

COULSON - COLSTON

I am researching the family of David and Sarah(COX) COULSON, born 1771 and 1778, Virginia, who came to Warren County, Tennessee, about 1812.

Their children: Charles married Sarah STROUD
James, never married
Alexander married Abigail MYRES
John D. married Mary E. LEWIS
Bartley married Mary HAMMOND
William Harrison married 1st Elen M. SIMS, 2nd Bell RANSOM
Polexynia married Benjamin O. NEVILLE
Lucinda married 1st William WILSON, 2nd William Smith MOONEY
Eleanor married David BURCH
David married 1st Amelia GWYNN
Nancy(?) married John HERRIFORD

The following 18 pages are what I have on the third child, Alexander, whose daughter, Loucetta Missouri married my great grandfather, Ladden Farrell TATE, of Laager, Grundy County. If anyone sees errors or knows corrections or more that can be added to this family history, I'd be happy to hear from you.

I hope to have completed the history of the rest of David Coulson's family before the end of this century -- that won't be long!!

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3. Alexander COULSON (sometimes COULSTON, COLSTON), born KY or TN, c1806. was third child of David COULSON, born VA, 25 Dec 1771/died Coffee/Warren County, TN, before Sept 1840, and his wife, Sarah (COX) COULSON, born VA, 26 Feb 1778/died before 1840, TN.

Alexander married about 1820, Abigail MYRES, born 1806-1811, TN. Their known children:

- A. Sarah Jane, born 1821, married 1st Robert Soward MYERS, later married James WINTON.
 - B. David, born c1826, married 1st Mary Jane _____, 2nd Lydia CUNNINGHAM.
 - C. Loucetta Missouri, born c1833, married Ladden Farrell TATE.
 - D. Nancy, born c1836, married Elisha BANKS.
 - E. Mary, born 1838, married Commodore FULTS.
 - F. Thomas H. Benton, born c1839, married Mary E. GRAHAM.
 - G. Ellender, born 1844, married Calvin Calhoun DYKES.
- A. Sarah Jane, 4 May 1821/18 May 1926, Stephenson Cemetery, Coffee County, TN, married 22 Apr 1852, Robert S. MYRES. Their children as given by Pat BERGES, Lakeland, FL:
- a. William Elliott "Buck" MYRES, 21 Oct 1852/9 Mar 1947, Stephenson Cemetery, Coffee County, married 30 Dec 1873, Filia Ann RANKIN, 27 May 1852/12 Feb 1909, Stephenson Cemetery, daughter of John and Martha Caroline (CAMPBELL) RANKIN. Their children:
 - (1) Thomas Luther MYERS, 14 Nov 1874/12 Jan 1962, Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Coffee County, married 28 Dec 1898, Sallie Kate EDDY, 1 Jun 1880/16 Feb 1963.
 - (2) J. Arthur MYERS, 21 Dec 1876/2 Jun 1937, Stephenson Cemetery, married 9 Jan 1909, Harriet TALLMAN, 26 Sep 1874/6 May 1927.
 - (3) Etta MYERS, 15 Jun 1877/20 Dec 1940, Mt. Carmel Methodist Cemetery, Coffee County, married 11 Jan 1898, Henry STOTTS, 26 Nov 1877/26 Nov 1950.
 - (4) Sarah E., born 1879, Hillsboro, Coffee County.
 - (5) Trudie Lee, 19 Aug 1880/_____, Wesley Chapel Cemetery, married 28 Feb 1898, David Blanton BROWN, 22 Sep 1875/1 Aug 1955.
 - (6) Vena Lou, born 1881/died 19__, buried Prairie Plains Church of Christ ~~of Christ~~ Cemetery, Coffee County, married Luther W. BRASSFIELD, 1886/1958.

- (7) Carl, 9 Dec 1893/21 Aug 1960, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 12 Aug 1925, Velvia HOBBS, born 19 Oct 1908.
- (8) Bessie, 23 Jul 1896/23 Dec 1956, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 25 May 1913, Jim GIVENS, 25 Jan 1892/
3 Sep 1939. In 1920, they have Alma Jane, Beatrice, and Ralph.
- (9) Mary Etta, born Jan 1899, Burrows Cove, Grundy County, married 18 Sep 1917, Alton RANKIN.

Sarah Jane (COULSON) MYERS was married 4 Feb 1888, Coffee County, to James WINTON. A note with the marriage information: "They were married this week. The bride is a widow of 70 while the groom is 83." The groom may be the James WINTON, Sr. who died 16 Aug 1896. His will was made in 1883, when he was a widower, and had no provisions for a wife. His will was proven, Coffee County, 21 Sep 1896. In Coffee County Court Loose Papers #1714, undated, Sarah J. WINTON is making petition for a widow's share in her husband's estate.

- B. David, born about 1826, is living in Grundy County, 1850, next door to his uncle, James COULSON. Census records on this family:

1850, Grundy County

David COULSON, 23
Mary J., 23
John A. B., 2
Bartlett, 7 mos
E. A., (female) 7 mos
Sarah, 21

1860, Coffee County

David COULSON, 34
Lydia, 20
Mary, 7 mos
John, 12
James, 9
Nancy, 6

1870, Coffee County

David COULSON, 43
Lydia, 30
Bartley, 20
James, 19
Nancy, 15
Mary, 10
Sarah, 9

1870, Coffee County, in the family of John MARTIN: John A. COLSTON, 23, who probably is the oldest son of David and Mary J.

Sarah, 21 in 1850, is the daughter of Alexander and Abigail and sister of David and probably living in this household to help care for the 3 babies. Son, Bartlett, 7 months old in 1850, is living with his grandparents, Alexander and Abigail, in 1860, and is back with his father and step-mother in 1870.

From above census records, the children of David and Mary J. are: John A., Bartlett (Bartley), E. A., James and Nancy. Mary J. must have died after the birth of Nancy, c1854. David married Lydia CUNNINGHAM, 22 Jan 1859, Coffee County. From above census records, their daughters are Mary and Sarah. In Coffee County Loose Court Papers #387, 30 Dec 1914, in the estate settlement of Henry CUNNINGHAM, it is stated that the heirs of Lydey COULSON are Joseph and Henry COULSON and Mary A. and Sarah USELTON. In Coffee County, Sarah married Thomas USSELTON, 21 Dec 1881. No USLETON marriage is found for Mary A.

