the 11th Judicial District Court in Harris County, John and Fanny BROCK and other heirs of Morris CALLIHAM recovered the land of Morris CALLIHAM from Allen VINCE. Fanny THOMAS, daughter of Ezekiel THOMAS and his wife, Elizabeth, had married John BROCK. In this court case we find the name of John W. CALLIHAM recorded six times and we note the initial "W" in each recording of the name.³⁰

Nicholas M. CALLIHAM and his wife, Sarah, were members of Calvary Baptist Church at Bayou Chicot as early as 1846 and probably much earlier.³¹

On June 12, 1847, Nicholas M. CALLIHAM, at his house in St. Landry Parish, sold his brand, and all of his cattle to Hilaire FONTENOT.³² He then moved his family to Polk County, Texas. He and his immediate family and other relatives founded the Louisiana Settlement in the northwestern part of the county. Nicholas M. CALLIHAM died October 28, 1847, in Polk County. Notice of his death appeared in the minutes of Calvary Baptist Church.³³

(6) Rebecca CALLIHAM married Nauflet SANDIFER in St. Landry Parish, September 22, 1829. The letter of consent was signed by "John W. CALLIHAM" and: Rebecca CALLIHAM."³⁴ In the 1830 federal census of Avoyelles Parish we find Nauflet SANDIFER listed as head of a household. We have no other information.

The writer expresses his thanks to Blanche FRANCIS of Houston, Texas and Callie P. AVERA of Maurice, Louisiana for valuable Calliham information provided.

Mr. Talmadge L. Buller would be happy to correspond with anyone interested in the Calliham and associated families. His address is 5245 Brinkman, Houston, TX 77091.

²⁹ Deed Book F, p. 552, Harris County, Texas.

³⁰ Minutes of the 11th Judicial District Court, Vol. D, p. 247, No. 19, Harris County, Texas.

³¹ McManus, CPS, Jane P., Editor, Early Records of Calvary Baptist Church at Bayou Chicot, Louisiana, 1826 - 1887, p. 3.

³² Vendor's Index to Conveyances, Vol. A - O, 1805 -1860, Suite L. 1847, Opelousas.

³³ Succession of N. M. Calliham, No. 14, Polk County, Texas. Also Agreement, Mrs. Sarah Ann Calliham and heirs, Deed Records, Book B. p. 189, Polk County, Texas.

³⁴ Certified photocopy, Marriage No. 62, 1829, Opelousas.

THE COREIL ANCESTORS IN FRANCE 1695 - 1849

By Betsy and Gene Coreil

[Editor's note: The material presented here, as a result of research in France, complements and expands previously published material on the Coreil family in La Voix des Prairies. Prior articles on the family are: Elba Anthony Dardeau, Jr., "The Coreil Family: A Preliminary Study," La Voix des Prairies, Vol. 7, No. 26, pp. 45 - 51; and Patrick Morein, "Theodore Coreil," La Voix des Prairies, Vol. 4, No. 15, p. 78.]

When we began research on the COREIL family, we had no idea that we would be fortunate enough to get this following information. We have not only gotten the information, but are now corresponding with the COREILS in Marseille. We are confident that as more research is done, we will have proof that we are indeed related. Jean Claude COREIL and Georges REYNAUD of the Geneological Society of Bouches du Rhone did the research in France and sent us certified copies of the documents mention in this article.

We are very excited to finally have a birth date on Barthelemy Marius COREIL. (This is the way his name appears on his birth document. However, he sometimes gave his name as Marius Barthelemy COREIL on some of the documents we have found.) According to members of the family, a brother is supposed to have come to this country with him and later returned to France. We still do not know which of his brothers this was.

Honoré COREIL (COUREIL) and Francoise MARIN(E) were born and married elsewhere, but were living in La Ciotat, Bouches Du Rhone, France when Jean Etienne COREIL was born on November 10, 1695.

Jean Etienne COREIL was baptized November 11, 1695, by Rev. Father A. SCARD. His godfather was T. Jean Etienne LANGIES (LAUGIES), a boat owner and his godmother was Marguerite BORIE wife of Augustine MARTIN, master axeman.

On November 3, 1720, Jean Etienne COREIL married Marguerite CAUNE (CAMUS), daughter of Jacques CAUNE (CAMUS) and Magdeleine CANOURGUE. The rest of this document is not legible.

According to the Act of Marriage of Jean Joseph COREIL and Marie ARNAUD, he was the son of Jean Etienne COREIL and Marguerite CAUNE (CAMUS). Marie ARNAUD was the daughter of Barthelemy ARNAUD and Elisabeth COURTRES. Jean Joseph and Marie were married by Rev. Father EYMAR, Vicar General of the Bishop of Marseille in La Ciota on October 25, 1753. He was about twenty four-years old and a

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seaman. She was about twenty-two years old. The witnesses at the wedding were as follows: Etienne MERY, seaman; Toussaint Guichard, master constructor; Laurent TROTOBAS, ship captain and Victor JOUVIN, master carpenter. According to information in the death record of his son, Jean Joseph COREIL later became a Marine Captain.

The following information is found in the marriage document of Bruno Louis COREIL and Gabrielle Louise ANDRIEU. Bruno Louis COREIL was born in La Ciotat on August 26, 1768, to Jean Joseph COREIL and Marie ARNAUD. Gabrielle Louise ANDRIEU was born in La Ciotat on May 9, 1780.

Her parents were Alexandre ANDRIEU, a farmer, and Magdelaine Christine AMIC. Bruno Louis, twenty years old, a Navy Ensign and Gabrielle LOUISE, seventeen years old, were married by Fontelle AUGER, Officer of the state, in the La Ciotat Town Hall at 5 P. M. on December 18, 1797. The witnesses were as follows: Francois MARTIN, sixth-two years, Captain of the Merchant Marines; Jacques BERNARD, thirty-nine years, City Mail Officer; Louis Pierre GUIOL, thirty-two years, sailor and Jean Andre BARBARROUX, thirty years, Health Officer.

Gruno Louis COREIL and Gabrielle Louise ANDRIEU COREIL had at least the four children listed below:

1. Marius Bruno COREIL, born 24 Oct 1807 in La Ciotat. Died ?
2. Louis Xavier CORIEL, born ?, in La Ciotat. Died 8 Sep 1840 in La Ciotat.
3. Louise Angele Caroline CORIEL, born 20 Oct 1813 in La Ciotat. Died ?
4. Barthelemy Marius COREIL, born 8 Feb 1812 at 10 A. M. in La Ciotat. Died 9 Jan 1874 in Ville Platte, Louisiana.

Barthelemy Marius' birth record states that there were two witnesses who recognized the infant as being male. Those witnesses were Barthelemy MARIN(E), thirty-eight years old, owner of property and Honoré Francois Xavier COREIL, Captain of a Naval Ship for a number of years.

This Act of Birth was signed by Barthelemy MARIN(E), Xavier COREIL and Mathieu PAYLON-LATOUR, Mayor of La Ciotat.

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The Act of Death of Bruno Louis COREIL states that his death came at 4 P. M. on May 15, 1849, in the village of La Ciotat. He was 80 years and 6 months old and a Captain in the Navy. Gabrielle Louise was listed as his surviving widow. Witnesses who signed the document were as follows: Louis Adolph RICARD, forth-two years, property owner; Marius Bernard, fifty-years, Merchant and Joseph Edouard DALMAS, Mayor of La Ciotat and Public Health Officer.

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Monsieur Georges Reynaud, Marseille, France.

Monsieur Jean Claude Coreil, Marseille, France.

Historical Vignette from the Ville Platte Gazette

23 February 1956 [Pine Prairie] "Funeral services for Mrs. M. L. FONTENOT, aged 88, were held in her home at Pine Prairie on Thursday. She was born Emily R. WEST, in Angelina County, Texas, January 10, 1868. Mrs. Fontenot was one of Evangeline's oldest residents having come to Evangeline from Texas by wagon train about 1875. She was married in 1890 to Marius L. FONTENOT of Pine Prairie, who preceded her in death in 1938."

Queries

COREIL - FUX

Would like to correspond with anyone having information on Surie (Lurie) FUX. The birth record (Sacred Hearth Church, Ville Platte, La.) of Marie Jeanne COREIL, born May 30, 1861, lists her father as Joseph COREIL and her mother as Surie (Lurie) FUX. Need ancestry of Surie (Lurie) FUX.

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GUILLORY - SOIGNIE/SONNIER

Desperately searching for information on Antoine GUILLORY who m. Leonise SOIGNIE (SONNIER) of St Landry Parish. Antoine was born ca. 1830 - 1835. Lloyd J. Guillory, 5611 Creasy Springs Rd., Columbia, MO 65202

Postal Problem in Ville Platte
Submitted by Aimée Ardoin Guillory

[Editor's note: The following is from a reprint of a letter which appeared in the Ville Platte Gazette April 30, 1964.]

Ville Platte, La. February 2^d 1883

To the Third Assistant Post Master
General, Washington, D. C.

Sir; We have once before complained of the irregularities of our mail without avail, but; as it is becoming less and less efficient we feel compelled once more to lay this; our complaint before you, and earnestly ask for redress.

Our mail comes from Washington, La. and is due here on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Without cause it failed on the 17th, 22d, 24th and 31st Ultimo (?), being one Monday and three Wednesdays, Jeoparding [sic] the interest and comfort of the people at large and particularly the interests of our mercantile community.

On the 1st Instant the Post Master here sent a special courier with a written request to the Post Master at Washington, La. to deliver our mail matters, which are accumulating there, but for reasons to him better known the said Post Master refused to deliver our mail matters. We are thus cut off from the outside world without mail - communications.

Our former complaint was of no avail but we hope this will share a better fate and receive due consideration.

The importance of our place, we contend, is entitled to a better mail service than we are allowed, and since we have to be contented with a tri-weekly mail we insis- that it be delivered regularly in due time and that the contractor for carrying the same be made to fulfill his obligations.

s/ E. E. VIDRINE, Not. Public;

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Some Descendants of Charles La Casse and Felicite Langlois

Submitted by
Stephen C. La Caze

Charles LA CASSE (LA CASS, LA CASE, LA CAZE) was born in Beaumont, Quebec, Canada on March 17, 1736. He married Felicite LANGLOIS at Prairie du Rocher, Illinois on August 23, 1761. Felicite was born about 1743 (age 34 on 1777 Opelousas Post census). Charles and Felicite migrated to Louisiana around 1760 and were in the Opelousas area by 1775 at which time their ninth child, Felicite, was baptized in the St. Landry Church. The 1777 census of the Opelousas Post lists Charles La Casse along with Felicite Langlois and eight children. Economic statics indicate that Charles had five head of cattle, six horses, 12 hogs and no sheep.

Charles died in the Opelousas area on July 14, 1814, a notation on the burial record indicating that he had been a resident of that parish for 57 years. Felicite (LANGLOIS) LA CASSE died in the Opelousas area in 1810. The following are the descendants of Charles LA CASSE and Felicite LANGLOIS:

1. Charles LA CASSE (Jr.), b. ca. 1762 (Ill. or La.); d. 15 Apr 1830 at age 68 years; m. Marie Marguerite ARDOIN (HARDOIN). Marguerite Ardoin died 23 Nov 1818 at age 40 years.
 - A. Marie Josephe LA CASSE, 15 May 1807; m. 27 Dec 1830, Louis SERVANT.
 - a. Marie SAVANT, b. 20 Feb 1832.
 - b. Louise SAVANT, b. 26 Nov 1834
 - c. Louis SAVANT, b. 6 Aug 1836.
 - B. Marguerite LA CASSE, 18 Sep 1813; m. 3 Feb 1829, Felix PELLOQUIN.
No issue from the marriage.
2. Jacques LA CASSE, b. ca. 1765; m. (1) ca. 1784 (Opelousas), Marie Louise LEVERGNE; m. (2) 7 May 1788 (Natchitoches), Marie Louise DUPRE; m. (3) 28 May 1818 (Natchitoches), Marie Phonise (Fanny) MASIPPE. At the time of his marriage to Marie Phonise, his age was listed as 53 and hers was 18. Jacques and Marie Phonise had at least three children. Jacque's succession was filed in Natchitoches in 1829. Fanny MASIPPE, Jacques' widow, was buried at Cloutierville, La. on February 4, 1868.

Jacques LA CASSE married Marie Louise LEVERGNE

- A. Henrieta LA CASSE, b. 10 Dec 1784.

Jacque LA CASSE married Marie Phonise MASIPPE

- B. Henritte LA CASSE, m. 23 Jun 1834, Edmond DUTILE.

(Descendants of Charles La Casse con't.)

C. Maximum LA CASSE, b. 1820; m. Henritta THOMPSON.

D. Benjamin LA CASSE, b. 1826; m. Elinore ____? ____.

3. Soulange LA CASSE, b. ca. 1765 (Point Coupee); m. Modesta LA TIOLET (LATIOLAIS).

4. Phillipe (Filipe) LA CASSE, b. ca. 1766 (Point Coupee) d. 1822 (Opelousas); m. 17 Sep 1793, Genevieve CARRIERE, d/o Joseph & Marie Louise LAVERGNE.

A. Philip LA CASSE, bt. 19 Jul 1795.

B. Irene LA CASSE, bt. 7 Aug 1796; m. 17 Feb 1817, Benjamin BOUDREAU.

C. Carmelite LA CASSE, bt. 4 Oct 1802 at age 6 yrs; m. 10 Aug 1824, Noel ROY.

D. Caroline LA CASSE, b. 24 Dec 1798; m. Pierre DE ROUSSEAU.

E. Cyprien LA CASSE, bt. 3 May 1801; m. Marie Louise LEDOUX.

F. Charles LA CASSE, b. 15 Mar 1801; M. 23 May 1829, Marguerite LA CASSE.

G. Joseph LA CASSE, b. 22 Aug 1804; m. 24 Sep 1822, Marcelite BENOIT.

H. Godefroy LA CASSE, bt. 5 Sep 1808 at age 2 mts.

5. Joseph LA CASSE, b. ca. 1767 (Point Coupee); d. 8 Sep 1781, Opelousas.

6. Antoine LA CASSE, b. ca. 1769 (Point Coupee); m. (1) 22 Aug 1802; Angelique ARDOIN, m. (2) 17 Jul 1827, Euphrosine JANICE (JANIS). Angelique Ardoin died ca. 1815.

A. Marguerite (Amelet) LA CASSE, bt. 25 Sep 1803; m. 2 Jun 1829, Charles LA CASSE (Opelousas).

B. Marie LA CASSE, bt. 2 Jun 1811; m. 4 Jun 1831 (Opelousas) Jean B. BERTRAM.

C. Antoine LA CASSE, b. 15 Feb 1815; m. 25 Jul 1843 (Natchitoches) Lisa BREVELLE.

7. Etienne LA CASSE, m. (1) ca. 1784 (Opelousas), Dorthea Cecile HEBERT; m. (2) 4 Jul 1797 (Natchitoches), Dorothe MASSIP.

Etienne LA CASSE married Dorthea HEBERT

A. Marie Louise LA CASSE, bt. 12 Jun 1797; m. 23 Aug 1813, Jean LE JUNE.

Etienne LA CASSE married Dorothe MASSIP

B. Marie Celeste LA CASSE, bt. 5 May 1799 at age 6 mts. (Natchitoches).

(Descendants of Charles La Casse con't.)

