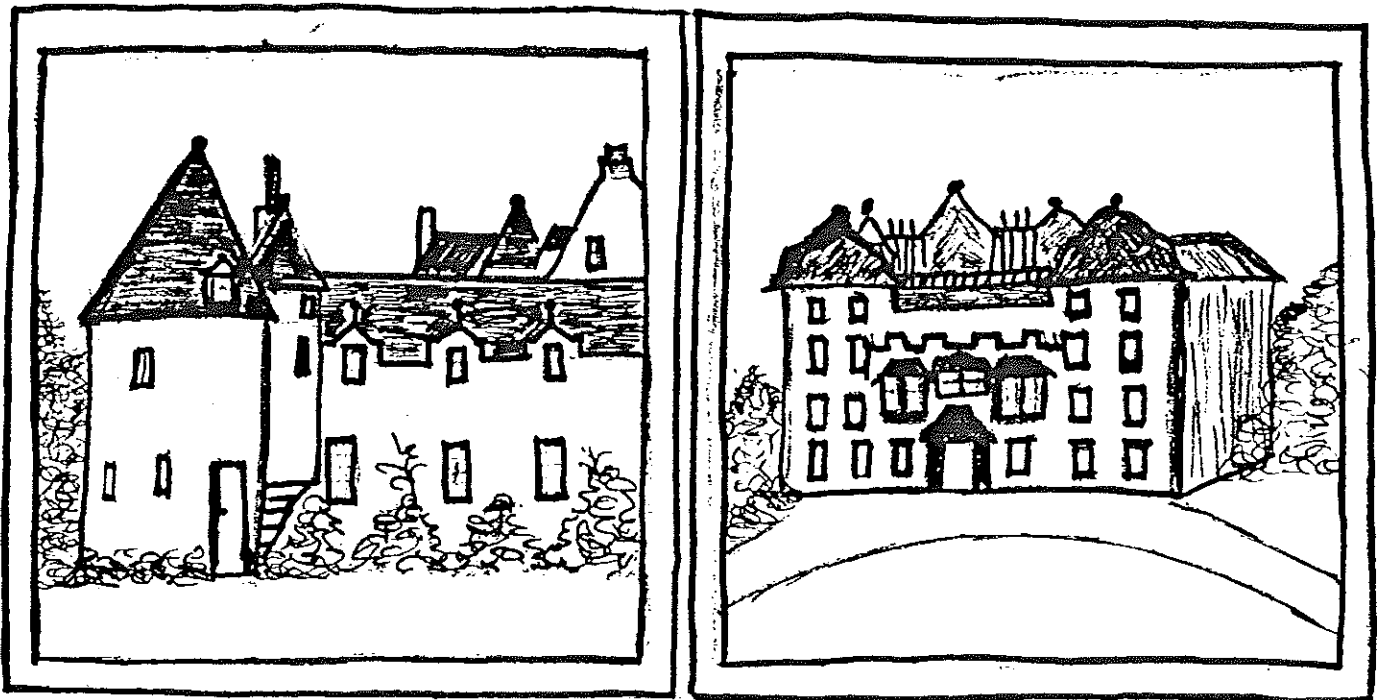


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VIVE UT POSTEA VIVAS  
LIVE THAT YOU MAY HEREAFTER LIVE



Photos taken 1975  
Inverurie Aberdeenshire Scotland

Left: The old part of Keith Hall, formerly Coskieben Castle owned by the JOHNSTON family until 1636 when James Johnston sold it to the Keith's. .  
Right: Front view of Keith Hall as it now looks after the front part was added in the 17th century by the Keith Family.

Preface.....by Carol Johnson McMurtin  
of Camby, Indiana 46113

By tracing the records of our own particular Johnson branch, we find the first ancestor on American soil in New Kent County, Virginia. John Johnston was the son of James and Jean (Oglvie) Johnston who lived in Aberdeenshire near the Gampian Mountain Range in the southern part of Aberdeen Scotland. Cameron's Landings and Sailings Volume #2 in 1696 show John with his brother's, William and Alexander, settling in Saint Peters Parish of that county. New Kent County was divided in 1727, our Johnson's were domiciled in the part which was now called Hanover near present day Richmond according to early land records.

Data compiled on the eleven generations preceeding, in Scotland was found in various volumes at the Chicago Newberry Library. Compendium of Amercian Genelogy, Surnames of Scotland, First Families of America, The Johnstons of Caskieben and others were searched and quoted for use in this record.

When John and his brothers came to America they dropped the use of the t in Johns(t)on, due to the Quaker belief in humility. The use of family traditions are invaluable in the preparation of its history for these stories are passed on down through each generation by retelling them over and over. Usually children are mentioned in the wills of the deceased parent, however in early Quaker (Friends) this was not always true. Disownment by the Society of Quakers was often equivilant to disownment of both, of family and inheritance, in many instances. These reasons today would seem to be a minor offense, but many were disowned for lying, swearing, not paying one's debts, holding slaves, attending places of diversion, dressing too gaily, military service, or moving beyond the limits of the meeting.

Dismissal for marriage out of unity was shown in quaker records as, dis...mou. Proper steps for the couple were to present their intention to the Monthly Meeting, a comettee would then be chosen to investigate both male and female on parental geneolical and religious background.

Marriages to a first cousin or one who was not a member of the Society were against regulations. Approval or disapproval was given at the next meeting a month later but some of the couples did not want to wait that long and would simply go to a priest or a justice of peace instead. It has been found that many of our early ancestors were quite stubborn and did not want to condemn his or her marriage contrary to discipline, hence once they were disowned they very seldom admitted their error and would simply join another religious denomination..

Interest in the family came from hearing my father, Clarence Johnson, tell stories of his grandparents migration to Indiana from the state of North Carolina. Shortly after his death in 1959, I found in the family Bible a list of seven male generations.....no dates, only the names. John Johnston, was first then Ashley, Robert, Elijah, Jesse Brooks, and Jeremiah Hadley Johnson. I knew that Jeremiah was my grandfather and that Jesse Brooks Johnson was the great grandfather who had built the house we children grew up in. The West Union Meeting notes from Monrovia showed Jesse B. to be the son of Elijah who to my surprise, was buried there at West Union. The Encyclopedia of early Quakers, North Carolina Volume showed Elijah, the son of Robert along with all the birth dates of the brother's and sisters.

Robert had moved his wife and family to Deep River from New Garden, both located in present day Guilford County North Carolina, in 1771. Previous to that they had lived within the limits of the Cedar Creek Meeting of Hanover County Virginia, coming to North Carolina in 1765. The Virginia volume of Hinshaw's Encyclopedia, Cedar Creek Meeting shows Robert, son of Ashley, married 11-19-1758 to Virginia Cecelia Elmore. On 10-12-1734 one can find in the Henrico Meeting, notation for the marriage of Ashley, son of John and Lucretia, to Martha Woody. Some sources show it spelled with an "a or e" before the y, the same as Virginia Cecelia is sometimes listed as "Sisily or Celia".

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The North Carolina Genealogical Reference book has been most helpful for it shows maps in date sequence for the division of counties from one to another. For instance, we know by family tradition that our Robert's last seven children were born in Surry, and married in Stokes but how can this be when today's maps clearly show that Kernersville and the location of Muddy Creek Meeting is in Forsyth County? This book tells us that present day Surry and Guilford were originally part of Rowan County until 1771 when a division was made. In 1789 Stokes was formed from a part of Surry, this was then divided in 1849 making part of Stokes into Forsyth. Until realization dawned on how and when these divisions were made, thoughts were, "Those Johnson's sure do change and move a lot!" This was not true, for land records prove they lived on the same property and only the county lines had been changed.

Research done in Indiana was verified by checking records while in North Carolina and Virginia, to be able to walk on the ground ancestors had trod was a longtime dream fulfilled. There were two principal ways of migration, the first which I took, followed Boone's Wilderness Trail through Kentucky and the Cumberland Gap. Still trying to retrace their steps, we came back by the Kanawah Trail via West Virginia and Ohio. On today's modern roads one can travel either route and cover the distance easily in two days, where it took our ancestors months to make the trip on horseback, with cart or wagon for their meager possessions. Both the routes cover extremely rough terrain in crossing the mountains, so they must have been of strong will to endure all the hardships that were encountered. "Cowards never started...and the weak died along the way"

Let me close by saying a big thanks to all those cousins who were so kind and helpful in sending their own individual family lists, thereby bringing OUR JOHNSON FAMILY up to present date.

Sincerely,  
Carol M. Nathan  
1981

We shall now begin our account of the Johnson Family with the first known ancestor, eleven generation before they came to America.

11. STEPHEN DE JOHNSTON (anciently spelt de Johnstoune or Johnstoun) who it is said arrived in the north part of Scotland in the time of King Bruce, who reigned from the year of 1329. He was a man of great learning which was rare in those days, that he was honoured with the title of "The Clerk"....a designation to which clergy alone were considered entitled. I quote; "For troubles wherein he fell in his own countrie, he came into the north part of Scotland, and was pleasantly received by the Earl of Marr, to whom he became secretary" He married Margaret daughter and heiress of Sir Anthony Gartloch, of Caskieben in Aberdeenshire. By this marriage he received a large estate, consisting of title for his family, and tis said that all the Johnstons of the north country are directly descended from him.