In Documents Section are two letters written in 1974 by Hence Henry COULSON of Hurst, Texas. He gives the name of his father as Marvin Joeph and Joeph's Marvin and his mother's name as Kathrine ULESTON. This probably is the marriage of his parents, in Coffee County, Tennessee: J. W. COULSTON - Catherine USELTON, 18 Dec 1889. Hence Henry said his grandfather was named David and that his father had a brother named David Henry. This seems to give us Joseph and Henry, sons of David and Lydia COULSON, who in 1914, are heirs of Lydey COULSON. The family moved from Alabama to Texas in 1907. Hence Henry had brothers, Dewey and Wade, and sisters, Allie, Olive, Callie, Exie, and Pearl.

- C. Loucetta Missouri was born in the month of September but the year is not certain. She is listed in 7 US census records and the birth year ranges from 1835 to 1840. When she died, in 1929, she was said to be 96 years old and so born on 1833. She was married about 1855 to Ladden Farrell TATE, son of Davidson and Dorcas (MYERS) TATE.

Children of Lousetta and Ladden Farrell:

- a. Drucilla, 16 Aug 1856/19 Aug 1948, buried Swiss Colony Cemetery, Grundy County, married 1st Adrain FULTS and 2nd Wesley PIRTLE. Adrain, born about 1850, died 6 Jun 1916, was son of Andrew and Nancy (HOBBS) FULTS. No record has been found of a marriage of Drucilla and Adrain. In the 1880 census, Adrain, 30, is living with his parents. Drucilla, 24, is with her parents and seems to have a daughter, Elizabeth, 1 year old. Children of Drucilla and Adrain:
- (1) Elizabeth, born 12 Jul 1879, married about 1897, Tobe WICHSER, 1 Jul 1873/2 May 1954, Swiss Colony Cemetery, son of Fred and Barbara WICHSER. They were divorced and "Bettie" married her cousin, Andrew FULTS, Jr. 1 July 1902. They lived in the Gruetli area and probably are buried the Swiss Colony Cemetery.
 - (2) Nancy Ann, 8 Mar 1882/10 Dec 1904, Swiss Colony Cemetery, married 27 Feb 1901, Herman Joseph WAGNER, 22 Feb 1875, Cleveland, Ohio/Spring 1934, Owls Eye, Alberta, Canada, son of John Gottlieb and Freida (RHINE) WAGNER. They had two children: Adrain Theodore, born 11 May 1903, Cleveland, Ohio, married 12 May 1931, Gertrude Ruth ROETENIK: and Carl Ernest, born 4 Jan 1902, Gruetli, TN, died Bedford, Ohio, 1966.
 - (3) Lousetta, 10 Jan 1887/23 Aug 1944, buried Gruetli, TN, married 3 Jan 1905, Arthur Andrew SHELTON, 10 Feb 1875, Viola, TN/13 Apr 1950, Gruetli, TN, son of Robert and Oregon (GUEST) SHELTON. Information on this family by Mabel (SHELTON) QUARLES:
 - (a) Mabel, born 5 Nov 1906, married 24 Dec 1926, Francis Melville QUARLES, born 19 Oct 1909, son of Charles A. and Nancy (CLOUSE) QUARLES. Their children: Virginia Jo, born 20 Feb 1928, married Robert L. WRIGHT, and Francis M. Jr., born 1 Jan 1930, married Maxine NEWCOMB.
 - (b) Howard, 4 Sep 1909/13 Oct 1944, WWII, buried Swiss Colony Cemetery, Gruetli, married Nellie DISHROON, 22 Jun 1932.
 - (c) Edward Earl, born 28 Aug 1917, married Ruby PYBURN.
 - (d) Mary Elizabeth, born 18 Jul 1920, married 18 Jul 1940, Louis C. SANDERS.
 - (e) Loucille, born 2 May 1924, married Carl W. MEEKS, 5 Aug 1950.
 - (f) Arthurene, 19 Jan 1929/1931, buried Gruetli.

- (4) Minnie E., 16 Oct 1890/1972, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 1st William H. SWEETON, 14 Jan 1906. They had children: Lila, Ernest and Walter. They were divorced and she married 2nd Charles W. SMITH, 1886/1946, Fall Creek Cemetery, son of William and Elizabeth (STITCH) SMITH.
- (5) Martha Jane ("Mattie"), 28 Apr 1893/21 Mar 1951, Swiss Colony Cemetery, married 10 May 1911, John Elder CAMPBELL, 12 Feb 1874/21 Jan 1958, Swiss Colony Cemetery, son of James J. and Annie (BURROWS) CAMPBELL. Their children: (a) Arthur Raymond, born 17 Feb 1912, Coalmont, married 29 Jun 1933, Hazel DISHROOM; (b) Annie Lucilla, born 16 Dec 1913, Hartsford, Ark., married 14 Jun 1929, Frank RANKIN; (c) Lamanda, born 1915, died in childhood; (d) Nellie Florance, born 24 Nov 1916, married 4 Feb 1934, Leonard SANDERS; (e) Alma Irene, born 22 Dec 1918, married 24 Sep 1938, Otis JOHNSON; (f) Winnie Ella, born 10 May 1921, married Reed CRABTREE. She died 13 Mar 1956; (g) Alvin Lawarce, born 17 May 1923, married 20 Dec 1947, Vida Alberdine GRIFFITH; (h) Malvin Clearance, twin of Alvin, died Jan 1924; (i) Zora Magalene, born 30 Apr 1926, married Vernon JOHNSON; (j) John Homer, born 2 Dec 1927, married Alice Mae NUSSBAUM; (k) Nancy Ann, died as infant.
- (6) John, born 5 Dec 1894, believed to have died in California.
- (7) Frances, 7 Oct 1897/24 Sep 1923, Swiss Colony Cemetery, married 3 Jul 1911, Claud PICKETT, 11 Jan 1892/13 May 1950, Swiss Colony Cemetery, son of Jessie and Martha PICKETT. Their children: Dorothy, 23 Dec 1922/2 Mar 1923, Clara, John, Artea Mai, and Claud William.
- (8) Florence, 2 Mar 1899/26 Nov 1980, Palmer City Cemetery, married Walter L. DAVIS, 13 Apr 1918. Walter, 1 Jun 1899/11 Jun 1949, is buried in Palmer City Cemetery. Children named in Florence's obituary: Mrs. Hubert HENRY, Mrs. David PHILLIPS, Elmer, Alfred, Franklin and R. E. DAVIS.

