The **RAMBO FAMILY TREE**

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Descendents of Peter Gunnarson Rambo

Second Volume: descendents of his grandsons Peter, Mans, Gabriel, and Elias, sons of his firstborn son, Gunnar Rambo

including branches of Anderson, Baldridge, Bower, Cole, Cruzen, DeHaven, Evans, Holstein, Ickes, Jordan, Koplin, Lincoln, North, Reno, Wilson, and Young families.

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DEDICATED, as Beverly did, to

the memory of Carl James Rambo; to his beloved son, Eddie, and the grandchildren he never knew;

and to all of the descendants of Peter Gunnarson Rambo who have inherited his courage, strength, faith, industriousness, loyalty, and other qualities that have helped make this nation great.

By Beverly Nelson Rambo and Ronald Stephen Beatty

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A CD has been created to accompany this volume. The CD contains the complete text of this volume and the other four Rambo Family Tree volumes in Adobe Acrobat read-only format. The CD is filled to capacity with additional Rambo materials, documents, and pictures. It is available for separate purchase from

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The most current Rambo information will always be available on the Rambo Family Tree website at http://sites.google.com/site/rambofamilytree.

Please work with me to improve our Rambo genealogy by sending corrections with proof to the address above or via e-mail to <u>rsbeatty@gmail.com</u>. Your corrections will appear on the website as it is updated. God willing, a third edition of the *Rambo Family Tree* will be published in 2017. Proof is paramount in modern genealogy, so please include source citations for all materials you submit. Rumors abound and several are debunked on the website at http://sites.google.com/site/rambofamilytree/rumors.

INTRODUCTION.

"This history of the Rambo family is an attempt to provide a picture of the progenitor of the family in the New World, and to trace as many of his descendants as was reasonably possible. It has been a very exciting, engrossing, and rewarding search of a family whose members helped to shape this country from the earliest colonial times."

"The following chapters are a chronicle of Peter Gunnarson Rambo, his children and their descendants. ... In compiling this genealogy, we have tried to be as accurate as possible, but errors, omissions, and mistakes may have been made. I apologize for them but hope the reader will accept this history of the Rambo family as 'in the process of evolving.' As new information is discovered, hopefully it can be incorporated into the family history, and help to tie other dangling branches of the family together. In some instances, I have made assumptions about a relationship, based on what information I had, or by ruling out other alternatives. If an assumption proves to be wrong, I am sorry, but perhaps the assumption has provided the incentive needed for others to find or produce the facts needed."

"Census records from 1790 through 1910 were used extensively but were not listed in the references." "Ages for family members listed on census records have been translated to a year, and written as 'ca 1833', meaning 'about 1833.' The actual birthdate could vary a few years one way or the other, as these records were often quite inaccurate".¹

Beverly Nelson Rambo's numbering system is explained in Appendix 1. Beverly's brief synopsis of the early Swedish settlement is expanded in Appendix 2.

Whenever possible, abbreviated footnotes cite the source materials that provided all of the information for each page. All sources relevant to any page appear on the page, but each source appears only once per page. Full reference citations appear in an appendix.

This book strives to use the names and dates as written in contemporary records. There was no standardized spelling in the 17th century among the Swedes, English or Dutch. The apparently preferred spelling of the (Swedish) baptismal name will be used throughout an early settler's biography. However, legal records (especially the will) and quoted records may use a variation or the English or Dutch spelling of the name.

Seventeenth century dates are also confusing. "The Dutch used the New Style (Gregorian) calendar in the 17th century. The Swedes and the English used the Old Style calendar which was then ten days behind. In addition, the English started the new year on March 25th. Thus, the date of 31 January 1693 (to the Swedes) would be rendered as

¹ Beverly Nelson Rambo, *The Rambo Family Tree* (pub. 1987), pp. 9-10.

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10 February 1693 by the Dutch and as 31 January 1692 (sometimes 1692/3) or 31 Eleventh Month 1692 by the English".¹ This book seeks to apply the Swedish dating system whenever appropriate for our 17th century Swedish ancestors.

This edition of *The Rambo Family Tree* contains abstracts of families mentioned in other books, but the original books usually contain much more thorough descriptions of some individuals. Two scholarly works are The 1693 Census of Swedes on the Delaware by Peter Stebbins Craig and Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania by Craig W. Peter Craig is an accomplished historian who is dedicated to discovering Horle. everything about the early Swedish settlement. The 1671 Census of the Delaware was published more recently by Dr. Craig and often cites his earlier work. Other books are genealogies: Ancestors and Descendants of Lucy Ann and George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett by Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine (1988); Swedish Holsteins in America from 1644 to 1892 by Anna M. Holstein (1892); Genealogy and History of the Related Keves, North and Cruzen Families by Millard Fillmore Stipes (1914); The Rambo Heritage by Simmeon Brooks Rambo and Mary Emma Hamrick (1983); Genealogy of the Rambo Family ... edited by George I. Webster from materials of Ormond Rambo, Jr. (1934); A Genealogy of the Bankston (Benkestok) Family by Edna Robertson Vacher (1947); The Ancestors and Descendants of Joseph Mason and Debby Ann Palmer by Kirk B. Barb (1933); Genealogy of the Mattson Family by George Walmsley (1981); Bacon and Allied Families by J. Dean Bacon (1958); The Rambo Family Tree by Kay Cook (1986); Bankston Cousins by Anne Martin Haigler (1998); and A Cramer-King History by Ora Flaningam (2002). BE AWARE that many older genealogies published hypotheses as if fact and promulgated **rumors** which have since been completely disproved.

Unfortunately Beverly's genealogical materials have not survived. She DID NOT specify the disposition of her GENEALOGICAL collection **IN HER WILL**. I arrived in Los Angeles the day after she died to follow her written wishes that her materials be perserved and published. Unfortunately her executor, her sister, has stonewalled all attempts to house those materials properly. Her brother admits to storing much of Beverly's 22 linear feet of Rambo materials in his basement until he moved to Tennessee, at which time they were "disposed." If it is important to you, <u>PUT IT IN YOUR WILL</u>, and describe it accurately (22 linear feet on a bookshelf.)

The most recently revised ASCII version of this book is available on the internet at http://members.aol.com/RamboBook

and will most likely remain at that location for my lifetime and perhaps beyond. The site includes the full text of the book with additional details and footnotes, lists of cousins, book locations, and more, including my e-mail address: rsbeatty@gmail.com

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 8.

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CHAPTER 1. The First RAMBO

A careful search of available records has turned up only one Rambo who came to America, PETER (PEER, PER) GUNNARSON RAMBO. For the next two hundred years, all other Rambos and Bankstons born in the New World were his descendants.

Peter Gunnarson Rambo was an unmarried man of twenty eight when he sailed from Stockholm, Sweden in the winter of 1639. He was one of the settlers on the second voyage of the ship *Kalmar Nyckel* sent to the colony of New Sweden in the Americas. The ship arrived 17 Apr 1640 at Fort Christina on the shores of the Delaware River near Wilmington, Delaware. It is not known why Peter left Sweden for the New World.

Members of the early generations forged farms out of the wilderness, established churches, and took up arms to defend their land and country when it was threatened by its enemies. Their strength and values helped to make this nation strong.

MEANING OF THE SURNAME RAMBO

The writers believe the name Rambo is Swedish in its origin and meaning. The death record of Peter Gunnarson Rambo states that he was from Hisingen, an island formed by the Göta River and now part of the city of Gothenburg, in Bohus & Gothenburg province, Sweden. There is a hill in Hisingen called Ramberget (Raven's Mountain) with a panoramic view of the city and harbor of Gothenburg. PGR's grandson Jacob Bengtsson [#26] stated that his grandfather was first called Peter Gunnarson Ramberg and was from Västergötland, but later changed his name to Rambo.¹ In Swedish the word or suffix "bo" means home or dwelling. Dr. Bengt Wennberg, professor of languages at Drexel University, conferred with Swedish Rambos and concluded that the literal meaning of Rambo was "home of the raven",² i.e. hilltop or side of the mountain.

THE SWEDISH NAMING SYSTEM

The patronymic system of names was used in Scandinavian countries from early times. Children received a first name, and a second name was derived from the name of the father. Therefore Brita Mattsson was Brita, the daughter of Matts, and Peter Gunnarson was Peter, the son of Gunnar. Indeed, records have been found indicating that part of Peter Gunnarson Rambo's wages in 1643 and 1644 were sent home to his father, Gunnar Petersson.³ Since there may have been several Gunnars in a community, it became customary to add the name of the place or farm (gard) to designate a specific person, such as Peter Gunnarson of Ramberget mountain.

¹ Beverly Nelson Rambo, Letters to Ron Beatty, 1987, citing Dr. Craig

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letter to Beverly Nelson Rambo, 23 Oct 1985

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 26

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Under the patronymic system, the first son was named for the paternal grandfather, the second son for the maternal grandfather, the first daughter for the maternal grandmother, and the second daughter for the paternal grandmother. However, this order was not strictly followed in every instance - the child may have been named for a favorite relative or for someone who had passed away. Those who emigrated to the New World soon adopted a surname, such as Rambo, Cock or Bankston, but continued to follow the custom of naming the child for the grandparent. Notice that Peter Gunnarson Rambo's first son was named Gunnar and that all of his children named a daughter Brita.

Other Theories about the Country of Origin of the Rambo Family

The first edition of *The Rambo Family Tree* discussed many theories about the country of origin. Some Rambo family members believe that they are of French, Scotch, English or Wendish origin because similarly spelled family names can be found in those cultures.