10. JOHN DE JOHNSTON, son of Stephen and Margaret, married Margery the daughter of Leighton of Urgan or Ulesseshaven, an ancient family of Angus, and in her own right succeeded to the land of Iverton..This John lived to a very old age, dying in the reign of King James II (1430-60).

9. GILBERT DE JOHNSTON, heir of John and Margery, also in 1430 from his kinsman, Henry de Leighton, received lands known as Bishop's or Little Clintery, in the parish of St. Macher. Gilbert married Elizabeth Vas or Vaus, the daughter of the Laird of Menie, in Aberdeenshire.

Gilbert had three daughters and one son, and his death was before 1481.

8. ALEXANDER DE JOHNSTON who in the reign of James II, had his lands of Caskieben, which were formally held by the Earl of Marr as his superiors reacted into a Barony. He married Agnes, daughter of Alexander Gloster and of Glack, a powerful district of Garioch in Aberdeenshire.

7. WILLIAM JOHNSTON, dropped the de on becoming Baron, and was known as the greatest baron of all times in the north part of Scotland. His wife was Margaret, daughter of Meldrum of Fivie, one son was born to carry on the name....William fell by the side of his royal master, James IV on the Field of Flodden in 1513, dying on English soil.

- 6. JAMES JOHNSTON married Clara da, of Barclay of Bartle in Aberdeen and recieved in 1521 a charter under the great seal of James V. James died the beginning of 1548, due to grief over his eldest son...
- 5 WILLIAM JOHNSTON who fell in battle, as his grandfather had done, in the servive of his country on the Field of Pinkie in 1547. William had married Margaret, the da of Alexander Hay of Dalgaty.
- 4. GEORGE JOHNSTON who died 1570 became the heir of his grandfather Alexander Hay and also his uncle Wm. Hay, this was added to already extensive possessions in the family. he further recieved a charter from James VI to the lands of Boyndis in Aberdeenshire. By his marriage to Christian, born 1547, the da of Wm Forbes (7th Lord Forbes) his son John was the eldest. A daughter Elizabeth became interested in the Quaker work and it was no doubt she who converted her nephew.
- 3. JOHN JOHNSTON who sat in Parliament 1608-09 first married Janet by whom the eldest son inherited all possessions and titles. We desend from his 2nd marriage in 1610 to Katherine, da. of William Lundy. It is through her that our hertage can be traced to William the Conqueror.
- 2. THOMAS JOHNSTON of Craig, a title inherited from his grandfather Wm. Lundy married Mary da of Alexander Irvine of Kingussie by whom he had four sons.. The eldest being Thomas, then William, John, born 1649, the youngest was James, born the same year his father died...1656
- 1. JAMES JOHNSTON being the youngest "was providith to nothing but the Johnston name" became a listerer in Aberdeen. At this tire it was usual to bring up the younger sons of Scottish gentlemen to mechanical trades, with a view toward encouragement of manufacture. The Listerer or Dyer Society was one of the oldest trades of the town. James was married 1674 to Jean Oglivy, parentage unknown who died in 1716. Appointments for their three sons, John (eldest), William and Alexander came from their uncle, John Alexander, who encouraged them to come to America in 1696 as land proprietors for the crown.

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It is of interest to know the heritage of Lucretia Massie wife of John Johnston, other than being the daughter of Peter and Penelope, we have been unable to prove any of the numerous MASSIE lines that have been researched.

We do know that Penelope (Ashley), Lucretia's mother was the granddaughter of the FIRST EARL OF SHAFTSBURY born 1621 died 1683, formerly christened Sir Anthony Ashley-Cooper, by his parents Anne Ashley and John Cooper, hence the hyphenated last name. Much has been written about this great statesman, some of which was not very complementary, which is not unusual for one in a public office. In 1663 he was chosen along with eight other nobles to rule, as proprietor of Charles II in America, quote: "All lands from Luck Island to the river Saint Matthias and extending west to the Pacific Ocean". In today's language this is including the southern part of Virginia, south to the river in Florida, and west to the Mississippi River (which they thought was the Pacific).

2. Sir Anthony Ashley-Cooper married 1656 Margaret the da. of William Spencer. Lucretia Penelope Ashley was born of this union.

1. LUCRETIA PENELOPE ASHLEY married PETER MASSIE and came to live in Greenspring Virginia and enjoy the public position in the colony of the Lord Proprietors. Three daughters namely, Lucretia, Sarah and Penelope, who married Johnston brothers.

Lucretia Massie to John Johns(t)on, our own line of descent.  
Sarah Massie to William Johnston, who also dropped the 't'  
Penelope to Alexander Johnston....so tradition says.

Note: Birth records of Saint Peter's Parish have been researched in order to clarify the parentage of children for these three families. Dates of several children were not given, and some with only the father's name which confuses the issue even more since there were other Johnson's in the Parish that were relatives of our own branch.

EXTRA-EXTRA...Just had word from Richard Culbertson of Texas...saying He has proof that Peter Massie b1639 son of John & Anne(Grosvenor)



① JOHN JOHNS(T)ONabout 1700  
Married  
St. Peters Va.Lucretia Massie

b. 1675 Aberdeen Scotland

b. ?

No death dates or wills have been found, the following children is a compiled list from several records that have been researched. All marriage dates are from Virginia Records.

The first five are shown as s or da of John in the Quaker minutes.

Agnas Johnson m 1722 William Ellyson s of Gerald & Sarah  
Henrico

John m 1725 Elizabeth Ellison da-Gerald & Sarah  
b 1702 Henrico

Massie m 1725 Joseph Crew s-John & ?  
b 1705 Henrico

\*Ashley m 1734 Martha Woody da-James & Martha  
b 1713 Henrico

Margery dis-mou against her fathers convictions  
Henrico 1741  
another record shows Margery m 1741 to ? Massie, probably a cousin

These first five are shown along with the following in histories written by; Lorend Johnson...Louis Johnson...Kathaleen J. Carter...and others

Cecile m 1739 Micaiah Woody s-James & Martha  
b 1711 Henrico

David m 1734 Mary Woody da-James & Martha  
Henrico

Charles m 1734 Sarah Crew da- John  
Henrico

James dis-mou Lucy Moorman- some sources say  
Henrico 1739

Benjamin m 1740 Mary Moorman da-Thomas  
Camp Creek

Robert 1708 )

Thomas 1714 )

Micaiah or 'Mescal' )

) no m. is shown for these sons

Nathan m 1740 Judith woody da-James & Martha  
Henrico

s of John & Lucretia (Nessie)

da-James woody & Martha (?)

② ASHLEY JOHNSON  
b 1713 Va.

m. 10-12-1734  
New Kent Co Va.  
Henrico Meeting

Martha woody  
b ?

Ashley is shown as living in Amelia Co Va in 1790 when Benjamin was married....no further mention was found on Martha.

A complete list of their children is shown Cedar Creek Hanover Co Va

\*Robert Johnson  
b 1737

m 1758 Virginia Cecelia Elmore  
Cedar Creek

Thomas

mou 1791 Millicent Hargrave

Cedar Creek Family records show him marrying Millicent yet in South River it shows Thomas, son of Christopher... this sounds more logical since that Thomas was b 1770 which is right??

James  
b 1758 d1835 NC

m 1789 Sarah Moorman da-Thomas  
New Garden NC

Ashley

m 1793 Judith Moorman da- ??  
Cedar Creek

Elijah  
b 1747

m 1793 Elizabeth Watkins da-Benjamin  
Cedar Creek

Martha (called Patty)

m 1793 David Terrell s-William  
Cedar Creek

Cecelia

mou 1763 a 1st cousin- George Bell of  
Cedar Creek Camp Creek Va

William

no further record

Susannah

m 1755 William Johnson s- Benjamin&Agnas  
Cedar Creek 2nd cousin gs-William & Sarah

Samuel died at birth

Benjamin

m 1781 Sarah Benbow da- ??