On 2 Oct 1928, Drucilla married T. Wesley PIRTLE, of Altamont. Both were in their seventies.

- b. Andrew Jackson, 14 Apr 1858/26 Dec 1928, married 11 Dec 1879, Jane E. GRIMES, 1 May 1859/7 Jan 1930, both buried Fall Creek Cemetery. Jane is believed to be the daughter of Henry and Elizabeth GRIMES, in Marion County, 1870. Marriage of Andrew Jackson and Jane was in Sequatchie County. Their children:
- (1) Frank, born Apr 1881, married 4 Sep 1906, Rosie HUNZIKER. She probably was Rosa, born Aug 1882, daughter of Swiss immigrant, Jacob and Elizabeth HUNZIKER. Frank and Rosie lived in California.
 - (2) John, born Mar 1883, married Goldie RANEY and lived in Chattanooga.
 - (3) Biddie, born Sep 1885, died 1953, married 24 Mar 1906, George SCHLAGETER, 1878/1946, son of Ignatz and Rosina (LAAGER) SCHLAGETER, of Gruetli. Biddie and George are buried Fall Creek Cemetery. Their children:
 - (a) George Edward, 17 Dec 1907/25 Oct 1966, married 28 Dec 1925, Sadie Elizabeth HARRIS. They had daughter who married Willie Carl SANDERS.
 - (b) Earl M., 12 Oct 1910/6 Jul 1922, buried Fall Creek Cemetery.
 - (c) Carl W., born about 1913, married 30 Jun 1934, Frances JOHNSON. Children: Carl David, Bonnie, Mary, Geary and Harold.
 - (d) Roy, born about 1916, was living in Mentor on the Lake, Ohio, in the 1980s.
 - (e) Bert, 1919/1969, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 22 Nov 1941, Marjie SHRUM, born 1922.
 - (f) Charles married Agnes GIVENS and had daughter, Charlotte, who married Gary HAYNES.
 - (g) Glenn married Marie JAMES and had George Jackson, David, Jimmy and Rosa.
 - (h) Anetta married 1st Horace C. CANNON, 21 Jun 1923/23 Jan 1950, Fall Creek Cemetery, and had Tresia. Anetta married 2nd Lloyd GRUBBS, and had Derrell. They lived in DeFalls Bluff, Arkansas.
 - (4) William A., 23 May 1887/29 Jul 1970, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 1st Annie McGEE and had Thelma and Cletta. He married 2nd Estelle DICK and had Trena Jane who married Mathew COFFEY and lived in Chattanooga.
 - (5) Lillie, 22 Aug 1890/10 Mar 1954, buried Fall Creek Cemetery, married 3 Jun 1922, Roy Hayse HOOTON, born 31 Mar 1890. They had one son, Roy Hayse, Jr., who lived in Michigan.

- (6) Leonard, born Apr 1893/believed to be buried in Arizona, married 24 Jun 1922, Elsie MARTIN, in Grundy County. They had two children: Grace who married Dock RAINES and had Sandra and Beth. They lived in Red Bank, Hamilton County, TN; Leonard Eugene who lived in Oregon.
- (7) Pearl born 12 Jun 1895, Laager, married William Victor HACKWORTH, 29 Aug 1890/21 Mar 1969, buried Fall Creek Cemetery. His parents may have been William and Mary J. HACKWORTH, in Sequatchie County, 1910. Pearl and Victor had two children: (a) Herschel who married Willie Sue GIPSON. Known children are Judy Ann married Stanley Howard FULTS, 1 Sep 1962, and Geraldine married Richmond CARTER, 18 Nov 1967. (b) Oran Hillard, 1929/1973, Fall Creek Cemetery. He married Vivalayd BRITTON and they had Rita Lynn and Oran Hillard.
- (8) Bert, 12 May 1896/6 Aug 1969, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 5 Apr 1928, Estelle HENLEY, born 30 July 1908 daughter of J. C. and Sallie (LONDON) HENLEY.
- (9) Burkett, born 12 May 1896, twin of Bert, died 1896, buried Fall Creek Cemetery.
- (10) Roy Lee, 20 Dec 1898/22 Jun 1975, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 9 Mar 1919, Alma Lee BRANNON, born 10 Dec 1901. Their children: (a) Rex married 29 Sep 1939, Grace Bell BURNETTE and had Roy Hayse, 31 Aug 1940/ 8 Sep 1959, Fall Creek Cemetery. Rex married 2nd Abbie SLATTON, 20 Oct 1966. (b) William A. J. married Frances SITZ and they had Dannie Lee and Jack. (c) Sammie married Janie GROOMS. June married J. W. SANDERS. Alma Lee died 1 Mar 1990.

(Much of the information on the families of Andrew Jackson Tate from the collection of Elva (STREET) TATE, widow of John Harron TATE, of Laager.)

