

VERNON L. CLARK
19 EAST WILLETTA
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

September 6 1942.

Mrs. Horace G. Miles.
Danville, Ind.

My dear cousin:--

Some days ago I received your statement of the William Clark family and also that made by Mrs. Esther Clark Buchanan and I have checked them over with the former data that you had furnished.

I found that I had practically all of this except a few items and these have been incorporated into the record as I have it.

However there is lacking the information regarding four of the children of Charles W. Clark as you will note from the enclosed sheet: will it be possible to get the data as to these four children: if you do not have it but can give me the name and address of some one who I will write them direct.

I have written several of these cousins of the Charles Clark family but Mrs. Fannie Schamahorn, Pittsboro, Ind. Mrs. Fanny Pringle, Tulsa, Okla and Mrs. Ora May Studebaker of Telluride, Colo, have not replied. Several of the others have been very good about answering and giving their data.

Affectionately,

Cousin Vernon.

Edmund Clark was the son of Charles and Elizabeth (Ragland) Clark. He was born in Clark County, Ky. August 25th 1813. He came to Indiana as a young man, made his home in Danville, Indiana. He was treasurer of Handricks County two terms and was sheriff for one term. He had a wooden log. He married Cathrine Hamilton December 22, 1836. They had a daughter, Mary W. Clark who was born in Danville, October 27, 1837.

Mary W. Clark married William Irons, September 9, 1856

Children:-

Katherine born in Danville July 16, 1859
died August 39, 1930
Edmund C. born June 22 1863 died Oct. 1. 1867
Ellen, born July 24th 1867, died
Carolyn, born, February 25, 1872, died
Fanny, born February 6, 1874 died
Thomas R. born June 8, 1878, died

Mary Clark Irons was born in a log cabin just north of what is now the Danville Hotel. When she married William Irons, he was a student at Butler college, Indianapolis. He left school to join the Union forces in the Civil War, and when it ended he and Mrs. Irons moved to Cartersburg where he farmed and established a general store.

Mr. Irons died in 1905 and in 1920, Mrs. Irons and her daughter, Miss Katherine, who had been her lifetime companion, moved to Danville.

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July 21st 1935

Mrs. Ellen Iron Miles.
Lawville, Ind.

My dear cousin:-

The data that you sent me of the Charles Clark has been received and owing to the hot weather I have not been very industrious in getting started on copying it for our family record: you see you have a few days of hot weather and then it rains or you have a storm and the hot weather is over for a while but with us it usually gets hot in the latter part of May or first of June and does not generally get cool again until about the first of September and as I do this work in the evening you must not expect very rapid progress but I will keep pecking away.

In making up the list of the Children of Charles and Elizabeth (Ragland) Clark I find that the list given does not show the fifth child as you will note by the enclosed first sheet and I am wondering if you can give the data for this child.

I note that your family have the record that James Clark was married to Alice Arbuckle but I feel very sure that that is not correct: a cousin of mine Mrs. Lyle Banks of Winchester Ky. has the original James Clark bible and that shows that he married Alice Lockhart. I hope sometime to get a copy of the marriage license from the Virginia records so that we will be sure.

Hoping to hear from you at your convenience I am,

Very sincerely,

Vernon Clark

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September 9th 1935

Mrs Allen Iron Miles.
Danville, Ind.

My dear cousin:-
I have finally finished copying the Charles Clark record which you sent me and I am returning it to you under separate cover together with one carbon copy of the record as I have arranged it for the record book and you will note that I have allowed for the addition of other leaves as further data is accumulated.

I keep all of my records in loose leaf using the three ring binder so that additional leaves can be inserted at any point.

In this record you will note many blanks left for dates and I am just wondering how many of these we are going to get filled: I presume that you can get many of them but I will undertake to follow up any of those where I have the address of the proper party to whom I should apply: in any event I like to include the present address when possible and when you examine the record as I have prepared it I will appreciate as many addresses as you can give me.

Mrs. Graves informs me that she is now in touch with some of the descendants of James Clark- the second child of Charles Clark and we are hoping that we will get the complete record of this family: you will recall that in your record there was a copy of a letter from this James Clark dated at Carter, Grayson county Ky. and it appears that letter was all that you knew of the family.

In your record it is stated that Edmund Clark was treasurer of Henricks county for two terms and was Sheriff for one term: it has occurred to me that it would be interesting to have the dates of these terms of service and also an account of how he lost one leg.

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September 9th 1935

Mrs. E. I. M. #2.

In the information that I have from Clark county you will note that Edmund Ragland built the first large house in the vicinity of Schollsville and I have been at that home many times when I was a boy as the two men mentioned John and Matt Gardner where boyhood friends of mine: I will ask my nephew who lives in Winchester to make a snap shot of this old house which I understand is still standing.

Hoping to hear further from you I am,

Your cousin,

Vernon L. Clark

VERNON L. CLARK
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PHOENIX, ARIZONA

December 17 1935

Mrs Ellen Irons Miles
Denville Ind

My dear cousin:-

Upon receipt of yours of the 1st. I wrote to both Mrs Esther Collins and Mrs Morton Lockhart as you suggested asking them what they knew about the Lockhart family.

The only information that I have regarding the Lockhart part of our family is that our ancestor James Clark married Alice Lockhart in Virginia- I believe in Augusta county and I have the idea that unless we accidentally come in contact with some of the Lockhart descendants that we will never get very far unless we send one to that county in Virginia and get the search started there however it is always well to inquire of the Lockharts we come across hoping that we may find a connection: the "Uncle Tommy" that you tell about may have been of the family in which we are interested.

I want to thank you for the tax receipt signed by Edmund Clark and I have placed it with his photo with a note telling about it and think it a very fine memento.

It would be well to get in touch with the Dr. Edmund Clark of whom your clipping tells: the name of "EDMUND" makes it appear that he might be connected with your part of the family- however I very much doubt his being one of our family as most all the CLARK descendants of James Clark are now accounted for since we got in touch with the Charles Clark descendants.

Hoping to hear from whenever convenient to write and wishing you a Happy Christmas I am,

Yours sincerely,

Vernon L. Clark

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July 26 1942.

Mrs. Ellen H. Miles
Danville, Ind.

My dear cousin: I have your recent letter with several interesting enclosures - one or two of these you had previously sent me: I have made copies of the others and will return them herewith.

Did you intend that I should keep for my record the news item of Kathrine A. Irons - if you wish this returned please advise and I will copy it and send it back to you: I am returning the clipping regarding your mother as I already had a copy of it.

As mentioned in a former letter I do not have the family record of Polly Clark the third daughter and sixth child of Charles and Elizabeth (Bagland) Clark: I notice in the Clark family record that you have written in the name of FLEMING DICKERSON -- did she marry him and if so can we get their family record.

At one time you sent me quite a little data on a DICKERSON family but I could not figure just where it came in on our Clark record.

I do not appear to have a record of the family of Nancy Clark who was born February 25 1821 - she was the fourth daughter and eighth child.

In my letter of June 7 I asked about Charles the tenth child and I note in your recent statement that he was killed by lightning - do you know at what age and did this happen in Kentucky or after the family moved to Ind.?

Mrs. Jessie Duncan seems quite interested and I have just written her and sent her the record of the Joseph Clark family as I have it and she will no doubt give me the additional data: she said that the youngest child of Joseph Clark but her name does not appear in the records that I have but she will put me right in her reply.

You did not mention anything about the re-union of the Clark-Hamilton descendants: I would surely like to have attended that meeting.

(Over)

I do not know how old Charles Black (the
one who was killed by lightning) was; but
he was a young man.

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June 5th 1935

Mrs. Horace G. Miles.

Danville, Indiana.

My dear "cousin":

Having now addressed you as "cousin" I presume that it will now be up to me to show "how come": I have learned thru Mrs. George K. Graves of Lexington, Ky. that you are a descendant of Charles Clark who was the fourth child of James and Alice (Lockhart) Clark- Mrs. Graves is a descendant of Joseph the oldest child of this couple while I am a descendant of William, their youngest child.

For some years I have been accumulating data on family history and from what I can learn James Clark was born in Antrim county Ireland on March 1st. 1753: he emigrated to Virginia where here married Alice Lockhart September 4th 1775: in 1792 they moved to Kentucky and settled on a farm of 400 acres in the eastern part of Clark county their residence being near what is now Hedges station on the C & O R.R.

Herewith I will enclose a sheet showing that James and Alice Clark had nine children, your ancestor Charles being the fourth child. I have so far been unable to find any of the descendants of Charles Clark except Mrs. H.G. Spangler of Lizton, Ind. until Mrs Graves wrote me saying that you was a member of that family.

