

Resurrection of Dates 7-12-74 *7-8-74 PA / cont. + Hist* *569*
MY DESCENT FROM A HENDRICKS CO. PIONEER

2nd to Donovan

1. Ellis Gardner Piper B8-24-03 M 7-29-31
 (Name of Applicant)
P.O. Box 127 Mt. Airy, Georgia 30563 Tel. No. 404-778-7230
 (Street and No.) (Town) (State) (Zip) *10 mar 1829*
 2. George Daves *4-8-1838*
 (Pioneer Ancestor's Name) B-birth date; M-marriage date; D-death date;
1829 Liberty Township
 SS-settlement date in Hendricks Co.; (SS Place)

Recorded on card 8-28-74

Line of Descent

1. Parents:	H <u>David Ellis Piper</u>	B <u>7-15-1873</u>	M <u>9-16-1902</u>	D <u>5-17-1958</u>
	H-husband:			
	W <u>Cora Gardner</u>	B <u>1-3-1869</u>	M <u>9-16-1902</u>	D <u>1-31-1952</u>
	W-wife:			
2. Grand Parents:	H <u>Freeborn Gardner</u>	B	M <u>Nov 14, 1867</u>	D
	W <u>Jane Daves</u>	B	M	D <u>1871</u>
3. Great Grand Parents:	H <u>George Daves</u>	B	M <u>4-8-1838</u>	D
	W <u>Sysannah Staley</u>	B	M <u>4-8-1838</u>	D
4. Gr.Gr. Grand Parents:	H	B	M	D <u>widower in 1840</u>
	W <u>George Daves</u>	B	M	D
5. Gr.Gr.Gr. Grand Parents:	H <u>Fawcyn R. Daves</u>	B	M	D
	W <u>Rachel Sells</u>	B	M	D
6. Gr.Gr.Gr. Gr. Grand Parents:	H	B	M	D
	W	B	M	D
7. Gr.Gr.Gr. Gr.Gr. Grand Parents:	H	B	M	D
	W	B	M	D

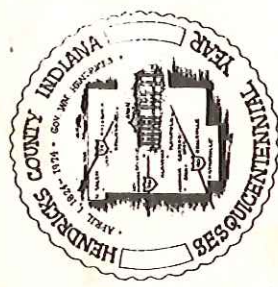
The first two items must be completed to obtain a certificate. Additional information helpful is occupation of pioneer, public office held, political party, where educated, church affiliation. If descendency can be traced to more than one ancestor other blanks must be used. Ask for them.
 Verification of above may be found (check at least one); County Clerk's office; Old Bible; Church Records; Voting Records; Cemetery records; others _____

IMPORTANT: REGARDING LAND ENTRIES.

1. Do you have a patent for land issued to your ancestors in Hendricks County? Yes. _____
2. How many deeds? _____ For how many acres? _____ To whom issued? _____
3. How many of these acres have been held continuously in the family? _____
4. Indicate line of descent of ownership.

ANCESTOR - DECENDANT COMMITTEE
 P. O. 154 DANVILLE, INDIANA 46122

Ellis Gardner Piper



HUSBAND Ellis Gardner Piper
 Place Wichita, Kansas
 Place Atlanta, Georgia
 Place David Ellis Piper
 Place Cora Belle Gardner
 HUSBAND'S FATHER None
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES None

WIFE Ann Elizabeth Scruggs
 Place Aucilla, Florida
 Place Joseph Cooper Scruggs
 Place Manio Capers Stewart
 WIFE'S FATHER None
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS None

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE			WHEN DIED		
		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR		
1	Patricia Ann Piper	27	7	1933	Aucilla	Jefferson	Fla.	Richard Owen, Jr.					
2	Cynthia Ann Piper	18	1	1937	Oxford	Lafayette	Miss.	Jack Lewis					
3	Ellis Gardner Piper, Jr.	18	1	1937	Oxford	Lafayette	Miss.						
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Ellis Gardner Piper

HUSBAND David Ellis Piper
Place Orrville, Ohio (Wayne Co.)

Born	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
Chr.	15	7	1873
Marr.	16	9	1902
Died	17	3	1958
Bur.	18	3	1958

HUSBAND'S FATHER
HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES
None

HUSBAND'S MOTHER
Emma Boydston

WIFE Cass Belle Gardner
Place Brazil, Indiana

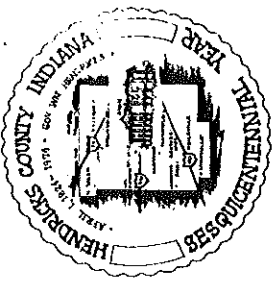
Born	3	1	1869
Chr.			
Died	31	1	1952
Bur.	18	5	1952

WIFE'S MOTHER
Jane Paves

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS
None

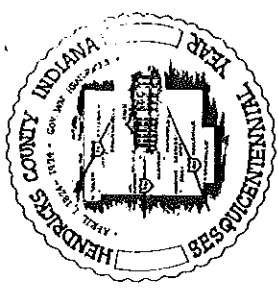
Place Fort Lauderdale, Florida (Broward Co.)
Place Oakwood Cemetery, Traverse City, Mich.
Place Freeborn Gardner

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1	Ellis Gardner Piper	24	8	1903	Wichita	Sedgewick	Kans.	Apr. E. Saragga					
2	Mary Ruth Piper	6	3	1906	Atlanta	Fulton	GA.	Sprayed Yonah Vista Cemetery, Democrat, Ga.	11	6	1963		
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Ellis Gardner Paper

Gardner



HUSBAND

Place Brown County, Illinois

Place Brown County, Illinois

Place Grand Haven, Grand Haven, Michigan

Place Traverse City, Michigan (Grand Traverse Co.)

