

## CITIZENS HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

INDIANAPOLIS

H. G. Hollingsworth, Sr., CashierFirst National Bank & Trust Company101 East Main Street, Plainfield, Indiana

H(arry) G(lenn) Hollingsworth, Sr., s. of John T. and Nancy Hollingsworth; b. in Hendricks Co., Ind., Feb. 6, 1884.

John T. Hollingsworth, s. of Mersey N. and Maryann (Cox) Hollingsworth, was b. in Hendricks Co., Ind. He was a farmer. He d. in 1934. He was married twice, his first wife being Nancy Hollingsworth, who d. in 1888. He later married Hannah Belle Garrison.

Mersey N. Hollingsworth, father of John T., was b. in Ohio. He was a farmer. His wife, Maryann (Cox) Hollingsworth, was b. in Penn. They were the parents of 12 children, of whom the following were living in 1885: (1) Asbury S. (2) Albert A.\* (3) John T. (4) Samuel J. (5) Mersey M. (6) Maria L. (7) Mary E. (8) Sally A. (9) Emily J.

H. G. Hollingsworth, Sr., the subject of this sketch, attended high sch. in Plainfield, Ind., 1 year, after which he engaged in farming a short time. In 1903 he was employed by the Big Four Railroad Co., with which he remained 6 mos. He then was assoc. with the Chicago & Eastern Ill. Railway Co. 1 year, following which he worked for the Cloverleaf Railroad Co. in Frankfort, Ind., 1 year. In 1927 he was employed as an asst. cashier by the First Nat'l Bank & Trust Co., of Plainfield, Ind., and since 1938 has been cashier of the bank. Mr. Hollingsworth, who is a Republican, is a mem. of the following: Masonic Lodge; Hendricks County Banking Assn.; and Hendricks County Chapter, Citizens Hist. Assn. His favorite recreation is fishing. Mr. Hollingsworth owns a 65-acre general farm that is located in Hendricks Co., Ind.

In 1911, H. G. Hollingsworth, Sr., married Bessie May Massengale, dau. of Eldridge and Martha Massengale, the former a farmer and cotton grower of Ala. Mrs. Hollingsworth was b. in Alexander City, Ala. Mr. and Mrs. Hollingsworth are the parents of 4 children: (1) Harry G., Jr., b. in Jan. 1913. He resides in Plainfield with his wife, Ethel (Milan) Hollingsworth. They are the parents of 2 children, John Bruce and Diane. (2) Jack M., b. in July 1915. He is employed by Kingan & Co. in Indianapolis, Ind., in which city he resides with his wife, Evelyn Hollingsworth. (3) Eugene W., b. in 1920. He

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is a student at Ind. Univ. (4) Frances Louise, b. in 1922.  
She resides in Plainfield.

\* For further data regarding Albert A. Hollingsworth, see  
"History of Hendricks County, Indiana" (Inter-State Pub. Co.,  
Chicago, 1885), p. 742.

Donald Lawson 745-498

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# MY DESCENT FROM A HENDRICKS CO. PIONEER

1. Mark Graham Lawson B 12-11-1942 M 12-27-1964  
 (Name of Applicant)  
RR1 Montezuma Ind. 47862 Tel. No. 812-245-2792  
 (Street and No.) (Town) (State) (Zip)  
 2. John Hallingsworth B 1797 M 27 Feb 1822 D 23 Jul 1875  
 (Pioneer Ancestor's Name) (SS Settlement date in Hendricks Co.) (SS Place) near Plainfield Guilford

## Line of Descent

Row C-10-4-74

1. Parents:	H <u>Donald Henry Lawson</u> B <u>4-20-1916</u> M <u>5-6-1937</u> D _____ H-husband;	W <u>Elizabeth Graham</u> B <u>10-9-1917</u> M <u>5-6-1937</u> D _____ W-wife.
2. Grand Parents:	H <u>Urban Lambert Lawson</u> B <u>9-17-1889</u> M <u>5-27-1914</u> D <u>10-14-1971</u>	W <u>Hilda Aizabe Hallingsworth</u> B <u>1-17-1894</u> M <u>5-27-1914</u> D <u>7-2-1974</u>
3. Great Grand Parents:	H <u>William G. Hallingsworth</u> B <u>1-1-1852</u> M <u>11-13-1873</u> D <u>2-2-1934</u>	W <u>Elizabeth Hodley</u> B <u>9-6-1853</u> M <u>11-13-1873</u> D <u>2-20-1922</u>
4. Gr.Gr. Grand Parents:	H <u>Samuel V. Hallingsworth</u> B <u>4-7-1824</u> M <u>12-4-1847</u> D <u>11-6-1903</u>	W <u>Sara Lydia Mullen</u> B _____ M <u>12-4-1845</u> D <u>1883</u>
5. Gr.Gr.Gr. Grand Parents:	H <u>John Hallingsworth</u> B <u>1797</u> M <u>2-27-1822</u> D <u>2-23-1875</u>	W <u>Mary Vestel</u> B <u>10-25-1802</u> M <u>2-27-1822</u> D <u>11-1-1870</u>
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 _____