- C. Etienne LA CASSE, bt. 3 Aug 1803 at age 3 yrs (Opelousas); m. 17 May 1825, Marie Caroline LEMOINE.
 - D. Charles LA CASSE, b. 5 Sep 1801 (Natchitoches).
 - E. Modeste LA CASSE, bt. 10 Apr 1803 at age 4 yrs. (Natchitoches).
 - F. Marie Felicite LA CASSE, b. 2 Dec 1805 (Opelousas), m. 22 Jun 1822, Jean Baptiste LEMOINE.
 - G. Marie Josephine LA CASSE, b. 25 Jul 1808 (Natchitoches ?); m. 12 Feb 1824 (Natchitoches), Charles THOMPSON.
 - H. David LA CASSE, b. ca. 1812 (Natchitoches ?); m. 22 Jul 1834 (Natchitoches), Marie Eglantin ANTY.
- 1. Rosalin LA CASSE, m. 24 JUL 1853, Severin BOUDOUIN.
 - 2. Valeri LA CASSE, m. 27 Jan 1855, Louisiana BOUDOUIN.
 - 3. Florientine LA CASSE, m. 24 Jul 1867, Damas DERBONNE.
 - 4. Ludoric LA CASSE, m. 15 Apr 1871, Ida VESPERE
8. Michel LA CASSE, b. ca. 1773 (Opelousas); m. (1) Therese ROY, (2) Modeste LATIOLET (LATHIOLAIS), (3) 26 JAN 1807, Louise JANIS.

Children of Michel LA CASSE & Therese ROY

- A. Carmelite LA CASSE, b. ca. 1796 (bt. 4 Oct 1802 at age 6 yrs).
- B. Michel LA CASSE, b. ca. 1798 (bt 4 Oct 1802 at age 4 yrs).

Children of Michel LACASSE & Modeste LATHIOLAIS

- C. Solonge LA CASSE, m. 7 Jul 1818, Francoise CARRIERE.
 - D. Michel LA CASSE, bt. 23 Apr 1797.
9. Felicite LA CASSE, bt. 27 May 1775 (Opelousas); m. 21 Feb 1792 (Natchitoches), Jean Baptiste LEMOINE. All of their children were born in Natchitoches.
- A. Jean Baptiste LEMOINE, b. 1 Apr 1793.
 - B. Marie Denise LEMOINE, b. 29 Mar 1795.
 - C. Jean Baptiste LEMOINE, bt. 2 Oct 1798; m. 22 Jun 1822 (Civil), 20 May 1827 (Church), Felicite LA CASSE.
 - D. Marie Caroline LEMOINE, b. 2 Jul 1800; m. (1) 17 May 1825 (Civil), 23 Jul 1829 (Church), Etienne LA CASSE; m. (2) 6 Jul 1835, Jean Baptiste LEMOINE.
 - E. Valeri LEMOINE, b. 1 Dec 1801.
 - F. Charles LEMOINE, b. 5 Mar 1804.

(Descendants of Charles La Casse con't.)

G. Marie Euphrosine LEMOINE, b. 6 Jan 1805.

H. Michel LEMOINE, b. 17 Oct 1809.

I. Marie Felicite LEMOINE, b. 27 Jul 1814; m. 23 Jun 1831, Charles LEMOINE.

10. Jean Baptiste LA CASSE, bt. 22 Jun 1777 (Opelousas); m. (1) Adrienne YSTRE (ISTRE), (2) Judith BROUSSARD.

Children of Jean Baptiste LA CASSE married Adrienne ISTRE

A. Zeline LA CASSE, bt. 20 Sep 1807 at age 11 mts.; m. 23 Nov 1824, Jean B. DEMARIS.

B. Sidalise LA CASSE, b. 6 Jun 1808.

C. Celine LACASSE, m. 23 Nov 1824, Jean Baptiste DEMARAIS.

D. Augustine LA CASSE, m. 15 Dec 1825, John CHAPMAN.

E. Caroline LA CASSE, m. 29 Sep 1829, Jean BERTRAND.

F. Euphrasie LA CASSE, b. 31 Jan 1816.

Child of Jean Baptiste LA CASSE married Judith BROUSSARD

F. Dorsin LACASSE, bt. 11 Aug 1827 at age 9 days; m. 4 Apr 1850, Mavie JEANSONNE.

11. Marie Louise LACASSE, bt. 24 Aug 1779 (Opelousas); m. 11 Jan 1802, Jean Pierre DOUCET. "Assassiné by her negro slave with four children who were all buried with her and put in the same tomb, died 23 June 1812 at age 30 years". (Opelousas Church)
12. Francoise LA CASSE, bt. 26 Jun 1783 at age 8 mts. (Opelousas); d. 8 Feb 1830. Succession dtd. 25 Jun 1830, left no heirs.
13. Pierre LA CASSE, b. 11 Feb 1786 (Opelousas); d. 24 Dec 1796 (Opelousas).
14. Marie Silese LA CASSE, b. 31 Oct 1791 (Opelousas); m. 3 Apr 1815, Augustin FAVRON.
- A. Marie Adelaide FAVRON, m. 10 Feb 1833 (Natchitoches), Charles LEMOINE.
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(Descendants of Charles La Casse con't.)

Probate Court, St. Landry

ESTATE
of

PHILLIP LA CAZE, et als.

No. 5942

Filed Jan. 6, 1904
J. R. PAVY Attorney

To the Hon. Edward T. Lewis Judge of the 16th Judicial District Court of La;

The petition of Pierre La CAZE, J. E. LA CAZE, P. L. LA CAZE, C. L. LA CAZE, Mrs. Margaret LACAZE wife of P. R. NOLEN, Mrs. Wren LA CAZE wife of L. P. HARPER, Mrs. O. LA CAZE wife of A. P. SMITH and their husbands all residents of the Parish of Vernon, La. except C. L. LA CAZE who resides in Grant Parish, La. with respect represents:

That they are the owners of the following described property Towit: Section forty-one, Township Six South, Range Two East, La. Mer. containing eighty-nine and 17/xx acres and Section fifty-six, Township five South, Range Two East La. Mer. Containing eighty and 08/xx acres.

Petitioners represent, that the above described property was acquired by Charles LA CASSE, otherwise known as "LA CAZE," grandfather of petitioners under a requite and certificate of vacancy and is show on the Township maps of this parish as the property of "Charles LA CASSE."

Petitioners represent that the said Charles LA CASSE, otherwise known as LA CAZE, sold to Marie Josette LA CAZE and Marguerite LA CAZE the above described property as appears by act duly recorded in conveyance book G of the Records Office of this Parish.

That the said Charles LA CASSE or LA CAZE left as issue of his marriage three children towit: Marie Josette, Marguerite and Phillip LACAZE, the last named being the father of your petitioners .

That the said Marie Josette and Marguerite LA CAZE died intestate and without issue. That the said Phillip LA CAZE also died intestate leaving as issue of his marriage your petitioners.

(Descendants of Charles La Casse con't.)

That your petitioners above named are the sole heirs and legal representatives of Marie Josette, Marguerite and Phillip LA CAZE and as such are entitled to be put in possession of their estates and especially of the aforescribed property.

Comments by Stephen C. La Caze regarding probate document No. 5942

Charles La Casse and Marguerite Ardouin had only two children, Marie Josette and Marguerite La Casse. The third person referred to in the probate document, Phillip La Caze, was not the son of Charles and Marguerite Ardouin but rather the son of Charles La Casse and his wife Marguerite (Amelet) La Casse. Marguerite (Amelet) La Casse was the daughter of Antoine La Casse and Marie Amelet.

Mr. Stephen C. La Caze would like to correspond and exchange information with anyone having a interest in the La Case, La Casse, La Caze family or having an explanation regarding the above probate. His address is 104 Rainbow Dr., Tullahoma, TN 37388.

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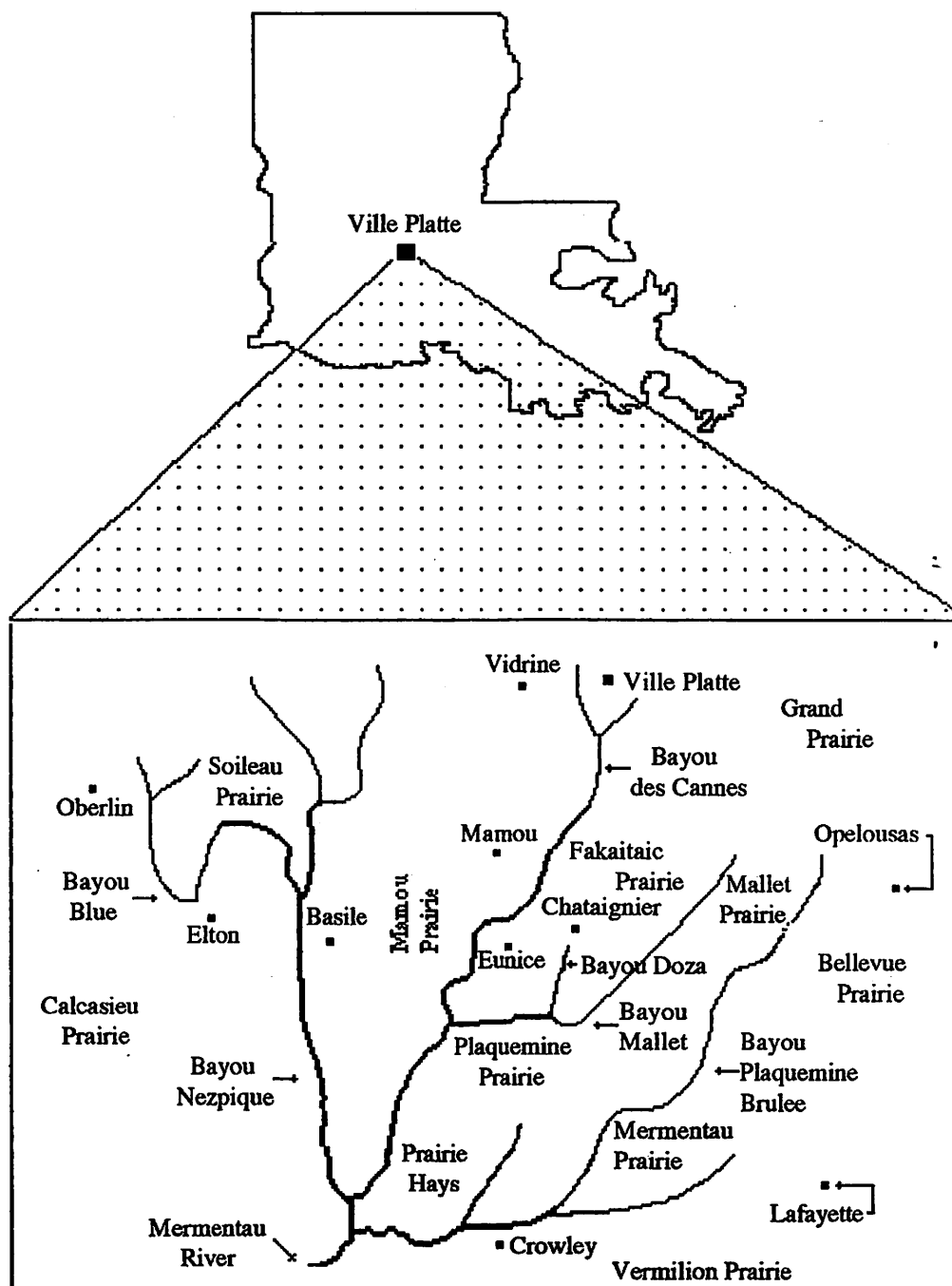
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The Higginbotham Family
by Robert H. Ogden

[The following material was prepared to show the ancestry of Marie Magdeleine HIGGINBOTHAM, born November 1, 1875, died April 4, 1899. Marie Magdeleine was the daughter of Adam HIGGINBOTHAM and Marie Louise YOUNG. She married Ambroise TRUMP on October 2, 1893.]

The surname of Higginbotham is generally believed to be derived from the residence of the first bearers in the neighborhood of Marple and Necclesfield in East Cheshire, England. According to "A Dictionary of English and Welsh Surnames" by Charles W. BRADSLEY, it is generally agreed that the name was first given to the bottom, or hollow depression in the land, where Higgen or Hickin resided.

In ancient English and early American records the name appears in various spellings. The spelling "Higginbotham" is the spelling most often used in America.

The coat of arms of the English family of Higginbotham is described as follows;
Arms - A red rose with five green leaves between the petals. Seeds of gold in the center, all on a silver shield.

Motto - "By Aim and by Effort."

In the sixteenth century the name Higginbotham and variations of the name was found in several counties in England, especially in Lanchashire and Cheshire.

Members of the Cheshire branch of the Higginbotham family settled at an early date in Barbados, British West Indies. In 1638, as listed in "Memoirs of the First Settlement of Barbados," is listed "Captain" John HIGGINOTHAM who then possessed more than ten acres of land. In about 1666 he was referred to as "Lieutenant Colonel" in BPRO colonial papers, Volume 20.

Captain John HIGGINBOTHAM was shown in "Magazine of History and Biography," Vol. 52, p. 290, as the son of Anthony HIGGINBOTHAM and the grandson of Nicholas HIGGINBOTHAM, both of Cheshire, England. He lived in the parish of St. Phillips, Island of Barbados, British West Indies and was a wealthy and influential planter. John HIGGINBOTHAM was one of at least four children born to Anthony HIGGINBOTHAM and his unknown wife believed to have been born about 1583. Anthony, born in Marple, Cheshire, England about 1579-81, was the son of Nicholas HIGGINBOTHAM and his unknown wife. The following are the known children of Anthony HIGGINBOTHAM, all of whom were born in Marple, Cheshire, England:¹

1. John HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 7 Jul 1609; d. Nov 1673 (St. Phillips Parish, Barbados); m. Alice _____.
2. Joseph HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 9 Oct 1614; d. Apr 1693 (St. Phillips Parish, Barbados); m. Elizabeth _____.
3. Thomas HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 1616; d. 13 Jul 1679 (St. Phillips Parish, Barbados).
4. Daughter; m. _____ FINNEY.

¹ Information on the family of Anthony Higginbotham from; Rachel Hollingsworth Higginbotham, The Family of Higginbotham; also the wills of John, Thomas and Joseph Higginbotham; and International Genealogical Index, Mormon Family History Library, Salt Lake City, Utah.

(Higginbotham family con't)

In John HIGGINBOTHAM's will probated in Barbados November 27, 1673, he is shown as Lieutenant Colonel John HIGGINBOTHAM, Sr. In his will are listed seven children and his wife Alice (no surname given). All of the children are noted to have been born in St. Phillips Parish, Barbados.²

1. John HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 1639; d. Oct 1714 (Salford, Lancaster, England); m. Anne JENNINGS, d/o John JENNINGS & Millisent _____.
2. Joan HIGGINBOTHAM, m. (1) (John) Gibbs (possibly TIBBS); m. (2) _____ WAITTE.
3. Martha HIGGINBOTHAM, m. _____ KNIGHTLY
4. May (possibly Mary) HIGGINBOTHAM, m. Richard TOWNSEND (Lieut).
5. Alice HIGGINBOTHAM, m. Nicholas BUCKERFIELD.
6. Sarah HIGGINBOTHAM, m. 1 Jan 1674 (St. Phillips Parish), George TOWNSEND.
7. Pricilla HIGGINBOTHAM, m. (1) _____ CLENEN (CLEVER?); m. (2) _____ LONG.