Place Freeborn N. Gardner

HUSBAND'S FATHER

HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES Mary Melissa Turner

WIFE

Place Yare

Place Brazil, Clay County, Indiana

Place Brazil, Clay County, Indiana

Place George Daves

WIFE'S FATHER

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS None

WIFE'S MOTHER Susannah Staley

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1	Cora Belle Gardner	3	1	1869	Brazil	Clay	Ind.	David E. Piper 16 Sept. 1902	31	Jan	1952			
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Ellis Gardner Pipes

Daves

George

HUSBAND

DAY	MONTH	YEAR

Born _____
 Chr. _____
 Marr. _____
 Died _____
 Bur. _____

HUSBAND'S FATHER

HUSBAND'S FATHER
 HUSBAND'S MOTHER
 OTHER WIVES

Staley

WIFE Susanah

WIFE

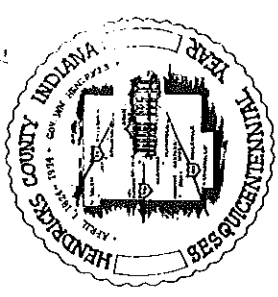
Born _____
 Chr. _____
 Died _____
 Bur. _____

WIFE'S FATHER

WIFE'S MOTHER

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

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1	Lucinda Daves										
2	William Riley Daves										
3	Thomas Daves										
4	Jane Daves	8	1	1841				Freebern Gardner			
5	Sarah Daves										
6	Minnie Daves										
7	Charles Wesley Daves										
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13901 Old Cutler Road, Miami, Florida 33158 (305-235-1525)
P.O. Box 127, Mt. Airy, Georgia 30563 (404-778-7230)

July 1, 1974

Hendricks County Sesquicentennial Committee
P.O. Box 193
Danville, Indiana 46122

Dear Sirs:

There is enclosed a check in the amount of \$18.00 to pay for a copy of the 1974 History and a pioneer certificate. A comment on the line of descent may be in order.

Several years ago my wife and I visited Ohio, Indiana and Illinois looking for graves of my great-grandparents. According to a letter written by a first cousin of my mother's, A.F. Bridges, more than 50 years ago, his grandparents and my great-grandparents, George and Susan (Staley) Daves, were charter members of Salem Methodist Church near Belleville, were probably buried in the Salem cemetery.

In Belleville I was fortunate in finding Mrs. Roy Pritchard, a member of Salem Church and a historian, who was unable at that time to tell me anything concerning George and Susan, and I was later unable to find markers for either of these people in the cemetery.

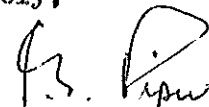
Recently, however, Mrs. Pritchard has written to tell me that she has discovered since my visit a record of the marriage of George and Susan on March 10, 1829, a record of their having bought and sold some land, a record of George Daves having voted at Belleville from 1830 to 1837. I have no information as to dates and places of birth and death of either of these people.

George and Susan, however, apparently had several children. Their oldest daughter Lucinda married D.W. Bridges, father and mother of A.F. Bridges, the letter writer. A younger daughter named Jane married Freeborn Gardner, probably in Brazil and probably in 1867 or 1868. Jane and Freeborn had a daughter Cora in 1869, born in Brazil, my mother. Some two years later Jane died shortly after the birth of a second child and both are buried in the old cemetery in Brazil.

To support these statements I would send you a copy of the A.F. Bridges letter, but all of the family history that concerns my mother's side is in Miami. As shown at the top of this letter I have two homes, shall not return to Miami this year until the end of September.

If the history and certificate are available before September 15 they should be sent to the Mt. Airy address.

Sincerely,


E.G. Piper

13901 Old Cutler Road, Miami, Florida 33158 (305-325-1525)
P.O. Box 127, Mt. Airy, Georgia 30563, July 30, 1974 (404-778-7230)

Hendricks County Sesquicentennial Committee
P.O. Box 154
Danville, Indiana 46122

Dear Sirs:

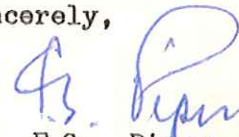
Attn: Ms. Grace Cox

There is enclosed a second attempt to complete your form, which may be no more satisfactory than my first attempt. As shown above, I live in two places, my principal residence is in Florida, and all information I have on Freeborn Gardner and his first wife, Jane Daves, is there.

In the event you find that dates of birth, marriage and death of my maternal grandparents are essential, I withdraw my application. Unless there is a record of the marriage in Brazil, I should have difficulty in establishing the exact date. The memory of Jane Daves was rather well obliterated by time and Freeborn Gardner's second wife, the Gardner family Bible is in the hands of a grandson of one of my aunts by the half blood who lives in Detroit and who refuses to answer correspondence, and my information comes from the inscription on Jane Daves' tombstone in Brazil which recites her date of death, her exact age at time of death, and states that she was the wife of Freeborn Gardner. I have photographs of the stone, but they are in Miami.

ans → Meanwhile, to take up a second subject, I ordered and paid for a copy of the 1974 History, Biography & Genealogy of Hendricks County. If delivery of this publication is to be delayed I should appreciate knowing the approximate date on which it will be sent. After September 15 I shall be in Miami most of the time until April, 1975.

Sincerely,


E.G. Piper

Incl.

Request address 8-8-74
Miss Vera Jones
RR 2
Brazil IN 47834

Freeborn Gardner - Mary M Turner m - July 2-1872 ??