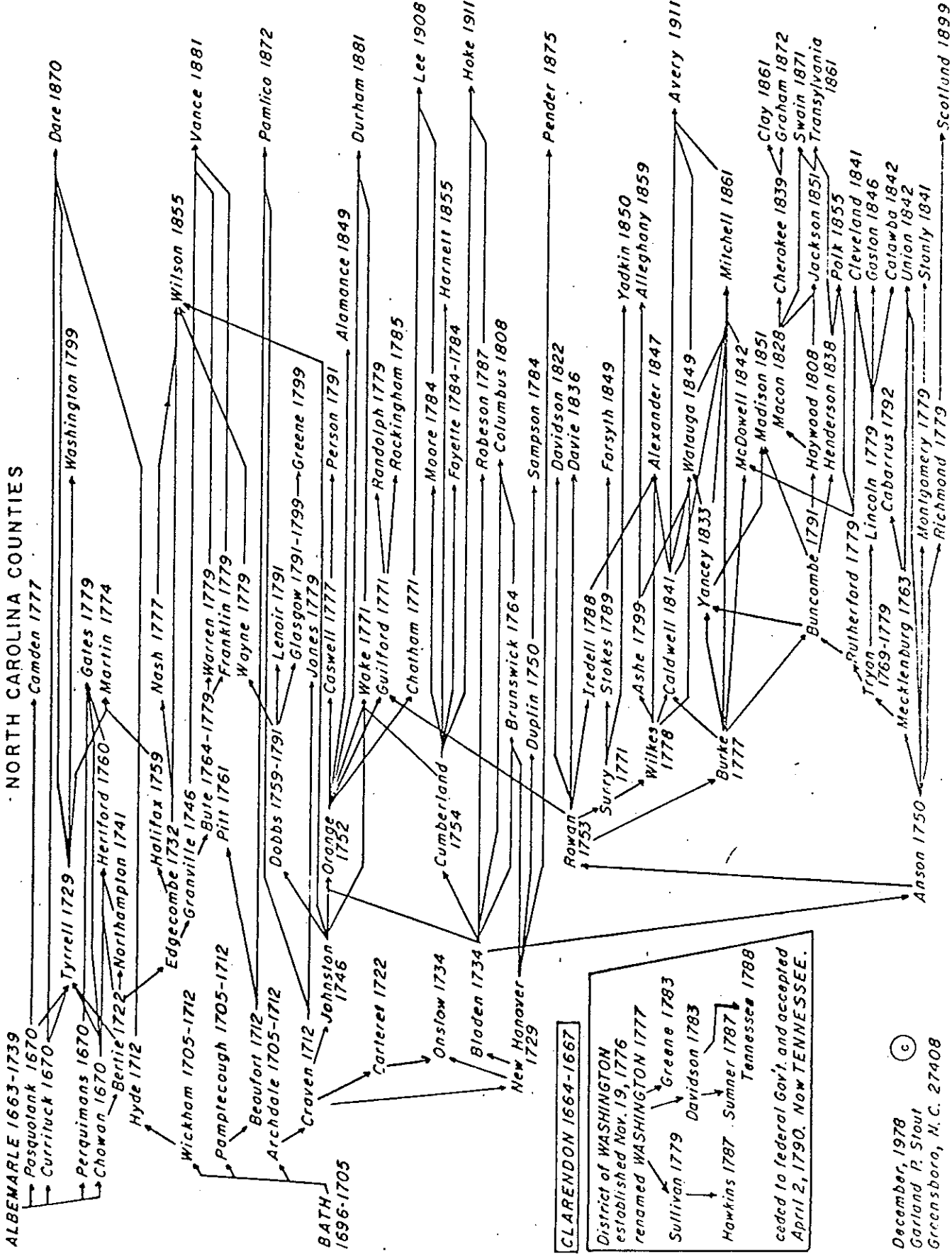
Both m at New Garden NC

2n-m 1790 Comfort (walker) Waln -a widow

Of interest on George Bell..shown above 1763 George dismissed for being married by a priest and to a woman of too near kin, this not being permitted and for other undue liberties. Again in 1773 George was excused by the meeting for having bought a slave "from sense of duty, not for gain, matter is now dropped".

The majority of Ashley and Martha's children moved on to North Carolina to raise their own families in New Garden, Deep River, Deep Creek, Union, Westfield, and other meetings.

NORTH CAROLINA COUNTIES



Dates of Change IN County Lines

**CLARENDON 1664-1667**  
 District of WASHINGTON established Nov. 19, 1776 renamed WASHINGTON 1777  
 Sullivan 1779 → Greene 1783  
 Hawkins 1787 → Sumner 1787 → Tennessee 1788  
 ceded to federal Gov't. and accepted April 2, 1790. Now TENNESSEE.

December, 1978  
 Garland P. Stout  
 Greensboro, N. C. 27408

1 John  
2 Ashley & Martha (woody)

1 ? - Gerald & Sarah  
2 Thomas Elmore & Cecelia Ellyson

③ ROBERT JOHNSON m 11-19-1758 Virginia Cecelia Elmore  
3-8-1737 Hanover Co Hanover Co Va 5-15-1737 Black Creek Va  
5-?-1809 Stokes Co NC Cedar Creek ? North Carolina

Cedar Creek Va 10-12-1765 Robert got certificate to New Garden NC with a notation he 'removed' in 8th month without a certificate. The first three children were b in Va., next two while members of New Garden and the last five at Deep River before starting to attend Muddy Creek, Kernersville NC  
grda-John & Elizabeth

Elishe Johnson 1st m 1785 Jane Johnson da-Ashley & Mary  
9-21-1759 Va Cedar Creek Va 5-2-1755 Va--6-5-1798 NC  
5-6-1851 Ohio 2n m 1799 Rachel Moorman da-Thomas & Sarah  
(Highland Co.) 1762--7-4-1841 Ohio

(Sanders)

Thomas Johnson mou 1785 Jane Brooks da- David & Sarah/  
3-17-1761 Va Muddy Creek 9-8-1767 Cedar Creek Va  
3-2-1856 West Union Stokes Co NC 8-22-1853 West Union, Cem;  
Morgan Co Monrovia Ind. Morgan Co. Monrovia Indiana

(Ladd)

Archelus Johnson m 1788 Mary Hutchins da-Nicholas & Sarah/  
7-15-1764 Va Deep River 10-1-1767 Cedar Creek Va.  
before 1840 Guilford Co NC 10-21-1842 West Union Cem.  
Highland Co Ohio Monrovia, Indiana

Martha Johnson m 1787 Adin Norkyke s-Abraham & Mary  
8-29-1766 Stokes NC Deep River 6-19-1762 New Jersey  
Guilford Co NC

She came to Henry Co, Springfield Ind in 1827 -- death dates unknown

(Sanders)

Anderson Johnson m 1792 Sarah Brooks da-David & Sarah/  
6-7-1770 Stokes NC Deep River 4-13-1773 Deep River NC  
9-26-1857 Deep Creek Guilford Co NC ?  
N. of Yadkinville NC

Ashley Johnson mou 1795 Elizabeth Crew da- Benjamin & /  
7-8-1772 Stokes NC Deep River b 1775 d. ? Ohio  
? Clinton Co 2n m 1815 Sarah Walker da- ?  
Farmers Station Ohio Ohio b ?

Mary Johnson b 9-16-1774 d 1800 NC

(Sanders)

William Johnson mou 1802 Elizabeth Ham da-Philip & Elizabeth/  
12-22-1775 Stokes Co NC Muddy Creek 1-28-1776 Deep River NC  
5-14-1850 West Union Cem Stokes Co NC 6-20-1850 West Union Cem  
Monrovia Indiana Monrovia Indiana

(Sanders)

Judith Johnson mou 1802 Jesse Brooks s-David & Sarah/  
2-25-1779 Stokes Co NC Muddy Creek 10-20-1775 Deep River NC  
9-20-1860 Wayne Co Stokes Co NC 9-3-1851 Wayne Co  
Green Fork Indiana Green Fork, Indiana

(Sanders)

Elijah Johnson mou 1803 Ann Ham da-Philip & Pricilla/  
10-12-1782 Stokes Co NC Muddy Creek 2-16-1799 Deep River NC  
1-18-1860 West Union Cem Stokes Co NC 2-12-1861 West Union Cem  
Monrovia Indiana Morgan Co. Monrovia Indiana

Deep River is shown in the present day location of Guilford Co -- when our family attended there, it was located in Surry later called Stokes Co.

It is interesting to note that of Robert and Cecelia's children, two daughters and one son married children of David and Sarah (Sanders) Brooks. Two other sons married the daughters of Philip and Pricilla (Sanders) Ham. David and Philip's wives were the daughters of John Sanders who married Jane, an orphan Indian girl.

Around the last of the 1600's or early 1700's, a Quaker widow with a family of young children lived in Virginia near a tribe of friendly Cherokee Indians. Frequently there was trouble among the various tribes, and one day a Chieftain whom the whites called The Singer, because of his pleasing voice, brought his small motherless daughter to Mrs. Sanders. Asking, in case he should not return, that the girl be raised in the Quaker family. He was killed in battle, and the little Indian maid grew up to be a Quaker maid just as accomplished in housewifely ways as her adopted sisters. In the late 1720's the young maid married one of her adopted brothers and later moved from Cedar Creek Virginia to the Deep River area of North Carolina. John Sanders died 3-14-1790 at age age 85, Jane passed away 10-2-1793 Deep river NC It is from this Indian maid that many of the Johnson family inherited a beautiful singing voice and invariably those who were gifted, also carry the high cheekbone structure of our Cherokee ancestry.

Since many decedents of John Sanders and Jane came to Indiana, it is wise to list their children here for future reference.