Evidence shows conclusively that Peter Gunnarson Rambo was of Swedish origin. His own deposed words were, "We ye Ancient Swedes, planted upon the River Delaware in America".¹ People do not give up their native cultural values, but those values persist for generations. His descendants spoke Swedish and followed Swedish ways for a century. The Christ Church (Old Swedes) census of 1754 listed Andrew Rambo [#14], Michael Rambo [#114] and his children, Ezekiel Rambo [#117] with his wife and mother, Mathias Rambo [#171], and the children of Elias Rambo [#19] as all able to understand and speak Swedish.² PGR's son Peter [#3] and grandson Swan [#31] were owners of a large Bible printed in the Swedish language.³

Family Coat-of-Arms?

The Scandinavian countries of Norway and Sweden did not embrace the feudal system of serfs and lands belonging to the nobility, as did many parts of Europe. Their people were mainly peasants who farmed their own land and who owed allegiance to only King and Church. From their Viking heritage they were very independent, tenaciously guarding their freedoms and opposing those who sought to suppress them. While the nobility owned much land, they relied on the peasants to lease the farms and do the work. Although not an expert in heraldry, the author concludes that Peter Gunnarson Rambo did not have a coat-of-arms, nor did Andrew Bankson [#3], Sven Skute, Peter Cock, or other free men who formed the colony at New Sweden.

¹A.R. Dunlap and C. A. Weslager, "More ... Evidence ...," Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio., vol. 91 (1), p. 35 (1967)

² Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix B, pp. 58-59

³ "Bible Records of Peter and Swan Rambo," Pennsylvania Historical Society

CHAPTER 2: 1st Generation: PETER GUNNARSON RAMBO

PETER GUNNARSON RAMBO was the founder of the Rambo family in America and, as far as can be determined from existing records, was the only one of that name who came to the New World. He was born about 1 Jun 1612 in Hisingen, near Gothenburg, Sweden, son of Gunnar Petersson. Peter Gunnarson Rambo was buried in the churchyard at Wicaco on 29 Jan 1698, one of the last survivors of the original Swedish settlers. When the new church was built [Gloria Dei], the decision was made not to move the grave of the venerable Peter Gunnarson Rambo who had served his church so many years but to build over it. Peter Gunnarson Rambo was single when he journeyed to America, but married BRITA **MATTSDOTTER** from Vasa, Sweden on 7 April 1647. Britta probably was born about 1630 and died 12 October 1693. Peter and his wife had the following children:¹

- 1. GUNNAR RAMBO, b. 6 Jan 1648/49, d. Jan 1724, m. Anneka Cock
- 2. GERTRUDE RAMBO, b. 19 Oct 1650, m. Anders Bengtsson
- 3. PETER RAMBO, b. 17 Jun 1653, d. 12 Dec 1729, m. Magdalena Skute
- 4. CATHERINE RAMBO, b. 1655, m. Peter Mattsson (alias Dalbo)
- 5. ANDERS RAMBO, b. 1658, d. 1698, m. Maria Cock
- 6. JOHN RAMBO, b. 1661, buried 17 Oct 1741, m. Brigitta Cock
- 7. a daughter who married Anders Nilsson Friend²
- 8. a daughter who died at the age of 8 years

His Letter to his Sister undoubtedly written 31 May 1693.

In 1692 the postmaster in Gothenburg wrote a letter to America containing the inquiry of a woman who wanted to know if her brother, Peter Gunnarson Rambo, was still alive in America.³ In May of 1693 Peter Gunnarson Rambo received a letter from his sister in Sweden. Days later he wrote a reply which has been preserved in the *Riksarkivet* (Royal Archives) in Stockholm, along with letters written at the same time by his fellow colonists Charles Springer and Lars Cock. Late in 1986 Dr. Richard Hulan received copies of these letters and translated them. Dr. Peter Craig has given me permission to include the Rambo letter in this family history.⁴

The letter confirms that he married Britta Mattsdotter in New Sweden, that she was alive in 1693, and that they had been married for 46 years. Sweden was his Fatherland, his wife Britta was from Vasa, in Sweden, and they had four sons and four daughters, including one who died at age eight. His third daughter was married and alive when he

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), pp. 26-28 See also http://www.colonialswedes.org/Forefathers/Rambo.html

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 25 Mar 1997 citing Alfred Cook Meyers papers on LDS film # 0567028

³ Israel Acrelius, *A History of New Sweden*, trans. by William Reynolds (reprint, 1972), p. 183.

⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (pub. 1993), pp. 161-162. also Peter Stebbins Craig, *Colonial Records of the Swedish Churches in Pennsylvania*, vol. 1 (2006), pp. 177-181

wrote in May 1693, but neither she nor Britta were mentioned in his new will written on 3 Aug 1694. Peter had 37 grandchildren by Jun 1693 and was about 81 years old when he wrote this letter to his sister (perhaps Rev. Charles Springer was his scribe):

"Highly honored Dear Sister: Greetings! by the power of God, your letter, dear Sister, came into my hands here the 23rd of May, dated Gothenburg, the 16th of November 1692; from which letter I understand your temporal condition; that you are still alive, God be praised which makes me, my wife, and children glad at heart, that I might once again be permitted to hear of your condition and the Fatherland, before it pleases God to call me from this world.

Inasmuch as I have also understood from your letter that you now, and for some years past, have lost your eyesight and hearing (which comes as a great blow for me to hear); and you write to me that I should support you with assistance in your poverty, which I should with all my heart to do, but there is now such discord, war, and naval warfare that there would be great doubt whether you should receive it or not. I have already sent you money several times, but I understand from your letter that you have received none of it. Therefore I beg you, Dear Sister, to have patience until I can hear from you again, and safer conditions may be found for my letters and what I send you.

Now what concerns my trade and conduct, and what my life has been here in this land: after eight years I entered the state of Holy Matrimony with Britta Mattzdotter, who (God be praised) is still living; she also came from Sweden, from Wassa, whom I have lived with in harmony and love for 46 years, and have had with her 4 daughters and 4 sons, but the one daughter when she was 8 years old fell asleep in the Lord. And so I have still 4 living sons and 3 living daughters; all are well provided for and live in plenty with their husbands, wives, and children, so that now from my lineage there are living 37 souls of my children's children.

And I have served faithfully, both the Swedish regime, the Holland Dutch, and now the English: I also sat on the court for 29 years, both in the Swedes and the Hollanders' time; for the Swedes have a rule that no case should be decided at court unless the Swedes had their voice in it; but I am old and can no longer endure that toil. Our nations also live faithfully with one another both in harmony and affection. Our land is a very splendid fruitful land, so that we have no lack of anything on which the sustenance of our bodies and lives depends, for the nearby islands are fed by us with the land's goods, with seed, flour, and beer. We have cause also to thank God that we live in harmony, affection, and faithfulness with the Indians, while the surrounding lands and neighbors have had great duress from the Indians; and I may truthfully say, that God has wonderfully preserved and shielded us and has shown a peculiar grace toward us in this heathenish land.

Nothing more occurs to me to write this time, but my dear wife and children send

greetings to you and all good friends who may or can be found living, hoping for and awaiting your reply by the first ship that can come. Commending you to the protection and care of God Almighty,

Always remaining your most obedient brother until death,

s/Petter Gunnarson Rambo"

His Burial Record

"Four pages of death records from the church at Wicaco were found by Peter Craig, whom I regard as the world's foremost historian of the earliest colonists settlers on the Delaware. They were in the Amandus Johnson papers (box 69, folio 6) at the Balch Institute in Philadelphia and had been copied prior to 1800 by Rev. Nicholas Collin from the now long-lost Gloria Dei (Old Swedes) churchbook of 1697-1750. Under the list of 'Föde i Sverige' (born in Sweden) was an entry in Swedish: 'Peter Rambo of Hisingen, 85 years and almost 8 months [old] buried 29 Jan 1698, married 7 April 1647 - 12 Oct 1693, had 4 sons and 3 daughters Brita Matsdotter.'

"From the entry, we have concluded that Peter Rambo was from Hisingen, an island formed by the Göta River and now part of the city of Gothenburg, in Bohus & Gothenburg province, Sweden. It would seem that Peter was born about Jun 1612, and his wife, Brita, died 12 Oct 1693. ...

"We already knew that Peter's sister lived in the Gothenburg, Hisingen area in 1693 when she asked the postmaster of Gothenburg to inquire in his letter to America about her brother Peter Rambo. At that time Hisingen was divided into an eastern and a western hundred; the western part of Hisingen was ruled by Norway until 1658, while the south-eastern hundred had always been part of Västergötland in Sweden. (Historisk-Geograf-iskt och Statistiskt Lexikon ofver Sverige, Vol. III, pp. 341-43, Stockholm, 1962).

"There is a hill in Hisingen called Ramberget - Raven's Mountain - with a panoramic view of the city and harbor of Gothenburg. The presence of the hill called Ramberget lends more credence to the statement by PGR's grandson Jacob Bengtsson [#26] (see Benson, *Peter Kalm's Travels*, p. 730) that his grandfather was first called Peter Gunnarson Ramberg and was from Västergötland, but later changed his name to Rambo".¹ Beverly Rambo believed the name Rambo is Swedish in its origin and meaning. Dr. Bengt Wennberg, professor of languages at Drexel University, conferred with Swedish Rambos and concluded that the literal meaning of Rambo was "home of

¹ Beverly Nelson Rambo, Letters to Ron Beatty, 1987, citing Dr. Craig, with corrections

the raven".¹ In Swedish the word or suffix "bo" means home or dwelling. Thus, "rambo" might refer to the raven's nest or to a person's home located on the hillside or side of the mountain.