- c. Rebecca, 13 Jul 1860/12 Jul 1898, married 4 Oct 1880, John C. LATHRUM, 4 May 1861/4 Aug 1902, son of John and Jane LATHRUM. Rebecca and John are buried Fall Creek Cemetery. Their children:
(a) Lou, 23 Mar 1885/2 Mar 1918, married 1st, 16 Aug 1905, Frank FLURRY, 22 Mar 1882/8 Jun 1909, buried Swiss Colony Cemetery, son of Henry and Elizabeth (VON RHOR) FLURRY. They had one child, Joseph, born 13 Jun 1908. Lou married 2nd, 4 Dec 1910, Benjamin F. HALL, 13 Feb 1881/29 May 1930, buried Tracy City Cemetery. (census of 1880 shows Benjamin as 1 year old, son of Thomas and Manerva HALL.) Benjamin and Lou had 3 children: Corine, 4 Aug 1913/7 Jun 1936, buried Tracy City Cemetery; John Douglas, born about 1915, was lost in France on D-Day, WWII; unnamed child died at birth. (b) Ceigal, 20 Apr 1894/31 Aug 1922, buried Tracy City Cemetery, married Benjamin Franklin HALL, widower of her sister, Lou. Benjamin F. and Ceigal were parents of Katherine Louise, born 17 Jul 1919, married 29 Jun 1941, Samuel Kenneth HENLEY, born 12 Sep 1914, son of James Campbell and Blanche (PAYNE) HENLEY. Katherine and Kenneth had sons: Samuel Kenneth, Jr., born 8 Oct 1946, Waycross, GA, married 19 Dec 1968, Barbara DANIEL, and had son, Ryan Fort, born 9 Feb 1972, Fargo, ND; James Douglas, born 16 Jun 1954, married 23 Jul 1977, Donna Marie McCRORY.

(Much of the information on the LATHRUM-HALL families from Mrs. Katherine (HALL) HENLEY, daughter of Benjamin F. and Ceigal (LATHRUM) HALL. Personal note: Katherine's mother died when she was 3 years old and her father when she was 9. She was reared by Mr. & Mrs. George FLYNN, of Tracy City.)

- d. Timothy (sometimes called Timothy T. or T. T.), 14 Jun 1862/5 Oct 1938, married c1884, Nancy Delaware ROSS, Sep 1865/17 Feb 1950, both buried Fall Creek Cemetery. Nancy was daughter of John Edward and Nancy (BROWN) ROSS, of Marion County, TN. Children of Timothy and Nancy:
- (1) Carrie Lee, born 14 Feb 1885, married Henry FINNEY, 28 July 1905, Grundy County. They lived Franklin County. Their children: Herbert C., 7 Jul 1906/23 Feb 1931, married Hermina NUSSBAUM, 1 Jun 1930, daughter of Richard and Rosa NUSSBAUM, of Gruetli. They had one child, Richard G., 14 Apr 1931/16 Apr 1931. Herbert died from injuries received from falling under a moving train. Herbert and son are buried Fall Creek Cemetery. Second child of Carrie and Henry was Ethel, born 1910, had daughter married Ray OVERBY, of Chattanooga. Third child was Lacey who burned to death in infancy. Carrie died May 1916.
 - (2) George Washington, 12 Oct 1887/8 Sep 1917, died as a result of injuries received in a coal mine accident in Dewar, Oklahoma. George married 8 Sep 1914, in Okmulgee County, Oklahoma, Dola (HARRIS) RUSSOM and had a son, Ernest, born 26 Jan 1916, Dewar, Oklahoma. Ernest married 1st Geneva JULIAN, in Nov 1940 and had: Geneva Darlene, born 13 Nov 1941, Seattle, Washington;

Carol Jane, born 28 Jul 1943 and Daryl Ernest, born 1945, Bremerton, Washington. Ernest married 2nd Virginia HENLEY and lives in Modesto, California.

- (3) Virginia ("Virgie"), born 18 Nov 1889, Grundy County, TN/died 23 Apr 1985, Ashville, NC. She married 21 Aug 1915, Joseph M. CROWNOVER. They lived in Cowan, Franklin County, TN, and had children: Cecil D., 23 May 1916/15 Jun 1963, buried Buncombe County, NC, married 1st Faye BROOKSHIRE, 2nd Lucinda BRYANT, and had two children: Robert Mark, 11 Nov 1944, and Sandra Elizabeth, 5 Feb 1946. Virgie's 2nd child was Joseph Ray, born 22 July 1918, married Eva PHARR, 29 Aug 1942, and had daughter Barbara Ann, born 7 Feb 1944. Joseph and family live in San Diego, CA. Virgie's 3rd child is Mary Margaret, born 22 May 1926, married Robert Fred WORLEY, 22 Sep 1946, and have three children: Robert Fred, Jr., born 19 Aug 1947, married Cecelia BROWN, 11 Aug 1973; Margaret Kay, born 3 Feb 1953; Joseph Ross, born 5 Mar 1958.
- (4) Ethel Bell, 10 Jul 1891, Laager, TN/20 Sep 1960, Bradley County, TN, buried in Hamilton Memorial Gardens, Chattanooga, TN. Ethel married 1st, 20 Apr 1914, Christian Peter SCHILD, son of John and Barbara (MARUGG) SCHILD. Ethel and Chris lived in the Swiss Colony, Gruetli, and had 2 children: Dola Virginia, born 5 Feb 1915, married 1st Louie D. BERRY, 24 Dec 1934, son of Henry and Myrtle (THOMAS) BERRY, of Tracy City, and 2nd Richard Robert TYLOR, son of Charles Henry and Helen Ruth (BLEZINGER) TYLOR, of Chicago, ILL. Second marriage was in Chinen, Okinawa, 18 Nov 1949. Ethel's second child was Roy Christian, born 2 Mar 1924, married Hideko KINJO, 19 Nov 1953, Naha, Okinawa.
- Christian Peter Schild, born 1 Aug 1887, died 22 Nov 1934, buried Swiss Colony Cemetery, Gruetli. Ethel and Chris Stampfli died as a result of a car accident near Cleveland, Tennessee, 20 Sep 1960.
- (5) Grover Cleveland, born 19 Feb 1893, married Margie NUNLEY, 3 Aug 1927, and lived in Collins, Grundy County. He saw military service in WWI and died 13 Aug 1981.
- (6) Minnie, 9 Mar 1895/6 Feb 1990, buried Condra Cemetery, Marion County, married 26 Jan 1916, Brents B. LAYNE, 1 Jul 1892/20 Oct 1975, son of Madison and Sallie (HICKS) LAYNE, of Sequatchie County. Their children: Odessa Marie, 11 Dec 1916/10 Jun 1977, married Leonard BARWICK, 24 Apr 1962; Thelma Cressa, 25 Dec 1918/15 Oct 1991, married Herschel DAWSON, 5 Oct 1943. Their children: Ronald H., born 27 Mar 1948, and Clara Dorene who died at birth. Minnie's 3rd child was Brents Burton, Jr., 26 Sep 1920/12 May 1992, married Martha Kate MOSELEY, 5 Jun 1946 and had Nancy and Lynn. They live Tuscon, AZ. Minnie's 4th child was Charles Edward, born 28 Sep 1929 and died next day.