Elizabeth Sanders	b 1729	married	John Moore Jr
Sarah	" b 1731	"	David Brooks
John	" b 1733	"	Susanna ?
Hezekiah	" b 1734	"	Martha Johnson
Pricilla	" b 1740	"	Philip Ham
Anne	" b 1743	"	Thomas Elmore Jr.
Joel	" b 1745	"	Mary Elmore
Jemima	" b 1747	"	John Baldwin
Jesse Jeremiah	" b ?	"	Sarah Rudick

The following is a brief summary of Robert and Cecelia's children. ELISHA JOHNSON first married Jane Johnson, a second cousin, the daughter of Ashley and his second wife Mary Watkins. Quaker records show them as being married in Cedar Creek Virginia, yet their marriage certificate can be found in the Surry County NC records. Jane died four days after the birth of her seventh child. Elisha secondly married Rachael Moorman, a daughter of Thomas and Sarah Clark Moorman, and by this marriage four more children were added. Rachael and Elisha moved from North Carolina to Highland County Ohio in 1804, settling on a farm two miles south of the small village of Highland where he first built a log house. Some years later he built a brick structure adjoining, an old photo taken about 1926 by Elva Johnson show the combined houses. Both Elisha and Rachael are buried in the small Quaker cemetery nearby.

THOMAS JOHNSON married 2-5-1785 in Stokes County NC to Jane Brooks, the daughter of David and Sarah Sanders Brooks. Eleven children were born to this union with only one dying at birth, all were born and raised in Stokes County. Thomas and Jane moved to Morgan County Indiana in 1834, along with all their family except one daughter who chose to stay in NC to raise her family. They purchased land one mile west of Monrovia, on which they lived the rest of their lives, both being buried in the West Union Cemetery at Monrovia, Indiana.

ARCHAELUS JOHNSON married at Deep River Meeting 2-7-1788 Mary Hutchins, daughter of Nicholas and Sarah Ladd Hutchins. Archaelus was dismissed by the meeting for unknown causes in 1804 but Quaker records show Mary and six remaining children (one died at birth) as moving to Fairfield Meeting in Highland County Ohio on 1810. No further record has been located as to the burial place of Archaelus but we do know he died in Ohio before 1840. They had a total of twelve children, several of whom moved to Indiana and others further west to Iowa. Family tradition has Mary is buried in West Union, Monrovia Indiana, yet the stone is quite weathered so that the dates are illegible... cem record show 10-21-1842.

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MARTHA JOHNSON married 12-12-1787 Deep River Meeting to Adin Nordyke, son of Abraham and Mary from New Jersey, Union Meeting records show the births of ten children in Stokes County, although Adin is shown as dismissed from Deep River in 1790 for attending a marriage out of union by his brother. Martha got a certificate to Springfield Indiana for herself and children from Union in 1827, she and Adin later settled near Huntington, Indiana. Death dates and place of burial unknown. Addison Nordyke, their grandson formed the Nordyke Marman Harrington Co in Indianapolis, Indiana and a street was named in his honor.

ANDERSON JOHNSON and Sarah Brooks, daughter of David and Sarah Sanders Brooks, were married 10-10-1792 at Deep River. This is the only one of the children of Robert who did not leave North Carolina, for Anderson is buried in present day Iredell Co Hunting Creek Quaker Cemetery. Their ten children were born in Iredell County and were members of the Deep Creek Meeting.

ASHLEY JOHNSON was married out of union and dismissed by Deep River Meeting 1795. Family records state he married Elizabeth Crews, daughter of Benjamin and Margaret Hunnicutt Crews, moving to Clinton County Ohio in 1808 with their six children. After Elizabeth's death, Ashley married 1815 to Sarah Walker of parentage unknown who also bore him six children. Ashley died in Ohio and is buried in the Farmers Station Cemetery.

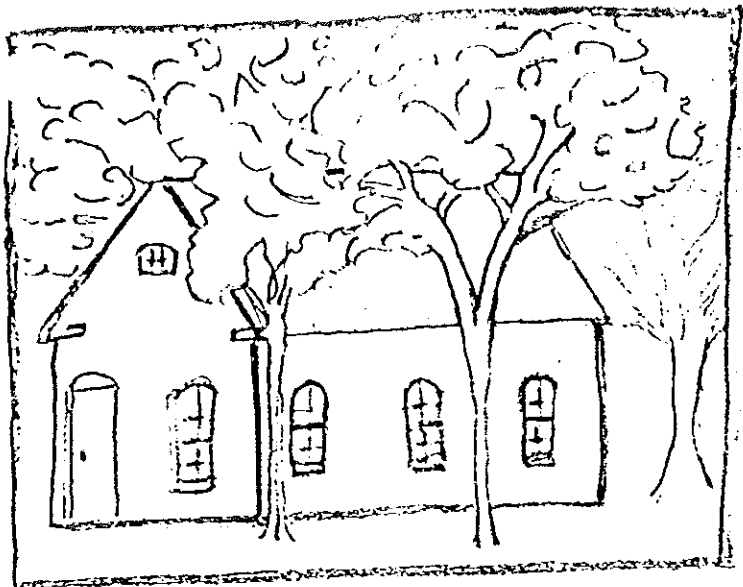
WILLIAM JOHNSON married out of union 1802 Muddy Creek Meeting, Stokes Co. to Elizabeth Ham daughter of Philip and Pricilla Sanders Ham. They came to Wayne County Indiana in 1819 with their eight children, moving later in 1829 to Morgan Co and settling a mile north of Monrovia. Despite their marriage out of union, both were staunch Quakers and supported the church throughout their lives, they are buried at West Union Cemetery, Monrovia.

JUDITH JOHNSON also was married out of union 1799 to Jesse Brooks, son of David and Sarah Sanders Brooks. They resided in Stokes Co NC until the fall of 1836 when they brought their four youngest children to Wayne Co Indiana. The six older children and respective spouse's having made the same move in earlier years and were already in Indiana. Jesse and Judith settled three miles north of Green Fork near West Grove Meeting, and helped form the Green Fork Meeting where they are both buried.

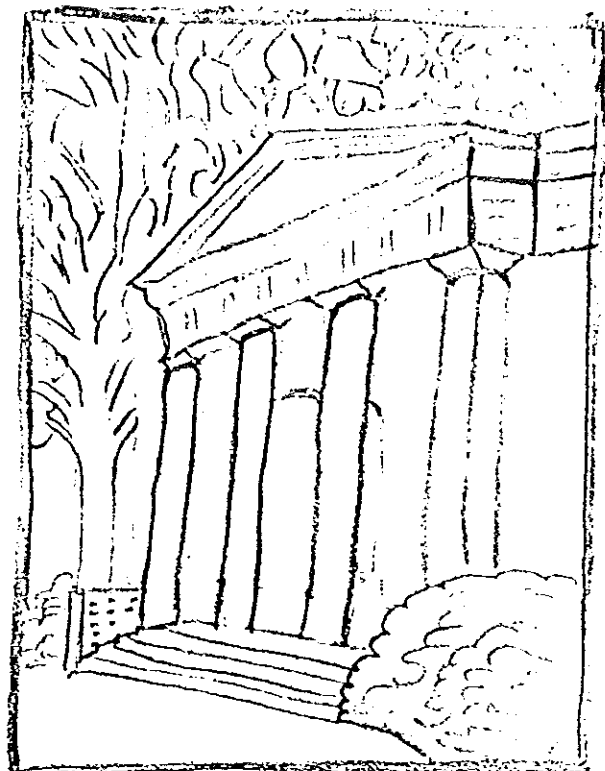
ELIJAH JOHNSON married Stokes Co. NC 3-29-1803 Ann Ham, daughter of Philip and Priscilla Sanders Ham. The five children of Elijah and Ann preceeded them in coming to Morgan Co Indiana 1830, the parents not coming until 1844. Their farm adjoined that of their son, Morgan, although they shared the same house until the death of Elijah, after which Ann lived Jesse Brooks Johnson, another son. Jesse's farm joined his brother Morgan's, these were located two miles west of Monrovia on what is now called the Clayton Road. Elijah and wife Ann are buried both buried at West Union Cemetery in Monrovia Indiana.

It is most interesting to note after a careful study of the earlier land records in Morgan County, that one could walk in any direction from Monrovia for four to six miles and never get off of property that was owned by these Johnson decedents. Many of these farms have been passed on down through the generations, like our own which was not out of the Johnson name from 1830 until 1964 when my mother passed away. Like others have done before us, estates have to be settled and not always can it continue under the tradition and name, much to our sorrow. The log cabin Jesse Brooks Johnson built then enlarged into a fourteen room home as his family multiplied was destroyed by a tornado in 1966, so that only the land remains to show the memories of the past.