Peter Gunnarson Rambo came to America in 1640.

As a mature man of twenty eight years of age, Peter Gunnarson Rambo signed on with the New Sweden Company to go to America as a colonist. In September of 1639, he sailed on the *Kalmar Nyckel*, but twice the ship sprang leaks and had to turn back for repairs. Storms during December further delayed their departure, but they finally embarked on their journey across the Atlantic on 7 Feb 1640.²

The journey was far from pleasant for the Swedish colonists. The Dutch master of the ship spent his time smoking and drinking with the Company factor. They showed their dislike of the Swedes by scolding and cursing them. Both men were contemptuous of the Lutheran religion and extremely disrespectful toward Rev. Torkillus who was being sent to a post in New Sweden. However, the ship safely reached port in New Sweden on 17 Apr 1640.

Peter Rambo's own recollection was that the ship reached New Sweden on 10 Mar 1640.³ The date of his arrival is confirmed by a roll list of 1648 that showed he arrived on the *Kalmar Nyckel* in 1640.⁴ Additional evidence is obtained from the 1693 church census that listed the persons who were born in Sweden. Opposite the names of "Pet. Rambo" and "And. Bone" were words stating they had been in America for 54 years.⁵

Peter Gunnarson Rambo the Early Years

Upon arriving in New Sweden, Peter Rambo lived at Christina near the fort and was employed as a farm hand at ten guilders per month. In 1643 and 1644 he sent part of his wages home to his father in Gothenburg, Gunnar Petersson (Gumma Peersson, Gunmundt Persson).⁶ The roll list of the colony by Governor Johan Printz dated 1644 named "Perr Gunnarson Rambo" as cultivating tobacco for the Swedish West Indies Company on the plantation at Christina.^{7,8}

On 1 Nov 1644 Peter Rambo became a freeman and settled on a plantation near Cobbs Creek in Kingsessing, located in present day West Philadelphia. Heavy rains in 1652

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letter to Beverly Nelson Rambo, 23 Oct 1985

² Amandus Johnson, The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664 (pub. 1927), p. 89 [1914 ed.]

³ A.R. Dunlap and C. A. Weslager, "More ... Evidence ...," Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio., vol. 91 (1), p. 38

⁴ Amandus Johnson, *The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664* (pub. 1927)

⁵ Peter Kalm, *Tillagg Till Dagboken*, p. 206

⁶ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), pp. 26-27

⁷ Albert Cook Myers, Narratives of Early Pennsylvania, West Jersey and Delaware, 1630-1707 (pub. 1912), p. 111

⁸ Prof. Odhner, "Founding of New Sweden," trans. Gregory Keen, Pennsylvania Magazine of History & Bio., vol. 3 (4), p. 402

damaged many of the crops, but evidently Peter Rambo had some surplus grain as he was charged by Gov. Printz for illegally selling grain to the Dutch. A short time later, Peter was one of twenty-two freemen in the Kingsessing area who signed a bill of complaint against Gov. Printz on 27 Jul 1653.¹ They complained that their lives and property were not safe from dangers, that Printz imposed his will over that of the jury, prohibited settlers from trading with Christians or the savages, forbade the colonists from grinding their own grain at the mill, and withheld the use of rivers, woods and land needed for their sustenance.

Governor Peter Ridder and his successor, Johan Printz, complained that many settlers were inept and unskilled, but a few capable men like Peter Gunnarson Rambo rose to positions of leadership in the newly established colony. Capt. Sven Skute, Peter Cock, Peter Rambo, and Olof Stille served on councils and committees and figured prominently in colonial affairs. Several of their children and grandchildren intermarried. Peter Rambo's son Peter [#3] married the daughter of Sven Skute; his sons Gunnar [#1], Anders [#5], and John [#6] married daughters of Peter Cock, who arrived in New Sweden in 1641.²

On 30 August 1655, Peter Rambo volunteered to proceed south by canoe to help defend New Sweden against the Dutch invasion.³ It is not known that he did go south for on 7 Sep 1655 he was a member of the group of Swedes who met with Dutch Governor Peter Stuyvesant. On the 16th of September, he was present at a Council meeting where they agreed not to accept Stuvvesant's offer to return New Sweden to Governor Rising. The colony then passed from Swedish to Dutch rule, and in 1656 Governor Stuyvesant granted them a measure of self rule. These officers were elected 8 May 1656: Sven Skute as Captain, Anders Dalbo as lieutenant, Jacob Svensson as ensign, Gregorius van Dyck as sheriff, and Olof Stille, Matts Hansson, Peter Rambo, and Peter Cock were They performed their duties proficiently and gained the selected as magistrates. confidence of the Dutch authorities. The Dutch hired the Swedes in Kingsessing to chop wood for export from the estate of Elmerhuysen Cleyn, and on 3 Dec 1657 a Dutch officer made payment to Pieter Rambo of "1½ jugs brandy; also; ½ barrel of beer, for f20; and food" worth 38 guilders for the workmen. On 17 Jun 1658 payment of 134 guilders was made for "23 ells of duffel [and] ¹/₂ anker of brandy".⁴

By 1669 Peter Gunnarson Rambo moved to Passyunk on the east side of the Schuylkill River opposite Aronameck. The patent for this 300 acres of land was dated 1 Oct 1669.⁵ It is here that he spent the rest of his days, living with his son Andrew [#5] after the death of his wife Britta.

⁴ Charles T. Gehring, New York Historical Manuscripts: Delaware Papers (Dutch) 1648-1664, vols. 18-19, pp. 256, 259

¹ Amandus Johnson, Swedish Settlements on the Delaware, 1638-1664 (reprint, 1969), p. 463

² A.R. Dunlap and C. A. Weslager, "More ... Evidence ...," *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 91 (1), p. 38

³ Amandus Johnson, Swedish Settlements on the Delaware, 1638-1664 (reprint, 1969), pp. 602, 664

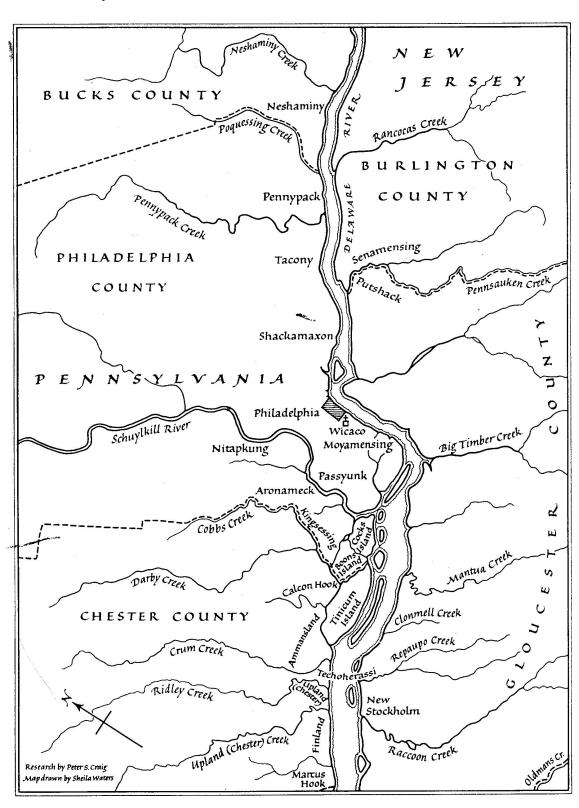
⁵ Charles T. Gehring, New York Historical Manuscripts: Delaware Papers (English) 1664-1682, vols. 20-21, p. 29

His wife: Brita Mattsdotter

"There were two men named Matts Hansson in New Sweden; both were single men when they arrived. Brita could not be the daughter of either of them. No other candidate named Matts appears. Thus, she either arrived in the family of a stepfather or came as a maidservant. I think the latter is most likely. It is quite possible that Brita Mattsdotter was the unnamed servant girl who came to New Sweden in 1641 with Lieutenant Måns Nilsson Kling and his wife and child. Kling was commander of the Swedish fort on the Schuylkill at the time when Peter Rambo and Brita Mattsdotter were married. Kling returned to Sweden with his family in 1648. Kling has been described as a 'Swedish Finn,' meaning that he was an ethnic Swede who resided in Finland when he came to America. Brita came from Vasa in Finland and was also probably an ethnic Swede".¹

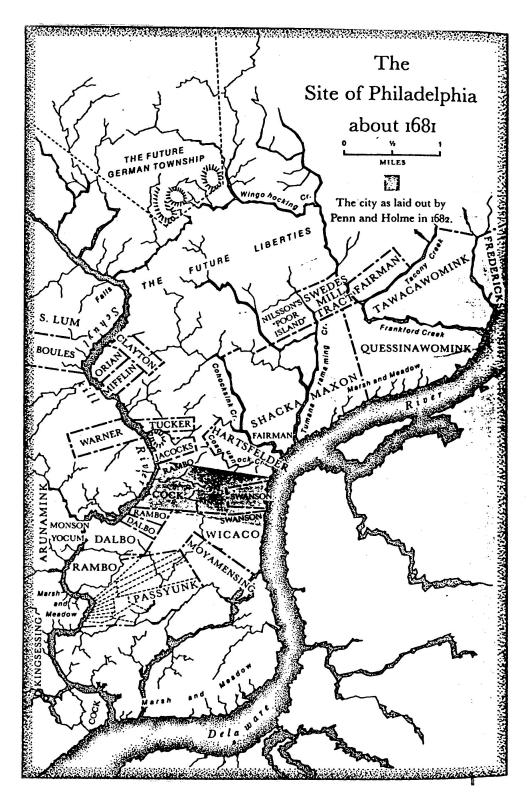
http://sites.google.com/site/RamboFamilyTree

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 26 Jan 1999



1693 Service Area of the Swedish Log Church at Wicaco by permission of Dr. Peter Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware*

http://sites.google.com/site/RamboFamilyTree



Location of Rambo lands on the Schuylkill River, 1677 By permission of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania

His Court Experiences

Peter Gunnarson Rambo served on the Council of New Sweden during Governor Rising's rule in 1655.