Captain John HIGGINBOTHAM, the only son of Lieutenant Colonel John HIGGINBOTHAM was a large land owner and wealthy merchant. John was engaged in trade with Jamaica and New England. While in England on business matters, he died. His will, proved October 23, 1714, at Salford, Lancaster, England lists his wife Anne (JENNINGS) and five children, all of whom were born in St. Phillips Parish, Barbados:³

1. Charles HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 8 Feb 1664; d. May 1734; m. 9 Aug 1688, Ann RAWLINS.
2. Jane HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 24 Nov 1667.
3. Millisent HIGGINBOTHAM, m. _____ ALEXANDER.
4. Elizabeth HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 1768; m. Henry BANCROFT.
5. Beulah HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 1678; m. Henry HIGGINBOTHAM.

Charles HIGGINBOTHAM married Ann RAWLINS, the daughter of Thomas RAWLINS and Mary BOURNE in St. Phillips Parish, Barbados on August 9, 1688. Charles and Ann lived their lives in Barbados where they had nine children. Charles died in St. Phillips Parish, Barbados in May of 1734. His will was proved on May 20th of that year. Ann died in St. Phillips Parish, Barbados in August 1740. They had the following children all of whom were born in Barbados:

1. John HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 10 Jun 1695; d. 1741-44; m. (prob. Maryland) Francis RILEY.
2. Charles HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 14 Mar 1696; m. 9 Aug 1738 (Barbados), Sarah WILSON.
3. Thomas HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 17 Dec 1699; m. 22 Jul 1721 (Barbados), Mary EVANS.
4. William HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. Jan 1701.
5. Anne HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 25 May 1702. (Anne is not listed in her grandfather, John Higginbotham's; will indicating she probably died prior to that date.)
6. Joseph HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 19 Jun 1702; d. possibly on 17 Apr 1742.

² Rachel Hollingsworth Higginbotham, The Family of Higginbotham, copy of will of Lt. Col. John Higginbotham included in the book.

³ Rachel Hollingsworth Higginbotham, The Family of Higginbotham, copy of will of Capt John Higginbotham included in book; also, Sanders, Genealogies of Barbados Families.

(Higginbotham family con't.)

7. Millisent HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 1705; m. _____ REDDIN.
8. Benjamin HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1707-08.
9. Cleaver HIGGINBOTHAM, bapt. 1710; m. 20 Aug 1731 (Barbados), Sarah RAMSAY.

John HIGGINBOTHAM, the oldest of the children of Charles HIGGINBOTHAM and Ann RAWLINS, was the first of this line to come to America. "John HIGGINBOTHAM, Planter from Barbados" arrived in Boston on July 11, 1716, aboard *Ye sloop Betty*. John left Barbados, it appears, shortly after receiving his legacy from his grandfather's will, proved in Oct 1714.

John apparently left Boston for Maryland where it is believed he stayed for some years. While in Maryland he met and married, probably about 1720, Frances RILEY. Frances, born about 1696, was possibly the daughter of John RILEY of Brittaines Bay, St. Mary's County, Maryland. John and Frances settled in Virginia in the early 1700's in that part of Goochland County which later became Albemarle County and eventually became Amherst County. They made their home at the foot of the Blue Ridge Mountains on the Buffalo River.

John HIGGINBOTHAM died there between 1741 and 1744 and it is believed his wife Frances died about 1751. They had seven sons and one daughter. All of the sons either served in the Revolutionary Army, furnished supplies to, or helped in other ways during the Revolutionary War. They had the following children:⁴

1. Moses HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1720-21; d. 1790-91 (Amherst Co., VA); m. 19 Aug 1750 (Albermarle Co., VA), Frances KYLE.
2. Aaron HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1722; d. 1785 (Amherst Co., VA); m. Clara GRAVES, d/o Francis GRAVES & Ann or Mary (REYNOLDS?).
3. Benjamin HIGGINBOTHAM, b. before 1724; d. 1791 (Elbert Co., GA); m. 21 Feb 1750 (Albemarle Co., VA), Elizabeth GRAVES, d/o Francis GRAVES & Ann or Mary (REYNOLDS?).
4. Joseph HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ____; d. 1805 (Amherst Co., VA); m. Hannah SMITH.
5. John HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ____; d. 1814 (Amherst Co., VA); m. 1767 (Amherst Co., VA), Rachel BANKS, d/o Gerrard BANKS & Anne STAUNTON. (John served as a Captain of the Amherst County Militia during the Revolutionary War.)
6. James HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ____; d. March 1813 (Amherst Co., VA); m. Rachel CAMPBELL. (James served as a Colonel of the Amherst County Militia during the Revolutionary War.)
7. Rachel HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ____; d. 1808-09 (Amherst Co., VA); m. (1) William MORRISON; m. (2) 1772, Samuel AYRES.
8. Thomas HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ____; d. after 1770 (near Augusta, GA).⁵

Benjamin HIGGINBOTHAM's place of birth is uncertain; however, it appears probable that he was born in Maryland. He married Elizabeth GRAVES, the daughter of Francis GRAVES and Anne (or Mary) REYNOLDS in Albemarle County, Virginia on February 21, 1750. Francis GRAVES was a grandson of Thomas GRAVES, one of the first settlers (1608) of Jamestown, Virginia, and a member of the first House of Burgesses.

⁴ Rachel Hollingsworth Higginbotham *The Family of Higginbotham*; also *Virginia Families*, pp. 24-67.

⁵ William M. Sweeny, "The Higginbotham Family," *Genealogies of Virginia Families in William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine*, Vol. III.

(Higginbotham family con't.)

During the Revolutionary War, Benjamin served in Captain William TUCKERS Company of Amherst County Militia from January 14, 1781, to March 26, 1781. Benjamin also furnished supplies which is shown by his claim for compensation, made in 1783, for 675 pounds of beef.

Between 1749 and 1784 Benjamin had received over one thousand acres in Virginia Land-grants. In 1784 after the Revolutionary War had left many Virginians penniless and restless of spirit, Benjamin, his wife, and at least four of his children migrated to Georgia. At that time, Georgia had the best choice of land which could be had for the cost of surveying. Here the family settled in Wilkes County, east of the Broad River on Coldwater Creek which would later (in 1790) become Elbert County.

Benjamin had died in Elbert County, Georgia, by July 25, 1791, when his will was recorded there. Benjamin and Elizabeth are known to have had at least six children, one daughter and five sons. All of their sons served in the Amherst County Militia during the Revolutionary War. The following are their children:⁶

1. Ann HIGGINBOTHAM, m. Jacob HIGGENBOTHAM.
2. Caleb HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1757 (Amherst Co., VA); d. after Jun 1811; m. ca. 1775 (Amherst Co., VA), Mary Ann (Unknown). (Caleb served as a Captain of Militia in the Revolutionary War.)
3. Benjamin HIGGINBOTHAM, m. 1 Dec 1782 (Amherst Co., VA), Mary GATEWOOD.
4. Francis HIGGINBOTHAM, m. 1 Dec 1782 (Amherst Co., VA), Dolly GATEWOOD.
5. William HIGGINBOTHAM, d. after Feb 1829 (Perry Co., TN); m. before 1784 (Amherst Co., VA), Ann "DOLLY" SANDRIDGE. (William served as a Sergeant throughout the entire war in the Continental line.)
6. Joseph HIGGINBOTHAM, m. 17 Dec 1788 (Amherst Co., VA), Frances HIGGENBOTHAM.

Caleb HIGGINBOTHAM received three hundred and fifty-five (355) acres of land in Amherst County on December 4, 1775. This land was conveyed to him by his father Benjamin and his mother Elizabeth for the consideration of five schillings.

The date of Caleb's marriage to Mary Ann _____ is not known. It is also unknown how many children the couple had. The 1783 census indicate that at the time the census was taken, the family consisted of six whites, probably himself, his wife and four children.

In 1784 Caleb, his wife and children, along with other members of the Higginbotham family, including his parents and several brothers and sisters, left Virginia to settle in that part of Wilkes County, Georgia which later became Elbert County.

In the reconstructed 1790 census of Georgia, Caleb was shown on a list of persons who served as jurors during the years 1791 to 1793. He was again listed as one of those who voted for delegates to the Constitutional Convention in 1795. Also in 1795, Caleb and his wife Mary Ann purchased 220 acres of land from Marmaduke RICKERSON, in Elbert County, Georgia.

⁶ Rachel Hollingsworth Higginbotham, The Family of Higginbotham; also Virginia Families, pp. 24-67; and Virginia in the Revolution.

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On June 19, 1811, in Elbert County, Georgia, Caleb, along with Edward WARE and James WARE is shown as swearing before Justice of the Peace Charles SORRELL as to the Revolutionary War service of William HIGGINBOTHAM, Caleb's brother

The date and place of death of Caleb HIGGINBOTHAM and his wife Mary Ann is not known. They had the following children:⁷

1. Child HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1777-78 (Amherst Co., VA).
2. Child HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1779 (Amherst Co., VA).
3. Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 1780-81; d. 2 Sep 1860 (St. Landry Parish, LA); m. (1) 1807-08 (Elbert Co., GA), Judith WARE; m. (2) 21 May 1835 (Opel. Ct. Hse.), Susan COLE.
4. Child HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1782-83 (Amherst Co., VA).
5. John HIGGINBOTHAM, (prob. born in Elbert Co., GA).
Another probable child:
6. Samuel HIGGINBOTHAM, m. 3 Nov 1818 (Madison Co. GA), Ann WARE.

Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM, son of Caleb HIGGINBOTHAM and his wife Mary Ann was born about 1780 - 81 in Amherst County, Virginia. In 1784 he moved with his parents and family to Georgia where he spent his early life.

Nelson married about 1805, in Elbert County, Georgia to Judith WARE, the daughter of Edward WARE and Sarah (or Sally) THURMOND. The Ware family, originally from Amherst County, Virginia, moved to Elbert County, Georgia in 1791.⁸ While in Virginia, the Ware and Higginbotham families had been very close. Edward WARE, Judith's father, and Caleb HIGGINBOTHAM along with their brothers had all served together in the Amherst County Militia during the Revolutionary War.

Nelson is believed to have brought his family to Louisiana sometime about the time of the birth of their daughter, Judith, whose birth is recorded in Lafayette on October 2, 1823. Nelson and his family apparently lived in the Lafayette area as the birth of two additional children were recorded there prior to the death of his wife, Judith WARE, in St. Landry Parish on December 10, 1831.

On May 21, 1835, Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM married a second time in St. Landry Parish to Susan COLE. There were no known children of his second marriage. According to the 1850 St. Landry Parish Census, Nelson was a widower again at age 70 and living with his son Giles HIGGINBOTHAM and his family in St. Landry Parish.

Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM died in St. Landry Parish on September 2, 1860, at about eighty

⁷ Rachel Hollingsworth Higginbotham, The Family of Higginbotham; Zella R. Bennion, Altamont, Utah; Virginia Families: Amherst County Virginia in the Revolution; Rev. Donald J. Hebert, Southwest Louisiana Records, Vol. 3, p. 149 & 335.

⁸ Amherst County, Virginia, in the Revolution.

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years of age. The following are the children from his marriage to Judith WARE:⁹

1. Sarah HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1806 (Athens, Clark Co. GA); m. (1) 22 Mar 1830 (Lafayette, LA), William H. NICHOLS, s/o William NICHOLS & Elizabeth _____ (of Wake County, North Carolina); m. (2) 15 Jan 1845, Stephen H. HALL.
2. Mary Ann HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1808 (Athens, Clark Co., GA); m. (1) Benjamin JONES; m. (2) 10 Mar 1845, Pierre DUPONT, s/o Joseph DUPONT & Madeleine LAMOURNE.
3. Julianne HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 25 Sep 1808 (Athens, Clark Co., GA); m. 24 Oct 1832 (Opelousas, LA), George William SLADE.
4. Giles HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1809 (Athens, Clark Co., GA), d. by 22 Sep 1858 (St. Landry Parish); m. (1) 12 Jun 1830 (Opelousas), Rebecca BOSSLER; m. (2) 2 Mar 1835 (Opelousas), Euphrosine SAVOIE.
5. James HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 22 Dec 1811 (Athens, Clark Co., GA); m. 29 Mar 1830 (Grand Coteau), Eliza MECHE, d/o David MECHE & Lise PREJEAN.
6. Sophia HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ____; m. 14 Jul 1831 (Lafayette), Thomas McBRIDE, s/o Thomas Walter McBRIDE & Julienne BOGARD.
7. Benjamin Robert HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1819 (prob. Athens, GA); succ. 25 Jan 1850 (Opelousas, LA).
8. Judith HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 2 Oct 1823 (Lafayette); m. 10 Aug 1838 (Lafayette), Walter McBRIDE, s/o Thomas McBRIDE & Julienne BOGARD.
9. Monroe HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1823 (prob. Lafayette, LA); m. 26 May 1846 (Lafayette, LA), Arcadia CAMPBELL.
10. Edouard HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 9 May 1826 (Lafayette, LA); m. ca. 1847-48, Emilia AMY, d/o Nicolas AMY & Eugenie RICHARD.
11. Samuel Thomas HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 1827 (Lafayette, LA).

Giles HIGGINBOTHAM, born about 1809 in Elbert County, Georgia, the second child of Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM and Judith WARE, arrived in Louisiana with his family about 1822. He married Rebecca BOSSLER, the daughter of Jean BOSSLER and Sophie RUSS on June 12, 1830, in Opelousas. Giles and Rebecca had two children prior to Rebecca's death on February 10, 1834. Giles married a second time on March 2, 1835, to Euphrosine SAVOIE, the daughter of Joseph SAVOIE and Marie Magdeleine STELLY by whom he fathered eleven more children.

Giles and Euphrosine apparently lived at Couleé Croche where on April 4, 1853, he is shown as one of the election commissioners. Giles died by September 1858, when his succession, (# 2780), was filed at the Opelousas Courthouse. The following are Giles HIGGINBOTHAM's children in his two marriages (all children were born in St. Landry Parish):¹⁰

Giles Higginbotham married Rebecca Bossler

1. Anne Laurinda HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 22 Jul 1831; d. 28 Jan 1868 (Church Point);

⁹ Donald J. Hebert, Southwest Louisiana Records, Vols. 2-6; Mormon Family History Records - International Genealogical Index; Zella R. Bennion, Altamont, Utah, Ancestral Charts; John A. Young, The 1850 Census of St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, (Basile, La., sp, 1992), pp. 176-77.

¹⁰ Donald J. Hebert, Southwest Louisiana Records; John A. Young, The 1860 Census of St. Landry Parish, (Basile, La., sp, 1992).

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- m. 1 Feb 1855, Lyttelton LYONS, s/o John LYONS & Rebecca McCLELLAND.
2. John Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 6 Jan 1834; m. 17 Nov 1855, Pauline MILLER, d/o Jean MILLER & Marie Louise TAYLOR.