I had a friend who was living in Indianapolis go out and call on Mrs. Spangler and he sent me the memo that she gave him regarding her line from Charles Clark and I will enclose a copy of what Mrs Spangler gave him: in her memo. she showed that James Clark married Alice Arbuckle but I feel sure that this is an error as a first cousin of mine in Winchester Ky has the old James Clark bible and that shows that he married ALICE LOCKHART and as to this I would like very much to know more.

VERNON L. CLARK
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What your information is regarding the marriage of our ancestor, James Clark.

I hope that you will give me all the information you can as to the Charles Clark family and I will be greatly pleased to include it in the family record that I am accumulating: I very much regret that I got started on this work so late in life as it is very interesting and I hope that the foundation that I have laid will be built upon by some one of the coming generation so that those who come after us will know more of their ancestry than it was my privilege to know in early life.

Whatever I am able to get together I am arranging to have transferred to my nephew Dr. Garland H. Clark of Winchester Ky, doing this with the hope that he will carry on the work: then too as Clark county was the home of our ancestors it appears only appropriate that the family records should be kept in that county.

I hope that you will let me hear from you at an early date and I hope that we can work out a complete list of the Charles Clark descendants.

Yours truly,



Jessie Mina, April 12th 1874
and
Lizzie Clark, Brown, Nov 25th 1848

Deaths
Charlie A. J. Clark - died
Nov 18 1873.

Emily O. J. Feb 14 1874
Fannie S. Feb 4th 1886
Detus Anna, Feb 27 1901
Amanda, May 30 1917.

Now I will give you
the names of our children
of your work there.

This is Our Father's Side
Do you know this of our
Great Grandfather, Clark
you may know this, my
half sister Lizzie Brown
of Montana, sent me,
Our, Great, Great, grand
father, Clark, James Clark
born in Belfast Ireland,
1750. He was a Revolutionary
soldier, Enlisted from Va,
Greenbrier Co, he died in
Clark Co, Ky. in 1806
He married Alice Arbuckle
in 1753, died 1820
his son Charlie Clark -
Our grand father married
Elizabeth Raybird, and

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here she stops. in her
 letter.) I I guess, my
 father comes - next,
 every way, Joseph Clark -
 was born in Sep 4th -
 1819 - died Feb 16th 1879.
 Married Sarah Jane - Jordan
 Oct, 17th 1854, she died
 Jan 27th 1906. to this Union
 9 children was born -
 Mary Elizabeth Clark Oct
 7th 1855. detus anna. Apr 23rd 1857
 Kate E. Dec 25th 1858.
 Amanda, Oct 11th 1860
 Ella Georgia Oct 19 1862
 Emily, A. J. June 25, 1865
 Fannie Susan, Nov 5th 1867
 Charley, A. J. Sept 27th 1871

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Living

Mary C. Graham, Yates Center Kan
 Kate E. Hesp, Mont Ida. "
 Ella G. Coppock, Chanute "
 Jessie M. Duncan Mont Ida,

If there is any thing else
 we can help you, we will
 try. I could not find my
 list, they had slipped out
 of the Family Bible, & I
 was the only one that
 had these dates;
 are you getting the Jordan
 tree? We want one & will
 pay you for it & Clark
 too; are you going to be
 a. D. A. R. It cost 10⁰⁰
 out here to be one - does it
 talk there,

Write to me and tell me
of our adventures.
I'll see by me all
from the open family
and with lots of love
to see my cousin
Love M. D. Mearns

Henry County Pa

Personally appeared before me in
my office Henry Stone & Henry Stone
his wife partners in the foregoing
ventures to Richard Blenker and their
and their acknowledged the said
instruments to be their act & deed
and the said Henry being by me
personally examined as directed by
law the oath of his own free will
relinquished his rights of dower of
his and the said Henry Stone & Stone
the said Charles Blenker, & declared
that such relinquishment may
be made by law without outlawry the

hearts on the possession of the said
Henry and his heirs - All which
is certified to the Clerk of the County
County of Blenker County to be
true records.

Given under my hand as
Clerk of Henry County and this
11th day of August 1876
For the same

This indenture made this 4th day of March in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
& sixteen between Henry Moore & Nancy his wife
of the County of Henry & State of Kentucky of the
one part & Charles Clarke of Clarke County and
State aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth, that for
and in consider of the sum of one dollar to them in
hand paid, both granted bargained & sold by
way of quit claim unto the said Charles Clarke
and his heirs forever all the Estate, right & title
of them the aforesaid Henry Moore & Nancy his
wife in and to a certain parcel of land contain-
ing about five Acres be the same more or less
situate in the County of Clarke & State aforesaid
being part of a tract of one thousand acres grant-
ed to James Moore by patent dated the 18th day
of March 1784 and by him conveyed to his three
sons William Samuel & Henry & their wives, and
the aforesaid William & Samuel both since conveyed
to the aforesaid Henry Moore their respective
interest in the parcel of land aforesaid, which
several conveyances are of Record among the
Records of Clarke County, and the parcel hereby
conveyed is bounded as follows to wit,

Charles County Clerk's Office 28th October 1812

This Office of Charles County has from Henry Moore Esq. to Charles Clerk your Remission by your name
The Billers Clerk of the County of the County of your
which together with the Certificate of the Acknowledgment
inserted in your Enclosure are transmitted to Record

State
James A. Bullock

Notes
1030000

Charles

Recd 28th Oct 1812

WPA Bullock

Received from
James A. Bullock

To (Went) 25 acres of land more decidedly deny
more 1/5 of Joshua Bartlett part of the above
survey & 1/4 of Nathan Thompson the above
parcels are all that are in this tract & have sold. All
of which parcels I bind myself to convey agreeable
to the ~~tract~~ stipulation of this land

In testimony whereof I have set my hand & seal
this 14th day of Sept 1826 Charles Clark Seal

with Davis

James Green

Warren, Ind. P. 4.

Aug. 21, 1933.

Gladys & Dickerson,
Lebanon, Ind.

Your card of recent date is at hand and will answer your requests. Mr. Menzies' mother was Ce Linda Clark. He does not recall her father or mother's names. She had a brother Charley Clark, also a brother who moved to Peru, Ind. a good many years ago. His mother was a cousin to the late Margaret Rutledge and to a Mrs. Dickerson who died

several years ago.

Beloved, Ed. Menzies, Lewis Capital, W.

1790. Ed. Menzies, Ind. P. 4.

Married Ethel H. Wiley, June 3, 1902.

Leroy June 14, 1918

James Leroy June 1, 1942

Elben Hamilton

Melvin James June 23, 1942

Woe Emm Barnes

Nov 5 year

Ben Davis

Paul

Emmie

F Emmie

Ralph

Leak

I am just wondering if it will be asking too much of you to make one more effort to furnish additional data of the families which I have been considering as being under your supervision.

One of the most important items is the present address for if I had the address I can then write direct to some member of the family and ask for the data on that particular family: I find that in most cases that where information is asked for on just a family that they usually reply - it is where you ask for general information they do not respond especially if it requires any very great amount of research..

I will enclose some sheets of the record as I have it and if you can not give the required information I suggest that if possible you give me the address of the proper party to whom to apply and I will then write them.

At one time you sent me some data on "Descendants of Mija and Susana Guthrie- Dickerson" but I was unable to find just where they fitted into the Charles Clark record - do you recally this list and if so will you give me the point at which they fit in- in making up the permanent record I am including this data altho I am not sure where it fits in.

I recently slipped quite a little on the health line and that has rather slowed up this work a bit but just now I am feeling fine altho that little jolt made me realize that old father time was looking my way and suggested that I had better get this job done as he was not going wait any hundred and one years for it to be finished.

Hoping to hear from you at your early convenience I am with much affection

Your cousin,

Samuel Clark

MRS. GEORGE K. GRAVES
248 SOUTH ASHLAND AVENUE
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

Dear cousin Ellen:

So interested in your letter which I received today, I agree with you that now we seem to be making some progress and may soon have most of the history, Of course it must be accurate and all dates, and places of birth and death must be recorded. For that reason I am writing to you to night.

Can you tell me some one in the Dickerson family who could give me the dates. Your sister will probably know the proper one to write to. If you can get the address I will be so glad to take it up with them.

I asked Mrs. Carter if she knew anything about Nancy Clark, she did not, had heard her Aunt Alice say that her grandfather had a sister Nancy but felt sure, she would not remember anything about it. So if you can get a line on the Person who might know I will be glad to write them.