Most legal and governmental affairs of the settlement were handled by the magistrates of the court. Only one court existed in what is now Pennsylvania until the arrival of William Penn. Peter Gunnarson Rambo served on the court under Swedish, Dutch and English rule for 29 years.¹ He was elected a magistrate of the court in 1656 and served almost continuously until 1680 when he stepped down. The court first met at Tinicum Island but later moved to Upland. The court heard all civil and criminal cases and functioned as a legislative body to levy taxes, to order roads to be built and maintained, to name county officials, etc.

In 1660 and again in March of 1661, Peter Rambo petitioned Gov. Stuyvesant to be discharged as a magistrate, claiming he "has to take care of a very large family and therefore cannot well, unless to his great disadvantage, spare the time to attend to the aforesaid office." His resignation was accepted, but he was again appointed justice on the Delaware River by Gov. Lovelace in 1664.

Historical records show that some court sessions were held at Peter Rambo's house in 1675, that he was repaid for entertaining the governor and other high ranking officials in 1676, and that he heard criminal cases of murder and rape in 1670 and 1672.²

He signed a proposition in 1671 regarding the defense of the Delaware River against Maryland's threatened invasion. On 12 Mar 1677/78, Peter Rambo and his son-in-law Peter Mattson Dalbo [#4] petitioned the court to grant them 200 acres each on the east side of the Schuylkill. Peter also petitioned the court on 13 Nov 1677 for 250 acres between the land of Wicaco and that of Jurian Hertswelder. He lost a court case 13 Mar 1678/79 in a dispute with the Svenson brothers over a tract of land in Wicaco when they provided evidence of an earlier patent for the land. Another land dispute involved ownership of 12 acres of marshland used by Hans Mansson and Peter Jocum but claimed by Peter Rambo. The jury found Peter Rambo had legally obtained a patent for the marshland; the plaintiffs had not.³

His wife, Britta Rambo, was a witness in a defamation suit bought in the Upland court on 12 Sep 1682. The suit was brought by Harmon Enoch against her son-in-law Peter Mattson alias Dalbo [#4].

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 27

² Charles T. Gehring, New York Historical Manuscripts: Delaware Papers (English) 1664-1682, vols. 20-21, pp. 17, etc.

³ Edward Armstrong, ed., *Record of Upland Court, 1676-1681* (pub. 1860), pp. 67, 87, 134, 181-182. *Records of the Upland Court 1676-1681* is online at website: http://www.westjerseyhistory.org/docs/upland/index.shtml

In 1684 Peter Rambo gave testimony about Dutch settlements established before 1632 along the Delaware River to refute Lord Baltimore's claim to the territory for the state of Maryland.¹ At this time, 25 May 1684, Peter claimed to be 72 years of age, confirming his birthdate of 1612. In one deposition of "Certain Ancient Sweeds Living on the West side of Delaware," Peter Rambo, Peter Cock, and Hance Monson gave testimony regarding the establishment of New Sweden and the purchase of land: "In the year 1639/40. 10th March one of the abovesaid shipps returned with Peter Holland (Peter Holland Ridder) deputy Governo(u)r for the Sweeds, Peter Rambo, Andrees Bown (Andreas Boon) & severall other Sweeds, who bought Land from an Indian king Named Kekesikkun from the abovenamed distance of a Cannon bullet shott as farr as over against Mekaquatshoe eight miles above Burlington."

In the same document they told of being sent by Gov. Printz in 1651 to Colonel Lloyd, the deputy of Lord Baltimore, in Severn [now Annapolis], Maryland. They were treated kindly during a stay of nine days and were given a letter assuring Gov. Printz there was no claim on the Swedish settlements and lands. Peter Rambo was a man of about forty years when he made this trip.

Interpreter to the Indians

During his years of trading with the Indians, Peter Rambo learned enough of the language to serve as Interpreter. Of interest is a colonial document describing a conference between the governor, magistrates of Newcastle, and Indian sachems of New Jersey:

"At Newcastle, May 13th 1675

Upon an Appearance of the Indyans before the Vo; & the New Magistrates in the afternoone. They were those who came in the morne, with Mr. S. Edsall, Isr. Helme, and Lanse Cock. The names of the Chiefs were Renowewan of Sawkin on the Eastern side, Ipan Kickan of Rancokeskill, Kitmarius of Soupnapka, Manickty of Rancokestill heretofore all of N. Jersy side. The Govenor declares his desire to continue in friendship with them & his readiness to protect them, & thanks them for their coming down.

They by Israel Helme the Interpreter expresse thie rediness to continue in good friendship, & return their thanks to the Gov. They are told that it is not, that the governor wants their help -- if the other Indyans will bee bad, he can deale well enough with them, but now is wishing to be kind to those that will live quietly and well. They believe so they say.

¹ A.R. Dunlap and C. A. Weslager, "More ... Evidence ...," Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio., vol. 91 (1), pp. 35-45

They are told they must not kick the beasts or swine belonging to the Christians & the Christians shall not doe them any injury, but justice shall be done as they might see today in the case of Jam Sandylands.

The first sachem rises up & walks up & down taking notice of his old Acquaintance P. Rambo & Peter Cock, Lansa Cock with C. Cantwell then taking a band of sewant, he measured it from his neck to the length downward & said his heart should bee so long & so great to the Gov. & the Christians & should never forget the Gov. so presents the belt of wampum, throwing it at the Gov. feet. The next rises up & professing much friendship & thanks to the Gov. for his kind expressions presents another belt of wampum.

The Gov. (Andros) tells them the two belts shall be kept as bands of friendship between them. The belts of sewant were written upon to be kept in token of a continuance of Peace. The first belt was 15, t'other 12 wampum high.

The Gov. presents them with 4 Coates and 4 lappeloathes. They return thanks and fall a kintacooying with expressions of thanks, singing kenon, kenon."

Peter Gunnarson Rambo As Remembered by His Grandson

In 1749 Peter Gunnarson Rambo's grandson was interviewed by Peter Kalm, a young Swedish traveler, and gave this account of the early days in the colony.¹ (Note that the date of PGR's arrival in New Sweden was in error in this account.)

"30 Jan 1749. Mr. Peter Rambo [#65], who lived down in Raccoon, N.J., related to me on the 30th of January, 1749, the following concerning the first coming of the Swedes, which he had heard from his father who had died six years ago and had at the time of his demise been very old [John Rambo [#6]]. His grandfather's name was Peter Rambo [also]; he had been born in Stockholm, had with others been hired to come here, and had gotten his freedom after three years to return to Sweden if he had so desired. Several of these so hired had returned to their homeland, but he had remained. But those who had been sent here because of some misdeed had not been allowed to return.

The first Peter Rambo landed here when the original settlers had been here for four years (1642). He was then unmarried, and when he had been here a short while he married and had several sons of whom this Peter Rambo's father was the youngest. He was born in 1661 and was 12 years younger than his oldest brother.

The original Peter Rambo, when he emigrated, had brought apple seeds and several other

¹ Peter Kalm, *Travels in North America*, trans. by Adolph Benson (reprint, 1964), pp. 712-713

tree and garden seeds with him in a box. He had also taken some rye and barley along. Later when the Englishmen came, he had often told them that his hands had been the very first to sow seed in the settlement, thereby announcing that the first Swedes had not brought these seeds with them, and that consequently no European seed had been sown here before he upon his arrival had made a beginning.

His grandfather had prospered, so that Governor Penn had often lodged at his house; and when the English first came here it had been rather difficult for some of them, so that Rambo not only helped them as much as he could, but for ten years gave to everyone that came to him free food and lodging. The old man was very kind, but liked to drink a bit at times."