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 descendancy can be traced to more than one ancestor other blanks must be used. Ask for

verification of above may be found (check at least one): County Clerk's office; Old Bible; Church Records; Voting Records; Cemetery records; \_\_\_\_\_  
 County Manager (lead \_\_\_\_\_), 1830-1860 Census, Peoples  
 Guide Directory Hendrick County 1874

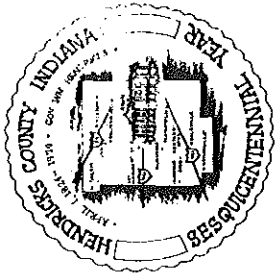
### IMPORTANT: REGARDING LAND ENTRIES

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

Mark & Barbara Lawson



**HUSBAND** Mark & Barbara Lawson  
 Place Danville Ind.  
 Place Lamestown Ind.  
 Place Danville Ind.  
 Place Danville Ind.  
 Place Danville Ind.  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER Donald Henry Lawson  
 HUSBAND'S MOTHER Dorothy Arden Lawson  
 OTHER WIVES

**WIFE** Norma Mae Rineo  
 Place Dayton, Illinois  
 Place Dayton, Illinois  
 Place Dayton, Illinois  
 Place Dayton, Illinois  
 WIFE'S FATHER Donald Rineo  
 WIFE'S MOTHER Lucille Lena Rineo  
 OTHER WIVES

SEX	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names SURNAME	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE			WHEN DIED		
		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR		
1	Jerris Eloise Lawson	11	29	1967	Danville	Hendricks	Ind.						
2	Arnold Patrick	6	12	1970	Danville	Hendricks	Ind.						
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Mark R. Larson



**HUSBAND**

Born	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
Chr.	20	4	1916
Marr.	6	5	1937
Died			
Bur.			

HUSBAND'S FATHER \_\_\_\_\_  
 HUSBAND'S MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
 OTHER WIVES \_\_\_\_\_

Place \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
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 HUSBAND'S MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER \_\_\_\_\_

**WIFE**

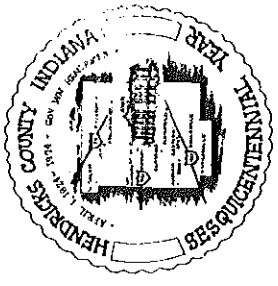
Born	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
Chr.	9	10	1917
Died			
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Place \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 WIFE'S FATHER \_\_\_\_\_  
 WIFE'S MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS \_\_\_\_\_

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		
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1	Mark R. Larson	11	12	1942	Danville	Hendricks	Ind.	Dec 27, 1964	Debra M. Larson				
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*Mark L. Lawson*

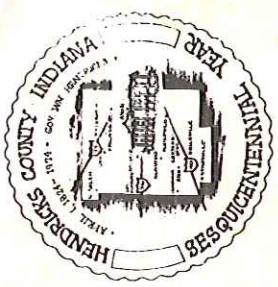


**HUSBAND** *William Lambert Lawson*  
 Place *Hendricks County Indiana*  
 Place *Danville Indiana*  
 Place *Danville Indiana*  
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 Place *Danville Indiana*  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER *Henry Lawson*  
 HUSBAND'S MOTHER *Shea Webster Lawson*

**WIFE** *Hilke Cora Lee Hallingworth*  
 Place *near Danville Indiana*  
 Place *near Danville Indiana*  
 Place *near Danville Indiana*  
 Place *near Danville Indiana*  
 WIFE'S FATHER *William Hallingworth*  
 WIFE'S MOTHER *Ellen Ellen Hallingworth*