I do agree with you that it is most exasperating to meet some one who will not tell his own sister's address, Could you get him to give his sister's Married name (if she is married) we may be able to find her address through some one we know in Indinapolis.

I do hope you will get all the information you can from Mrs. Christie and as soon as possible. I will be anxious to send it on to Mrs. Sloan, who will help us with the Lockharts.

To the Sect. of the Hamilton
and Clark Remson held at the
Sunville Park Aug. 27 1933

John Enos Seach son of
James M Seach and Elizabeth
(Hamilton) Seach also Gran son
of Enos and Elizabeth G. Seach
and Abraham and Fannie Hamilton
was born July 30 1861.

On the Farm I now own

I also spent my first days
in school on this farm.

And my entire life to the present

In 1886 Sept. I was married
to Melissa R Money daughter
of John J Money. We went
to house keeping in the house
I was born in. In 1887
Eug. B. Seachville our first child
was born. In Dec. 1889 Paul

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In Feb. 1891 gran mother Seach
died. Aunt Margaret who had
been living with her broke up
house keeping. Gran father having
died 21 years before.

^{I may} In the same year we moved
over in the old log house.

In Feb. 1895 Fannie our first
daughter was born. died sept.
same year. In 1896 we moved
out where I now live and
where in 1897 Aug. Ralph
was born. In March 1901

Emma was born.

That is the family.

So we ploded along lifes
dusty highway till 1924
when death claimed the mother
and wife. In 1925 the mother
of this subj. in 1926 the father
Over

I believe I have answered
your questions with some
added. except the birth and
marriage of my parents
which was Feb, 1834 for
father and June 1841 "
mother
Marriage March 1859

yours &c

John E. Lach
Linton
Ind,

W. L. CARTER
MINING ENGINEER

RESIDENCE 430 W. 6TH STREET
PHONE 3183-Y

REPORTS ON COAL LANDS AND MINES
ECONOMICAL EQUIPMENT EFFICIENT OPERATION
ENGINEER AND MANAGER 25 YEARS IN KENTUCKY,
TENNESSEE AND ALABAMA FIELDS
REFERENCES

LEXINGTON, KY.

My Grandfather, James Clark, born in Winchester, 1810. Farm, the site of Winchester
His sisters were -Mary Clark married to Mr. Irons
and ----- Fannie Clark, married Mr. Wells loved at Tompson Station, her
daughter Zely, (or Zelma) married a man by the name of Ragland.
Mother seemed to think that she had an Aunt Polly Clark, was not sure about this

However she was absolutely sure of her Father, James Clark, having the following
brothers. -

Joe Clark,
Edmund Clark,
Cynica Clark(she could not recall the spelling of this name)

Mother (Mrs. J.D. Williams of Ashland) before marriage was Heloise Gertrude Clark,
the second daughter of James Clark (Born in 1810) Mother seemed to recollect that
her ancestor Clark came over in the Mayflower, his name was Thomas Clark, then
again Mother would say either her grandfather Clark or great uncle was a Dr. of
the English Court, she never was quite clear on this point.

This point she was clear- perfect recollection- Clarks came over
from Va. settled in the Game-Breaks of Ky.

Given to me by Mrs M. J. Carter, Carter Bank, Paris Pickle Ky.

Descendants of James and Alice (Lockhart) Clark continued:-

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Family of William Martin and Sarah (Pettit) Clark continued:-

6. Nettie Lou who married Dr. Taylor H. Clark Feb. 13, 1895. Children
 1. Edith Lyle born Dec. 19, 1885 died Dec. 25, 1895.
 2. Naomi May born Dec. 14, 1896 married Ashton E. Thomas Nov. 16, 1914. Five children:
 1. Dorothy Clark born Mar. 1, 1916.
 2. Jno. Lambert born Mar. 4, 1920.
 3. Martha Louise born Dec. 15, 1922.
 4. Elbert Ashton born Dec. 10, 1924.
 5. Boyce Nelson born May 17, 1927.
 3. Ollie Durham born Nov. 8, 1900 died Nov. 9, 1900
 4. Boyce Taylor born Mar. 19, 1906.

7. Oliver Porter married Mattie Royse of Sharpsburg Bath Co. Ky. April 23, 1903. Have no children. Live at Winchester, Ky. where he practices medicine.

Memoranda of the family of William and Polly (Stevenson) Clark-continued

3. Jno. Thompson married Jincy Stewart, ~~YN~~ Oct. 14, 1852. She was born Nov. 28, 1836. She lives at 2621N. 3rd. St. Phoenix Arizona. Children:-
 1. Sarah Fletcher born at Stanton Ky. Dec. 3, 1854. 1864
 2. ~~Zelda~~/~~Lyle~~/~~born~~/~~at~~/~~Stanton~~/~~Ky.~~/~~Dec.~~/~~24,~~/~~1859~~/~~died~~/~~Mar~~/~~15~~/~~1864.~~
 3. William M. born at Stanton, Ky. Dec. 24, 1859 died Mar 15 1864.
 2. Zelda Lyle born at Stanton, Ky. Jan. 6, 1858, died May 4, 1861,
 4. Vernon Leonidas born at Stanton Ky. Sept. 29, 1861.
 5. Almer Ann born at Stanton, Ky. Oct. 14, 1864.
 6. Jno. Patterson born at Pilot View, Ky. Dec. 5, 1865 died at Phoenix, Arizona, July 6, 1869,
 7. Geo. Fry born at Pilot View, Ky. June 24, 1869 died at Winchester, Ky. Aug. 20, 1916.
1. Sarah Fletcher married Peter Evans of Covington, Ky. Oct. 9, 1877
Three children:
 1. Vernon William born in Clark Co. Ky. Oct. 6, 1884 married Lillian May Peck Dec. 24, 1918. Their present address is 35 W. Oliver, Phoenix. They have no children of their own but have adopted Estelle Clark.
 2. Eddie born in Clark Co. Ky. Nov. 13, 1886 married Bernadine Greenhill Jan. 1926. Children:-
 1. James Edward
Twins born Mar. 19, 1927.
 2. Betty Jean
 3. Lelia Louise born April 14, 1901 in Clark Co. Ky. married Arthur Knepe in Phoenix, Arizona
 4. Vernon Leonidas born at Stanton, Ky. Sept. 29, 1861 married Annie Kate Strode Oct. 25, 1893 in the Baptist Church at Winchester, Ky. She was the daughter of W. D.

Family of Jno. Thompson and Jincy (Stewart) Clark continued

- and Martha (Hunt) Strode and her birthday was Dec. 16, 1864. They moved to Phoenix, Ariz. Sept. 1896 and lived there until her death at Pilot View, Ky. July 20, 1899 and was buried in the cemetery at Winchester, Ky. His second marriage was Jan. 31, 1907 in the Gibson House, Cincinnati, Ohio to Mary Callahan of Dayton, Ohio. They were divorced in Phoenix, Ariz. His third marriage was to Ida Rodor Abbot at her home 19 E. Willetta, Phoenix, Ariz. where they live at the time of this writing.
7. Geo. Fry born June 24, 1869 married Fannie Luann Hunt

- Oct. 28, 1896. He died Aug. 20, 1916. He graduated from the Ohio School of Medicine at Cincinnati and practiced until his death at Winchester Ky. One child:
1. Garland Hunt born June 29, 1903 married Elizabeth Griggs Davis at Covington, Ky. June 12, 1928. One child:
1. Helen Douglas born May 7, 1929. Garland graduated from the same college as his father, the Ohio School of Medicine at Cincinnati and is now practicing medicine at Winchester, Ky.

Family of William and Polly (Stevenson) Clark.

4. Zelde Margaret Jane was born Mar. 12, 1850 died Mar. 1906, married Jno. Lyle Fry June 27, 1850. Married at Hedges, Ky. on Jan. 7, 1896. They had no children, but reared Zeldah Lyle, the daughter of William Martin and Francis (Pettit) Clark.

Copy of memoranda regarding descendants of Charles Clark.

Harold David Martin
Born Dec. 18 1910
M. Feb'y. 5 1938

to

Ann Barker

Mr. & Mrs. Harold D. Martin 341 Limestone Ave. Indianapolis, Ind.

Vetfus Keith Martin
Born Nov. 4 1914.

1. Martin Grant born Dec. 20 1936

M. Apr. 16 1935.

2. Sharon Marie "" July 29 1938.

To

Grant Giddwell.

Address Mr. & Mrs. Grant Giddwell-----Brownsburg, Ind.