The Rambo Apple

The Rambo apple was extensively grown in Delaware, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey. It was also spread to other localities as the early settlers spread south and westward. The apple is advertised by a Georgian nursery as follows:

"The Rambo has pale greenish yellow mottled skin with red strips. The flesh is firm, fine, tender and whitish. It is a subacid apple that begins ripening in early July here in Georgia. It is one of the very best for jelly, pies and dried fruit. It dates back to the late 1500".¹

His Land Holdings

Over the years Peter Gunnarson Rambo acquired a considerable amount of land which he willed to his sons. "Upon moving to Passyunk, Peter Rambo sold his holdings in Kingsessing. His first English patent, issued by Gov. Francis Lovelace on 1 Oct 1669, was for 300 acres at Passyunk on the east side of the Schuylkill.(New York Patents, 3:154). On the same date, Francis Lovelace issued him a patent for 12 acres of marsh on the west side of the Schuylkill, adjoining Hans Mansson. (New York Patents, 3:148). [This was the subject of a later lawsuit with Hans Månsson and Peter Yocum.] The Upland Court granted him 250 acres in Wicaco on 13 Nov 1677 (UCR, 79), but this was later voided when, after litigation, it was decided that this was covered by the Swanson brothers' patent.(UCR, 134). On 12 Mar 1678/9, the Upland Court granted Peter Rambo and his son-in-law Peter [Mattsson alias] Dalbo [#4] 200 acres apiece on the east side of the Schuylkill, above their existing plantations. (UCR, 87). When actually surveyed and laid out, this was 233 acres. Peter Rambo sold his half (116 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres) to William Salway on 1 Sep 1688 for £ 90.(Phila. deeds, Book E-2). On 28 Aug 1685, Peter Rambo purchased from Lasse Cock 15 acres of marsh adjoining his home plantation.(Phila. deeds, E-1:129-130). In West Jersey, Peter Rambo on 1-2 Nov. 1682 acquired 1/8 share

¹ James Lawson Nursery, Ball Ground, GA 30107, 1985. See also The Apples of New York,

(about 625 acres) in Gloucester County (NJA, 21:399), 257 acres of which was sold by his sons Gunnar [#1] and John Rambo [#6] on 20 July 1698.(NJA, 21:671) Peter Rambo never lived on this Gloucester County land".¹ The 300-acre plantation where he lived was on the east side of the Schuylkill at Passyunk. Until modern times his plantation was the site of a large landmark known as "Rambo's Rock." In 1684 census taker John Cock estimated that "Peter Rambo has 600 acres of land whereof he has improved 16 acres".² This was Peter Rambo, Sr. and an estimate by the census taker (John Cock) of his total land holdings, followed by the names of Andrew Rambo [#5], aged 25 years, and John Rambo [#6], aged 22 years.³

The Rambo family was well-known by William Penn who referred to them in his correspondence in 1684 and later. When Delaware County was bought from the Indians by Penn in 1684, the sale was witnessed by Peter Rambo.⁴ Penn wrote from London to Thomas Lloyd on 16 Jan 1685, "Salute me to the Swedes, Captain Cock, old Peter Cock and Rambo and their sons, the Swansons, Andrew Binkson [#2], P. Yoakum, and the rest of them".⁵

Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 3

² Jean R. Soderlund, William Penn and the Founding of Pennsylvania, 1680-1684 (University of Penn. Press, 1983), p. 215

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 5

⁴ H. W. Kriebel, ed., "The Rambo Family, No. 5," The Perkiomen Region, vol. 12 (3.4), p. 104 (Oct 1934) citing Pennsylvania Archives 1st Series, vol. 1, p. 65 ⁵ Theodore W. Bean, ed., History of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, vol. 2 (Everts & Peck, 1884), pp. 1124-1129

His Religion and Church

The family was Lutheran, and Peter Gunnarson Rambo was one of the founders of one of the first Swedish churches in America, located at Wicaco, a short distance south of Penn's Landing in Philadelphia. While records of that time period are scant, his actions as a Justice support his role as founder of the church. "The first church that Rambo would have attended was the log church on Tinicum Island, which was consecrated 4 Sep 1646 by Rev. Johan Campanius. (Thomas Campanius Holm, Description of the Province of New Sweden, 79-80, (1834)). The second church was the log church, built as a blockhouse, which was opened at Wicaco on 9 Jun 1677. (Rudman's account, Gloria Dei records). The cornerstone of Gloria Dei was laid in 1698, after Rambo's death. The church was completed in 1700".¹ There is no evidence to support the statement Peter was a "longtime vestryman" of the church at Wicaco, that Beverly made in the first edition. She had likely confused Peter with his son Peter [#3], who was a warden of the church from 1684 until Sandel [#44] arrived in 1702. It is also not possible to know exactly where his gravesite is located. There is no evidence to support the rumor that his grave is under the alter. Over the altar was suspended the figure of the trumpet-bearing angel, Gabriel, which was commonly found in Swedish churches.

His Will

Peter Rambo's will was signed 3 Aug 1694, probated 6 November 1698, and recorded in Will Book A: pages 423-425, #183. His son Andrew [#5] was designated executor, but he had died by this time, so Peter Rambo Jr. was named executor. The will reads as follows:

"In the name of God Amen, I Peter Rambo Senior of the Countie of Philadelphia in the Province of Pennsilvania in parts of America, being in good health of bodie & in perfect sound mind & memorie, praise be therfore given unto Almightie God, do make & ordain this my Last will & testament in manner & form following; that is to say, first & principally I commend my Soul into the hands of Almightly God hoping through the meritts, death & passion of my Savior Jesus Christ to have full & free pardon & forgiveness of all my Sins and inherit eternal life, And my bodie I committ into the earth to be therein decentlie buryed att ye burying place of Wicacoe, att the discretion of my exer^s [executors] herein after mentioned; and as touching the disposition of all such temporal estate as it hath pleased God in his Mercie to bestow upon mee I give and Dispose thereof as followeth ... FIRST I will that all debts & funeral charges be first paid and discharged ... SECONDLY I give & dispose unto my son Gunner Rambo [#1] three hundred acres of land in West-New-Jersey on Homons Creek ... THIRDLY I give and bequeath unto my Son John Rambo [#6] the tract of land which hee now liveth upon in West-New-Jersey aforesaid Lying on Little Mantua Creek ... FOURTHLY I give unto

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, pp. 3-4

my Son Andreas Rambo that tract of land whereon I now live Containing three hundred fiftie three acres of fast land, marsh, and frirse . As also twelve acres of Meadow ground Lying opposite to the Township of Passayunk on the west side of the creek as also together with fifteen acres of meadow in the township of Passyunk, With all and singular rights priviledges & Appertenances thereunto the said Marsh and priviledges belonging & sipstaining to his Heirs and Assigns forever after my decease, FURTHER I give unto my s^d Son Andreas all my right title and interest in Costers Saw Mill, and FURTHER all my moveables, Lands, goods and Chattells, besides what is particularlie above disposed of, & I equallie give & Dispose thereof unto my Sons Gunner, Peter, Andreas & John Rambo & to Yertrud Bankson [#2] wife of Andreas Bankson & Catherin Dalbo [#4] wife of Peter Dalbo, all which Said Six persons' Hoefore b. justlie equal & order not anie one to have any greater part or share in value than the other of the sd Lands, goods & chattels as aforesd mentioned, AND unto this my Last Will and Testamt[] I ordain and Appoint my Son Andreas Rambo [#5] my full, & sole exer^s to this my Last will and testam[], Revoking annualling and making void absolutie by these presents all will & Wills or testaments whatsoever heretofore by me made either in words or writing and this & none other is to be taken for my Last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I Peter Rambo have Set my hand and Seal the 3rd Day of August 1694." Locus Sigilli Signed Sealed Witnessed by **Robert Langshore** his Peter Dalbo Peter Rambo

Matthias Holstein mark

Lasse Cock

(The witness above, Matthias Holstein, is the older Matthias Claessen alias Holstein.)

A Historian's Opinion

Dr. Peter Craig is the most knowledgeable and dedicated historian of the early Swedes on the Delaware. On page 26 of his book, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware*, he refers to "the revered Peter Rambo." He explains that "The adjective 'revered,' of course, is my opinion. It is based on several factors:

1. PGR in 1693 was the only surviving member of the original Upland Court.

2. His name was placed first in the census.

3. It appears that he was the one primarily responsible for opening up the area above the Schuylkill River for white settlement in 1664. Prior to that time, it had been the center of settlement for the various Lenape tribes.

4. He had been the one visited by William Penn on his arrival and had cooperated in giving affidavits of the early history of the Swedes on the Delaware, which Penn deemed vital in his contest with Maryland over ownership of the 'three lower counties' (present Delaware).

5. Pastor Rudman [#42] gave much more attention to his career in his burial entry than

for others who died during his pastorate at Gloria Dei".¹

Peter Gunnarson Rambo's grandchildren.

Notice that every one of Peter Gunnarson Rambo's children named one son Peter and one daughter Brigitta. John (6) was next most popular male name, followed by Anders (5), Jacob (3), Gabriel (2), Elias (2), Matthias (2), with one each Gunnar, Mans, Joseph, Daniel, Sven, and Bengt. ... Catharina (3), Maria (3), Elizabeth (2), Margaret (2), Martha (2), and one Deborah.