Giles Higginbotham married Euphrosine Savoie

3. Joseph Gerrosim HIGGINBOTHAM, b. Mar 1837; m. 15 Sep 1857 (Grand Coteau), Louisiana BREAUX, d/o Thearice BREAUX & Louise GUIDRY.
4. Thomas HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 25 Dec 1839.
5. Simon HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 28 Jan 1840; d. 19 Jan 1876 (Church Point); m. 20 Jul 1865 (Opelousas), Elizabeth BREAUX, d/o Thersy (Thearice) BREAUX & Louise GUIDRY.
6. Marie Magdeleine HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 7 Apr 1843; m. 13 Feb 1860 (Grand Coteau), Jean Uval BOURQUE (BOURG?), s/o Eloy BOURG ? & Adeline SAVOY.
7. Peter Monroe HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 29 Dec 1844; m. 25 Oct 1865 (Grand Coteau), Philomene GUIDRY, d/o Pierre L. GUIDRY & Josephine LATIOLAIS.
8. Edouard HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 19 Feb 1847; d. 9 Mar 1918 (Church Point); m. (1) 6 Jun 1866 (Church Point), Ophelia CUMMINGS, d/o Thomas CUMMINGS & Anastasie MILLER; m. (2) Leanna L. CURTIS.
9. Benjamin Robert (Robin) HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 8 Mar 1849; m. 24 Jan 1871 (Grand Coteau), Alida VENABLE, d/o Joseph VENABLE & Josephine MECHE.
10. Stephanie (Fanny) HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 28 Apr 1851; m. 2 Dec 1869, Annis CUMMINGS, d/o Thomas CUMMINGS & Anastasie MILLER.
11. Giles (Jules) HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 7 Jan 1854, m. 4 Nov 1874 (Church Point), Celesie GUIDRY, d/o Pierre GUIDRY & Josephine LATIOLAIS.
12. Ernest HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1855 (age 5 on 1860 census); m. 23 Oct 1877 (Grand Coteau), Elisa (Eliza) COMEAUX, d/o Edmond COMEAUX & Tarsille SAVOIE.
13. Euphrosine HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1859 (age 1 on 1860 census); m. 28 Feb 1878 (Church Point), Joseph Numa MILLER, s/o Joseph L. MILLER & Elmire MECHE.

John Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM, the second child of Giles HIGGINBOTHAM and Rebecca BOSSLER was born in St. Landry Parish on January 6, 1834. John Nelson married Pauline MILLER, the daughter of Jean MILLER and Marie Louise TAYLOR at St. Landry Church in Opelousas on November 17, 1855. Of their marriage only one child, Adam HIGGINBOTHAM, was born.

According to a story told in the family, Jean Nelson disappeared about the time of the birth of his son Adam.¹¹ As the story is told, he often liked to nap on the porch in the afternoon where there was a cool breeze. On the occasion of his disappearance, he and his wife Pauline had returned home and while she went in to prepare the evening meal, John Nelson, went to the porch to take his nap. Upon preparing the meal, Pauline went to the porch to get John Nelson and

¹¹ The story of the disappearance of John Nelson Higginbotham was told to the author by Viola Patin Higginbotham, daughter-in-law of Adam Higginbotham. There are two versions of his disappearance but both indicate he disappeared at about the time of the birth of his son Adam. Jean Nelson's wife, Pauline, in the census of 1860 was shown living along with her son, Adam, with her father, Jean Miller. As far as anyone knows, Jean Nelson Higginbotham was never heard from or seen again.

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discovered he was not there. John Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM was never seen nor heard from again.

Jean Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM and Pauline MILLER had one child:

1. Adam HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ca. 1858 (age 2 on 1860 census); d. ca. 1942 (Iota, La.); m. 30 Dec 1875 (Eunice), Marie Louise YOUNG, d/o Oliver "Levi" YOUNG & Alexandrine DAIGLE.

Adam HIGGINBOTHAM, the only child of Jean Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM and Pauline MILLER, spent his youth in the area of Eunice, Louisiana most probably at the home of his grandparents, Jean MILLER and his wife, Marie Louise TAYLOR. Adam married Marie Louise YOUNG at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Eunice in January 1876. Marie Louise was the daughter of Oliver "Levi" YOUNG and Alexandrine DAIGLE.

Adam and Marie Louise settled in Acadia Parish near Iota where they had eight children, seven of whom lived to adulthood. Adam and Marie Louise enjoyed about sixty-five years of married life together. Marie Louise died about 1940 and Adam about 1942. Their place of burial is unknown at the present time. The following are their children all of whom were born in Iota:

1. Marie Magdeline HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 1 Nov 1875; d. 4 Apr 1899; m. 2 Oct 1893 (Iota), Ambroise TRUMPS, s/o John TRUMPS & Coralie SENSAT.
2. Wilson HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 16 Dec 1878; m. 31 Dec 1897, Odelia AMY, d/o Octave AMY & Bise LAGUHLIN.
3. Marguerite HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 13 Feb 1885; m. 18 Apr 1900 (Iota), Frank RAMOINE, s/o Victor RAMOINE & Estelle COMEAUX.
4. Marie Anne HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 28 Oct 1887; d. about 1957; m. (1) 7 Apr 1902 (Iota), Jacques CORMIER, s/o Syphroie CORMIER & Celeste SANLE; m. (2) ca. 1906, James SITTIG.
5. Marie Louise HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 13 Nov 1891; m. _____ ROY.
6. Elina (Helene) HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 31 Aug 1894.
7. Child HIGGINBOTHAM, b. ____; d. 18 Feb 1897.
8. Jean Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM, b. 8 Feb 1898; d. 10 Jun 1979 (Vinton, La.); m. (1) May NORE; m. (2) 7 Aug 1929, Viola PATIN.

Marie Magdeleine, born November 1, 1875, the daughter of Adam HIGGINBOTHAM and Marie Louise YOUNG, married October 2, 1893 to Ambroise TRUMPS, the son of John TRUMPS and Sydalise Coralie SENSAT. Ambroise TRUMPS and Marie Magdeleine HIGGINBOTHAM had three children prior to the death of Marie Magdeleine on April 4, 1899, at the age of twenty-three. Ambroise and Marie Magdeleine were the grandparents of my wife Gertrude TRUMPS, born in Ged, Louisiana on November 24, 1925, the daughter of John TRUMP and Elidia COMEAUX.

The author does not wish to convey the idea that Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM was the first or only Higginbotham to migrate to Louisiana or St. Landry Parish. As early as 1811, a Thomas HIGGINBOTHAM was listed as living in the "Louisiana Territory." Other Higginbothams were enumerated in Feliciana Parish on the 1820 census, their relationship, if any, to Nelson being unknown at this time. These were Caleb (probably married to Ann Ninerva BRYANT); Clayton,

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Francis, Jacob, James, Willis and Lindsay HIGGINBOTHAM (married 1817 to Eleanor HIGGINBOTHAM).

Early Higginbotham arrivals in St. Landry Parish included; Caleb HIGGINBOTHAM, son of Benjamin HIGGINBOTHAM and Hannah ABSHER who married September 6, 1839, in Opelousas to Lucinda ABSHER. Jacob HIGGINBOTHAM, the husband of Sophie HIGGINBOTHAM, who married a second time at Lafayette on January 5, 1832, to Charlotte FORMAN. This Jacob was possibly either a brother or cousin of Nelson HIGGINBOTHAM.

I look forward to corresponding with persons interested in the Higginbotham and allied lines. My address is; 1354 Dunnock Way, Sunnyvale, CA 94087.

_____ Queries _____

WEST - MACLAUGHLIN - COURVILLE - MACAULEY - CALAGHAN - REED

Seeking help on the Roger WEST puzzle. With three or possibly four daughters; Roger left the area in the 1790's to return to his work on the Mississippi River. With whom did he leave his youngest daughters? He returns to file affidavits with the U. S. Land Commissioners. Where was he during the intervening 20 years? One of his daughters married John MACLAUGHLIN, another Pierre COURVILLE and another Patrick MACAULEY. Catherine WEST married Daniel CALAGHAN who had ties with the WESTs; was she another daughter? Winifred WEST (m. 1, a RUSS and m. 2, a HILLEN) in Baton Rouge is the same age as Roger; is she a sister. How are the REED and WEST families related?

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SOILEAU - LABERGE - BLACKMAN - ORTEGO

Need the parents of Edward (Eddie or Edouard) SOILEAU, born about 1857 in the Faubourg - Grand Prairie area. He married (1) Elina LABERGE in 1878 at the Catholic Church in Washington, La., m. (2) Louisa BLACKMAN, widow of Oscar ORTEGO. Any information on this person would be appreciated.

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CAMPBELL - LEWIS - WEST

I am searching for the parents of Leon J. CAMPBELL, b. 1831. Leon married Misso LEWIS, daughter of William Harding LEWIS and Sophia WEST of the Whiteville area. In the 1870 St. Landry Parish census, Leon and Misso appear at household #108/109 Bayou Chicot, 4th Ward. Their children are Emma, 11; Lewis (Louis), 8; Landry, 6; Delia, 4; Levi, 2 and an infant 2 mos.

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Carriere Family, Additions and Corrections

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[Editor's note: The following information was received in response to the article by Stephen C. La Caze, "Some Descendants of Francois Carriere and Elizabeth Malauzet" which appeared in La Voix des Prairies, Vol. 14, No. 52, (Jan 1993), pp. 14-17. Additional Carriere information can be found in an article by Gercie Daigle, La Voix des Prairies, "A Lady of Colonial Times - Marie Louise Lavergne," Vol. 7, No. 27, (Oct 1986), pp. 75-78.]

S. Antoine LANGLOIS, the son of Augustin LANGLOIS and Marie Louise BAUDREAU (dit GRAVELINE), was born in 1750.¹ On January 16, 1781, he married Francoise CARRIERE, the daughter of Joseph CARRIERE II and Marie Louise LAVERGNE in Opelousas. Francoise was born October 23, 1764, at New Orleans and baptized October 3, 1779, in Opelousas. S. Antoine LANGLOIS died on December 14, 1808.² Francoise CARRIERE's succession is dated July 1823.³

S. Antoine LANGLOIS and Francoise CARRIERE were the parents of eight children, one of which was Ludivine LANGLOIS, born about 1788.⁴ Ludivine married Clement HOLLIER I on November 12, 1807.⁵ Clement HOLLIER can be traced through his father, Jacques Noel HOLLIER, who was baptized at Nantes, France.

Augustin LANGLOIS, the eighth of twelve children of Germain LANGLOIS and Jeanne CHALIFOUR, was baptized February 6, 1692 at Charlesbourg. He married before 1733 at St. Anne, Fort Chartres, Illinois to Marie Louise BAUDREAU dit Graveline, daughter of Gabriel BAUDREAU dit Graveline and Marie Catherine Forestier. Marie Louise was born April 24, 1708, at Illinois. Augustin died before February 7, 1758 at Kaskasia, Illinois. Marie Louise married on that date to Antoine PILLET (PILET) dit la Sande.⁶ Augustin LANGLOIS and Marie Louise BAUDREAU had eight children.

Joseph CARRIERE II was the son of Joseph CARRIERE I and Marguerite TREPAGNIER. He was born about 1722 at New Orleans and married 1755-56 to Marie Louise LAVERGNE, daughter of Louis LAVERGNE II and Elizabeth THOMELIN. Marie Louise was born about 1733 and had previously married Jean BAR II. Joseph CARRIERE II died February 18, 1790, at Opelousas. Marie Louise died at Opelousas before August 24, 1822.⁷

¹ He is shown as age 25 on the 1777 census of the Opelousas Post. Also see, Kuter, Kaskaskia Under the French Regime, p. 113.

² Rev. Donald J. Hebert, Southwest Louisiana Records, Vol. 1, p. 351. Herein after cited as Hebert SWLR.

³ Hebert, SWLR, Vol. 2, p. 176, 265; also 22 Aug 1823, Vol. 2, p. 556; also, William Nelson Gremillion, Sr. & Loucille Edwards Gremillion, Commentaries on Some Avoyells Parish Families, p. 30.

⁴ Hebert, SWLR, Vol. 1, p. 351. She was baptized 6 Dec 1789 as Devine Langlois.

⁵ Ibid.

⁶ Information on this family from; Hebert, SWLR, Vol. 1, p. 556; New Orleans Genesis, No. 72, p. 484; La Population des French Forts in l'Amerique, pp. 93, 138, 183, 191, 227, 230, 236. Augustin was the 8th of 12 children shown in Kaskaskia Under the French Regime, pp. 113-14; also Old Mobile, p. 396.

⁷ Information on this family from New Orleans Genesis, Vol. 14, No. 35, p. 275-282, proof of Marie Louise Lavergne's parentage found in the estate settlement of her sister Francoise Lavergne widow of George Inguimberty; Hebert, SWLR, Vol. 1, p. 351; Vol. 2, p. 566; Gercie D. Daigle, La Voix des Prairies, "A Lady of Colonial Times - Marie Louise Lavergne," Vol. 7, No. 27, pp. 75-78.

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Joseph CARRIERE II and Marie Louise LAVERGNE had seven children including Francoise CARRIERE who married Antoine LANGLOIS. She married 2nd on February 1, 1803, to Guillaume McKOY and 3rd to Solange LaCASSE on 7 Jul 1818.⁸

Joseph CARRIERE I, son of Andre CARRIERE and Cecile JANOT was born April 24, 1682, at Montreal, married Marguerite TREPAGNIER, daughter of Claude de TREPAGNIER and Genevieve (BUREL) BURELLE. Marguerite was born about 1708 in Mobile.⁹ Joseph CARRIERE I and Marguerite TREPAGNIER had ten children.

André CARRIERE, son of Francois CARRIERE and Elizabeth MALAZAT (MALAUZAT) was born about 1640 in France. The 1681 census shows him as 41 years of age. He married Cecile JANOT, daughter of Marin JANOT dit la Chapelle and Francoise BERNARD (BESNARD). Cecile was born June 11, 1656, at Montreal, Canada. They were married November 17, 1670, at the church of Notre Dame, Montreal. André CARRIERE was buried December 5, 1715 at the Church of Notre Dame. Cecile JANOT was buried January 27, 1729. André was a native of Ste. Catherine de Villeneuve, eveche d' Agen, France. They had ten children.¹⁰

Francois CARRIERE was born in the south of France. He was married before 1640 to Elizabeth MALAZAT. They were of Villeneuve, Diocese of Agen, District of Garonne.¹¹ The only child found of this marriage is Andre CARRIERE.

Marin JANOT dit la Chapelle was the son of Robert JANOT dit la Chapelle and Jeanne de PIENNE. He married at Montreal on August 30, 1655, to Francoise BERNARD (BESNARD), the daughter of Pierre BESNARD and Catherine RIVERIN. Marin was a carpenter, farmer, land clearer and also served as a soldier in the 17th Regiment at Ste-Famile. The 17th Regiment was founded by MAISONNEUVE for the defense of Ville-Marie, Canada. Marin had come to Canada in "le Grand recouse" of 1653. Francoise BERNARD was a native of Pourray, France. Marin JANOT and Francoise BERNARD had Cecile JANOT who married Andre CARRIERE I and Francoise JANOT, born 1659, who married August 6, 1674, at Montreal to Antoine BAZINET dit Tourblanche; Pierre, born March 27, 1660, married January 31, 1684, Petronille TESSIER; and Robert, born May 29, 1662, married January 6, 1693, to Anne LANGLOIS, a la Pointe-aux-Trembles de Montreal.¹²

In his article "Some Descendants of Francois CARRIERE and Elizabeth MALAUZET," Mr. La Caze indicates Andre CARRIERE I died February 8, 1734. He was buried December 5, 1715. Andre CARRIERE II was killed by Indians about 1723. Marie-Marguerite ARLUT/HARLUT, widow of Andre CARRIERE II, married second to Sieur Louis TIXERANT.

⁸ Hebert, SWLR, Vol. 1, p. 427 & Vol. 2, p. 530 respectively.

⁹ New Orleans Genesis, Vol. 24, No. 95, pp. 275-282; also, Old Families of Louisiana and Antoine Bienvenue Stelly, Jr., Carriere, p. 395, hereinafter cited as Stelly, Carriere.