George W. White
Born March 10 1888

1. Crystal May born Apr. 18 1917.

M. Nov. 12 1912

to

Jule Smith

Address Mr. & Mrs. George W. White White R.R.D. 1 Hammond, Ind.

Ernest D. White
Born Feb'y. 28 1890

MAR. Feb'y 1916.

Died May 8 1938)

to

No children.

Bessie Hall

October White
Born Feb'y. 14 1898
Mar. Nov. 18 1922.

1. William Jr. born Aug. 1923.

2. James Keith born April 28 1929

to

William Denny
Born Sept. 8 1878
Died Nov. 5 1937

Address Mrs. William Denny 500 Burwick Ave. Indianapolis Ind.

Mrs. Nettie Nicerson	1. Sadie Ethel	Albert DuIn Martin
B. AUG. 1 1885	B. Dec. 21 1884	M. AUG. 23 1906.
D. JULY 31 1936	2. Martha Virginia	D. Sept. 23 1887.
M. Sept. 1 1885	B. July 9 1886	LuLa Smith
	3. GEORGE Washington	M. Nov. 12 1912.
	B. MAR. 10 1888	Bessie Hall M. Feb 1916
	4. Ernest David	D. May 8 1938.
	B. Feb. 28 1890	
	5. Charley Paul	D. May 8 1904.
	B. Oct. 30 1892.	
	6. William Fleming	D. Jan'y 4 1895
	B. May 3 1894.	William Penny
	7. Ocleola	M. Nov. 18 1922.
	B. Feb. 14 1897	

Martina Virginia White) buried at Mt. Tabor, Boone Co. Ind.
 Charley Paul White
 John D. White
 Ella White

Sadie Ethel White	1. Emerald Jewell	Mary Eliz. Bergin.
B. Dec. 21 1884.	B. Apr. 16 1909	M. Apr. 24 1934
M. Aug. 25 1906	2. Harold David	Ann Barker
	B. Dec. 18 1910	M. Feb 5 1938
	3. Verpus Edith	Grant Giddwell
	B. Nov. 4 1914.	M. Apr. 16 1935.
	4. Marvin Laure	
	B. Apr. 15 1920	

Addresses.

Mrs. Sadie Martin }
 Marvin Martin } ----- Brownsville, Ind.
 Elbert Martin ----- N.R. 5 W138 Indianapolis Ind.
 c/o Emerald Martin.

Emerald Martin	1 Donald Kay
B. APR. 16 1909	B. AUG. 30 1935.
M. APR. 24 1934	
Ro	

Mary Eliz. Bergin

Address.

Mrs. A. Mrs. Emerald J. Martin ----- N.R. 3 # 136 Indianapolis, Ind.

Betty Clark is Edmund Clark's sister

Descendants of

Elyia and Susana (Wuthrie) Debeason
Hemming and Mary (Clark) Debeason

1840s

I Elsie Petie Debeason b. Aug. 1, 1855 - July 31, 1936
married Sept. 1, 1883 to John W. White
who was born Dec. 23, 1855 - D. June 19, 1921
Elsie P. and John W. White buried at
"Mt. Sabor Cemetery (Tayette) Brown Co.
1-8. Gladie Ethel White b. Dec. 21, 1884 -

married Aug. 23, 1906 to Albert Edwin Martin
who was born Aug. 15, 1878 -

(A) Emerald Jewel Martin b. Apr. 16, 1908
married Apr. 24, 1934 to Betty Bergin

1. Donald Ray Martin b. Aug. 30, 1935

Mrs. S Mrs. Emerald Martin Hemming Browning

(B) Harold David Martin b. Dec. 18, 1911 -

married Feb. 5, 1938 to Ann Barber.

Mrs. S Mrs. David Martin 341 Limestone Ave.

(C) Victoria Edith Martin b. Nov. 4, 1914 -

married Apr. 16, 1935 to Grant Edickell

1. Marion Grant Edickell b. Dec. 20, 1936 -

2. Sharon Marie Edickell b. July 29, 1938

Mrs. S Mrs. Grant Edickell, Brownway St.

(d) Maurine Laurel Martin b. Apr. 15, 1920

Mrs. Leslie Norton & son Marvin
Browning; and.

D-A Martha Virginia White b. July 2 1886 -
died Sept. 23, 1887 buried at "Mt. Sabor"
Cemetery, Fayette Stone, Co. Ind.

3-A George Washington White b. Mar. 12, 1888 -
married Nov. 12, 1912 to Julia Smith

(a.) Crystal May White b. Apr. 18, 1917
Mrs. J Mrs. Geo. W. White & daughter

~~4-A~~ ~~John~~

Stamwood, Ind. A. P. 70.

4-A Ernest David White b. Feb. 28, 1890 died
May 5, 1938 buried at "Oak Hill," Lebanon,
married Feb. 1916, to Beacie Still
Do not have Beacie Still's address.

5-A Charles Paul White b. Oct. 30, 1892 died
Feb. 8, 1954, buried at "Mt. Sabor Stone, Co.

6-A William Elmering White b. May 3, 1894
died Jan. 4, 1895 buried "Mt. Sabor," Stone, Co.

7-A Cicola White b. Feb. 14, 1897 -
married Nov. 18, 1922 to William Henry
who was born Sept. 8, 1878 died Nov. 5, 1937 buried
at "Fedral Bank" Cemetery, English, Ind.

1. William Henry (Jr.) b. Aug 3, 1923

2 James Keith Henry b. Apr. 28, 1929

Mrs. William Henry & sons 550 Burmick Ave. English.

The Black Family

James Black was born in Belfast, Ireland in 1738. He came to America where he married Alice Arbuckle a bout the beginning of the Revolutionary War. They settled in Greenbrier Co., Virginia. He fought in the Revolution as a Private Border Soldier. Alice Arbuckle was born in 1753. She died in 1820. James Black died in Clark Co., W. Va. 1806.

The Arbuckles lived in Augusta Co., Va. Records to 1769 Colonial Militia records last year, James and Matthew Arbuckle in an Augusta Co. company of 1759. Augusta Co. records speak of James Arbuckle and two sons serving in Loyalist's Co. of Militia in 1759.

Alice Arbuckle was probably a daughter of James Arbuckle and a sister of Matthew James, and William. It is known that Matthew Arbuckle went to Greenbrier Co., W. Va. in 1769.

Capt. Matthews Arbuckle was one of the most experienced woodsmen and Indian fighters of his time. He was born about 1742 and removed to the upper James while young. In 1765 with one or two companions he explored the Stanards Valley & the Ohio. They were the first white men to pass this way. Great numbers of the Indians. In 1776 he was sent to command Ford's Rangers. At this important post he remained for three years and was in charge when Cornstalk was killed. The following record of the Revolutionary service of James Black was found in the Wisconsin Historical Library, by a descendant.

Record I
This certifies that in

19 William Clark left our and went with
H. H. and Elizabeth Packard Clark was
born in Clark Co. N.Y. May 11th 1822, died
in Randolph Co. N.C. Medical Doctor
Died Sept. 14, 1848.

Children:

I Char. T. b. Sept. 12, 1844 married Louella
Brown Sept. 15, 1867.
Children:

a Charles Clark.

b George "

c John "

d Wm "

e Minnie "

II James Clark b. Apr. 7, 1849 Died -

III Sarah " b. Dec 8, 1846 " -

IV Mary Clark b. Oct. 2, 1852 married

Rebecca Sharp Jan. 4, 1883.

Children:

a Eliza D. b. Sept 17, 1883 m. Wm. H. H. H.

Jan. 23, 1908. One daughter Nettie

born b. Nov. 25, 1909.

b Emma P. b. Aug 10, 1885 m. Edgar

Bushman Jan 18, 1908.

Children: Ernest D. b. Jan 26, 1911

Edith M. b. 4, 1904 David G. b. Apr 13

1905. Died Sept. 1, 1909. Opal G. b.

Jan 11, 1908. James H. b. May 17, 1911

May 20, b. Apr. 15, 1912.

V Elizabeth Clark b. Jan. 18, 1855 m.

Samuel H. H. H. H. H.

Thomas Horn born 1795 - Died 1864 age 69
married
Abrah Snakes " 1797 Died June 5 1864 age 67

Memoranda of the history of the Clarke family of Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, and Arizona as compiled by Vernon Leonidas Clark of Phoenix, Arizona: A portion of this history is from notes made many years ago, the source of which has been forgotten. The new data has been secured by correspondence with various descendants and the interest was renewed by requests made by Mrs. George K. Graves of Lexington Kentucky.