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		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
1	<i>Joseph Lambert Lawson</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1916</i>	<i>near Danville</i>	<i>Hendricks</i>	<i>Ind</i>	<i>May 6 1937</i>					
2	<i>Joseph Lambert Lawson</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1920</i>	<i>near Danville</i>	<i>Hendricks</i>	<i>Ind</i>	<i>1944 1950</i>					
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Mark B. Swanson

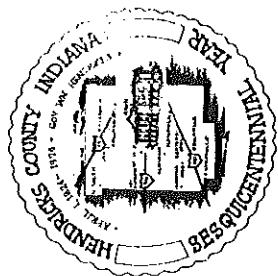


**HUSBAND** William Addison Hallingsworth  
 Place near Danville, Ind  
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 Place near Danville, Ind  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER Samuel Hotal Hallingsworth  
 HUSBAND'S MOTHER Sara Lydia Mullens

**WIFE** Eliza Ellen Hadley  
 Place near Danville, Ind  
 Place near Danville, Ind  
 Place near Danville, Ind  
 Place near Danville, Ind  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER Ernie  
 HUSBAND'S MOTHER Susan Smith

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M	Thomas Elie Hallingsworth	8	Mar	1875	near Pittsburg	Hendricks	Ind	24	Apr	1893	William P. Swanson	4	Dec	1937
F	Bertie Bertha	5	Sept	1877	"	"	"	24	Mar	1896	Carl Swanson	25	Dec	1935
F	Susan Bell	3	April	1883	"	"	"	25	July	1906	Carl Swanson	30	Aug	1958
F	Gracie Paul	2	Mar	1885	"	"	"					20	July	1886
F	Samuel Vestal	7	Jan	1886	"	"	"	31	Dec	1924	Anna Dubois	21	June	1925
F	Infant daughter	8	April	1888	"	"	"					8	Apr	1888
F	Hilda Agatha	17	Jan	1894	"	"	"	27	May	1914	Robert F. Swanson	2	July	1914

Mar 20, 1933



**HUSBAND**  
 Samuel Tatal Pellingworth  
 Place Ohio

Place Newburgh, Iowa  
 Place New Knoxville, Ind  
 Place Indiana

**HUSBAND'S FATHER** John Pellingworth  
**HUSBAND'S MOTHER** Mary Dantes

**OTHER WIVES**

**WIFE**  
 Sara Lydia Pugh  
 Place Ohio

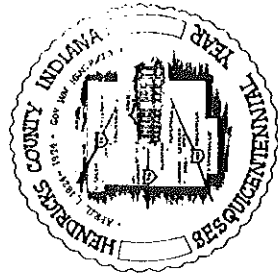
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**WIFE'S FATHER**  
**WIFE'S MOTHER**

SEX	CHILDREN		WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE			WHEN DIED			
	Given Names	SURNAME	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
1	John		Unknown									
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3												
4	Wm Addison Williams		1 Jan	1856		New Knoxville	Hendricks	Ind	13 Nov 1873	2 Mar	1935	
5	Rebecca Williams		Unknown			"	"	"	"			
6	Charles R.		Unknown			"	"	"	"			
7	Sara Rebecca		7 Nov	1859		"	"	"	Robert Jennings	6 May	1937	
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Mark E. ...



**HUSBAND** John Hollingsworth

Place Chillicothe

Place new Danville, Va

Place Chillicothe

Place Chillicothe

Place Chillicothe

HUSBAND'S FATHER John Hollingsworth

HUSBAND'S MOTHER Rebecca Hunt

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**WIFE** Mary Vestal

Place Chillicothe

Place Chillicothe

Place Chillicothe

Place Chillicothe

WIFE'S FATHER Unknown

WIFE'S MOTHER Unknown

Born	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
Chr.			1798
Marr.	27	Jul	1822
Died	12	Jul	1875
Bur.			

Born	25	Dec	1802
Chr.			
Died			
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1	Elizabeth Hollingsworth				Unknown			20 Apr 1840	Unknown			
2	Mary	"	"	"	"			Unknown	Unknown			
3	Abraham	"	"	"	"			"	"			
4	Samuel Vestal		7	April	1824			4 Dec 1845	6 Nov 1903			
5	Joseph	"			Unknown			John Smith Miller	Unknown			
6	John	"	"	"	"			Unknown	Unknown			
7	Mary	"	"	"	"			12 Mar 1842	Unknown			
8	Josephine	"	"	"	"			William J. Ludwig	Unknown			
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