¹⁰ New Orleans Genesis, Vol. 24, No. 95, pp. 275-282; also, Reginald L. Olivier, Your Ancient Canadian Family Ties, hereinafter cited as Olivier, YACFT; and, Stelly, Carriere, Vol. 1, pp. 195-202, 213-215, 221, 244.

¹¹ New Orleans Genesis, Vol. 24, No. 95, p. 278; Olivier, YACFT, p. 250; and Stelly, Carriere.

¹² New Orleans Genesis, Vol. 24, No. 95, p. 278; Olivier, YACFT, p. 168B, 178A & 14A; and Tanguay, p. 317.

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Michel CARRIERE was born May 10, 1760. Marie Louise VIVARET married 3rd to Francois PECOTE de BELESTRE. Pierre CARRIERE's date of death was April 18, 1830. Marguerite CARRIERE was born April 18, 1729, and died August 1, 1801. Antoine CARRIERE married Marie Madeleine QUESNEL. Mr. La Caze shows Antoine died April 20, 1718. That was his marriage date. Marie Therese CARRIERE was born June 15, 1692, not 1698.

We hope this information will assist Mr. La Caze and other Carriere researchers. We always like to have help from other genealogists. Should there be any questions regarding information in this article please feel free to write to either of the following: Albert B. PEFFERKORN, 401 Maple Drive, Sckertz, TX 78154, or Mrs. Ruby P. BARDWELL, 2076 Marguerite St., Opelousas, LA 70570.

Queries

FUSELIER - ORTEGO - SHAW - MIER - CAMPBELL

Need the parents of Malacia FUSELIER, b. 1889, d. 1939. Malacia married Zenon ORTEGO, son of Athenase ORTEGO and Omerine SHAW and bore two children: Curley C. (m. Sadie MIER) and Louise Omerine, (m. 1933, Louis O. CAMPBELL). Evelyn CAMPBELL GILBERT, 5113 Glen Haven Dr., Baytown, TX 77521

JEANSONNE - BONNETTE - BORDELON

Need the parents of Alicia D. JEANSONNE, 1875 - 1922, married Arcena JEANSONNE, 1870 - 1911. Also need the parents of Albea/Albin BONNETTE, married ca. 1890 to Celestine BORDELON, possibly of the Marksville, La. area. Mrs. S. E. DEKKO, P. O. Box 207, Hailey, Idaho 83333

GUIDRY - SIMON - PELLICIER - PELLESIER - CLAUDE/BLANCHE - MARTIN

Need names of the parents of Henry GUIDRY, b. 1901, who married Alice SIMON, b. 1900. Antoine PELLICIER arrived in Louisiana in 1882. He married Françoise CLAUDE?/BLANCHE. A son, Maurice PELLESIER, b. 1890, married Honorine MARTIN (Alex and ____ ? ____). Need parents of both Antoine PELLICIER and Françoise CLAUDE/BLANCHE.

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CHAISSON - BROUSSARD - ARDOIN - TELLIER - BERTRAND - FUSELIER

Need names of parents of parents of John GUILLORY, m. ca. 1890-1900, Corine CHAISSON (Jos. Delma CHAISSON and Marie Arcade BROUSSARD). Need names of parents of Francois ARDOIN, m. Alidie TELLIER, b. 1860. They had a son, Arthus ARDOIN, m. Dorestine BERTRAND, possibly in the Lake Charles area. Also need parents of Leandre BERTRAND, b. ca. 1880, m. Arelia FUSELIER (Francois and Arthemise GUILLORY).

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The Killing of Charlie Carroll
Submitted by Elizabeth McGee Bell

[Editor's note: The following two newspaper clippings were submitted by Mrs. Elizabeth McGee Bell. In her letter Mrs. Bell states that she is unsure where the gunfights took place but they possibly occurred in the Palmetto area where John McGee, her father, and Ernest Soileau, her mothers oldest brother were living at the time. Mrs. Bell states that in the 1905 gunfight her mothers youngest brother, Fergus Soileau was killed and her father almost lost his life. The following is excerpted from Mrs. Bell's letter.]

"Enclosed are two clippings I thought you might find interesting. The John McGEE mentioned in the articles was my father. He was married (his second marriage) to Lydia SOILEAU. My father and mother both played the fiddle. In the 1905 gunfight my father was very badly wounded and was months getting over his wounds and my mother's youngest brother, Fergus SOILEAU was killed. In the 1810 gunfight my father's left arm was filled with buckshot and he could never play the fiddle again. I never did hear him play but was told he was very good at it.

Dennis McGEE, a son of John McGEE and his first wife Amelie LAFLEUR was my half-brother. Dennis was a well known Cajun fiddle player from the Eunice, Louisiana area.

I'm sorry that I cannot give you the name of the paper in which the article "Les Tragédie" appeared. Both articles were given to me by my sister, Virginia McGEE CHARLES who died in 1973."

Les Tragédie

The most fatal duel in the history of St. Landry Parish" occurred in his father's barnyard on Sunday, 10 June 1905. Not yet seven years old, he witnessed one uncle, Thomas R. CARROLL, Jr. 40, strike with Theogene's Winchester rifle another uncle, Deputy Constable John MAGEE, 40; next, a third uncle, Ward Constable Fergus A. SOILEAU, 25 fired three shots from his 41 Colt revolver and kill "in the performance of his duty" Uncle Thomas; then, Oscar G. FREDERICHs, 25 fire six shots from his 38 Smith and Wesson pistol and kill Uncle Fergus and wound Uncle John; and, finally,

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Uncle John fire his shotgun and kill in "self-defense" FREDERICHs. (4; 5)

50 Years Ago
From St. Landry Clarion

Jan. 8. 1910

The preliminary examination of John McGEE and Ernest SOILEAU, charged with the killing of Charley CARROLL on Christmas night, took place last Saturday and attracted a large crowd.

It was attempted to be shown that McGEE and SOILEAU practically waylaid CARROLL, but this was not clearly proven. SOILEAU claimed that he was trying to arrest CARROLL, who had previously shot McGEE and that he was forced to kill him.

McGEE and SOILEAU were admitted to bail in the sum of one thousand dollars each, by Judge O'NEILL.

Queries

ISTRE - EAST

Would like to correspond with anyone researching the Istre/East families.
Alvenia T. THIBODEAUX, 1801 Augusta St., Westlake LA 70669

CHEEK - WRIGHT - PONTIER - GAUTHIER - DAUZAT - DUBROC

Who were their parents of Louis CHEEK who married Elizabeth WRIGHT in 1885?
Ambrose PONTIER, married Rosa GAUTHIER of Hessmer, La. in 1896, who were their parents. Also need the parents of Neuville DAUZAT who married Clara Juneauor DUBROC in about 1870.

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			16 Michel LEGER-----
		8 Joachim LEGER-----	
		B: 1 Dec 1851	
		P: ,Lafayette,La	17 Marguerite LEBLANC-----
		M: 17 Mar 1870	
		P: ,,La	
	4 Eraste LEGER-----	D:	
	B: 27 Feb 1872	P:	18 Lessin SIMON-----
	P: Rayne,Acadia,La		
	M: 25 Oct 1895	9 Mathilda SIMON-----	
	P: ,,La	B: 10 Nov 1848	19 Claire LANDRY-----
	D: 23 Aug 1960	P: ,Lafayette,La	
	P: Lafayette,Lafayette,La	D:	
2 Jean Delma LEGER-----		P:	20 John DOUCET-----
B: 18 Jan 1902			
P: Rayne,Acadia,La		10 Jean Mayance DOUCET-----	
M: 1 Dec 1932		B: 6 May 1837	
P: ,,La		P: ,,La	21 Adele RACCA-----
D: 2 Jan 1972		M: 1 Aug 1865	
P: Rayne,Acadia,La		P: ,,La	
	5 Marie Adele DOUCET-----	D: 21 Jan 1935	
	B: 8 Jul 1875	P: Rayne,Acadia,La	22 Joseph Valsin TRAHAN----
	P: Rayne,Acadia,La		
	D: 3 Feb 1926	11 Marie Advella TRAHAN-----	
	P: Rayne,Acadia,La	B: Apr 1842	23 Marie Adelaide PRIMEAUX-
1 Eula Mae LEGER-----		P: ,,La	
B: 23 Jun 1941		D: 19 Mar 1924	
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M: 5 Apr 1959			Same as no. 22
P: ,,La			on chart no. 1
D:		12 Neuville TRAHAN-----	
P:		B:	
Liness MATTE-----		P: ,,La	25 Josephine LOUVIERRE----
Spouse		M: 4 Dec 1871	
		P: ,,La	
	6 Joseph Oleur TRAHAN-----	D:	
	B: 15 Jun 1880	P:	26 George GASPARD-----
	P: Youngsville,Lafayette,La		
	M: 6 Mar 1901	13 Anastasie GASPARD-----	
	P: ,,La	B: 1850	27 Marcelite PRIMEAUX-----
	D: 28 Apr 1960	P: ,,La	
	P: Lafayette ch,Lafayette,La	D: 1926	
3 Anita TRAHAN-----		P: Rayne,,La	28 Michel LEGER-----
B: 5 Oct 1902			Same as no. 16
P: Rayne,Acadia,La		14 Michel LEGER-----	on chart no. 1
D: 20 Nov 1976		B: 21 Feb 1849	
P: Lake Charles,Calcasieu,La		P: ,Lafayette,La	29 Marguerite LEBLANC-----
		M: 19 Mar 1870	Same as no. 17
		P: ,,La	on chart no. 1
	7 Alicia LEGER-----	D:	
	B: 15 Mar 1883	P:	30 Joseph Valsin TRAHAN----
	P: Rayne,Acadia,La		Same as no. 22
	D: 14 Mar 1945	15 Aurelia TRAHAN-----	on chart no. 1
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		P: ,Lafayette,La	Same as no. 23
		D: 16 Dec 1889	on chart no. 1
		P: Rayne,Acadia,La	

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			16 Pierre MATTE II-----
		8 Adolphe MATTE-----	
		B: 21 May 1863	
		P: ,,La	17 Caroline THIBODEAUX-----
		M:	
	4 Adolph MATTE II-----	P: Did Not Marry	
	B: 31 Mar 1889	D: 3 May 1924	
	P: Church Point,Acadia,La	P: ,,La	18 Charles DOUCET-----
	M:		
	P: ,,La	9 LaPerle DOUCET-----	
	D: 4 Mar 1971	B: 28 Aug 1872	19 Caroline LEBLEU-----
	P: Rayne,Acadia,La	P: ,,La	
		D: 1954	
		P: ,,La	20 Alexandre DOUCET-----
2 Vinest MATTE-----			
B: 9 Mar 1913			
P: Church Point,Acadia,La			
M: 11 Dec 1932			
P: ,,La			
D: 22 Jul 1982			
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		10 John Dupre DOUCET-----	
		B: 20 Mar 1853	
		P: Church Point,St Landry,La	21 Celeste COMEAUX-----
		M: 9 Sep 1873	
		P: ,,La	
	5 Ermenie DOUCET-----	D: 1912	
	B: 13 Aug 1891	P: Basile,Evangeline,La	22 Cyprien FONTENOT-----
	P: Church Point,Acadia,La		
	D: 16 May 1973		
	P: Rayne,Acadie,La		
		11 Marie Aeglie FONTENOT-----	
		B: 15 Sep 1854	23 Modeste LABBE-----
		P: Church Point,St Landry,La	
		D: 1937	
		P: ,,La	24 Benjamin MIRE-----
1 Liness MATTE-----			
B: 17 Nov 1939			
P: Church Point,Acadia,La			
M: 5 Apr 1959			
P: ,,La			
D:			
P:			
Eula Mae LEGER-----			
Spouse			
		12 Evariste MIRE-----	
		B: 5 Apr 1822	
		P: Youngsville,Lafayette,La	25 Marie Louise BERNARD-----
		M: 15 May 1866	
		P: ,,La	
	6 Evariste MIRE II-----	D: 26 Feb 1872	
	B: 27 Aug 1872	P: ,,La	26 Edward TILLE-----
	P: Youngsville,Lafayette,La		
	M: 2 Aug 1897		
	P: ,,La		
	D: 2 Apr 1958	13 Marie Selonie TILLE-----	
	P: Whiteville,St Landry,La	B: 4 Jan 1841	27 Marie Francoise RICHARD--
		P: ,,La	
		D:	
		P:	28 Onesime MATTE II-----
3 Marie MIRE-----			
B: 8 Dec 1916			
P: Church Point,Acadia,La			
D: 16 Oct 1989			
P: Lafayette,Lafayette,La			
		14 Onesime MATT III-----	
		B: 21 Sep 1854	
		P: Church Point,St Landry,La	29 Louise LEJEUNE-----
		M: 19 Aug 1878	
		P: ,,La	
	7 Marie MOTT-----	D:	
	B: 3 Feb 1882	P:	30 Eugene LEBOEUF-----
	P: Church Point,Acadia,La		
	D: 16 Oct 1989		
	P: Lafayette,Lafayette,La	15 Louise LEBOEUF-----	
		B: - 4 Apr 1859	31 Adelaide THIBODEAUX-----
		P: ,,La	
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[Editor's note: The following article appeared in the Crowley Daily Signal, 50th Anniversary Edition 1849 - 1949, p. 111.]

Nine German Families Sail To America On Board Freighter 'Mississippi' To Become Outstanding Farmers in Roberts Cove

It was 68 years ago the the freighter "Mississippi" sailed from Antwerp Belgium for the promise of a new life in the United States for nine families from Gangelt, Germany, who were aboard.

It was on October 11, 1881, that the long ocean voyage began and when the dock at New Orleans was finally reached, six weeks over schedule, the immigrants had seen a lifetime of travel, putting into port at Spain, then Cuba, enroute. Aboard were members of the ZAUMBRECHER, HENSGENS, GOSSEN, LEONARDS, REINERS, WIRTZ, SCHLICHER, TELLERS, and THEVIS families. The HEINEN, THEUISSSEN, SCHEUFENS and RONKERTZ families arrived in Louisiana the following year.

Remembering back to those days is a favorite pastime of William Joseph GOSSEN, who was ten years old when he sailed with his parents, Peter and Agnes GOSSEN, that fateful day. Mr. GOSSEN is the oldest Robert's Cove resident still living of those who took the freighter "Mississippi" in 1881, and Lawrence ZAUMBRECHER of Mowata tops his seniority by a few years, Mr. GOSSEN admits

Hale and hearty at 78, this pioneer has a twinkle in his eye which belies his three score and eighteen years. Mr. GOSSEN says it all started when Father Leonard THEVIS of Holy Trinity Church in New Orleans made a trip back to his people in Germany and sold them on the idea of coming to the States. He read advertising and literature to them which came from the Rayne firm, W. W. DUSON & Brother, telling of the homesteading and other advantages of the southwestern Louisiana area just opening up, and encouraged them to leave New Orleans for the fertile fields farther west. They took his advice and traveled to Rayne, settling down in "the Cove".

Mr. GOSSEN recalls that the CLARK, ROBINSON and ANDING families were already living there on the open prairie which had no roads but lots of razor back hogs and longhorn cattle. The new Cove dwellers bought land at \$3.00 an acre from 50 to 200 acres apiece. ZAUMBRECHER, LEONARDS and Joe GOSSEN (Mr. William's brother) secured homesteads in Prairie Hayes and started raising rice. This was 1884 or 1885 before Crowley was started. N. J. ZAUMBRECHER constructed "Zaunbrecher Lake," which old-timers will remember, Mr. GOSSEN tells, built for rice irrigation. He made his first crop and hauled it in a boat across Plaquemine Bayou (now Medlenka River), loaded it on a wagon up to what was called the Crowley Switch for shipment to New Orleans.