1st Generation

The forefather of this family was James Clark who was born in Antrim County, Ireland March 1, 17~~05~~⁵³. He immigrated to Virginia where he married Alice Lockhart Sept. 4, 1775. *She was born Nov. 11, 1756, 1755.* They moved to Kentucky and settled near the village of Scholls-ville in the eastern part of Clark County on a four hundred acre farm: He died there on the 4th of September 1805 and was buried on the farm about one half mile east of Hedges Station. *on the G.O. Stn. Moved to Ky. in 1792*

James and Alice (Lockhart) Clark had nine children as follows:

- I. Joseph, born July 27, 1776, died May 5th, 1813. He married Jane Frame and was Captain in Col. William Dudley's Regiment in the war of 1812 and was killed in the battle known as Dudley's Defeat.
 - II. Mary, born February 22, 1778, died April 2, 1837. She married Septimus Davis, a revolutionary soldier May 24, 1802.
 - III. Margaret, born November 14, 1780, died _____.
- She married James Wells.

IV. Charles, born Dec. 18, 1782, died Sept. 22, 1848. He married Elizabeth Reiland who was born April 12, 1789. Died _____.

Buried in Indianapolls -

V. James, Born Jan. 12, 1785, died _____ . He married Lucinda Stevenson who was born Feb. 20, 1793.

VI. Elizabeth, born Oct. 30, 1787 , Died _____ . She married _____ Willkerson and they moved to Missouri.

VII. Pheobe, born March 4, 1790, Died _____ . She never married.

VIII. Jane, born Feb. 4, 1895, Died----- . She married Simpson McMurry Oct. 10, 1816 and they moved to Davidson County Tenn.

IX. William, born April 7, 1795, died March 22, 1841. He married Mary (Polly) Stevenson March, 14, 1820 who was the daughter of Jno. ^{Jesse} Stevenson and was born Feb. 3, 1797. She died April 14, 1877.

I. The oldest son of James and Alice (Lockhart) Clark was Joseph who married Jane Frame. They had four children as follows:-

- 1. Tenas
- 2. Theatis
- 3. Finsey
- 4. William Joseph born in Clark County, Kentucky, Feb. 22, 1813, died December 6, 1868. After the death of Joseph Clark, his widow, Jane Frame married Jesse Noland of Estill County Kentucky

4. William Joseph Clark, son of Joseph and Jane (Frame) Clark was born in Clark County Kentucky, Feb. 22, 1813 and died Dec. 6, 1868. He married Matilda Park Sept. 15, 1836. She was born Nov. 30, 1815 and died June 27, 1868. They had six

children as follows:-

(1.) Joseph born	1837, died	1900
(2.) George R. born	1848, died	1878
(3.) John born	died	married
(4.) William born	1851,	1872

(5.) Jemio, born	1844	died	1921	Married
Alexander Pearson.				
(6.) Belle, born		Died		Married
Wilbur Davidson.				

William Joseph Clark was a member of the General Assembly of Kentucky from Estill County in 1844. The history of James Clark family continued, being the descendants of William Joseph Clark, His oldest son, Joseph Clark was born May 27, 1837. He married Kate Lewis Feb. 20, 1862. She was born Dec. 9, 1842, and died June 26, 1882. They had eight children as follows:-

1. William Lewis, born Feb. 2, 1863 Died March 15, 1875
2. Joseph born Nov. 24, 1864 died Sept. 25, 1890
3. Higgins Lewis born Sept. 15, 1866 died Dec. 17, 1894
4. Edward born March 16, 1871
5. Otis Booth born Dec. 3, 1872
6. Kate Lewis born Feb. 8, 1875
7. Mary born Nov. 8, 1876
8. Ruth Born Sept. 23, 1878

Kate Lewis Clark died ~~Nov 26~~ 1882 and Joseph Clark married Nettie Friend of Ohio 1883 and they had two children as follows

1. Clifford Friend born Dec. 14, 1884
2. Elizabeth Belle born Sept. 22, 1887
4. Edward married Nancy West Bechner of Winchester, Kentucky, and they had one son, Died March 26, 1934.
(1) William Bechner born Oct. 21, 1897 and died March 20, 1899

5. Otis Booth born Dec. 3, 1872 married Myrtle Foot Miller of Denver Colorado in 1921.

6. Kate, who was born Feb. 8, 1875 married George K. Graves in Lexington, Kentucky. Nov. 30 1899, and they have three children as follows:-

- (1) George Keen Jr. Born March 10, 1903. Married Louise Kearns in 1926 and they have one son, George Keen 2nd, born Aug. 19, 1927

- (2) Joseph Clark, b Dec. 7, 1905, Married Lucy
 Corneille Johnston of Lexington, Kentucky June 14,
 1928 and they have two children
 # Joseph Clark born May 1930
 # Nancy Carnegie born June 6, 1932
- (3) Katherine Lewis born Dec 31, 1908 married
 Kenneth Ripper Andrews Sept 1, 1934 in Lexington Ky
7. Mary born Nov. 8, 1876 married Dr. Fred Williams of

New York City and they have two children as follows:-

- (1) Katharine Lewis, born Jan. 16, 1904
 (2) Marion William, born Jan. 7, 1906 married Lenard
 Johnston dec. 11, 1931 in New York City.

Mary Clark (Coe) afterward married Horace F. Knowles of New York
 City.

8. Ruth born Sept. 23, 1878 married Isaac C. Sutton of
 Philadelphia in 1913. They have two children as follows:-

- (1) James Anderson, born Aug. 25, 1913
 (2) Isaac Crawford, Jr. born June 21, 1915

The descendants of Joseph Clark and his second wife are
 as follows:-

1. Clifford Friend, ^{Clark} born Dec. 14, 1884 married Anna Ka^{rn}
 of Culpeper, Virginia on March 11, 1911 and they have
 two children
 (1) Clifford Friend, ^{Clark} Jr. born Feb. 7, 1913 married
 Mary Jane Bierman June 16, 1935 in Washington D.C.
 (2) Annie born Jan. 27, 1915
2. Elizabeth Belle, ^{Clark} born Sept 22, 1887 married Robert
 Dumont Scott in 1911. They have two children.
 (1) Robert Dumont, Jr. born, Jan. 29, 1913
 (2) Katharine Elizabeth Friend born Dec. 26, 1914

History of James Clark family continued, being the descendants of Jno Clark, third son of Wm. Joseph Clark who was the son of Jos. Clark, eldest son of James and Alice (Lockhart) Clark.

3rd Jno. Clark, born March 22, 1842 in Irvine Kentucky, died Jan. 1899. Married Fannie Tillford (April 19, 1865) who was born Aug. 24, 1845. Died Jan. 24, 1875. They had three

Children:-

1. Geo. Tillford, born April 19, 1867¹⁸⁶⁷ Died April 16, 1913.
2. Matilda, born July 31, 1869 Married William Brownwell Talbert on Nov. 1891 (Born June 13, 1869)

Children:-

- (1) Francis Tillford, Born Oct. 5, 1893 Died Oct. 6, 1893
- (2) Wm. Brownwell Born Feb. 24, 1895. Married Rosa Nelson Mason April 30, 1924. Two daughters:-

A. Matilda Clark, born March 28, 1925

B. Rose Nelson Mason born Aug 22, 1929

3. Frances Tillford, Born Jan. 23, 1875. Married Harry New who was born in Helena Ark. March 21, 1872

(1) Harry Tillford Beard born in Nashville Tenn. July 1899 Died June 1900.

(2) Matilda Clark Beard born in Louisville Kentucky May 6, 1898. Married Jas. Perrine Beattie, who was born in Rushville Indiana, Nov. 14, 1891. Children:-

A. Francis Tillford, born in Birmingham Ala. Aug. 28, 1925

B. Mary Beard born in Birmingham Ala. Nov. 8, 1931

The descendants of Jennie Clark the 5th child of Wm. Jos.

and Matilda (Park) Clark:-

5TH Jennie Clark born Jan. 19, 1844 in Irvine, Estill County

Kentucky Married Alexander Pearson Sept. 27, 1871 in Lexington Kentucky died July 5, 1921 in Potsdam, New York. Alexander Pearson born Sept. 27, 1840 in Waterville Maine, died

July 4, 1920 at East Gloucester Mass. both buried in Lexl Cemetery.

Four Daughters:-

L. Belle Clark Pearson born Dec. 26, 1872 in Atchison Kansas. Married Jno. Pascal Brooks June 4, 1903 in

Lexington Kentucky who was born sept. 24, 1861 in Kittery Maine

R. Grace Gilman Pearson born Jan. 27, 1875 in Atchison Kansas. Married Albert Ward Preston June 12, 1900 in

Lexington Kentucky, who was born March 22, 1869 in Farmington Maine. Died Oct. 12, 1934.