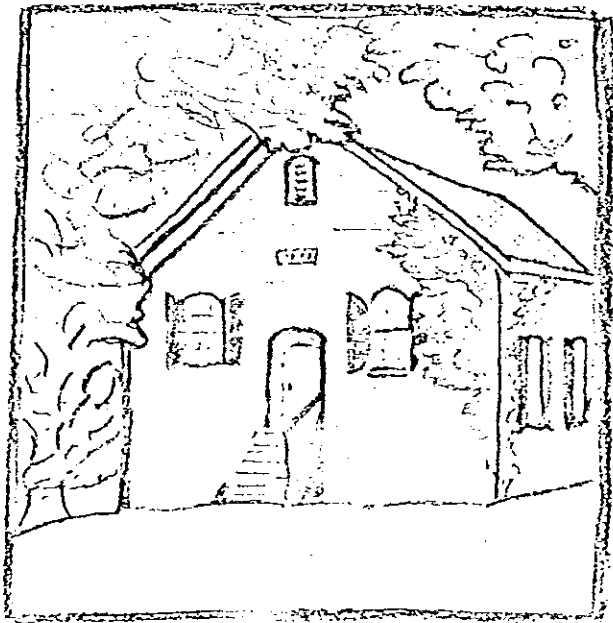




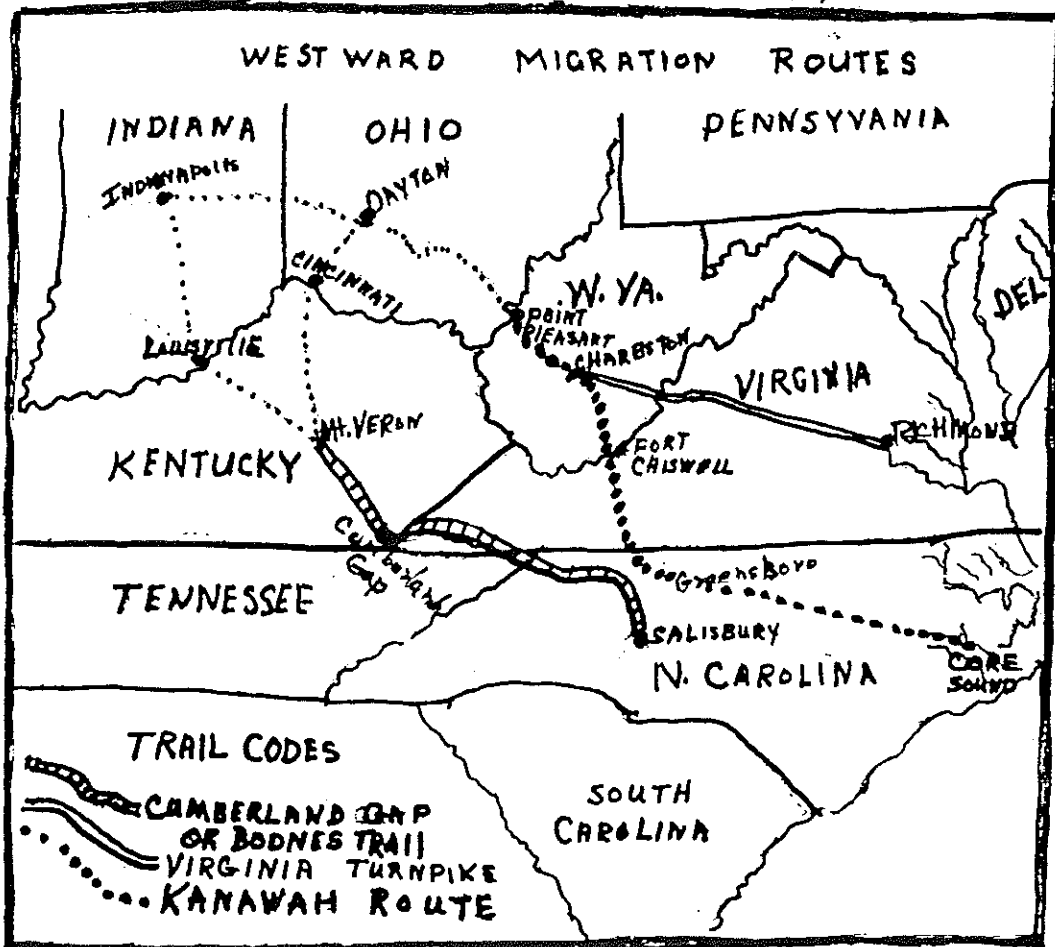
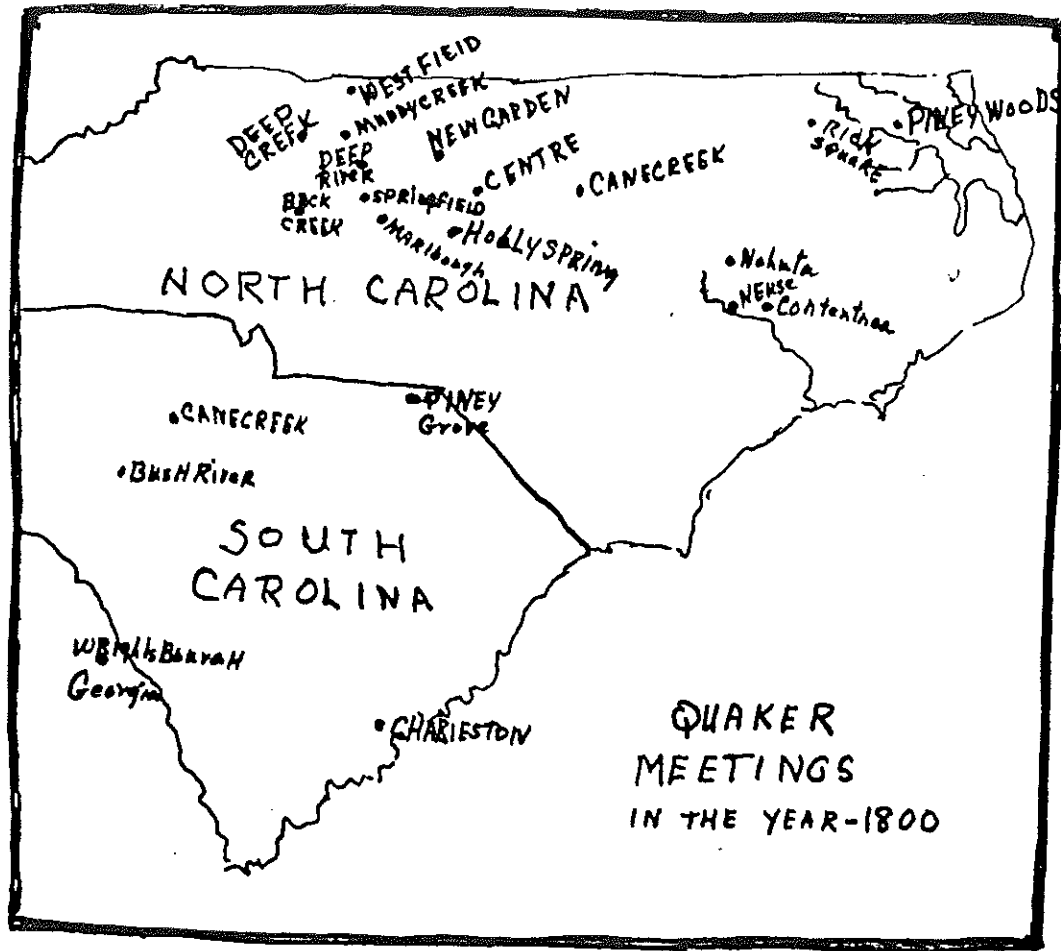
NEW GARDEN IN 1873  
ESTABLISHED - 1754



NEW GARDEN - TODAY  
NOW BELONGING TO THE  
GUILFORD COLLEGE IN  
GREENSBORO, N. CAROLINA



DEEP RIVER MEETING  
SIGN ABOVE ENTRANCE - 1872  
STILL AN ACTIVE SOCIETY  
DEEP RIVER ESTABLISHED -  
1778



1 John & Lucretia  
2 Asnley & Martha  
3 Robert & Cecelia

2 Matthew Brooks & ?  
3 David & Sarah (Sanders)

4 THOMAS JOHNSON  
3-17-1761 Virginia  
3-2-1856  
West Union Cem.  
Monrovia, Indiana

m. 2-5-1785  
Stokes Co NC

Jane Brooks  
9-8-1767 Virginia  
8-22-1853  
West Union Cem.  
Monrovia Indiana

All of Thomas and Janes children were born Stokes Co. North Carolina.

David Brooks Johnson m 8-29-1813  
8-4-1787 Randolph Co NC  
6-18-1853 West Union Cem-Monrovia Ind

Anna Henley da John & Elizabeth\*  
10-15-1797 Randolph Co NC  
9-26-1858 Morgan Co Ind.

Elizabeth Johnson m 1808  
10-14-1789 Randolph Co NC

Thomas Wilson s-Thomas & Eliza\*  
b. Perquimens Co NC

Stayed in NC---- death dates unknown

\* Thomas Wilson Sr d in Perquimens Co NC Elizabeth his wife 2nd m.  
John Henley...making Thomas a half brother to Anna Henley

Anderson Johnson m 1-1-1821  
2-5-1792 Stokes Co NC  
date & place unknown

Anna (Nancy) Crews  
10-20-1800 Winston Salem NC  
1-16-1848 Monrovia Indiana

Robert Johnson 8-29-1794 died young Stokes Co NC

Jesse Brooks Johnson 2-5-1797 died young

Brooks Sanders Johnson m 1821  
6-18-1799 Stokes Co NC  
12-? 1891 Morgan Co Ind.  
Hall Cemetery

da of David Snidor & Elizabeth  
Anna Dorothy (Snidor) Green  
Widow of Jacob Green  
9-22-1794 11-3-1856 Indiana  
Elizabeth (Cline) McClelland  
widow of William

John M. Johnson m 1822  
10-13-1801 Stokes Co NC  
?

Cherity Bostenhammer  
1813  
?