"I didn't visit the lot sales but I remember ZAUMBRECHER and LEONARDS bought lots in the northeast section of Crowley (near the park) which was in the neighborhood of the first Catholic church," this pioneer recalls.

He further reminisces, "I remember the old court house and Mr. EGAN's saloon in the Egan block. J. FRANKEL came about a year or so later as I remember. After they built the bridge into Prairie Hayes, the rice planters would ship their rice to New Orleans from Crowley to the commission merchants. They couldn't sell it here and that was their only means of disposing of

(German Families con't.)

their crops. Many a time the rice didn't pay freight costs.

"A lot of credit is due the ABBOTT Brothers for their advancement of rice production methods. Unless I'm mistaken there were three of them Miron, Martin, and Lafe [ABBOTT].

"When we first came here, they had a gathering and all the older people became naturalized. This was near Rayne prior to an election and took the form of a public declaration of loyalty, after which we were declared naturalized citizens. However, in 1894 I went to Texas and voted in an election for Grover CLEVELAND for president of the United States and came back to Louisiana to find that I wasn't an American citizen, after all. Registration for voting came up and we were taken to Lafayette by old Judge CAMPBELL who was running for district attorney. I went, as did old Henry ZAUNBRECHER, Will HEINEN, Dorris HEINEN and others and we took out the necessary papers in court," Mr. GOSSEN explains.

From 1893 to 1897 he farmed in Texas, being held back there by yellow fever quarantine. Then he came to Crowley and settled in Prairie Hayes. "My brother had bought some land in Texas and I went there to farm it but upon my return bought the old Crawford LYONS' place in the Cove (St. Leo's)" the near-octogenarian said.

Mr. GOSSEN admits they all had a pretty difficult time getting started when they first went to Robert's Cove but nobody of the German settlers even considered going back to the Fatherland. Then, about 1892, things began to improve.

Although he still speaks with an engaging accent, Mr. GOSSEN is as American as hot dogs and popcorn. He subscribed to the Signal about 1893 when he couldn't read a word of English and credits this newspaper with teaching him to read.

Children of Mr. GOSSEN are N. J. 'Joe' GOSSEN, farming between Rayne and Branch; Henry GOSSEN, farming close to Branch; Charlie GOSSEN, proprietor of a liquor business in Rayne; Louise GOSSEN, who is Mrs. T. I. HEINEN of Elton; Clara GOSSEN, Mrs. Eugene CALLIOUET; Agnes GOSSEN, now Mrs. Elbert ARNOLD of Epps, Louisiana.

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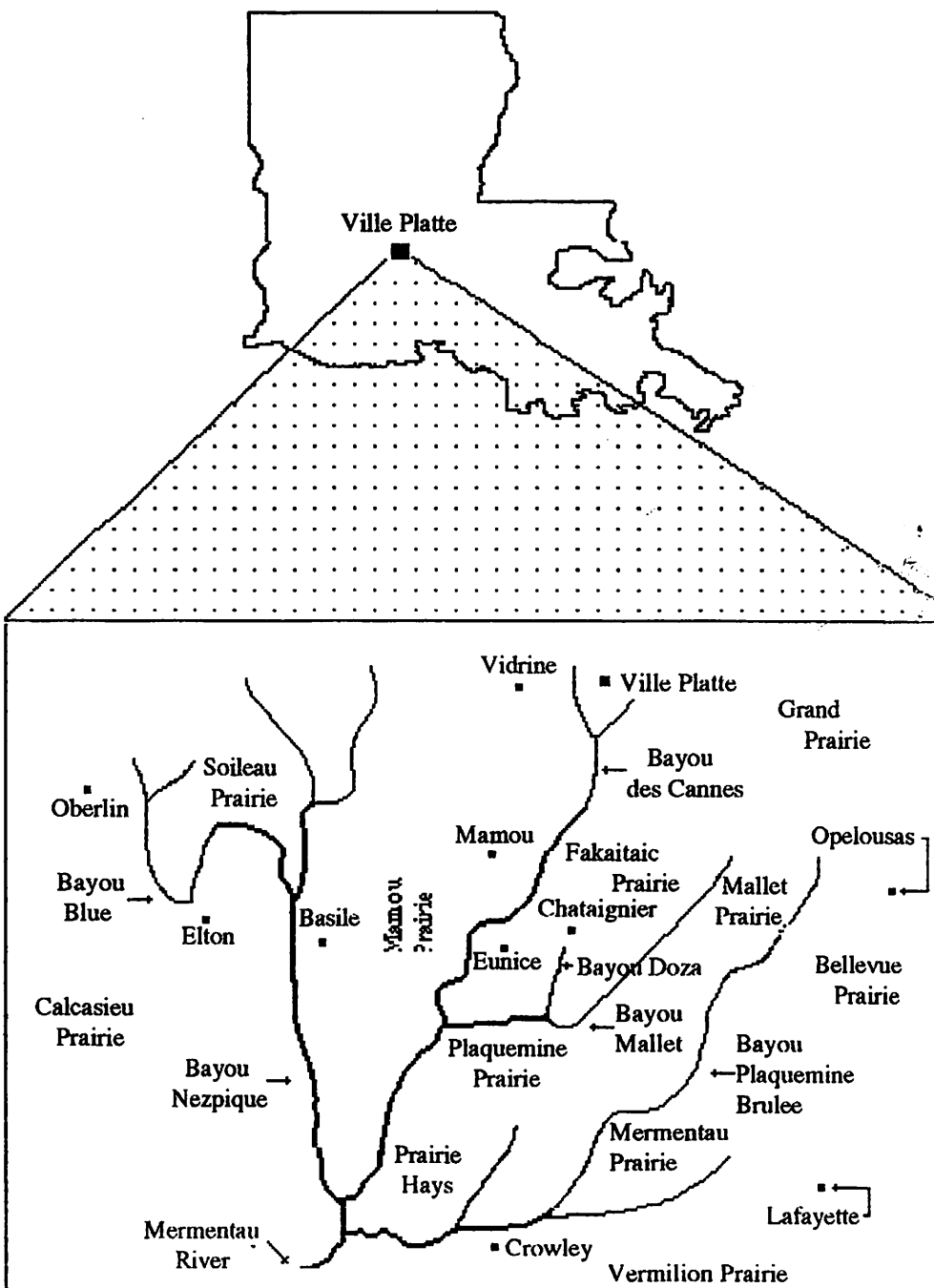
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The Aguillards: A Los Islenos Influence

The Genealogy of the Marshall Aguillard and Eugenie Courville Family by Carole B. Knight

In the late 1770's, the Spanish authorities in Louisiana sought to increase the Spanish influence in its colony by supporting a wave of immigrants from the Canary Islands. These immigrants became known as "Los Islenos" and were a significant addition to the population of Louisiana.

It is likely that among those immigrants were two young men whose ancestors established the Aguillard line in the Pointe Coupee and Opelousas areas. Records from the immigration are incomplete but the names of this original Aguiar family are not included in the currently available lists. It seems certain, however, that they immigrated to Louisiana at the same time as the other Canary Islanders. In various legal documents, the two young men are identified as from the Canary Islands and the probable age of their parents made the family eligible to make the trip. Perhaps one day some of the missing lists will appear in the yet unindexed Spanish records about Louisiana.

In a translation of an article by Pablo TINAJERO on the Canarian Immigration to America (1777-79) is a description of the individuals involved in the immigration. Tinajero states that following the beginning of the American Revolution, the Spanish thought that sooner or later the Americans would attempt to extend the frontier to the Gulf of Mexico.

To face this potentially powerful neighbor, the Spanish ministers determined that the best way to defend the province was to develop it economically and demographically. It was decided that the Canary Islands would be the primary source of human resources for settling the mostly uninhabited Louisiana lands.

A royal order dated August 15, 1777, informed (the governor of the Islands) that he was to recruit people in those islands to complete the Louisiana Infantry Battalion. A maximum of 700 recruits was requested, the only requirements being that they be aged 17 to 36 and healthy. The King ordered that preference should be given to married men who would go to Louisiana with their wives and children.

"People promptly thronged to the enlistment centers" and 2,010 were recruited. From Tenerife Island came the Aguillards and others for a total of 1,203: Santa Cruz 652, Orotava 199 and Icod 352. From Gran Canaria Island 789 and from Lanzarote Island 18.

According to various historical accounts, as the respective vessels arrived periodically in New Orleans near the Plaza d'Armas, the Spanish officials were on hand to make note of the volunteer recruits. Soldier recruits were enrolled among several Spanish regiments for training. Agriculturists, women and children were conveyed to the respective settlements promised to them.

The villages allocated to the Canary Islanders were San Bernardo deGalvez in St. Bernard Parish, Valenzuela on Bayou LaFourche in Assumption Parish, Barataria in Jefferson Parish and Galveztown in Iberville Parish near Manchac. Many, however, did not stay in those locations; there were complaints about the unsuitability of the settlements and there were several major epidemics resulting in a large number of unrecorded deaths.

First Generation

Antonio Martin AGUIAR was the father of two boys who left ancestors in Louisiana: Francisco Martin AGUIAR and Joseph AGUIAR. Antonio was married to Francisca Maria RODRIQUEZ and various records indicate that all four were from Mantanzas on the Island of Tenerife.

A tantalizing document is the succession of Antonio Joseph Martin de AGUIAR on file in the Spanish records in the collection of the Louisiana State Museum Historical Center. An abstract of the lengthy document indicates that it shows more debts than assets. An examination of the document, however, does not reveal the mention of any family. The pages are sometimes difficult to read because the ink has bled through; in addition, it is written in an archaic Spanish that has not been translated. The man was apparently a merchant.

The New Orleans Cathedral records have abstracted the death of this individual showing him to be a bachelor age 40, a native of Mantanzas of the Isle of Tenerife. The death occurred in St. Bernardo at New Galvez on October 20, 1788 [SBSB F1 5].

It is possible that this is the succession of the two boys' father; the age is correct for Antonio to be the the boys' father and a Los Islenos immigrant. If his wife had already died and no heirs are mentioned because the boys were no longer at the Poste and

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T. M. y T. Año 1788
Felton
Fechos por fallecimiento de
Antonio Aguilar
9/6
8/3/4
Ten. el Sr. D. Jo.
Ov. J. D. Rafael Perdomo

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there was no property to inherit, the records could have assumed Antonio to be a bachelor. The death records for the period up to 1784 at St. Louis Cathedral are not extant and it is possible that Francisca Maria RODRIQUEZ died in one of the several early epidemics. Son Francisco settled in New Orleans before his 1783 marriage and was no longer with his father; it is unknown where son Joseph was in this time frame. No member of Francisco's family was present at his marriage and are not mentioned in his marriage contract.

This "Antonio AGUIAR" is recognized by the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) as the father of Francisco and Joseph and was involved in the Galvez expedition, earning him a place among the Revolutionary War Patriots [Doc. #1876, File #134, Box 51]. The records indicate that on May 20, 1778, "Antonio AGUIARD" was a fusilier in the Militia of the City of New Orleans, in the 3rd Company. In the same company were Luiz LAVERGNE, another fusilier, and Luc HOLLIER serving as second sergeant. Both men also established families in the Opelousas area.

While it is possible, even likely, that this man is the father of Francisco and Joseph AGUIAR, there is currently no solid primary evidence. It remains for the succession to be properly translated.

Tucked among the pages of the 107 page succession is an affidavit of the priest at St. Bernardo in New Galvez that certified that he had administered "penitencio y extrima uncion" to Antonio Joseph Martin de AGUIAR, son of N. AGUIAR and Francisca Maria ROLDANA and that Antonio was a native of Matanzas of the Island of Tenerife. The burial was in the cemetery in San Bernardo [page 10].

Of the two children known of this couple, Francisco Martin AGUIAR married Louise LUVIGNI in New Orleans in 1795. Joseph married Henriette GURIN in Pointe Coupee in 1792.

At his marriage Joseph is

*En Agustín Lamano Religio Menor, y Cura
Doct.^o de la Universidad de S.^a Bernardo
en el Nuevo Galvez. Certifico en la
mejor fe de dho. S.^a m.*

*En el año de 1782 a 20 de Octu.
se entrego en el campo S.^a de mi
Parroquia, aviendo administrado la
los dho. sacramento de penitencia
y extrema unción Antonio Joseph
Martin de Aguiar, hijo leg.^o de N.
Aguiar y Francisca Maria Ro-
ldana, natural de Matanzas en la
isla de Tenerife de estado soltero.*

*Dada a 18 de Nov.^o de 88 en la Pa-
roquia de S.^a Bernardo en el Nuevo
Galvez.*

*En Agustín Lamano
Cura*

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shown as the son of Antoine AGUIAR and Francoise RODRIQUE; he is a native of the Isle of Tenerife [PCP 19, 45]. A marriage contract dated November 9, 1792, shows that he has as property one Negress named Gustine, three horses, one cow and calf and a cart. He signs the document "Joph AGUIAR" but none of his family members are witnesses [#81, Colonial La. Marriages Contracts, Vol. III, DeVille].

Joseph AGUIAR married Henriette GUERIN at Pointe Coupee December 1795 [PCP 19, 45]. She was the daughter of Guillaume GUERIN dit St. AUBIN, a native of Brie, Diocese of Lons, in France. Guillaume had married Marie Anne OLIVIO February 7, 1758 in Pointe Coupee [PCP 1, 83]. Marie Anne was the daughter of Pierre OLIVEAUX and Marie Magdeleine CABLE.

Guillaume GUERIN was the son of Guillaume GUERIN and Marienne DAMIEN; Marienne was the daughter of Guillaume DAMIEN. Pierre OLIVEAUX was the son of Laurient OLIVEAUX and Helene ROBERTS; Marie CABLE was the daughter of Leonard GAFFEL and Catherine VOFF.

Aguiar/Aguilar was a fairly common surname in the 1780's and there are a number of colonial records that refer to various "Antonio AGUIAR" suits and civil proceedings. It is not certain exactly who is involved in these proceedings:

-- in 1786 Antonio AGUILAR sued Juan HERNANDEZ of Opelousas for the collection of 400 pesos [Sept. 6, 1786, Doc. #1374, Box 47].

-- in 1787 he sued "the so called Sebastian" to compel Sebastian GARCIA to release a certain quantity of tobacco sent by Don Manuel RAMERIZ to Agiular from Cuba [May 22, 1797, Doc. #1549, File 96].

--Antonio Joseph de AGUIAR is mentioned in a file dated Dec. 25, 1785.

--Antonio AGUILAR is buried in St. Louis Cemetery #2, Square 2, Aisle 1, West Vault, no date, "Sociedad Ibera de Beneficiencia Mutua."

--Antonio Francisco AGUIAR was granted permission "to build a little house in the gardens in the rear of the Presbyterie, on the corner of Royal and St. Anne Street, this measure adopted to aid victims of the 1788 fire" [Feb. 13, 1790, Doc. #2402, Box 59]. Friar Antonio de Sedella gives permission by certificate. There was a major fire in New Orleans on Easter morning of 1788 that burned down half the city. This could be the son instead of the father.

--Antonio Francisco AGUIAR is sued in 1788 by Don Juan CASAS and Don Jaime BADIA to force payment of 400 pesos, a promissory note; he signs Francisco AGUIAR. This could be the son instead of the father.