(1) Alexander Pearson Preston Born Sept 16, 1904 in Middletown New York.

3. Jennie Clark Pearson Born Nov. 14, 1876 in Lexington Kentucky. Died Dec. 9, 1900 in Lexington Kentucky.

4. Mary Alexander Pearson born Nov. 24, 1879 in Lexington Kentucky.

The Descendants of Belle Clark, the 6TH Child of Wm. Jos. and Matilda (Park) Clark. 6TH Belle Clark born Oct. 20, 1856 in Irvine Kentucky, Married Wilber Leroy Davidson on Oct. 16, 1889 in Lexington Kentucky who was born April 3, 1855 in Cleveland Ohio. Died Sept. 23, 1912. Buried in Cleveland

Three Sons:-

1. Wilbur Leroy Davidson born Aug. 9, 1890. Cuyahoga

Falls Ohio. Married Flora Rodney 1924 in New York City.

2. Joe Clark Davidson born April 23, 1894. Cuyahoga Falls Ohio. Died June 14, 1919 at Mountain Lake Park Md. buried in Cleveland Ohio.

3. MacGregor Davidson born Oct. 25, 1897 at Cuyahoga Falls Ohio. Married Lillian Miller 1930 in New York City.

The History of James Clark continued being the descendants of his daughter Mary.

2ND Mary was born Feb. 22, 1778 and Died April 2nd, 1837.

Married Septimus Davis, a revolutionary soldier May 24, 1802.

They had Eight children as follows:-

1. Polly ^{born} Born Married William King
2. Willie Born Married Josiah Stevenson
3. Jane Born Married Quaddock Kidd
4. Julia Born Married Boone Scholl
5. Susan Born Married James Thompson
6. James Born Married Summa Linville

- 7. Hershel Born Married Rebecca Fry
- 8. Pierce Fry Patsy Phelps.

3rd Jane the daughter of Capt. Septimus and Mary (Clark)

Davis was born Married Quaddock Kidd. They had eight

children:-

- 1. Sarah, born Married John Gordon and they had one child.

(1) Mary born Married John Garner of Winchester Kentucky.

- 2. Mary, born Married Achilles Eubank
- 3. W. Byrd, born Married Sally Hadden
- 4. O.G., born Married Agnes Berry
- 5. Bettie, born Married William Hodgkin
- 6. Annie, born Married James A. Stephenson
- 7. James, born Married Olivia McClure

The Above dates regarding the families of Mary Clark and her daughter was furnished me by Ward W. Stevenson of Winchester Kentucky, he being a son of James A. and Annie (Kidd)Stevenson

Memoranda of the descendants of James and Alice (Lockhart)

Clark Continued.

Family of Quaddock Kidd.

L. Merry Kidd, born May 2nd 1830 and died April 30th 1900.

Married Achilles S. Eubank July 27th 1845. A.S. Eubank was born Oct. 4, 1823 and died may 13th 1870. They had 12 children.

- (1) Susan Virginia ^{Eubank} Married W. W. Bush. They had eight children.
 - A. Edward
 - B. Achilles
 - C. James
 - D. Mary
 - E. Opindexter
 - F. Anna Kidd
 - G.
 - H. Benjamin
- (2) Peyton ^{who died in 1854 at the age of six.}
- (3) William Quaddock Married Mivian Weaver and they had three children.
 - A. Achilles S.

B: Dillard Price *Ward*
 C. Ambrose Easton *Ward*

After the death of William Qadocks first wife Miriam
 he married Alice Lyddan and they had one child Audley.

(4) Willie J. ^{*Call*} married John Moore. Three children.

A. William E. *Ward*
 B. Mary "

(5) Ambrose Cayton ^{*Call*} married saddle Kingsburn and they
 had four children

A. Verta *Call*
 B. Ray "
 C. Florence "

D. Emily Cora. "

(6) Peyton Adams ^{*Call*} married Laura Houchens and they had
 three children:

A. Early E. *Call*
 B. Jessie May "

C. Lillian "

(7) Betty Byrd ^{*Call*} Died in infancy) Twins

(8) Oswald ^{*Call*} died in childhood)

(9) Marlon B. ^{*Call*} married Mollie Sharp, they had seven
 children.

A. Marian Benjamin *Call*

B. Carr Neil "

C. Marlon Dowing) Twins

D. Mary Virginia) "

E. Dillard Marlon "

F. Ambrose (Bud) Davis "

G. May Belle "

(10) Anna Cora ^{*Call*} married Thomas Call They had one
 daughter

A. Mary Davis *Call*

(11) James Davis ^{*Call*} married Brent Forbis. They had
 one child *Call*

A. Forbis *Call*

(12) Florence ^{*Call*} married William Briskey. They had
 four children

A. William Briskey

B. Mary Ellen "

C. Cora Carr "

D. Eubank. "

HISTORY OF THE DESCENDANTS OF JAMES AND ALICE (LOCKHART) CLARK

FAMILY OF CHARLES CLARK THEIR FOURTH CHILD

4. Charles Clark was born in Greenbrier County Virginia Dec. 18, 1782 and died at St. Mary's Landing, Mo. Sept. 22, 1848: He married Elizabeth, the second daughter and seventh child of Edmund and Elizabeth Ragland; she was born in Clark County Kentucky, April 13, 1789 and died at Indianapolis, Indiana March 7, 1861; they secured their marriage license Dec. 8, 1807 and were married Dec. 10, 1807 by the Rev. David Barrow.

Edmund Ragland was one of the pioneers who ^{settled} settled in the eastern part of Clark County Ky. near the village of S Schollsville and as soon as the Indian scare was over he built a large commodius house for that early day and it was the first to be built in that section in later years it was known as the Gardiner home where Matt and John Gardiner were raised.

They had ten children as follows:-

1. A son who died in infancy
2. James born October 22, 1810 ^{Clark}
3. Edmund¹¹ born Aug. 25, 1813 Died April 13, 1866
4. Fanny¹¹ born Dec. 13, 1814 Died Jan. 18, 1878
5. ^{died infancy.} died in infancy.
6. Polly¹¹ born Oct. 20, 1817
7. Joseph¹¹ born Sept. 4, 1819 Died Feb. 16, 1879
8. Nancy¹¹ born Feb. 25, 1821
9. William¹¹ born May 11, 1822 Died in Hendricks County Ind.
10. Charles¹¹ born March 1, 1824.

All the above Children were born in Clark Co. Ky.

DESCENDANTS OF CHARLES AND ELIZABETH (RAGLAND) CLARK

FAMILY OF JAMES CLARK THE SECOND CHILD OF CHARLES AND
ELIZABETH (RAGLAND) CLARK

DESCENDANTS OF CHARLES AND ELIZABETH (RAGLAND) CLARK

L. Ason who died in infancy

2. James the second child was born in Clark County Ky. on Oct. 22, 1810. At this time all that is known of him is the following letter:

Carter County Ky. Feby 19, 1871.

Messers Abraham Hamilton and Samuel Hill

Dear sirs: I am on the hunt of Joseph Clark. I had a hard time to get on the track of him. I written to the sheriff of Henricks Co. The sheriff did not answer my letter. It has been one year ago. I written to the Clark Mr. F. N. Hadley, put me on the track of you all. I want you to give me the full history of Joseph and Nancy's children and William's family and Polly and Dickerson. One of my daughters died Nov. the 11 '70. She was married and had one child, it died Oct the 26. 1870 I have four daughters married, 2 single daughters one son living, he is 17 years old. My youngest is a daughter. She is twelve years old. I am going on 60 one years old Polly 56 years. I have five grandchildren.

I had a hard time with the rebels and gurrillers. I was radical from the top of my head to the bottom of my feet that was the reason the rebels were so hard on me that kept me on the scout for months and years I lived in the middle of rebeldom. I am for the right of suffrage. I am in hopes that I will live to see the white ladies have the reght of suffrage too. Miss leaves us all well.

Yours fraternelly,

James Clark.