In May 1693, Peter Gunnarson Rambo wrote that he had 37 living grandchildren:

1	12. PETER RAMBO, b. ca 1678, aged 19 in 1697, d. Jul 1753, m. ?
1 2	23. PETER BENGTSSON, b. 6 Mar 1677, d. 1708, m. Catherine Svensson
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	33. PETER RAMBO, b. 20 Dec 1682, d. 1739, m. Margaret Jonason
4	45. PETER MATTSON, Jr., b. 27 May 1685, m. Catharina Bankson [#24]
5	53. PETER RAMBO, b. ca 1691, probably d. before 1739
	65. PETER RAMBO, b. 6 Jan 1694, d. Spring 1753, m. Christina Keen
6	16. BRIGITTA RAMBO, b. ca 1685, m. Matthias Holstein
7	27. BRIGITTA BENGTSSON, b. 10 Apr 1687, alive in the 1697 census
8	32. BRIGITTA RAMBO, b. 10 Mar 1679, d. after 1727.
9	41. BRIGITTA MATTSON, b. 1675, d. Jun 1750, m. Johan Hendricksson
10??	54. BRIGITTA RAMBO, b. ca 1693, will proved 25 Jun 1740.
11	61. BRIGITTA RAMBO, b. 15 Nov 1685, probably d. before 1740, m. Justa Fish
12	11. JOHN RAMBO, Jr., b. ca 1673, d. ca 1746, m. 1) Anna Laicon, 2) Sarah (?)
13	25. JOHN BENGTSSON, b. 31 Mar 1681, d. by 21 May 1739, m. Helena Cock
14??	37. JOHN RAMBO, b. after 1697 or 11 Feb 1693. ²
	48. JOHAN MATTSON, b. 14 Jun 1694, d. Sep 1739, m. Annicka Cock
15	51. JOHN RAMBO, b. ca 1687, d. by 19 Apr 1717, m. Christian (?)
16	64. JOHN RAMBO, b. 6 Jul 1692, d. 3 Jul 1753, m. Anna Laicon
17	14. ANDERS RAMBO, b. ca 1682, aged 15 in 1697, d. 3 Jul 1755
18	22. ANDERS BENGTSSON, b. ca 1672, m. Gertrude Boore
19	34. ANDERS RAMBO, b. 2 Apr 1691, d. Feb 1755, m. Catherine (?)
20	52. ANDERS RAMBO, b. 1689, d. 20 Nov 1753
	67. ANDERS RAMBO, b. ca 1701, buried 27 Jul 1739, m. Catherine Hoffman
21	26. JACOB BENGTSSON, b. 19 Oct 1684, d. by 3 Jan 1767, m. Margaret Cock
	36. JACOB RAMBO, b. 28 Mar 1697, d. 22 Aug 1769
	49. JACOB MATTSON, b. 25 May 1697, m. 1) Lydia Van Culen, 2) M. Runnels
22	17. GABRIEL RAMBO, b. ca 1687, d. ca Nov 1734, m. Christian (?)
	68. GABRIEL RAMBO, b. after 1697, m. Elizabeth Bristol
23	18. MATTHIAS RAMBO, b. ca 1690, aged 7 in 1697, d. before 1724
24	46. MATTHIAS MATTSON, b. 12 Aug 1688, m. Judith Swanson
25??	19. ELIAS RAMBO, b. ca 1693, aged 4 in 1697, will proved 1 Oct 1750

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, email of 31 Jan 2002

² Catherine Criscone

	35. ELIAS RAMBO, b. 7 Feb 1694, probably died young
26	13. GUNNAR RAMBO, b. ca 1680, aged 17 in 1697, d. 1717-1724
27	15. MÅNS RAMBO, b. ca 1684, d. Apr 1760, m. Catharine Boon
28	28. DANIEL BENGTSSON, b. 22 Jan 1691, d. by 11 Apr 1727, m. Elizabeth (?)
	29. JOSEPH BENGTSSON, b. 2 May 1696, d. by 14 Jun 1732, m. Hannah (?)
29	31. SVEN (or Swan) RAMBO, b. 19 Oct 1677, m. 1) Anna Christian, 2) Barbara
30	21. BENGT BENGTSSON, b. ca 1669, m. Catherine Cock
31	24. CATHARINA BENGTSSON, b. 29 Jan 1679, m. 1) Mattson, 2) Van Culin
32	43. CATHARINA MATTSON, b. 29 Dec 1679, m. John Cock
33	62. CATHARINE RAMBO, b. 4 Oct 1689, d. 1726, m. Åke Helm
34	44. MARIA MATTSON, b. 11 May 1682, d. 1739, m. Rev. Andreas Sandel
	55. MARIA RAMBO, b. ca 1695, m. John Hernbom
	66. MARIA RAMBO, b. 5 May 1695, m. David Van Neman
35	42. ELISABETH MATTSON, b. 7 Feb 1678, m. Rev. Andreas Rudman
	6A. ELISABETH RAMBO, b. ca 1697, probably d. before 1740
36	47. MARGARET MATTSON, b. 1 Feb 1692, m. Peter Cock
37	63. MARGARET RAMBO, b. 23 Jan 1691, probably d. before 1740
	56. MARTHA RAMBO, b. ca 1697, m. Theodorus Lord
	6B. MARTHA RAMBO, b. by 1708, probably d. before 1740
	69. DEBORAH RAMBO, b. after 1700, d. after 1753.

CHAPTER 3: 2nd Generation: PETER GUNNARSON RAMBO'S Children

Peter Gunnarson Rambo's children comprise the second generation of the Rambo family in this history. They were born between the years of 1648-1661 in the colony of New Sweden, located on the shores of the Delaware River where the city of Philadelphia is now located. More details about this generation are available in Craig's *1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* and in Horle's *Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania*.

1. **GUNNAR RAMBO**, Peter's eldest son, was born 6 Jan 1648/49 and married ANNEKA **COCK** in 1670. Anneka was born about 1652, a daughter of Peter Larsson and Margaret (Lom) Cock and a sister of Maria and Brigitta Cock who married Gunnar's younger brothers Anders [#5] and John [#6]. (The Cock family is given at the end of this chapter.) Gunnar Rambo was a large land owner and occupied a prominent place in the affairs of the province. He was a member of the first grand jury under William Penn, a peacemaker for Philadelphia County in 1684, and a member of the Pennsylvania Provincial Assembly in 1685.¹ Gunnar and his family belonged to Gloria Dei church at Wicaco, and in 1684 he and his brother Peter Jr. [#3] made a voluntary contribution of 30 guilders for the support of Rev. Jacob Fabritius.² The 1697-98 roll of the Swedes on the Delaware prepared by Andreas Rudman [#42], pastor of the Gloria Dei Church, listed eight of the nine children in the family and their ages.³ Gunnar Rambo died in Upper Merion Township in January 1724 at the age of 75. His wife predeceased him. Gunnar and Anna had the following children:⁴

- 11. JOHN RAMBO Jr., b. ca 1673, d. ca 1746, m. 1) Anna Laicon, 2) Sarah (?)
- 12. PETER RAMBO, b. ca 1678, d. Jul 1753, m.?
- 13. GUNNAR RAMBO, b. ca 1680, d. 1717-1724, unmarried
- 14. ANDERS RAMBO, b. ca 1682, d. 3 Jul 1755 unmarried
- 15. MÅNS RAMBO, b. ca 1684, d. Apr 1760, m. Catharina Boon
- 16. BRIGITTA RAMBO, b. ca 1685, m. Matthias Holstein
- 17. GABRIEL RAMBO, b. ca 1687, d. ca Nov 1734, m. Christian (?)
- 18. MATTHIAS RAMBO, b. ca 1690, d. before 1724
- 19. ELIAS RAMBO, b. ca 1693, will proved 1 Oct 1750, m. Maria Van Culen

In 1677 Gunnar Rambo and his brothers-in-law Andries Benckson [#2], Laurens Cock, Erik Cock, Jan Cock, and Peter Cock Jr. were among the 23 Swedes who presented a petition to the court at Upland "to settle together in a town at the west side of the river, just below the falls".⁵ This failed. Gunnar lived on his land at Shackamaxon for 20 years until he sold it in 1697 and moved to Matsunk [now Swedesburg] on the Schuylkill

¹ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 1 (1991), p. 623

² Rev. Collin, "Subscription List, Wicacoa Church," *Pennsylvania Magazine of History & Biography*, vol. 2 (3), p. 342

³ Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 28

⁵ Charles T. Gehring, New York Historical Manuscripts: Delaware Papers (English) 1664-1682, vols. 20-21, p. 166

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River in Upper Merion township.¹ In 1698 he was willed 300 acres of land on Homan's Creek, Gloucester County, New Jersey by his father, but Gunnar and his brother John [#6] sold 257 acres of that land to John Bowles in July 1698.

" Gunnar Rambo's land at Shackamaxon came from an original patent to Peter Cock for land there, later divided among his children (including Gunnar Rambo & his wife). Gunnar Rambo of Shackmaxon, husbandman, sold parts of this land on 6 June 1697 to George Lillington, late of Barbados for £ 200. These parts were described as 54 acres, 103 acres and 26 acres (total 183 acres) plus 8 acres, Gunnar's interest in 8 acres formerly given to Jacob Young, deceased (former sexton of the log church at Wicaco). (Phila. Exemplification Book 7:279-282). On 11 June 1698 Gunnar Rambo sold to Thomas Fairman all his interest in a great island opposite Shackamaxon assigned to him by certain named Indians. (Phila. Exemplification Book 7:330) And on 17 July 1699, Gunnar Rambo, now residing above the falls of the Schuylkill [Matsunk] sold 100 acres at Shackamaxon (part conveyance from his father-in-law Peter Cock) to John Bowyer, shipwright. (Pa.Arch.2d, 19:476)

" From Lasse Cock's 1000 acres in Upper Merion (Matsunk), 500 acres was granted to Gunnar Rambo and 250 acres to his son John Rambo [#11]. When Gunnar's land was surveyed, his land was found to be 614 acres; he gave up the extra 114 acres. Gunnar was residing on that land by 1698, although he did not get legal title to it until 1707. In 1710 he sold 100 of those acres to Hugh Williams. (Phila. deeds, I-11:103). In 1721, he granted his son Gabriel Rambo [#17] 150 acres, (Phila. deeds, H-2:101) and his will gave the other 250 acres to his son Elias Rambo [#19]".² This land in Matsunk bordered on the Schuylkill River lying adjacent to Peter Cock's land and to the north of the Widow Yocum's land. It was near what is now Bridgeport, Pennsylvania. (The 500 acres, 614 acres, and 1000 acres are mentioned in Pa Archives 3rd 3:4-5,7.)