- (7) Harley, Jun 1897/24 Feb 1940, buried Fall Creek, married 20 May 1922, Bessie BRADY, who died 21 Aug 1981. Their children: Laverne, married 1st Gilbert BIRDWELL, 4 Jun 1940, and 2nd _____ ABLES, and lives in Chattanooga. Dola Clariene, born 6 Jul 1929, married 1st Charles E. SWEETON, 21 Jul 1946, and had son, Charles Leonard, born 7 Jul 1947, who married Kathy BRADEN. Dola married 2nd Roy Dale SCISSOM and had Alex Nicholas, 18 Dec 1950; Ronald Dale, 31 Mar 1954; Rickey Dewayne, 24 Sep 1956; Sandra Gale, 26 Jul 1958; Patricia Marie, 18 Mar 1962. Harley and Bessie's 3rd child was Harley C.
- (8) Lousetta Greetely, 3 Dec 1899/19 Nov 1982, married 1st 13 Jun 1918, Ralph FARMER, of Sequatchie Valley, and had daughter, Margaret, born 29 Dec 1920, Edwardsville, IL. Margaret married 29 Mar 1942, Foster LUTTRELL, in Rossville, GA. They have 2 sons. Greetely married 2nd 19 Sep 1931, Laney MEDLEY, who died 26 Nov 1976, in Chattanooga.
- (9) John Harron, 25 Sep 1902/26 Sep 1978, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 1 Feb 1925, Elva Arlene STREET, daughter of Berry and Ella Nancy (CROWELL) STREET. Elva was born 16 Jul 1907 and died 22 Oct 1985. Their children: (a) Johnny Vernon, 15 Aug 1927/20 Dec 1982, married Marjie Ethel KING and had Angela, Andrea, Ashley and Anthony. (b) Nancy Jo, born 27 Sep 1930, married 1st James Mitchell MEEKS, 15 Apr 1948, and, after his death, she married 2nd Billy Avner STEWART. They live in Tampa, Florida, and have sons Billy and Timothy. (c) Madge Arlene, born 4 Jul 1933, married Neal Richard JAMES, 24 Jul 1953, Rossville, GA, and have children, Lisa Arlene and Neal Lebron. (d) James Wayne, 11 Aug 1935/26 Apr 1989, buried Palmer City Cemetery, married 9 Jan 1960, Laura B. LANE, and has children James Mitchell and Shasta Leigh. (e) Mary Elizabeth, born 4 Oct 1937, married Charles Bailey BROOKS, 2 Apr 1960. They lived Hazel Crest, IL but now are retired to Coalmont, TN. (f) Billy Ray, born 21 Apr 1940, married 3 Jun 1959, Lucille Margaret WOLFE and has children, Tracey Ann and Bryan Ray.
- (10) Raymond, born 3 Nov 1904, married Edith BRYANT, 14 Feb 1926 and had children: Glenda Jean, Hazel Belle married Lincoln SMITH, 5 Aug 1950, Brents Burton, and Helen. Raymond died Nov 1962.
- e. Catherine E., 20 Nov 1865/15 Dec 1924, married 14 Jun 1900, Eahart FLURY, 31 Mar 1869/5 Jan 1956, son of Henry and Elisa FLURY, Swiss immigrants to Gruetli, 1870. Catherine and Eahart are buried in Chattanooga Valley Cemetery, Rossville, GA. Their children: Ernest, 25 Nov 1901/6 Mar 1974; Emma Cathrina, 19 Jan 1903/27 Oct 1905, buried Fall Creek Cemetery; Clyde, 14 Jun 1904/15 Dec 1975; Fritz, 20 Jun 1907/1976.

- f. Lou Tella, 17 May 1867/4 Jul 1936, buried Coalmont Cemetery, married 1st, 15 Nov 1893, George William GOLSTON, 17 Jun 1866/17 Jan 1894, buried Fall Creek Cemetery. They had one child, George Ladden, 11 Aug 1894/5 Jul 1966, buried Coalmont Cemetery, married 15 Dec 1915, Tampico NUNLEY, born 18 Oct 1889, daughter of Jeff and Sallie (HASKINS) NUNLEY. Children of George Ladden and Tampico: (a) Katherine Lou Tellie, 1 Nov 1916/Mar 1918. (b) Frankie Edwene, born 8 Dec 1918, Coalmont, married 4 Jul 1940, Carl David BURNETT, 6 Jun 1917/6 Dec 1983, buried Coalmont Cemetery. Their children: Bonita Carol, born 22 Nov 1942, married Oscar H. HART; Joan, born 7 May 1944, married Alvin Wade McBEE; George David, born 14 Jul 1946. (c) George Edward, born 6 Oct 1921, died Nov 1940, buried Coalmont Cemetery. (d) Isaac William, born 3 Jul 1923, married Aileen McDANIEL.

Lou Tella married 2nd, 19 Apr 1908, John S. SWEETON, whose 1st wife, Manervie (GIPSON) had died two months earlier, leaving a family of children to be cared for.