Lived Adams Twp Morgan Co in 1874...came to Ind 1832

Thomas Adams Johnson m 6-25-1836  
2-2-1804 Morgan Co Indiana  
4-14-1878 West Union Cem  
Monrovia Indiana

da-Josiah & Edith (Ballard)  
Elizabeth Jessop /  
3-14-1811 Guilford Co NC  
4-17-1873 West Union Cem  
Monrovia Indiana

Sarah Ann Johnson m ?  
2-17-1806  
11-14-1844 Morgan Co Ind.

David Keims

Hezekiah Johnson m 7-16-1832  
1-14-1809 Stokes Co NC  
8-18-1870 Clayton Cem  
Hendricks Co Indiana

Eliza Jane Green \*see below  
11-9-1815 NC  
4-28-1872 Clayton Cem  
Hendricks Co Indiana

\*Eliza Jane was the da of Jacob and Anna Dorothy (Snidor) Green,  
her mother 2ndly m Brooks Sanders Johnson brother of Hezekiah..

Jane Johnson 11-9-1811 ....died 4-3-1832 Stokes Co NC

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Let us take a deeper look at the family of Thomas and Jane

DAVID JOHNSON and Anna Henley had a total of eighteen (18) children, out of this large family only three died before becoming adults. David found his bride-in Randolph Co NC where she lived near Anderson Johnson his uncle. She was a member of the Deep Creek Meeting, being dismissed for marrying a Methodist and leaving the Society of Friends. They lived in Stokes Co until 1834, moving to Kenawah (now West Virginia) staying there until 1842 when the move was made to Morgan Co Indiana.

ELIZABETH JOHNSON chose to stay in Stokes Co after marrying Thomas Wilson and raised a family of four girls and two boys.

ANDERSON JOHNSON and Anna Crews had eight children, the last child being born in Morgan Co and tradition says Anderson died on the way here.

BROOKS SANDERS JOHNSON migrated to Morgan Co with his wife, Anna Dorothy and their family of eight children in 1834 to settle in Gregg Township. They were charter members of the Hall, Methodist Episcopal Church.

JOHN M JOHNSON and wife Chirity were the parents of eleven, four being born in North Carolina and the other seven after they moved to Morgan Co in 1832. The Morgan Co Peoples Guide show them living in Adams Township in 1874...their property was located about two miles south of Stilesville and it is assumed their graves are in the "Old Christian Church burying ground" that was nearby, yet no stone marks their resting place.

THOMAS ADAMS JOHNSON came to Morgan Co Ind with his parents in 1834, or some records state he migrated before, possibly coming up with one of the brothers. After his marriage to Elizabeth, twelve children were born but only six lived to adulthood near Monrovia Indiana

SARAH ANN JOHNSON KEIMS is a mystery, we know she married in NC and died in Morgan Co....nothing more has been found on this branch of our family.

HEZEKIAH JOHNSON raised in the Methodist church became a minister in the same denomination, yet later he changed to the Christian Church, still retaining licence and beliefs. He lived in Adams Township Morgan Co Ind until 1867, when he purchased a grocery in Clayton, Hendricks Co Indiana.

- 1 John & Lucretia
- 2 Ashley & Martha
- 3 Robert & Cecelia
- 4 Thomas & Jane (Brooks)

4 Jacob Green & Anna (Snidor)

<p>⑤ <u>HEZEKIAH JOHNSON</u>          1-14-1809 Stokes Co NC          8-18-1870 Clayton Cem          Hendricks Co Indiana</p>	<p>m 7-16-1832          Stokes Co NC</p>	<p><u>Eliza Jane Green</u>          11-2-1815 North Carolina          4-28-1872 Clayton Cem          Hendricks Co Indiana</p>
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Children born Morgan Co Indiana, Adams Twp where Hezekiah and Eliza lived until 1867, moving to Clayton where he engaged in a merchantile business along with being a Methodist Minister until his death.

<p><u>Henry Brooks Johnson</u>          7-19-1833 Stokes Co NC          10-14-1905 Clayton Cem          Hendricks Co Ind</p>	<p>m 3-2-1854          Morgan Co Ind.</p>	<p><u>Polly Ann Kivett da Peter &amp; Mary</u>          1-8-1837          4-27-1917 Clayton Cem          Hendricks Co Ind</p>
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<p>Wm Harrison Johnson          11-12-1835          9-9-1891 Clayton Cem          Hendricks Co Ind</p>	<p>m 3-29-1859          Morzan Co Ind</p>	<p>Mary (Polly) Shoemaker          4-12-1832          9-22-1891 Clayton Cem          Hendricks Co Ind</p>
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<p>Elhanon Johnson          9-20-1836          6-20-1926 Clayton Cem</p>	<p>m</p>	<p>Elizabeth McClure</p>
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<p>Eli Brinton Johnson          8-12-1840          9-10-1924 St Louis, Missouri</p>	<p>m 10-24-1867          Hend. Co Ind</p>	<p>Ellen Mariah Cornett          4-17-1846          8-6-1920 St Louis Missouri</p>
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<p>Nancy Jane Johnson          9-2-1843          2-12-1867 Hall Ind---</p>	<p>m 4-?-1864          Morgan Co Ind</p>	<p>David McClellan          birth of her only child.</p>
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<p>Candacy D. Johnson          about 1847          2-5-1930 Clayton Cem</p>	<p>m 9-17-1867          Hend. Co Ind</p>	<p>Mote R. Hopewood          b. ?-?-1842          ?</p>
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<p>Lorenzo Don Johnson          5-14-1851          8-16-1930 Memorial Park          Indianapolis Ind</p>	<p>m 6-18-1873          Hend Co Ind</p>	<p>da of John &amp; Sarah (Nichols)          Frances V. Garrison          b. ?          7-10-1936 Indianapolis Ind</p>
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Clifford Johnson ) birth dates are unknown for these two boys  
 Oliver Johnson ) both died in their youth or infancy--buried at Hall

The boys in this family followed their fathers example by becoming merchants. Elhanon helped him in the grocery before moving to Indianapolis where he pruchased his own store. Wm Harrison had a combined store and Post Office in Lake Valley. Eli Brinton became a successful real estate salesman. Henry Brooks farmed in Adams Twp until 1884, moving to Liberty Twp Hendricks Co to a large farm on what is now US40 and also operated a butcher shop in Clayton. Both Henry and Eli were members of the Indiana Volunteers during the Civil war. Lorenzo was president of Clayton Bank.

Henry B. Johnson }  
 Polly Ann Smith }  
 SS: }  
 It is remembered, that on this 29<sup>th</sup> day  
 of February A. D. 1854, the following  
 Marriage License was issued, to-wit:

**STATE OF INDIANA, MORGAN COUNTY, SS.**

TO ANY PERSON EMPowered BY LAW TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGES, GREETING:

You are hereby authorized to join together as Husband and Wife, Henry B. Johnson  
 and Polly Ann Smith, and of this, together with your Certificate of Marriage, make  
 due return, within three months, according to the Laws of the State of Indiana.

Witness, Wm. R. Dargatzis, Clerk of our said Morgan Circuit  
 Court, and the said theory, appeared at the Clerk's Office in Martinsville,  
 Indiana, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1854.

W. R. Dargatzis  
 Clerk of the Morgan Circuit Court.

It is further remembered, that on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, A. D. 1854  
 the following Certificate was filed in my office, to-wit:

**STATE OF INDIANA, MORGAN COUNTY, SS.**

I, William Brown, hereby certify that on the 29<sup>th</sup> day  
 of February A. D. 1854, I duly joined in Marriage, Henry B. Johnson  
 and Polly Ann Smith, by authority of Law and a License from the Clerk of the  
 Morgan Circuit Court.

Given under my hand, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 1854.

William Brown J. P.

- 1 John & Lucretia
- 2 Ashley & Martha
- 3 Robert & Cecelia
- 4 Thomas & Jane (Brooks)
- 5 Hezekiah & Elizā J. (Green)

5 Peter Kivett & Marywolfe

⑥ HENRY BROOKS JOHNSON  
 7-9-1833 Stokes Co NC  
 10-14-1905 Clayton Cem  
 Hendricks Co Ind

m 3-2-1854  
 Morgan Co Ind

Polly Ann Kivett  
 1-8-1837 Morgan Co Ind  
 4-27-1917 Clayton Ind  
 Hendricks Co Ind

Some records quote that Henry's parents came to Ind shortly after their marriage in 1832... Census records say Henry was born in NC, so he probably was a small baby when the journey was made. He served in the 99th Indiana Volunteers from 1862 until his discharge in June 1865. After marriage they made their home in Adams Twp. Morgan Co until 1884 when they purchased the farm on the Old National Road (US40) south of Clayton. In 1892 they moved into Clayton where he operated a butcher shop, with a delivery route.

Alonzo Green Johnson  
 4-14-1855  
 12-17-1912 Clayton Cem

m 1875  
 Morgan Co Ind  
 2n m 11-17-1883  
 Hendricks Co Ind.