" They chose excellent land. While southeastern Pennsylvania in general was very good for agriculture, the Swedes' tract lay on probably the finest of the region. A rolling terrain, it had a deep, well-drained loamy soil, free of loose stones and enriched by limestone deposits. It lay athwart a limestone belt about a mile wide extending east to west until it widened into the soon-to-be fabulously productive Lancaster Plain. Several streams arose in or ran through the area, such as Matsunk Creek and Frog Run, although none of them was strong enough to propel a mill. Amply wooded, with oaks, hickories, and poplars predominating, by with open grasslands as well, the area abounded with wildlife -- deer, turkeys, bears, wolves, foxes, squirrels, and an occasional panther. The woods supplied material for rafts and canoes and for log cabins. The limestone which ranged from hard marble to soft stone, not only fertilized the soil but also provided stone for chimneys and ovens and for building more substantial structures. The Schuylkill River, which enhanced the soil and supplied shad and catfish for the table, was not deep enough for large vessels except during the spring flooding, but rafts and canoes could be

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 28

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 4

used for carrying the settlers and goods to and from the City. Because of Penn's prior treaty arrangements the few Indians in the area were friendly".¹

The will of Gunnar Rambo was written 4 Jan 1723/24, entered for probate in Philadelphia on 20 Mar 1723/24, and recorded in Will Book D: pages 388-389, $\#306\frac{1}{2}$. It reads as follows:²

"In the Name of God Amen, I Gunner Rambo of Matson in the County of Philad^a finding myself weak of body but of perfect and sound memory Blessed be God for it, do make this my last will and testament, revoking all former wills ever heretofore made by me or for me this fourth day of January one thousand seven hundred and twenty three/four. Imprimis I give and bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Creator and my body to be buryed in a christian and a decent manner as my Executor hereafter named shall think fitt. ITEM I Give unto my Eldest Son John Rambo [#11], the sum of five shillings, which, with what I have heretofore Given him, shall be in full of all demands and his share or portion of this my Estate. THEN I give unto my son Peter Rambo [#12], the Bed and Bolster, that I now lye on, with what he has had before shall be in full of all demands, for his share or portion of this my Estate. THEN I give unto my son Mounce Rambo [#15] the sum of five shillings which with, what he had before shall be in full of all demands for his share or portion of this my Estate. THEN I give unto my son Gabriel Rambo [#17], the sum of five shillings which with what I gave him before shall be in full demands of his share or portion of this my Estate. THEN I give unto my Granddaughter Katherin Holston [#164] the sum of five shillings which is likewise in full of all demands from this my Estate. THEN I give unto my son Andrew Rambo [#14] the sum of forty pounds current lawfull money of the province of pensilvania to him his heirs or assigns to be paid in Manner and form following (viz^t) Ellias Rambo [#19] to pay upon the 26th day of March, yearly after my decease the sum of five pounds p annum, of Current Lawfull money of ye province of pensilvania for eight years until the whole sum of forty pounds be paid, and in the mean time that he shall give Andrew security for the payment of the several sums yearly which is likewise in full of all further Demands from the s^d Andrew to this my Estate. THEN I give unto my son Ellias Rambo this my plantation containing two hundred and fifty acres of land with all my Improvements and all the rest of my Estate both Real and personal as if every particular were named and I likewise appoint my son Ellias my sole Executor this my last will and Testament witness my hand and seal the day and date first above written. Gunnar Rambo (his mark) Sealed and Delivered in the presence of us, Edward Farmer, Joseph Gray, Peter Yokom (his mark), Lovell Jarpson [Jackson]

Philadelphia March 20th 1723 then personally appear'd Edward Farmer and Peter Yokom two of the witnesses to the within written will and upon their oaths did declare they saw and heard Gunnar Rambo the testator within named sign seal publish and declare the same to be his last will and testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind

¹ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 46

² Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes C-E, 1705-1736*. LDS microfilm #21722

memory and understanding to the best their knowledge Coram Pet Evans reg Gen^{II} Be it remembered that on the 20th day of March, 1723 the last will and testament of Gunnar Rambo deced was proved in due form of Law and probate and letters testamentary were granted unto Ellias Rambo [#19] sole executor therein named being first sworn well and truly to administer the s^d decedst estate and bring an inventory thereof into the Register General's Office at Philadelphia at or before the day of next and also to render an account when thereunto Lawfully required given under the seal of the s^d office Pet Evans reg Gen^{II}."

The Upper Merion Swedish Lutheran Church was meeting in Gunnar's house earlier than 1712, and he was on his land before 1682 because the Swedes bought this Pennsylvania land from the Duke of York before Penn ever owned it. Gunnar Rambo states that he stood at Upland [now Chester, PA] and watched Penn sail up the Delaware in 1682 ... somehow implying that he was on his land at Matsunk above the falls of the Schuylkill long before 1697. In fact there is a lot of information in the Colonial records about the Swedes up on the North (or West) side of the Schuylkill before Penn came and the problems with titles even as late as 1715. Some of the Swedes released titles for Philadelphia area land to Penn's men and never got land in replacement. Just because you find that titles were dated in the 1700's does not mean that the transactions were in the 1700's. Penn and his men made these changes in the 1680's when he was here, but the English government was in a mess and no one could sign documents for the crown until Ann and William finally got to the throne. The Naturalizations records of the Germans, and the Swedish deeds are all misunderstood. You have to prowl those early assembly records and give much attention to determine that. I spent months in those Colonial records making copies and studying the facts before I understood what happened.¹

In *American Pioneer Arts & Artists* by Carl W. Drepperd, on page 65 under picture of a house is this description, Swedes House, Philadelphia, 1662; Sketch by a Philadelphia amateur artist, 1889. [RSB It seems unlikely that 14-year-old Gunnar would have built a house by 1662 but the label on this sketch argues that he did.] Discovered by Arthur Sussel about 1928. Under his sketch the artist has written: "This house was built by Gunnar Rambo, a Swede, 1662 of imported brick, being ballast in some ships which put into this port. It stands now in the middle of a field, south of Anne Street. Gunnars Run took its name from this Swede." This house is of an architectural style established by the Swedes long before Pennsylvania was deeded to Penn and which has persisted for well over 200 years. ____Arthur Sussel Gallery.²

2. **GERTRUDE RAMBO** was born 19 Oct 1650 in Kingsessing, New Sweden and married ANDERS **BENGTSSON** on 22 Nov 1668. Anders Bengtsson was born in 1640

¹ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 2003 citing unspecified Pennsylvania Archives Assembly Records

² Barbara Holding, e-mail of 15 Nov 2003

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in Fåxarn parish [now Fuxerna parish] northeast of Gothenburg, Sweden and sailed to New Sweden on the ship *Mercurius* in 1656. Anders was a large land owner in New Sweden, wrote his own name as Andreas Bengtsson, and was known in the English records as Andrew Bankson. The family lived in Moyamensing, along the Delaware River in present South Philadelphia. Andreas was a church warden, trustee and lay reader of the Wicaco church and contributed faithfully to the support of the clergy. Anders Bengtsson was also politically active, serving as a justice on the New Court at Upland 1681-82, 1693 and 1701-03 and being elected to the Pennsylvania Assembly in 1683, 1686 and 1698. As a member of the Assembly, he witnessed the charter of Pennsylvania on 2 Apr 1683 and was personally known by William Penn. By the time of his death in 1705, he owned substantial property south of Philadelphia in Moyamensing and Passyunk townships and "five hundred acres in the Swedes' tract at Manatawny [Amity Township, present Berks County], patented to him on 11 June 1705 (Phila. Exemplification Book 1:636-637; Patents, A-3:209). This land [in Manatawny] was sold by his sons to John Oakley on 13 Oct. 1707. (Phila. deeds)".¹ Anders Bengtsson drowned in the Delaware River and was buried at Gloria Dei Church (Wicaco) on 14 Sep 1705. His wife survived him. (Dr. Peter Stebbins Craig wrote a biography and a chronology of Anders Bankston and family which are included in Appendix 5.) The children of Anders and Gertrude (Rambo) Bengtsson follow:²

- 21. BENGT BENGTSSON, b. ca 1669, d. ca 1748, m. Catherine Cock
- 22. ANDERS BENGTSSON, b. ca 1672, d. after 1744, m. Gertrude Boore
- 23. PETER BENGTSSON, b. 6 Mar 1677, d. 1708, m. Catherine Svensson
- 24. CATHARINA BENGTSSON, b. 29 Jan 1679, m. 1) Mattson, 2) Van Culin
- 25. JOHN BENGTSSON, b. 31 Mar 1681, d. 12 Jun 1739, m. Helena Cock
- 26. JACOB BENGTSSON, b. 19 Oct 1684, d. Aug 1766, m. Margaret Cock
- 27. BRIGITTA BENGTSSON, b. 10 Apr 1687, alive in the 1697 census
- 28. DANIEL BENGTSSON, b. 22 Jan 1691, d. by 11 Apr 1727, m. Elizabeth (?)
- 29. JOSEPH BENGTSSON, b. 2 May 1696, d. by 14 Jun 1732, m. Hannah (?)