- g. Malissa Bell, 14 Oct 1869/26 Aug 1948, buried Fall Creek Cemetery, married David Detroit DYKES, 5 Dec 1870/8 Jul 1955, buried Fall Creek Cemetery, son of Calvin Calhoon and Ellen(der) COLSTON DYKES. Marriage was 6 Nov 1892, Grundy County. (Loucetta COLSTON TATE, mother of Malissa Bell was a sister of Ellender COLSTON DYKES, mother of David Detroit .) Children of David and Malissa:
- (1) Clark Avner, 30 Jul 1894, Prior Ridge, Marion County/11 Jul 1979, McMinnville, buried Fall Creek Cemetery, married 1st Celia CRABTREE, 1897/1936, daughter of William and Martha CRABTREE. Clark married 2nd Ethel PARMLEY, on 26 Nov 1944, daughter of Giles and Ann (FLYNN) PARMLEY. Clark was wounded in WWI. His children from his obituary: David I., Lucille TROTEAU, Juanita HAMMELFF, Virginia STRAFICI.
 - (2) Olive Mary, 10 Dec 1896/21 Jul 1978, buried Fall Creek Cemetery, married 21 Feb 1924, Alton E. RANKIN, 10 Jan 1896/22 Oct 1974, Fall Creek Cemetery, son of Porter RANKIN.
 - (3) Coleman Herbert, 2 Nov 1898, Laager/29 Dec 1965, Knoxville, married 21 Feb 1924 Virginia Elizabeth SNEED, 14 Aug 1901/15 May 1986, daughter of Albert Chalmers and Mary Elizabeth (GLIDEWELL) SNEED. Coleman and Virginia are buried Fall Creek Cemetery, Laager. Their children:
 - (a) Hazel Ochee, born 25 Jul 1925, Knoxville, married Gilford OGLESVIE and had daughter, Claire 3 Oct 1944. Hazel and Gilford were divorced in 1945. In 1948, Hazel married Jack STROUD and they had Diana, 12 Feb 1950, and Jack, Jr., 18 Feb 1952, died 1970, age 18.
 - (b) Elizabeth Louzetta, born 19 Feb 1927, Knoxville, married Carl David HARGIS, and they had Carl Coleman, 13 May 1941, and Elizabeth Bell, 19 Mar 1945.

- (c) Colene, born 7 Mar 1931, married 1st David RUSSELL, and they had son, David. Colene married 2nd Charles McKNIGHT, and they had daughter, Inez.
 - (d) Virginia Malissa, born 9 Nov 1932, Tracy City, married Robert Neil O'BRIEN, born 6 Mar 1933, Brattleboro, Vermont, son of Francis Joseph and Margaret Agnes HOBAN O'BRIEN. Marriage was in Knoxville, 24 Jul 1957. Their children:
 - (a) Margaret Ann, born 29 May 1960, married Stephen Thomas DOLAN, 22 Sep 1984, and they have Stephen Thomas, Jr., and Sarah Virginia.
 - (b) Mary Alice, born 23 Feb 1962, married 8 Aug 1987, Daniel William CUOZZO, and they have Benjamin Michael and Claire Louise.
 - (c) Robert Neil, Jr., born 27 Feb 1965, married Lisa LAFEVER, 1992, and divorced 1997.
 - (d) Joseph Kevin, born 16 Feb 1969, Memphis.
- (4) Beatrice, 13 Jan 1901, Tracy City/20 Dec 1994, Knoxville, married 11 May 1933, Tony Hobson EARL, in Harriman, GA.
 - (5) Oscar Gilbert, 20 Mar 1903/22 Jul 1973, married 1st Ruth COLDWELL, and 2nd Hermina NUSSBAUM FINNEY. Oscar died in McMinnville and was buried in Cleveland, Bradley County.
 - (6) Hazel Lousetta, 3 May 1906/29 Oct 1908, buried Fall Creek Cemetery.
 - (7) Claude Bartley, 23 Dec 1909, Laager/21 Nov 19__, Memphis, was a LTC in WWII and wounded in service. He married 1st Willie GREGG, a registered nurse who served in the Pacific in WWII and died in 1955. Claude married 2nd Hermina NUSSBAUM FINNEY, daughter of Rosina and Richard NUSSBAUM and widow of Herbert FINNEY.
- h. Amanda, Dec 1872/1946, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 6 Mar 1898, Henry Bascom OVERTURF, Mar 1874/_____, son of Henry and Nancy OVERTURF. Their children from census records: (1) Clarence, 7 Mar 1900/23 Jun 1974, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 22 Oct 1922, Bertha WILLIAMS, born 15 Jul 1898, probably daughter of William and Cora WILLIAMS, of Alabama. (2) Hilda, 1903/1928, married 30 May 1925, Mitchell WHITE. (3) Herbert, born c1906, married 13 Apr 1924, Etta BOULDIN, daughter of William and Myra BOULDIN. (4) Edith, born c1908, married William LYNCH, 3 Feb 1927. (5) Gladys, born c1914, married 12 Dec 1931, Buford SISSOM.
 - i. Baby died 6 Jan 1872, buried Fall Creek Cemetery.
 - j. Laura, 22 Sep 1874/31 Aug 1903, married 7 Jun 1892, John KNIES, 1868/1940. Both are buried in Winchester City Cemetery. Data on their children from Charles Alfred KNIES: Lena, born 21 Apr 1893, married _____ GALLAGHER; Arthur, born 21 Jun 1895; Loretto, 11 Jun 1898/25 Sep 1962, Mt. Carmel Cemetery, Franklin County, married _____ TAYLOR; John Marks, born 8 Apr 1901.

- k. Dock Alexander, Mar 1878/1948, buried Fall Creek Cemetery, married Beulah PEARSON, about 1905, probably in Hamilton County, TN. Their children:
- (1) Melvin D., born 31 Oct 1906, died 1971, buried Fall Creek, married Elsie HARRIS, 23 Feb 1927, Grundy County. Known children: Robert, Sally and Margaret.
 - (2) Lorene, born 1 Jan 1909, Laager, married Francis Marion DAVIS, 14 Apr 1928. Their son, Thayer Hoyt, born 16 Mar 1934, married Katherine WELLS, and had John Hoyt and Mary Katherine.
 - (3) Ethel L., born 5 Dec 1910, Laager, died 12 May 1980, Maryville, TN, married Robert BEATY, of Overton County, TN. Their children: (a) Billie Ozell, born 26 Jan 1935, South Pittsburgh, TN, married Lawrence Edward EDMONDSON, 23 Feb 1957, and had Scott Edward. (b) Bobby Allen, born 2 Jan 1939, South Pittsburgh, married 21 Feb 1970, Shirley Delores BLAIN, and had Mike, Mark, Bobby, Jr., and Benjamin. (c) Beulah Anne, born 15 Apr 1941, married 27 Mar 1962, Carroll STRANGE and had Steve, Mark and SueAnne. (d) Brian Alexander, born 11 Dec 1945, Maryville, TN, married 21 Apr 1979, Sandra Gail TITLOW.
 - (4) Everett, born 11 Aig 1915, Laager, married Gladys ROSS, 31 Dec 1938, Grundy County, and had daughter, Emma Jean.
 - (5) Francis, born 3 Mar 1920, Laager, married Alberta RAULSTON, 27 Jun 1941, Marion County, TN, and had daughter Mary Frances.
 - (6) Jewel Angus, born 28 Jan 1923, Palmer, married Connie ROBERTS, and had son, Jerry Kenneth.
 - (7) Joyce Allen, twin of Jewel, born 28 Jan 1923, married Bernice MULLINEX, 27 May 1949.