M. M. Prindle Lodge 145

*Direct to
Madison, Carter Co. Ky.*

THE HISTORY OF THE JAMES CLARK FAMILY CONTINUED, BEING THE DESCENDANTS OF JAMES CLARK THE SECOND CHILD OF CHARLES AND ELIZABETH (RAGLAND) CLARK

James Clark was the 2nd child of Chas. and Elizabeth Clark, born Oct. 22, 1810 at the Clark home near Scholtsville, Clark Co. Ky. As a young man he drove a Stage-coach from Louisville to Callettsburg, engaging horses at the Tavern on the Hord Plantation. On one of his trips he met Polly Willis Hord. He also was a Stock trader, buying mules and sending them to the far South, to be used in the cotton fields. He was a life long Mason, a member of M.M. Trimble Lodge 145, Grayson Ky., and at the time of his death he was the oldest Mason in Carter 60. For 25 years he was Tyler of his Lodge. His son, Charles Washington Sales Clark, was a Mason from the time he was 21 years old. His grandson, James Mac Donald, is a Shriner, his grandson, Chas. Willis "acDonald, was a Shrine and Knight Templar Mason. Practically all of his grandsons were Masons of high standing.

James Clark married Mrs. Polly Willis Hord England Feb. 3, 1831. The daughter of Willis and Polly Buckner Hord, who was born Jan. 17, 1819. Her first husband was Dr. Cornelius M. England, who died July 18, 1833.

James and Polly Willis England were married in Greenup County, Ky and settled in Carter Co. on a farm two and one half miles from Grayson, the County Seat of Carter, Co., Ky.

James Clark died Jan. 23, 1886.-- Polly Willis Clark died . They are both buried in the old Hord Cemetery.

Children:--

1. Willis Jasper Clark B. Jan. 11, 1836 died in infancy
2. Willis Hord Clark B. April 25, 1838 died in infancy
3. Mary Elizabeth Clark B. June 19, 1840. M. (1) A.J. MacDonald of Mason Co. Ky. Feb. 16, 1864. A.J. MacDonald died Sept. 1877, was Civil War Veteran, buried in Hord Cemetery at Grayson Ky.

Children of this marriage:--

- a. John Charles MacDonald B. Aug. 26, 1865. D. July 23, 1866
- b. James Clark MacDonald B. June 28, 1867 married (1) Mary Dinger of Ashland, Kentucky. Mary Dinger MacDonald died April 19, 1903 One child, a son was Hal Ballard McDonald B. June 1. 1899. He enlisted in the Nady March 23, 1917 and died in Washington D.C. May 27, 1919 and was buried in the cemetery in Ashland , Ky.

James Clark MacDonald married (2) Minnie Piper of Lexington Ky. Aug. 1906. James Clark MacDonald has been with the C.&O. Railroad for 43 years.

Children of James and Minnie McDonald:--

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| Earl E. MacDonald | B. Feb. 1, 1908 | at Ashland Ky. |
| Edna Louise | B. Mar. 18, 1910 | at Ashland Ky. |
| Harry Norman | B. July 21, 1916 | Ashland Ky. |

THE HISTORY OF JAMES AND POLLY CLARK CONTINUED :

- c. Charles Willis MacDonal^d B. July 7, 1870 married Myrtle Noble of Huntington, W. Va 1892
- Four sons--
 Willard MacDonald b. Jan. 6, 1893 died same year
 Chas. Waddy MacDonald b. Feb Dec.6, 1893 m. Julia Ann Vanhooose, who was born in Paintsville, Ky. Mar. 14, 1910
 Chas. W. MacDonald m. (2) Miss Emily Carey (eldest daughter of Judge Carey of Louisa, Ky.) Oct. 5, 1910. One child died at birth June 25, 1913. Chas. MacDonald died Mar. 8, 1933
 buried in Cemetery at Louisa, Ky.
 Cluell Otto MacDonald b. July 3, 1894 m. Mayme Haller, who was b. Mar. 20, 1896 in Ashland, Ky. 1917 Cluell Otto MacDonald d. Feb. 18, 1926
- Children--
 Clrella Heller MacDonald b. Nov. 7, 1919
 Roy Willis MacDonald b. Dec. 11, 1921
 Jean Emmalene MacDonald b. Jan 13, 1925
 James Gordon MacDonald , 4th child of Mary Elizabeth Clark and A.J. MacDonald
- d. Jas. Gordon MacDonald b. Feb. 21, 1905 in Lexington , Ky. marrie twice one child by each wife
 These brothers live in Ashland, Ky.
 Mary Elizabeth Clark MacDonald m. (2) James Morris in 1899 in Grayson , Ky.
- Children by this marriage ---
 e. Annte Morris b. 1880 m. Willa Hill of Texas in 1899 1903
 She died Apr. 19, 1903 buried in Hord Cemetery. Wm . Hill died at his home in Houston , Texas , Jan . 1926
- Children---
 Inez Hill b. Oct. 9, 1904 m. George Dortch 1923- One son
 George Dortch Jr. b. Aug. 5, 1924
 Ella Hill b. July 31, 1905 m. Ira Chattman 1922- One son
 Jean C. b. June 15, 1927
 George Hill b. Dec. 24, 1907
 Ophelia Hill b. July 7, 1910 Died early
 James Clark Hill b. Nov. 5, 1916 died early
 Roland Hill b. Apr. 15 , 1920
 George and Roland live with thier Mother at thier home in Houston, Texas
- f. Tom Morris b. 1882 m. three times . 3rd wife was Hattie Hall, Ashland , Ky. Aug . 21, 1921
- Children---
 Joe Morris b. June 10 , 1922
 Verlus Euline Morris b. Dec. 19, 1924 died Jan. 23, 1927
 Inez Morris b. Sept. 15, 1926
 Helen Morris b. Jan. 3, 1928 d. Feb. 15 , 1928
 Donald Morris b. Jan. 24, 1929 d. Feb. 15, 1929
 Nelly Fay Morris b. Feb. 9, 1930
 Osalene Morris b. Mar. 27, 1932
 George Morris b. Sept. 26, 1884 died 1903
- g. Heloise Gertrude Clark, 4th. child of James and Polly Willis Clark. born Dec. 23, 1842 , married Janue Donahue Williams, at the old homestead near Grayson, Ky. Dec. 1, 1870. (Relatives, friends, and business associates knew him as J.D. Truly I did not hear his full name unthill one day, when I was

about 16 years old, and was invited to a Masque Ball, which Col. and Mrs. E.B. Wilhoit were giving at Grayson during the Christmas vacation, when I was home from Mrs. Williams School snipping the big white plume from his Masonic hat, borrowing it to wear on my head to my first big social affair. Among other things in his wardrobe I found his sword, on the scabbard I found his sword, on the scabbard I found- "Jahue Donahue Williams" Maysville Com'dy No. 10, K.T. Denton, Ky.) Hattie Williams Carter)

They settled in Carter Co. two miles east of Ashland, Ky. about 6 miles from Grayson. In a few years J.D. Williams' cross ties lumber and General Merchandise business created a town, which he named Denton. In 1889 he moved and concentrated his business in Ashland, where he built up a great manufacturing plant

Heloise Gertrude Clark Williams died Sept. 2, 1926/
 Jahue Donahue, born Oct. 14, 1844 died Nov. 10, 1916, both are buried in the cemetery at Winchester by their request.

A. Hattie Williams born June 20, 1872, at Denton Carter Co. Ky.
 Married William Lyman Carter Dec. 27, 1893. William Lyman Carter born Aug. 14, 1869 at "Quiet Shades Farm" on the Erier Hill Pike, nine miles from Lexington, Ky. where 5 generations of his forbears had owned and lived.

CHILDREN:-

(a) Hyman William Carter, born June 6, 1895 Lexington Ky. m.
 Mattie Hickman Feb/ 7, 1918 at Domino, Perry Co. Ky. Mattie
 Hickman Carter b. May 7, 1902 Strunk Lane Ky.

Children:-

Lyman William Carter Jr.	B. Dec. 22, 1918 Lexington Ky.
Hattie Williams Carter	B. Mar. 30, 1921 Lexington Ky.
Martha Hickman Carter	B. July 13, 1923 Lexington Ky.
Andren Heloise Carter	B. May 1, 1925 Lexington Ky.

(b) Annie Gertrude Carter B. March 3, 1897

(c) Carroll Sparks Carter B. Sept. 1, 1901
 Carroll S. Carter is a Mining Engineer M. Gladys Hayes in the
 Second Presbyterian Church, July, 7, 1925, Lex. Ky. She was
 born Sept. 4, 1902 Morgantown Ky. One child, Carroll Sparks
 Carter Jr. born July 12, 1926 in Lex ky. Their home is in
 Paris Ky.