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--Antonio Francisco AQUIR, innkeeper and resident of New Orleans is mentioned in a file dated Nov. 14, 1783 [Sp. Doc. #891, Box 41].

--Antonio Francisco AGUIR is the purchaser of properties belonging to the succession of Josef VIRMACARTY in 1787 [Doc. #1554, Box ?6].

Some other references include some that would not involve the AGUIAR family that came from the Canary Islands with Los Islenos; they might, however, have been relatives and so has been listed.

- Don Antonio de AGUIAR, 1787, no doc. #, Box 48; 1785, Box 44; 1773, Box 36.
- Antonio Joseph de AGUIAR, April 17, 1773.
- Antonine AIGUILLER, St. Louis Cathedral Baptism Book III, #112, 1753-59.
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- Funeral Register 1784-93 A: Francisco AGUIAR #3; Joseph AQUIRRE #6; AGUILAR #21; AGUILAR #36; AGUIAR #59.

First Generation

Husband: Antonio Martin AGUIAR
born ca. 1745, Santa Cruz de Tenerife
died ?October 20, 1788, St. Bernard [SBSB F1 5]
arrived in Louisiana ca. 1778-79
married ca. 1746, Santa Cruz de Tenerife
His father: ?Don N. AGUIAR
His mother: ?Francisca Marie ROLDANA
His siblings: ?

Wife: Francisca Maria RODRIGUEZ
born ca. 1750, Santa Cruz de Tenerife
died: ?
arrived in Louisiana ca. 1778-79
Her father, mother, siblings unknown

Ancestor Child: Francisco Martin AGUIAR
born ca. 1765, Santa Cruz de Tenerife
died Dec 24, 1795, New Orleans [SLC F4 28]
married Louise LUVIGNI, Mar 17, 1783, [SLC M4 148]

Other Child: 1. Joseph AGUIAR, m. 1792, Henriette GUERIN, [PCP 19, 45]

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FRANCISCO MARTIN AGUIAR

Second Generation

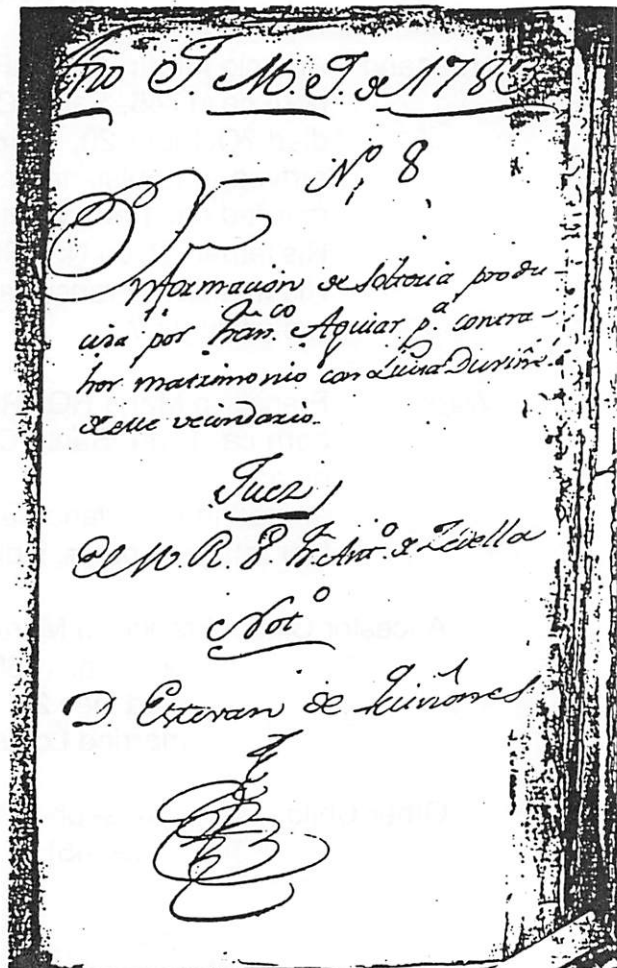
Francisco Martin AGUIAR was born about 1765 on the Isle of Tenerife according to information from his death records, from the church records of his marriage and of his children. At the time of the immigration from the Canary Islands, he would have been between 13 and 15 and too young to make the trip by himself. It seems likely that he made the trip with his parents or other relatives.

The first document that places Francisco in Louisiana is his marriage contract in 1783. He signs with a flourish, giving weight to the possibility that he was the child of Antonio Martin AGUIAR the literate merchant. His brother Joseph also signs his marriage contract.



The eight page contract dated March 10, 1783, [E. Quinones, V1, 288] includes affidavits from Francisco and three others and is on file with the Notarial Archives in New Orleans. The contract identifies "Luisa Devine" as a resident of the vicinity. Signing affidavits are Joseph DELAPENA of New Orleans, 40; Salvador JARANA who was 45 and Juan BONNET of New Orleans who was 38. The document is in excellent shape, written in Spanish and as yet untranslated.

A "shadow" of another contract exists in an index to the notarial records of N. Broutin; the index indicates a marriage contract for "Franco AGUIAR and Luisa DUVINIE" during the time frame 1783-85. However, the notarial records for that index no longer exist.



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The couple celebrated their marriage at St. Louis Cathedral on March 17, 1783, [SLC M4 148] with no members of his family present. Witnesses were her sister and brother Jeanne and Andre D'LUVIGNY and Vicent LLORCA.

Three of the first four children born to the couple did not survive to adulthood. Joseph Francisco died at less than two months in 1785, Marie Zeferina died at about a year and a half in 1789 and Rosalia died at less than 8 months in 1792. [This record shows 7 1/2 years but conflicts with 1791 census. Apparently months not years was meant.]

Joseph AGUIAR and Juana DUVINI served as godparents for Joseph Francisco; Antonio Garcia PESTANO and Marie DE LEVA were godparents for Marie Rufina. Another child of the couple could have been born in 1786 as records for the cathedral between February 2 and May 12 were completely lost. An entry in a surviving index shows "Aguilar, 404."

The surviving child was Pedro Francisco AGUIAR who was born May 9, 1791, [SLC B11 288]. His godparents were his grandparents Pierre D'LUVIGNY and Marie BROCHET. Another child Juan Ramon was born November 10, 1793, but no further reference is found for him; his maternal grandparents were also his godparents.

At the time of the 1791 New Orleans census, the Aguilar family is residing on "Calle Frente al Malecon," literally the street fronting the levee, which today would probably be Decatur or North Peter Street. The census shows that there are three persons at the house: two men in the first age group and one woman in the second age group. The record, therefore, shows no man in the house, supported by the fact that no "militaman" lives at the residence. No occupation is listed for Francisco.

The indication is that Francisco was not home and that there two young boys living in the house with their mother. These boys would be Pedro Francisco and possibly the child born in 1786. Neighbors are Antonio MALON and Juan Pedro OUEL. The family had no slaves.

Francisco died and was buried in New Orleans on Christmas Eve, December 24, 1795 [SLC F4 28]. The burial records indicates that he "died treacherously" and the Cathedral Archivist says no further notations were made. The burial record indicates that he was 30 years old.

Court records referring to Francois AGUIAR include the following:

--Don Andres MERCANARIO sues Francisco AGUIAR for collection of 364 pesos on September 9, 1783, [Doc. #858, Box 41, File 56, Louisiana Historic Collection].

--Francois AGUIAR informs the court that his property has been placed at

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auction on two occasions and as no bidders appeared, he begged the court for an extension of time in order to pay the sum claimed.

--Francois AGUIAR sued the succession of Miguel CORDUY [1790, Doc. #1776; 1786, Doc. #1374, Box 47; 1787, Doc. 1549, Box 48; 1787, Doc. #1589, Box 48].

Second Generation

Husband: Francisco Martin AGUIAR
born ca. 1765, Canary Islands
buried Dec. 24, 1795 [SLC F4 28]
arrived in Louisiana 1778-79
married Mar. 17, 1783 [SLC M4 148]

His father: Antonio Martin AGUIAR
His mother: Francisca Marie RRODRIGUEZ
His siblings: Joseph AGUIAR

Wife: Louise LOUVINI
born Sep. 6, 1765 [SLC B5 102]
died Jun 4, 1808 [SLCemetery #1]

Her father: Pierre D'LUVIGNY
Her mother: Marie Marguerite BROSE/BROCHET
Her siblings: Marie Jeanne, Mariguerite, Charles D'LUVIGNY

Ancestor Child: Pedro Francisco AGUIAR (pere)
born May 9, 1791 [SLC B11 288]
died Mar. 22, 1857 [Opel. Succ. 3881]
married Celeste SAVOYE Apr. 20, 1819 [Opel. V1, p339],
d/o Pierre Placide SAVOIE & Adelaide BABIN

Other Children: 1. Joseph Francisco, b. Jan. 14, 1785 [SLC B9 356]; d. @1
1/2 mts. Feb. 17, 1785 [SLC]

2. Marie Zeferina, b. Jun 10, 1788 [SLC B11 61]; d. @ 14
mts. Dec. 8, 1789 [SLC]

3. Rosalia, b. ca. 1792; d. Nov 1792 @7 1/2 mts. [SLC F2
59]

4. Juan Ramon, b. Nov. 10, 1793 [SLC B11 288]

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PIERRE FELIX D'LUVIGNY

First Generation in Louisiana

Louise D'LUVIGNY was a New Orleans native, born September 6, 1765 [SLC B5 102], the daughter of Pierre Felix D'LUVIGHY and Marie Marguerite BROCHET/BROSE, both identified as "natives of Paris" and "natives of Mo in the province of Paris" in other Cathedral records.

There is no marriage record for Pierre and Marguerite, and it is assumed that they married in France prior to traveling to New Orleans. No record has been found to determine when they arrived in New Orleans or Louisiana but they were certainly there prior to the birth of their first child in 1751.

On the 1763 census of New Orleans, "LUVIGHY" is identified as a "beadle" with one woman, two boys under 14 and one girl; there is a musket in the house and they are in "Martin's" district.

On the 1766 New Orleans census, the family is listed "LUVIGNI" in Villard's Company. The family is composed of Pedro, one woman, one teenage boy, one boy and one girl.

Several of their children have military sponsors at their baptisms: Andre CARRIERE, warehouse guard at Fort Ste. Marie downstream and Magdalene Victorie Petit DE VILLIER, wife of DELA HOUSSAYE Ecuyer, royal cavalry captain, commandant at Fort Ste. Marie for Andre; Charles LABEAU, sergeant of the troops, for Charle; Jacque LAMY, soldier in the company of Grandchamps for Marguerite; and Francois VILLETTE, soldier, for Marie Jeanne.

At Louis's baptism, sponsors were Louis THIERY and Louise VALLE and her father is identified as "verger of this parish." The Cathedral archivist explains that a verger was similar to an usher or sacristan who keeps order for services but has no information on the specific duties of vergers at the Cathedral during this time period.

Although the LOUVINIs of both generations should appear on the 1791 census, they are not listed. A list of 1783 New Orleans area men, lists Andre LOUVINI as a "mattress maker" but his father is not listed.

After Francisco's untimely death, Louise had two or three young boys to rear; Pedro Francisco was only four and Ramon only two. Almost four years later she married Jean Baptiste LAFOND who raised her AGUIAR children along with the the new couple's own children. One of the witnesses at her marriage on March 17, 1799, was her father, Pierre; no mention is made of her mother. LAFOND was a native of Gascony.

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The new couple had several LAFOND children including an unnamed child who died November 14, 1801, and Jeneimas who died February 9, 1806, at 14 months. Both children were buried in St. Louis Cemetery #1.

The LAFOND and LOUVINI families are not listed on the 1805 city directory nor on the 1810 U. S. census.

Louise died June 4, 1808, and she was buried in the same cemetery as her children. No records have been found pinpointing the deaths of Pierre and Marie Marguerite LOUVINI.

Pierre Felix D'LUVIGNY

Husband: Pierre Felix D'LUVIGNY
born ca. 1730 Paris, France
died after 1799 New Orleans
arrived La. ca. 1750
married ca. 1749 France

Father, Mother, Siblings unknown

Wife: Marie Marguerite BROCHET/BROSE
born ca. 1733 Paris, France
died New Orleans

Father, Mother, Siblings unknown

Ancestor Child: Louise LOUVINI
born Sep. 6, 1765, [SLC B5 102]
buried June 4, 1808, [SL Cemetery #1]
married Francisco Martin AGUILAR
Mar. 17, 1783, [SLC M4 148]

Other Children: 1. Andre LOUVINI, b. Jun. 9, 1751, [SLC B2 222]
2. Marguerite LOUVINI, b. 2 Jan 1756, [SLC B3 51]
3. Marie Jeanne LOUVINI, b. 24 Mar 1758 [SLC B3]
93; d. Sep. 20, 1828; m. Andre FLAQUE
4. Charles LOUVINI, b. 13 Feb 1761, [SLC B4 47]

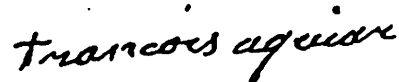
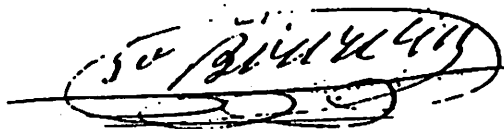
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PEDRO FRANCISCO AGUIAR

Third Generation

Pedro Francisco was almost certainly called Francois by his family members after his mother's marriage to LAFOND. He signs "Francois Aguiar" on a copy of his indenture to Kelly & Lambert on July 12, 1809.

The indenture identifies Francois as "an orphan boy aged 19 years or thereabouts born in this city [New Orleans]] and states that he has "with the advice and consent of his cousin Bernard BOURDIN bound and put himself apprentice to Kelly & Lambert to learn the trade and occupation of a house carpenter." Research on who Bourdin was and how he was related to Francois is incomplete. His signature on the indenture is elaborate. No information on the firm of Kelly & Lambert has been found, though research is incomplete. The following are copies of the signatures of Bernard BOURDIN and Francois AGUIAR as shown on the agreement.



Under the terms of the contract, written in English and in excellent condition, Francois would live with Kelly & Lambert beginning December 1810. There is significant confusion about the dates: the copy of the document is dated 1809; the original is dated 1811; the commencement date is 1810. The documents are identical except as to the year of the date.

Kelly & Lambert promised that in return for Francois' faithful service for three years that they would teach Francois the trade of "house carpenter." In addition they would provide "good and sufficient food, meat, drink, lodging, clothing, washing and medical aid in case of sickness." In addition they would teach him to "read and write and the arithmetic as far as the rule of three," possibly through "night schooling." Later signatures indicate that if nothing else, Francois' writing improved.

Francois is not listed on the 1810 New Orleans census but may have been included in the entry for Kelly & Lambert.

Francois was in New Orleans until at least March 10, 1815, when he was paid for his service in Captain Jean Baptiste BENITE's company during the Battle of New Orleans.

Military records show that "Francois AGUILLARD" served in the Louisiana Militia of Company 2, Cavaliers from drafted militia for the War of 1812.

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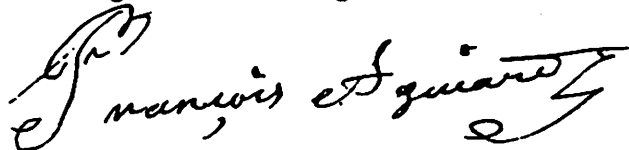
The company payroll notes that he was paid \$8.00 per month for two months and 25 days for a total of \$22.45. The company muster roll shows that he was on the roll in New Orleans, "present," on March 10, 1815, and held the rank of private.