- D. Nancy, who is 17 years old in the 1850, Marion County census, so maybe born c1833, married in Coffee County, 17 Nov. 1860, Elisha A. BANKS, son of David and Matilda BANKS. In the 1860 Coffee County census, Nancy is 24 years old and a domestic in the family of Langston CUNNINGHAM. In 1870 and 1880 censuses, Elisha and Nancy have a daughter, Mary M., born c1863. In Mt. Carmel Methodist Church Notes, Coffee County, TN, Historical Society Quarterly Vol. XV: Mary M. E. BANKS, died Oct 1883 and Elisha BANKS died 1901.
- E. Mary, who is shown as 15 years old in 1850, so born c1835. Buried in Bethel Cemetery, Burroughs Cove: Mary FULTS, 19 Jun 1838/29 Mar 1919. In "Death Records of Grundy County" by Sherrill: Mary FULTS, 82, widow, died 28 Mar 1919, born Grundy County, father (blank), mother: Miss Golston. Buried Bethel Cemetery, information by John WINTON, Pelham. Married Commodore FULTS, 11 Dec 1856, Grundy County. In 1850, Commodore is living with his widowed mother, Sarah, and brother, James. He is not shown in any census record after 1860 but it believed to be the father of all of Mary's children: James M., born c1858; Pleasant, born c1859; George, born c1862; Linda, born c1864; Sallie, born c1866; Jeff W., born c1874. Pleasant married Elizabeth H. WINTON, 29 Jan 1896 and they had Marvin L. (female), born Dec 1896, and Horace, born May 1900. Pleasant L., 8 May 1859/11 Mar 1902, is buried Old Baptist Schoolhouse Graveyard, Pelham. Horace married Hassie CLAY, 9 Apr 1927, and they had a son, Clay FULTS.
- F. Thomas H. Benton, youngest son of Alexander, says in the 1900 census of Grayson County, Texas, that he was born Apr 1840. Death date is unknown and he is buried in an unmarked grave outside of Lawton, Oklahoma. He married in Coffee County, Tennessee, Mary E. GRAHAM, 9 Aug 1861, daughter of James R. and Martha (GLASS) GRAHAM. Their children may have been: (a) William, born c1864, Coffee County, TN. (b) Elizabeth (Bettie) born c1866, Coffee County, TN. (c) James, born Apr 1868, in Grayson County, Texas, 1900, with wife Abbie, and children: Geneva, Era, Reba, Clio, and Clarence. (d) Joseph Richard, born c1876. (e) Amanda, born c1873. Possibly two children named Martha and Charlie. Two researchers on this family are Joe HILL, of Harrah, OK, and Janell McCANN, of Ft. Worth, TX.

- G. Elender, sometimes called Ellen, 8 Sep 1844/2 Feb 1928, buried Fall Creek Cemetery, married 13 Oct 1861, Calvin Calhoun DYKES, 24 Aug 1842/16 Sep 1929, son of Sanders and Jane (LOCKHART) DYKES. Census records:

<u>1870, Grundy Co.</u>	<u>1880, Marion Co.</u>	<u>1900, Marion Co.</u>
Calvin E., 27	Calvin, 45	Calvin D., Aug 1842, 57
Eleander, 25	Elen, 45	Ellen, Sep 1843, 56
Jennie, 8	Virginia, 14	13 children/10 living
Abigail, 5	Alia?, 12	Sanders, Jun 1875, 24
Sarah, 4	Sarah, 10	John D., Feb 1883, 17
Gilbert, 1	Gilbert, 8	Myrtle V., Mar 1887, 13
	David, 6	Clell M., Mar 1889, 11
	Alich, 4	
	Land, 2	
	Annie, 2 mos.	

In 1900, Elender said she had 13 children and they are believed to be as follows:

- a. Jennie, 26 Jul 1862/15 May 1885, buried Orange Hill Cemetery as Jeney COLDWELL, daughter of C. H. & E. L. DYKES. She may have left these children which are living with their grandparents, Calvin and Ellen DYKES, 1900, Marion County: (1) James William CALDWELL, born Apr 1882; (2) Rosie B. CALDWELL, born Dec 1884.
- b. Abigail married a SANDERS in the early 1880s. In 1900, she is a widow, born Apr 1864, living next door to her parents. Her children: (1) Calvin D., born May 1883; Louis H., born May 1886; (3) Isiah, born Nov 1887; (4) Angeline, born Mar 1889; (5) Emaline, born Jun 1891; (6) Kevin L., born Mar 1894; (7) Walter W., born Mar 1896. In Orange Hill Cemetery: Abby Gail SANDERS, 27 Apr 1864/8 Aug 1900.
- c. Sarah A., 1866/1949, Fall Creek Cemetery, married 1st a COLDWELL and 2nd, on 8 Aug 1897, Jack LAYNE. In the 1900 census: Jack born Feb 1854; Sallie, born Mar 1868; Jackson McK., born Feb 1897; Virgie, born Dec 1899; Calvin B. CALDWELL, born May 1887; Nellie B. CALDWELL, born May 1891; Leo H. CALDWELL, born Feb. 1892. In Fall Creek Cemetery, Jackson C. LAYNE, 1852/1938.
- d. Gilbert Preston (per DYKES family researcher, Kirby G. GREEN, of Jacksonville, FL) was born Sep 1868, married Julia Elizabeth SCOTT, daughter of Richard and Mary Ann (SCHOCKLY) SCOTT, of Warren County, TN. Julia was born 9 July 1863, Warren County, died 27 July 1926, Jacksonville, FL, buried Phillippes Cemetery.