Mollie Brown  
 Letetia Docia Brown  
 9-16-1863 8-20-1938

Lucy Celestina Johnson  
 9-8-1857  
 5-27-1915 Clayton Cem

m 2-24-1878  
 Hendricks Co Ind  
 2n m

John Wesley Elmore  
 John Jackson

Columbus Elsworth Johnson  
 6-13-1861  
 5-1-1933 Clayton Cem

m 11-10-1892  
 Hendricks Co Ind

Caroline M. Hutchins  
 2-17-1873  
 3-21-1948 Clayton Cem

Mary Elora Johnson  
 5-8-1866  
 4-16-1966 almost 100 yrs  
 Clayton Cem

m 12-28-1919  
 Hendricks Co Ind  
 2n m

Albert East  
 2-10-1859 9-24-1934  
 Frank Shields

Obe Haskell Johnson  
 9-21-1869  
 1-31-1964 Clayton Cem

m 3-29-1893  
 Hendricks Co Ind

Ora Ann Richardson  
 6-7-1874  
 1-31-1950 Clayton Cem

Ida Ellen Johnson  
 2-10-1873  
 4-7-1973--100 yrs 2 mo.  
 Clayton Cem

m 9-5-1973  
 Hendricks Co Ind

Harvey G Smith  
 1867-1950 Clayton Cem

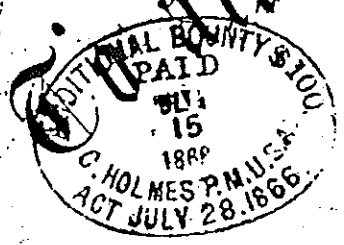
Mauda Belle Johnson  
 8-3-1877 \*  
 4-16-1969 Clayton Cem

m 12-25-1902  
 Hendricks Co Ind

Elmer Winstead  
 1-11-1875  
 5-21-1934 Clayton Cem  
 Jesse D Kirkpatrick  
 1-18-1953 age 90 yrs

\*No one seemed to know exactly when Mauda was born, for she had cut the date out of her fathers bible. Recently in talking to a granddaughter of Lucy, (Mauda's sister) this date was verified for her sister had kept the record even though Mauda did not want anyone to know her age. Since she had no children, it is hoped that no one is offended by revealing this.

All whom it may Concern



Print in full  
June 14 1865  
By Maj L. McTernell  
Paymaster  
U.S.A.

Know ye, That George Johnson  
Corporal of Captain Benjamin F. Small  
Company, (G) 99th Regiment of Indiana Infantry  
VOLUNTEERS, who was enrolled on the Twentieth day of August  
one thousand eight hundred and Sixty Two to serve Three years or  
during the war, is hereby **Discharged** from the service of the United States  
this fifth day of June, 1865, at Washington D.C. by reason of Expiration of Service  
(No objection to his being re-enlisted is known to exist.)

Said George Johnson was born in Indiana in the State of Indiana, is Twenty Three years of age,  
Six feet inches high Light complexion, Blue eyes,  
Light hair, and by occupation, when enrolled, a Farmer  
Given at Washington D.C. this fifth day of  
June 1865.

Joseph Nelson Major 20th C.V.V.  
A.C. No. 25 Dist. AC  
Commanding the Regt.

This sentence will be erased should there be anything in the conduct or physical condition of the soldier rendering him unfit for the Army.  
A. G. O., No. 99.

Benjamin F. Small  
Capt 60th Ind. Inf.



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POLLY ANN'S OWN STORY

This letter was written by Polly (Kivett) Johnson at the request of the editor of a Hendricks County newspaper in approximately 1910.

Dear Editor: As I am a little too old to be called a school-girl any more, I will give you a little sketch of my early life. I was born in 1837 and married in 1854. We went to keeping house soon after in a one room cooper shop with a puncheon floor, two beds, one table and six chairs, which were all made by hand. Such things as carpets and cook stoves were uncommon in those days. I had a large fireplace that I did my cooking and all my work by for seven long years. Our live stock consisted of one horse and a cow. In a year my husband bought sixty acres of land, all unimproved except four acres. He sold the horse and cow to make the first payment; put up a one room log house in the green woods and moved to it the 6th of November. Not having any chimney nor a fireplace, I had to cook by a log heap outdoors and put up blankets for door shutters; had to go to work next day and make up mortar and daub the cracks in the house for it turned pretty cold that night, got fixed up so we could make out. Then my husband went to work for his uncle for seventy-five cents a day, walking a mile and a half, starting in the morning before daylight and returning home after dark. While I worked in the house in the daytime at night we would go out and pick chunks and brush and burn them until eleven o'clock when we would return to the house. We were happy as could be. In a few years we got enough ground cleared to raise some live stock, especially sheep. We sheared the wool from their backs, washed it, picked it, had it carded into rolls, and I then spun it into thread, colored and wove it into cloth, with which I made our clothes.

Then the Civil War broke out and in 1862 my husband volunteered and was gone for three years, leaving me with three little children and our home to see after, which wasn't quite paid for. Of course, I made a little money from the farm and my husband sent me part of his monthly

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Ola H. Johnson  
TO  
Ora G. Richardson  
SS:

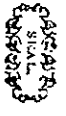
Be it Remembered, That on this 29th day of  
March 1893 the following  
Marriage License was issued, to-wit:

INDIANA, TO-WIT: HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS:

TO ALL WHO SHALL SEE THESE PRESENTS, GREETING:

KNOW YE, that any persons empowered by law to solemnize Marriages, is hereby authorized to join together as Husband and Wife Ola H. Johnson and Ora G. Richardson and for so doing this shall be his sufficient authority.

In Testimony Whereof, I David Hadley Clerk of the  
Hendricks Circuit Court, hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of said  
Court, at Danville, this 29th day of March 1893



Be it Further Remembered, That on this 13th day of April 1893, the following  
Certificate was filed in my office, to-wit:

STATE OF INDIANA, TO-WIT: HENDRICKS COUNTY, SS:

THIS CERTIFIES, that I joined in Marriage, as Husband and Wife Ola H. Johnson  
and Ora G. Richardson on the 29th day of March 1893  
Geo T McLaughlin - Minister

- 1 John & Lucretia
- 2 Ashley & Martha
- 3 Robert & Cecelia
- 4 Thomas & Jane
- 5 Hezekiah & Eliza Jane
- 6 Henry Brooks & Polly Ann

- 5 Daniel & Dorcas
- 6 Daniel Wesley
- 5-James & Jerina & Mary Ann (Carter)

⑦ OBA HASKELL JOHNSON m 3-29-1893 Ora Ann Richardson  
 9-21-1869 Morgan Co Ind Hend. Co Ind 6-7-1874 Hendricks Co Ind  
 1-31-1964 Clayton Cem v 1-31-1950 Clayton Cem  
 Hendricks Co Ind Hendricks Co Ind

Five sons were born to Obe and Ora on the Hickory Vale Stock and Grain Farm, located south of Clayton in Liberty Township Hendricks Co.

Morris Johnson m 6-20-1910 Blanche Winkler  
 9-29-1894 8-17-1894  
 3-30-1976 Center Valley  
 Hendricks Co Ind.

Morris & Blanche had two children... James Haskell born 9-7-1914 and Mary Catherine born 5-11-1918 died 1968 ....at present date (1981) he is now residing with his son.

Chester Henry Johnson m 8-3-1921 Nora Marguerite Kapp  
 9-21-1897 Bozeman Montana 11-5-1895  
 9-18-1975 Nampa Idaho 2m m 9-12-1964 Winifred Amelia Sullivan  
 Anchorage Alaska 12-20-1906

Chester & Nora were parents of three children... Donald Haskell, David Thomas, and Alice Montana, all born in Livingston Montana.

Kerneth Obe Johnson m 5-26-1928 Elsie Mae Underwood  
 3-14-1903 7-12-1903

Parents of two... Lois Ann born 10-20-1935 and Daniel Hudson born 4-18-1942. This couple reside Leigh Acres, Florida

Roy Carter Johnson m 8-18-1934 Esther Evelyn Edmondson  
 6-24-1910 3-13-1910  
 11-25 1978 Clayton Cem

Two Children were born to this marriage... Philip Carter on 6-3-1938 and Margaret Ann, on 3-19-1941

Merrill Kivitt Johnson m 6-21-1938 Elva Irene Harris  
 5-24-1912 12-8-1916

Merrill and Elva presently reside in Columbus, Ind. They have three children... Edward William born 5-24-1941, Merrilyn Sue born 12-18-1942 and Douglas Steven born 3-19-1948

- 1. John and Lucretia
- 2. Ashley and Martha
- 3. Robert and Cecelia
- 4. Thomas and Jane
- 5. Hezekiah and Eliza Jane
- 6. Henry Brooks and Polly Ann
- 7. Oba and Ora
- 8. Roy and Esther

⑨ PHILIP CARTER JOHNSON m. 6-3-1972  
 b. 6-3-1938 Marion Co. Indiana

CAMILLE DIANE SOBOLAK  
 b. 4-19-1939

Children:

Michael Carter b. 1-30-1974 in Flint, Michigan  
 Daniel Roy b. 9-15-1976 in Flint, Michigan

⑨ MARGARET ANN JOHNSON m. 8-10-1963  
 b. 3-19-1941 Marion Co. Indiana

JOSEPH HOOVER STAFFORD  
 b. 6-5-1939

Children:

Mary Ann b. 9-3-1964 in Lafayette, Indiana  
 Donald Gordon b. 11-14-1965 Near Flint, Michigan (by adoption)  
 Susan Dawn b. 4-7-1967 near Flint, Michigan (by adoption)  
 David Joseph b. 9-10-1967 in Cambridge, Massachusetts  
 Katherine Elizabeth b. 3-13-1969 near Flint, Michigan (by adoption)

The following article written by Roy Carter Johnson was published in the HISTORY OF HENDRICKS COUNTY 1914-1976.... Esther has most graciously given permission for this copy, about his father.