It seems likely that Francois may have come to the St. Landry area from New Orleans through new friends made among the several St. Landry militiamen who also fought in the Battle of New Orleans.

On April 20, 1819, Francois married Celeste SAVOYE at the Opelousas Church [V1 p339]. His marriage record notes that he is "of New Orleans." Celeste was the daughter of Pierre Placide SAVOYE and Adelaide BABIN.

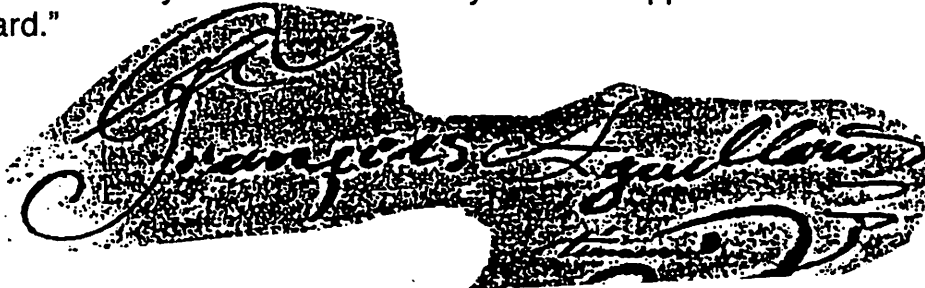
On the 1820 census, the young "Gaillard" family was living next door to Celeste's family with a young boy already born, Francois Almazir AGUILLARD.

In 1828, Francois AGUIAR is a witness on the succession of Pierre Placide SAVOYE's mother-in-law, Anastasie MELENSON. The succession was probated in St. Martin Parish and he signs "Francois Aguiard."

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Francois Aguiard". The signature is written in dark ink on a light background.

On the 1830 census, "Francois Guiard" was living near Pierre COURVILLE and his father-in-law Pierre SAVOYE with one man 30 to 40, one woman 20 to 30, two boys under 5 (Azolin and Paul Astron) and one boy 10 to 15 (Francois Almazir). The census leaves two children unaccounted for, Edmond and Jean.

In 1833 at the succession sale of Pierre Placide SAVOYE, Francois bought a number of items including cows, calves, work oxen, the family grindstone and horses; he also helped his son Francois Almazir to buy the SAVOYE brand. His signature appears as security for several of the buyers and it appears for the first time as "Aguillard."

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Francois Aguiard". The signature is written in dark ink on a light background.

The family was enumerated as "F. Aguillard" on the 1840 census. The family is composed of a man 50 to 60, a woman 30 to 40, two girls under 5 (Marie Louise and Louisiana), one boy under 5 (Homer), four boys between 5 and 10 (Paul Astron, Azolin, Jean Valincour and Edmond) and one man 10 to 20 (Francois).

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In 1850 the family is living next door to Francois GUILLARD, Jr. who was 30 and married with five children. Francois, pere, is identified as 58 years old and able to read and write while Celeste, 49, does not read and write; all the children in the household except Jules (who was in school) also could not read or write.

Francois was identified as a "carpenter" with property of \$300. Living with the couple were Louis, 19; Homere, 17; Feliciane, 15; and Jule, 12. In the house but listed as a separate household was Paulin, 21 a "grazer." It is noted that they were all born in Louisiana.

According to Francois' succession, he died March 22, 1857 [Opel. Succ. #2738]. After Francois' death, Celeste apparently lived with her daughter Louisiana as on the 1860 census she is listed in the household of Joseph CHENIER and Louisiana AGUILLARD; Celeste is 57 years old with real property of \$154 and \$40 in personal property. Living next door is her daughter-in-law Clementine MILLER GUIYARE and her five grandchildren with Azolin.

Celeste died in the mid 1860's, her succession dated 1865 [Opel. Succ. #2738].

Third Generation

Husband: Pedro Francisco AGUIAR, pere
born May 9, 1791 [SLC B11 138]
died Mar 22, 1857 [Opel. Ch. #3881]
married Apr 20, 1819 [Opel. Ch. V1 p339]

His father: Francisco Martin AGUIAR
His mother: Louise LOUVINI
His siblings: Marie Rufina, Pedro Francisco, Juan Ramon AGUIAR

Wife: Celeste (Celestine) SAVOYE
born ca. Sep 1802, baptized Nov 1, 1802, at age 2 mts.
died ca. 1865 [Opel. Succ. #2738]

Her father: Pierre Placied SAVOYE
Her mother: Adelaide BABIN
Her siblings: Mary Louise, Emilie, Pierre Valcour, Adelaide
Felonise, Pierre, Anastasie, Joseph Devalcourt SAVOYE.

Ancestor Child: Francois Almazir AGUILLARD, fils
born ca. 1820 Opelousas
died Nov. 1885 [Opel. Succ. #4837]
married Eliza MILLER May 8, 1841, [Opel V2, p202]

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- Other children:
1. Jean Valincour AGUILLARD, b. Jul 12, 1823, [Opel. V2 p] 283; m. Armide McGEE
 2. Edmond AGUILLARD, b. Aug 16, 1826, [Opel. V2 p368]
 3. Azolin AGUILLARD, b. ca. 1827; m. 1848, Clemence MILLER
 4. Paul Astron AGUILLARD, b. Apr. 27, 1829, [Opel. V3 p 69]
 5. Louisiana AGUILLARD, b. ca. 1830; d. 1873 at 43 yrs; m. 1852/55, Joseph CHENIER.
 6. Marie Louise, b. Dec 29, 1831, [Opel. V3 p217]
 7. Homer AGUILLARD, b. Apr 23, 1834, [Opel. V3, p278]
 8. Jules AGUILLARD, b. ca. Feb 1841, bapt. Mar 4, 1842 at 13 mts., [Opel. V4 p193]; m. 1866 Joanna YOUNG.

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(Part 2 of Mrs. Knight's Genealogy of the Marshall Aguillard and Eugenie Courville Family will continue in the January issue of La Voix des Prairies, Vol. 15, No. 56.)

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Abbreviations

CH	Courthouse
Opel.	St. Landry Catholic Church, Opelousas
PCP	Pointe Coupee
SLC	St. Louis Cathedral
SBSB	San Bernardo

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[Editor's note: The following article appeared in the Crowley Daily Signal, Golden Anniversary Edition 1889 - 1949, p. 75, and is reprinted here for it's historical as well as genealogical value.]

Basile Named For French Early Settlers; Townsite Bought 1905

By Charles J. Bollich

In Louisiana - the hospitable queen of the South - we find a small settlement of Basile, named in honor of a Frenchman, who was one of the first settlers here, and who was reared in Mamou Prairie, the name by which the territory was first known. The site of the present location of the town was purchased in 1905 from Garsien MILLER, and at that time was nothing but a corn field. It was soon mapped and laid out by Gus FUSILIER, James J. LOUIS and Louis S. BURKE.

Although there was an array of natural resources - cattle grazing grounds, fine farm lands, hunting and trapping - the community seemed to rely mostly on the lumber industry. The softwood forests along Bayous Nezpique, Blue, Burand [Durald], and Castor provided raw material for such large mills as the PUTNAM Brothers, the LeCroix Lumber Company, and the Maurice Lumber Company. The logs were floated down these streams to the mills which centered near the Missouri-Pacific railroad on the edge of the woods where the heart of Basile now rests.

Mail Delivered By Pony

The first postoffice in this community was located three and one half miles out of town on the property of F. L. SCHAMBERS in Acadia Parish. It was not long, however, that it was moved to the present location. Some mail had to be delivered by pony to the surrounding communities. This delivery was not oftener than once a week. Our present postoffice department which has been classed as second class since 1943, serves two rural routes, one to the north through the Dural section, the other south beyond Evangeline, where mail is exchanged at the postoffice there. Between the years of 1906 and 1908 mail was left by the railroad in an old box car which served as a depot.

As soon as the number of settlers established themselves here, the thought of a school came into their minds. The result was a small frame building of one room which taught classes through the seventh grade. It was built in 1909, and Miss Carrie Lee NORTHWAY, of Nashville, Tennessee was the first teacher. During the third year of school, there were three teachers, W. W. FUSSELL, Miss Theresa DAVIS, and Miss Jeana BOND, and forty-nine pupils. The following year the enrollment was increased to seventy-five in this small school donated by the residents of the community.

Sawmill Man First Principal

Then the dawn of the present high school approached. In 1913 a two-story structure was built which taught through the ninth grade. N. D. ROBERTS, who was working at a sawmill at the time became the first principal. Following Mr. Roberts as principal were Eloi FONTENOT, C. C. CLARK, Mr. CRANFORD, Mr. FIESTER, and

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Lester SOILEAU. Among the first graduates of this school were Hadley FONTENOT, the first and only graduate of that year, and J. J. DARPIN, the first and only graduate of the second year.

In 1925 our brick high school building was constructed and financed by a \$50,000 bond issue. J. A. BABIN was the first principal in this new building. After five years he was followed by W. A. ROZAS, who was succeeded after one year by Leroy SOILEAU. Our present principal, E. A. BRUNET assumed duties after Leroy SOILEAU was elected as clerk of court in this parish.

The highest enrollment on record for this school was in 1939 - 40 when 692 pupils registered and 24 teachers were employed, with a graduating class of forty-four.

In addition to this school, the Evangeline Academy, a tuition school was built in 1920 by the congregation of the Methodist-Episcopal church. Some of the leaders in establishing this school better known as the Evangeline Preparatory College, were Walter McCAIN, Ozeman YOUNG and Adras YOUNG. It was an approved high school, and on record we find the following as some of the first graduates: Gabriel FRUGE, Bessie COX, Bertha NETTLES, Cecil DARPIN, Tansy DARBONNE, Oily AGUILLARD, Louis DARPIN, Elda DARBONNE, Thelma LOW and Dan FALLER. These pupils paid a tuition of twenty-five cents a month. The academy burned in 1925 and its history came to an end.

Basile Incorporated in 1911

Perusing through the records in the office of the town clerk, we find that Basile was incorporated into a village in 1911 by the interest and efforts of the following civic leaders: Dr. E. S. TAYLOR who became the first mayor, J. S. DARBONNE, who was chosen the town's first marshal, the three citizens who became the members of the first council, Amos FUSILIER, Adras CHAUMONT, and J. E. CHAUMONT.

The town's water system was the first public utility to be installed. With the help of the Missouri-Pacific Railroad, who made it possible to obtain water from their well and to use their tank, the small town became the proud owners of its own system. In 1926 a tower and a tank were purchased second hand and set up on town property but it was only recently that the town drilled its own well on town property.

The Gulf Public Service Company received a franchise in 1927 to furnish electrical power and energy to the town. In 1939, under the direction of David YOUNG, Jr., as mayor, the town voted a \$20,000 bond issue to install a natural gas system, which to date has been very successful.

Since 1940, when the national census showed the population of the town to be 1103 inhabitants, the village became a town and the number of councilmen was increased from three to five.

The discovery of oil on the Theogene ORTEGO property in the middle 30's brought in such an influx of oil field workers and rig builders that the combined earnings of these groups of people soon overshadowed the farm earnings of that time, and the

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lumber industry has long since come to an end. To serve the needs of these "outsiders" many new homes were constructed and new places of business sprang up suddenly. In 1939 the SAVOY Theater was opened by the SAVOY brothers, Melvin and Clifton who moved here from Eunice. Late in 1946 an additional theater, The STAR, was built by Clifton SAVOY.

In tracing further back into the records we find that the first place of business, a small grocery store, to be opened in this town was owned by Thomas H. LEWIS. It was located on a site midway between where now stands the Methodist Church and the residence of Jesse PERRODIN. Today, almost every kind of business is owned and operated by local citizens. Most of these are on the main thoroughfare, Stagg Avenue which was paved in 1947 to give it a modern appearance.

Cornfield to Modern City

Thus we see the transition of a small community, which had as a beginning a cornfield and which depended almost entirely on the lumber industry, to a modern town of approximately 1500 population with a diversified income from oil fields, rice and highland farming, cattle raising and the government employees of the schools and highways.

It proudly claims churches in the major denominations, Baptist, Methodist and Catholic, in addition to smaller churches in the colored quarters. And the population, which has lost many of the customs of the French Acadians ancestry, still clings on to some, the most notable being the domination language of French, which most people speak as fluently as did their French ancestors.

_____ Queries _____

BEASLEY - MARSH WHITTINGTON

George Lafayette BEASLEY, son of Silas Dellar BEASLEY (BOUSLEY) and Rosa MARSH, born October 29, 1889, probably in Rapides Parish. Believed to have married a WHITTINGTON and had a son named Clarence. Lived in Eunice, LA for some time and is buried there (d. 1924). Any information on George or Silas and Rosa, my grandparents, greatly appreciated.

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SEILEY - GUILLORY - SOILEAU

John W. SEILEY married Laura GUILLORY on January 25, 1876 (St. Landry Courthouse marriage # 8550). On that document, Laura's mother is listed as Mirza SOILEAU. I believe her mother was Eugenie SOILEAU, b. August 21, 1821. Either Eugenie also carried the name Mirza, or Augustin GUILLORY remarried to a Mirza SOILEAU. Would appreciate help in sorting this problem out.

Robert Leonard Hadley, 105 Nathaniel Court, Cary, N. C. 27511

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HEBERT - MCCRORY - HOLLEY

Information needed on Cora E. HEBERT (b. ca. 1835) who married Captain Thomas Nathaniel MCCRORY (ca. 1833 - ca. 1874) on September 27, 1856 in St. Landry Parish. Cora may have been born in Lafayette Parish and Thomas in Rapides Parish. Thomas was the son of Robert MCCRORY and Lucinda HOLLEY. Also need info. on Thomas's parents who were living in St. Landry Parish from 1840 thru 1860.
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FRUGE - SAVOIE - MARCANTEL

Need parents of Onezime (Ozemie) FRUGE who married (15 Feb 1841 Opel. Ct. Hse., 11 Oct 1843 GC Ch.) Elisa (Eliza) SAVOIE. They had at least five children; Ozeme, b. 1843, Frosin, b. 1847, Marie Leside, b. 1850, Louise, b. 1856 and Louis, b. 1859. Augustine FRUGE and Eloise MARCANTEL had a son, Onesime Fruge, b. November 18, 1820, however, he is not named in the succession (#435) of Augustine FRUGE and widow Louise MARCANTEL. Any help on this problem will be greatly appreciated.
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HUBBARD - SHROPSHIRE

Need information on parents of both David W. HUBBARD and Eliza SHROPSHIRE who married Feb 1, 1842 in Wilkinson Co., MS. David died in Concordia Parish by 1866 and Eliza died in St. Landry Parish by 1868. Their children were John Thomas, David Walter and Eliza HUBBARD.
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LEE - GIBBONS - FORET - SAVANT

Information needed on Nancy LEE and her parents, Isom (Esom) LEE and Marguerite GIBBONS. Nancy married John Pierre Adolphe FOREST, s/o Pierre FORET and Lucille SAVANT in St. Landry Parish on Aug 18, 1870. Nancy's sister Marie LEE married Edmond SAVANT on the same day.
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DEROY - DeROIN - LACHERETTE - DESCHERTA - ST. PIERRE

I am looking for information on the following surnames: DEROY, DeROIN, LACHERETTE, DESCHERTA, ST. PIERRE.
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DeBARGE - BELLON

Need parents of Aureline DEBARGE who married Julien Anatole BELLON in St. Landry Parish on 4 Feb 1885.
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