(In the 1880 thru 1910 censuses, this Dykes family lived in that part of Tracy City that was enumerated in Marion County.)

Children of Gilbert Preston and Julia:

- (1) Pascal Preston, 27 Aug 1887, Tracy City/1970, Starke, FL, married 1st Minnie WHITE, of Warrior, AL, daughter of John Howard and Lugnia (HAYES) WHITE. Pascal and Minnie had daughter, Parris Pauline, born 22 Apr 1912, Warrior, AL, married 20 May 1928, Kirby Benjamin GREEN, 7 Nov 1900, Rideout, FL/ 28 Feb 1981, Jacksonville, FL, son of John Elishua and Sarah Merniva (OWENS) GREEN. Kirby and Parris Pauline had children:

Kirby Benjamin, Jr., born 24 Sep 1929, Jacksonville, FL, married 12 Feb 1949, Christine Jewel BURNEY.

John Preston, born 26 Aug 1931, Jacksonville, FL, married Nov 1965, Eva Sandra MORRISON.

Pascal Preston married 2nd, Leattie CLIFFORD, born 3 Mar 1907, died 8 Jan 1968, buried Starke, FL.

- (2) Ellan E., born Feb 1891, Tracy City.
- (3) Pearlle Vilova, Sep 1894, Tracy City/11 Sep 1963, buried Orange Grove Cemetery, Grundy County, TN, married 25 Aug 1912, William Lee KIRK, 15 Jun 1889/ 9 Mar 1937, buried Orange Hill Cemetery, son of John William and Alanza (MONTGOMERY) KIRK. Children of Willie Lee and Pearlle:
 - Jennie Louise, born and died 14 Jun 1913, buried Orange Hill Cemetery.
 - Vilda Colleen, born 5 Jan 1915, married 2 Dec 1933, Robert Edward Lee CARRICK, born 6 Mar 1911, Tracy City, died 29 Oct 1995, Jacksonville, FL, buried Orange Hill Cemetery, Grundy County, TN, son of John William and Sallie (LOCKHART) CARRICK. Their children: Annie Rose, born 29 Sep 1934; Raymond Mitchel, 23 Jun 1936/23 Apr 1975, buried Orange Hill Cemetery; Sylva Marie, 18 Apr 1938/11 Nov 1992, buried Orange Hill Cemetery; Betty Joe, born 29 Jul 1942; James Christopher, born 21 Jun 1953, Jacksonville, FL.
 - Julia Alzana, born 18 Mar 1919, Tracy City, married Dolph HARGIS.
- (4) David Leslie, 7 Jul 1897/28 May 1970, buried Jacksonville Memorial Gardens, FL, married Minnie Lee CABBELL and they had these children born Tracy City: June E., Dorothy, Elsie, Auline, Janice Ruth, and David.
- (5) Nancy Parris, 12 Nov 1900, Tracy City/1 Jan 1975, Jacksonville, FL, married Raymond Alfred PARKIN.

- (6) Virginia Abigail (Jennie), 12 Nov 1902, Tracy City/
9 Feb 1978, Jacksonville, FL, buried Clay Memorial
Gardens, married 17 Dec 1921, Stanley James BERRY,
14 Feb 1898, Tracy City/9 Feb 1975, Jacksonville, FL,
buried Jacksonville Memorial Gardens, son of Thomas G.
and Bessie (PATTON) BERRY. Their children: Oma Lee,
born 13 Jul 1923, Tracy City, married Arthur Thomas
McARDLEE, Jr., 17 Jun 1944; Stanley James, Jr., born
25 Aug 1926, Tracy City, married Fern Irene MAURER;
Richard Travis, born 14 Jun 1944, Jacksonville.

Gilbert Preston and Julia had two sons, Benton and Gilbert,
stillborn.

- e. David Detroit, 5 Dec 1870/8 Jul 1955, married Malissa Bell
TATE, daughter of Ladden Farrell and Lousetta (COLSTON) TATE.
This family is found under C. Lousetta Missouri, g, Malissa
Bell.
- f. Alex E., born Jan 1874, is in Marion County censuses, 1900
and 1910, with wife, Sarah Callie and children, Charles W.,
Andrew and Clinton. On 26 Sep 1925, Clinton married Nancy
O'NEAL, daughter of Bayne and Nellie (SCRUGGS) O'NEAL and
they had sons, Carl and Stanley. On 1 Dec 1939, Calvin
DYKES married Nancy (O'NEAL) DYKES and they had Marie,
Eula Mae and Grady. Calvin was son of Alex and Sarah
Callie, born c1911.
- g. Land or Lawrence, born 1876-1878, is living near his
parents in 1900 Marion County, with wife, Amanda, and
children, Prudia and William F.
- h. Annie, born May 1880, in the 1880 census, must be the
Nancey, dau of C. H. and E. B. DYKES, 11 Jan 1880/
21 Aug 1892, Orange Hill Cemetery.
- i. Sanders, born Jun 1875, married Lucy FREDERICK, 31 Aug 1900,
Grundy County. In 1920, Sanders is 45, Lucy, 44, and
children are Edward, Lydia, and Richard. Lucy's mother,
Rebecca FREDERICKS, 85, is living with them.
- j. John D., 2 Feb 1883/18 Feb 1937, married 8 Aug 1918, Fanny
SLATTON, 13 Oct 1893/22 Feb 1971. Both buried Orange Hill
Cemetery.
- k. Myrtle was 2nd wife of John LANE, married 1 Jun 1902.
In 1910, children are Bartly, Edward, Charlie, and Lee.
Edward married Beulah SHRUM, 2 Oct 1936, and they were
parents of Renice (LAYNE) CURTIS. In Orange Hill Ceme-
tery: Myrtle D. LAYNE, 27 Mar 1887/17 Nov 1973;
John D. LAYNE, 13 Aug 1877/2 Jun 1935.
- l. Clell Miller, Mar 1889/7 Apr 1979, buried Orange Hill,
married 29 Sep 1912, Frances SHADRICK. Clell's obituary
gave survivors as sons, Earl and Arnold, and daughters,
Mae Ellen DYKES and Oma Lee JOHNSON.
- m. Coalmon, 20 Mar 1885/18 Aug 1892, buried Orange Hill.