Oba Johnson joined his father Henry in operating a butcher shop in Clayton. A delivery wagon had to be loaded and on the route to the surrounding area by three o'clock in the morning so the customers could have fresh meat for their breakfast.

After their marriage, Oba and Ora built their new home on eighty acres of land in Liberty Township, on the north side of Road 900S. Only part of this land had been cleared of trees as they started farming operations. In the next years, Oba continued clearing his fields, cutting beech for firewood and delivering it to fuel the heating stoves at the Buffalo School a mile north on Road 800S. Oba and Ora became members of Salem Methodist Episcopal Church in June 1903 and continued to be devoted and active members to the end of their lives.

A good business sense and the cooperative efforts of his family allowed Oba to operate his farm efficiently, to add to his acreage and to provide educational opportunities for his sons. Known as "Obe" to his close associates, he was a respected member of his community and his counsel was sought with value by many. In 1921 he completed the purchase of the ninety-seven acres adjoining his first farm. The development of this farm known as the Hickory Vale Stock and Grain Farm included the relocation of the former Baptist "Old Chapel" and converting it into a stock-grain barn.

In 1942, their children all having become independently situated, Oba and Ora moved to Hazelwood to a homestead formerly owned and occupied by Dr. F. N. Wright as office and residence. These buildings were located on the west side of Road O, approximately one-eighth mile south of the intersection with Road 1000S.

Note: This article also included the names and birthdates of Obe and Ora's five sons which are shown on the preceding page of this book. CJM

OUR RICHARDSON-BARKER HERITAGE

Daniel Richardson born 3-22-1808 in Yadkins Co North Carolina was the eldest of six children born to Christopher and wife Lovey who came to this country from Ireland shortly after their marriage in Germany. In 1824 they settled along Leaf Creek near what is presently known as the Randolph County seat of Ashboro, North Carolina. Not far away on Sandy Creek lived the family of Jeremiah Barker and Mary(Beeson) consisting of six sons and four lovely daughters. Dorces Barker born 11-8-1804 NC and Daniel Richardson were married 9-24-1829. Their honeymoon was spent sharing one horse to carry all their worldly possessions across through the mountains and wilderness to the new state of Indiana.

A diary by Martha Richardson records the events as told to her by her grandfather Daniel, with added notes by her grandmother. I quote; It was a long and lonesome journey with just a blazed path through a dense forest full of wild beast and varrints such as wild cats, panthers, and wolves. One evening as they were riding late to find a place to stop overnight they heard a scream and looking up saw a wildcat almost ready to jump on them. Their horse sensed the danger and saved them. Unquote.

Two sisters of Dorces had married Craven brothers migrating to Indiana a year previously, also her brothers Samuel and Beeson with their spouse were ready and waiting to help build a cabin for the newlyweds. Daniel purchased 160 acres one fourth mile north of the area which was later called Center Valley at a cost of \$1.25 per acre. A large part of this was paid for by money he recieved for wprking on the National Road (40) where his wages were 35¢ per day.

By 1832 the remaining brothers and sisters, including her mother were now in Morgan Co Ind (county line change in 1868 making this a part of Hendricks Co.)... Jeremiah Barker, her father had died Randolph Co 1825. Center Valley Primitive Baptist Church was formed in 1832, our Barker's Richardson, the Craven's, Peter and Polly Kivett, plus a few others were charter members of this church.

4 Christopher Richardson & Lovey English 6 Jeremiah Barker & Mary (Beeson)

5 DANIEL RICHARDSON	m 9-24-1829	5 Dorcas Barker
3-22-1808 Yadkin Co NC	Randolph Co NC	<del>11-8-1804</del> Randolph Co NC
8-26-1860		6-23-1876

Both are buried in the Center Valley Cemetery...located Liberty Twp Hendricks Co Ind, approximately one mile north of Interstate 70 on 39.

6th generation

Alfred Hadley Richardson	m 1851	Sarah Elizabeth Round
9-6-1830		5-14-1833 6-26-1860 C. V.
8-11-1888 Center Valley	2n m 1-14-1862	Hannah Kenton Jones
	Hendricks Co Ind	11-26-1845 Logansport Ind
		5-11-1934 Center Valley

William Beeson Richardson	m 11-24-1850	Mary Elizabeth Hurd
12-8-1831	Hend Co Ind	10-30-1831 Hardin Co Ky
11-7-1890 Center Valley		3-13-1904 Center Valley

John Thomas Richardson	m 1-1-1854	Hester Larimore
5-19-1833	Hend Co Ind	7-15-1833 8-17-1863 C. V.
2-7-1867 Center Valley	2n m 1-5-1864	Molsey Jane Lambert*
	Hend Co Ind	1833 1911 C. V.

\*John's 2n wife-Molsey Jane was the daughter of Sarah (Craven) Lambert

Christopher Richardson b 8-11-1836 d 10-11-1838 Center Valley

<u>Daniel Wesley Richardson</u>	m 1-1-1860	<u>Mary Ann Carter</u>
11-3-1837	Hend Co Ind	10-10-1840 Morgan Co Ind
9-17-1876 Center Valley		1-6-1929 Center Valley

Lovey Caroline Richardson	m 9-3-1862	Solomon Scotten
1840	Hend Co Ind	1836
1914 Center Valley		1922 Center Valley

Emmaline Dorcas Richardson	m 12-25-1860	Ira M Bray
2-17-1842	Hend Co Ind	1840
6-3-1913 Center Valley		1924 Center Valley

Jeremiah Denis Richardson	m 4-29-1866	Amanda York
1843	Hend Co Ind	1844
1933 Coffeyville Kansas		1927 Coffeyville Ks

Jeremiah moved with his wife and family to Kansas in 1879....he was the only one of the Daniel and Dorcas family to move away from this area, although there were several of their grandchildren did follow the westward movement a few years later.

It is also interesting to note that only Daniel, and none of the rest of his brothers or sisters, came to Ind. The rest married and stayed in the Randolph Co North Carolina area.



4 Christopher & Lovey  
5 Daniel & Dorcas

4 Joshua & Sarah  
5 James M. Carter & Jemima Ward

6 DANIEL WESLEY RICHARDSON	m 1-1-1860	6 Mary Ann Carter
11-3-1837 Hendricks Co	Hendricks Co Ind	10-10-1840 Morgan Co Ind
9-17-1876 Center Valley		1-6-1929 Center Valley

Daniel Wesley farmed and produced livestock on a large scale south of Clayton in Hendricks County Indiana....he was killed near Versailles, Darke County, Ohio in a train wreck while shipping cattle to the East. Their four children were born Liberty Twp -Hendricks Ind

Emra A. Richardson	m 11-30-1887	John H. Bayliss
1861		1-24-1859
1947 Center Valley		10-23-1917 Center Vally

Parents of only one child, Grace 1889-1968, never married

Amanda E. Richardson 3-24-1864 d.6-6-1887 Center Valley not married

John Thomas Richardson	m 10-9-1887	Elizabeth Catherine Thompson
8-12-1867		3-21-1862 11-12-1930 CV
10-9-1947 Center Valley	2n m	Effie Thompson

John continued in his fathers line of work....raising cattle on the homeplace bought by his fether. He and Elizabeth had five children.

Ors Ann Richardson	m 3-29-1893	Obs Haskell Johnson
6-7-1874		9-21-1869
1-31-1950 Clayton Cem		1-31-1964 Clayton Cem

The Carter Family

After Daniel Wesley died, Mary Ann married 1-12-1883 William Preston Cox. Her parents were members of the Salem Methodist Church...located about 2 miles northeast of Center Valley. James Maxwell Carter 1815NC-1903, was the son of Joshua Carter 1779 NC-1857 Ind and Sarah Maxwell 1791-1851.Ind. The wife of James M Carter, Jemima 1814-1878 was the daughter of Anthony Ward 1774NC-1857Ind and Pricilla Lamb 1776NC-1859 Ind. Coming to Morgan Co. in 1822, James M Carter m 7-30-1835 Jemima Ward. Their children were Hannah B Carter 1836-1925 m Abraham B Scotten 1833-1924 both at C.V, Jesse B Carter 1838-1863 70th Reg Ind Vol Co C buried Salem Cem. Mary Ann Crter 1840-1929 see above Martha J Carter 1846-1850 Salem Cem Thomas Carter 1847-1853 Salem Cem Joshua w Carter 1848-1850 Salem Cem Elizabeth Carter 1850-1929 m Thomas Henry Thompson 1852-1933 both C.V. Pricilla A Carter 1857-1865 Salem Cem