(d) Cecil James Williams b. Aug. 6, 1875, Denton, Ky. m. Maggie
 Derwin Oct. 17, 1904 at Monterey Tenn. She was B. on the farm
 homelace of the Darwin descendants near Glinesboro Oct. 11 1874
 Cecil J. Williams died in his home at Wichita, Kan. and is
 buried in the old Mission Cemetery at Wichita. No children.
 Maggie Darwin Williams and her neice Tommie Brown are the
 owners of this ancestral estate.

e. Ellis Alfred Williams b. Oct. 8, 1874 at denton, Ky. m. Gertrude Adkins, portrait painter, June 1905, died in his home in Huntington, W. VA. buried in the Cemetery there. She was Gertrude Adkins Williams b. Nov. 22, at helenwood Penn. She was also married there.

Children:-
Lucile Barbara Williams b. Mar. 20, 1906 at Somerset Ky. where her father first began the practice of Law. She m. Leonard Cecil plaster of Charlestown W. VA. Oct. 15, 1927, who was a graduate of Marshall College. One child B. apr. 18, 1931. Mother died April 29, 1931, infant daughter survived, home New York City N. Y., husband Electrical Engineer, buried in family lot, Huntington W. VA.
Bennett Henderson Williams, m. for Hon. Bennett H. Young, Louisville, Ky. his father's Law-partner. Born there Feb. 7, 1912. He is an Electrical Engineer. He married Florence Louise Burger Oct. 7, 1934.

John David Williams, B. Dec. 19, 1921, at Huntington W. VA.

f. Gypsy Williams B. July 28, 1879 at Denton, Ky, near Grayson Ky., a writer of ability. m. Tom Warren Rash III at Winchester, Ky. Apr. 16, 1902. T. W. Rash b. Marsh 1, 1874 near Mb. Sterling, Ky. Spanish war veteran

Children:-
R. A. Rash B. April 25, 1905 in Winchester, Ky. Married Saddle Portwood Feb. 27, 1926 she was Born at String-Town-on the Pike (made famous by John Uris Lloyd author of book by that name)
three children, Phos. Watson Rash Born March 22, 1927 Bonnie Jean Rash Born Sept. 15, 1928 Ronald Weldon Rash Born May 26, 1935

Jadye Warren Rash B. Aug. 20, 1906 in Winchester, ky. D. March 20, 1920

Anne Heloise Rash B. Nov. 7, 1908 m. John Francis Shaffer Dec. 8, 1934
John F. Shaffer B. July 26, 1908 Erlanger, Ky.

g. Gertrude Williams B. April 5, 1881, Denton, Ky. Was a pianist of note and composer of music. Married Harry H. Watson of Harper's Ferry, W. VA. Oct. 31, 1922. Left immediately for Dallas Texas where Mr. Watson is in the oil business. No children.

h. --Bess-Frances-Cl
Grover Cleveland Williams B. July 14, 1884 m. Mable Crutchfield of Nicholasville Ky. Dec. 12, 1915
Mable Crutchfield Williams B. Jan. 22, 1889
Children:-
Harry Williams B. Nov. 25, 1916 in Nicholasville, Ky.
Eloise " B. Nov. 4, 1919 in Nicholasville, Ky.
Cecil " B. June 21, 1921 in Nicholasville, Ky.
Alice " B. July 14, 1923 in Nicholasville, Ky.

5. Lucy Frances Clark B. Sept. 19, 1845, near Grayson, Ky. Married Jas. Bradshaw Jan. 14, 1885 at the Clark homestead, near Grayson, Ky.

Children:-

- a. Ina Shoot Bradshaw B. Dec. 13, 1883 D. Jan 27, 1902
- b. Beatrice Bradshaw B. July 18, 1886 m. Frank Jordon June 1910
Frank Jordon B. Dec. 28, 1883

Children:-

- Raymond B. may 31, 1911
Ernest B. July 14, 1915
Nellie Lucie Born, Feb. 22, 1922
Frank Jeland B. Oct. 12, 1925

After the death of their daughter, Ina, Lucy Frances Clark and husband James Bradshaw, with their daughter Beatrice and Frank Jordon went to Whittier, California to live. They acquired a big fortune in lands and the oil business.

After that Lucy Frances Clark Bradshaw died Nov. 17 1925
James Bradshaw died June 22, 1920. Both are buried in the Clark graveyard on the ancestral farm near Grayson, Ky.

6. Ann Josephine Clark Born Aug. 11, 1848 in Carter Co. Ky. married James H. Reeder Dec. 25, 1869 in Carter o. Ky. D. Aug. 10, 1931 at Braddock Penn. age 82 years 364 days, buried in Oakland Cemetery at Vanceburg, Ky. on a visit to her son Clark w. Reeder.

James H. Reeder B. 1835 D. may 17, 1918 at Vanceburg, ky. age 83 years and 14 days. He was a Veteran of War of 1861, Minister of Christian Church, buried at Oakland Cemetery at Vanceburg, Ky. their home.

Children :-

- a. Clark W. Reeder B. Nov. 18, 1870 in Carter Co. Ky. Married Flora M. Masters may 4, 1893
Children of Clark w. Reeder and Flora Mc Masters

Ottie Edna Reeder Born Married Carl Gustafson April 15, 1915

Three Children:-

- Mae Gustafson B. May 10, 1917
Betty Gustafson B. Dec. 12, 1920
Carl Reeder Gustafson B. Oct. 24, 1927

Their home is Munnhall, Penn.

- b. Burnice L. Reeder B. May 23, 1872 at Carter o. Ky. Married Nellie Harrison at Vanceburg, Ky. Dec. 19, 1902 in Lewis Co. Ky. Live in Pittsburg, Penn. No children. Is a lawyer by profession.

- c. Charles Jahue Reeder B. Jan. 23, 1876 in Carter Co. Ky, m. Cecil E. Rigdon July 31, 1902 in Huntington W.VA. Now lives at Utica, Michigan.--- Has one daughter. Gladys Montrose Reeder B. at Braddock Penn. Feb. 25, 1904 was married to Lawrence Mattison at Utica Mich. April 20, 1927 and has two sons.
Richard Arthur Mattison B. Detroit Mich. May 9, 1930
Thomas Charles Mattison B. Alpena Mich. May 27, 1935
Now reside at Alpena Michigan.

- d. Ernest Lee Reeder B. Aug. 25, 1887 m. Dora Mande Grim Jan. 14, 1935 and resides at Braddock, Penn.

7. Caroline Buckner Clark B. Aug. 25, 1881, Clark home, near Grayson, Carter County married James L. Banfield April 29, 1869. -
A son born July 23, 1870 died Oct. 26, 1870.
Caroline B. Clark Banfield Died Dec. 18, 1870 near Ironton, Ohio and was brought back to Ky. and buried in the old Hord Cemetery near Grayson, Ky. where her son was also buried.
8. Charles Washington Sales Clark born April 26, 1854 married Elizabeth Ann Roberts of Richmond, Va. April 5, 1877.
Elizabeth Roberts was born April 3, 1850
Children:-
a. James Huff Clark born Feb. 9, 1878 married (1) Rosa Keffer, (2) Arrie Mintie Mullins (3) Virginia Winters. To these unions no children were born.
James Huff Clark married (4) Opal Gullet march 15, 1932
Opal Gullet born June 9, 1912
Children:-
Lois Elizabeth born Feb. 24, 1933
Alice Marie born May 12, 1935
James Huff Clark, son of Chas. Washington Sales Clark owns a farm in Lawrence Co. Ky. near Louisa Ky.
- b. Willis Hord Clark Born Oct. 3, 1879, died July 19, 1880
c. Willis Hord Clark Born July 2, 1881 married Maggie Spencer Aug. 31, 1904 Maggie Spencer Clark born Nov. 9, 1888 Died Feb. 19, 1915.
Children:-
Williard Born Nov. 21, 1905 married Thelma Bowermaster Aug. 10, 1922
Talmage B. July 6, 1908 d. Jan. 21, 1909
Ruby b. Nov. 1, 1911. M. Gen. Hutchison Dec. 1, 1934. they live in Augusta Ky.
Children of Williard and Thelma Bowermaster are Margaret Ann, James and Williard Jr.
Willis H. Clark m. (2) Maggie Sammons Feb. 17, 1920, she was b. April 24, 1890
Children:-
Charlde B. Apr. 5, 1922
Gracie B. Feb. 15, 1925
Lunda B. Oct. 25, 1928
They live on Star Hill and own a Coal Mine.
d. Charles Howard Clark b. Jan. 4, 1885 d. July 24, 1926 m. Bertha Clay in 1905
Children:-
Earl Clark b. April 9, 1906 m. Thelma Hilbrook who was b. Aug. 10, 1911
Children:-
Kenneth Clark B. March 7, 1930
Kermit Clark B. June 21, 1932
Carrol Lee Clark B. Aug. 16, 1934