The will of Andry Bankson was written 30 Aug 1694, proved in Philadelphia on 2 Sep 1706, and recorded in Will Book C: pages 38-40, #30. Although the will was written before the birth of his youngest son, Joseph, it was decided that Joseph should share with the other younger sons under the will.³

"In the Name of God Amen I Andry Bankson of the County of Philadelphia, in ye Province of Pensilvania, in parts of America, being very sick & weak of body, but praised be almighty God in perfect sound mind and memory, and calling to mind ye uncertainty of this transitory life, and that all flesh must yield unto Death when it shall please Allmighty God to call, do make & ordain this my last Will & Testam^t, revoking and annulling all other Will & Wills Testam^t and Testam^{ts} whatsoever heretofore by me

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 5. Philadelphia Deeds E-6:383. LDS microfilm, #21875

² Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 33

³ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes C-E, 1705-1736. LDS microfilm #21722

made, either in word or writing and this only to be taken & deem'd as my Last Will and Testam^t and none other whatsoever in manner & form following. FIRST and principally I commend my Soul into ye Hands of Almighty God, assuredly hoping thro' ye merits Death and passion of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free pardon & forgiveness of all my Sins. And to inherit Eternall Life. And my body I commit unto the Earth therein to be decently buried at the burying place of Wecoco [Wicaco], at ye discretion of my ex^{es} [Executors] hereafter menconed. & as touching ve disposition of all such Temporall Estate as it hath pleased Almighty God in his mercy to bestow on me I give and dispose thereof as followeth .. FIRST I will that all my debts due to any manner of persons, and my funerall charges be first paid and discharged. I will that the Tract of Land whereon I now live that is ab^t Two hundred acres of fast land and meadows together wth one hundred acres of Criple Swamp or marsh together wth all my goods and Chattles do & shall remain in ye possession and use of my wife Yertrue during her natural life provided she do not marry. But in case she do happen to alter her condition and marry that then I will that all my goods Estate and Chattels be Inventoried & if in case she shall and do give good and Sufficient Security for ye same for ye use of my Children as is hers after Express'd ye same to remain in her possession during her natural Life notwithstanding. I give unto my son Banct Banctson two upper lots next Wicoco line containing ab^t fifty three acres as also the Lott wheron he now liveth in Moyamencing as also six acres of mowing meadow belonging to the said Land to his Heirs & Assigns for Ever. FURTHER I give unto my son Andry my Two Lotts of Land at Pasayunck and my lot of land on Punchkin's Hook contg all abt eighty acres as also all my meadowing upon Punchkius Hook & ye peice of meadow near unto the great meadow. FURTHER I give unto my son Banct all my part or share of Criple Swamp or drown'd ground adjoyn'd to his now-settled Lotts. FURTHER I will that I give unto my son John ye remaining part of my Land at Moyamencing that is the part or share upon Rankin's Hooks and a Lott of Land behind John Stillas. and FURTHER after my wife Yertrue's decease I will and ord^ey^r the two hundred and odd acres w^{ch} I left in the possession of my wife as abovesd I will and order ye same to be equally divided between my three sons Peter Jacob & Daniel in such order that my said son Daniel shall have my dwelling House and improvem^{ts} and his equall share of Land to be laid out there to adjoining. FURTHER I give unto my daughters Cath. and Bridget Twenty pounds each to be paid unto them out of my goods and Chattels after my wife's decease. And if in case the said moveables do not amount thereto I will and order my son Daniel to pay them out of his part or share as aforesd what ye same shall want and FURTHER I give unto my son Banct ye Lott of ground w^{ch} lyeth behind John Stilla's w^{ch} is before mentioned to my son John and that I FURTHER order ye my sons John Peter Jacob and Daniel, shall be all four equall in number of acres of the aforesd Two hundred & odd acres of Fast Land and meadow and that Lott of Land on Renkin's Hook only son Daniel to have his fourth part adjoining to my House w^{ch} wth ye improvem^{ts} he I ord^e to have his fourth part or share notwth standing any thing before written to ye contrary. Likewise I FURTHER give unto my four sons Peter John Jacob & Daniel the one hundred acres of Swamp Marsh or Criple after my wife Yertrue's decease. Twenty five acres each. And FARTHER I give unto my son Daniel after my wife Yertrues decease my part or share of Carcor's Hook Mill And unto this my last Will & Testam^t I ordain and appoint my wife Yertrue, my sons Banct and Andry, my full, whole, and sole Executors to this my last Will and Testam^t and FURTHER I appoint Lawrence Cock and Andry Rambo my Trustees & assistances to my Children & Execut^{es} herein mentioned.

IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto sett my Hand and Seal this 30th of August 1694. And FURTHER before the sealing and signing hereof for a further explanation of what is before written. I will and order my four sons Peter, John, Jacob and Daniel to have all the Land where I now live con^{tg} Two hundred & Eighteen acres as also my right or share on Rankoon's Hook Exp^w one acre ___ Rankon's Hook w^{ch} I give unto my son Banct and all my right ___ meadow on the River in Moyamencing except ye six acres I have given before to my son Banct and one acre I now further give unto my son Andres and likewise the one hundred acres of Swamp marsh and criple in all w^{ch} tracts I will and ord^e my four sons to be all equally concerned as afore is said only my son Daniels share to be laid out as afore is expressed. Andrew Bangson (LS) Signed Sealed & acknowledged as his Last Will & Testam^t in ye p^esents of us Swan Swanson (his mark). Lasse Cock. John Cock. R^t Longshore.

Philad^{ia} Sept^{er} 2^d 1706. Then personally appeared John Cock the survivor of the Witnesses to the foregoing will and on his solomn Oath did declare he saw the Testator Andrew Banctson sign seal publish & declare the same Will as his Last Will and Testam^t and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory and understanding to the best of his knowledge. Coram Pet Evans DReg^r

Be it rembred that on ye 2^d day of Sep 1706. the Last Will & Testam^t of Andrew Banctson was proved in due form of Law. And Probate & Lre of Admⁿ was granted to Yertrue Banctson Banct Banctson & Andrew Banctson the Ex^{es} therein named being first sworn well and truly to Adm and to bring an Inventory of the Deced^s estate into ye Reg^{es} Office at Philad^{ia} on or before ye 2^d day of 8ber next. Given under the seal of ye said Office"

MEMORANDUM: This will is to be altered and Joseph Bankston, the testator's son, born since this will was made, shall be made equal with his four brothers, named Peter, John, Jacob, and Daniel."

Swen Swanson (his mark X)s/ Andry Bankson Lawrence (Lasse) Cock John Cock R. Longshore

The father of Andres Bengtsson is not known. There was a Lars Bengtsson on the preliminary passenger list for the *Mercurius*, but Peter Craig states that there is no evidence that Lars ever came to America. A history by Louhi mistakenly claims that Lars was father to Anders Bengtsson, but the sons of Lars would have been named

Larsson.¹

3. PETER RAMBO was born 17 Jun 1653 in Kingsessing, on the western side of the Schuylkill River.² He married MAGDALENA SKUTE on 12 Nov 1676. She was born 25 March 1660, the daughter of Capt. Sven Skute who came to the New Sweden colony in 1643 with Gov. Johan Printz.³ Capt. Skute was second-in-command to the Governor and returned to Sweden on several occasions as personal envoy to the Company. He served as negotiator of peace terms with Capt. Stuyvesant following the recapture of Fort Casimir which the Swedes under Capt. Skute's command had captured earlier.⁴ Peter Rambo was an active member of the Gloria Dei Church, signing appeals for ministers, Bibles and psalm books, pledging to assist in building a new church, and serving as a traveling companion and host to the pastor, Andreas Sandal [#44]. Peter was a church warden in 1684, 1689, 1690, 1693 and 1697.⁵ Peter Rambo died 12 Dec 1729 at the age of 77 and was buried in the churchyard of Gloria Dei Church (Old Swedes) Philadelphia. His wife survived him and was named executrix of his will. Peter and Magdalena had these children according to the records of Gloria Dei Church:⁶

- 31. SVEN (or Swan) RAMBO, b. 19 Oct 1677, m. 1) Anna Christian, 2) Barbara (?)
- 32. BRIGITTA RAMBO, b. 10 Mar 1679, d. after 1727
- 33. PETER RAMBO, b. 20 Dec 1682, d. 1739, m. Margaret Jonason
- 34. ANDERS RAMBO, b. 2 Apr 1691, d. Feb 1755, m. Catherine (?)
- 35. ELIAS RAMBO, b. 7 Feb 1694, probably died young
- 36. JACOB RAMBO, b. 28 Mar 1697, d. 22 Aug 1769
- 37. JOHN RAMBO, b. after 1697, died in winter of 1766

Peter, like his father and brothers, was a large landowner. One year after marrying Magdalena Skute, he moved to "Ramstorp", his 300-acre farm along Pennypack Creek, acquired by grant from the Upland court.⁷ It was "within 1/2 mile of the mouth of the creek, on the east shore, opposite 12 acres of marsh owned by Hans Keen until 13 Oct 1680" according to Pennsylvania Magazine vol. 2, p. 333. Peter resided in Lower Dublin Township, an area which is now part of Philadelphia. He was a representative of Philadelphia County at the Pennsylvania Assembly in 1709.⁸

Although he had transferred much of his property to his sons earlier, he left a will written 3 Dec 1727, probated 13 Jun 1730, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book E: page 133, #155.9

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, e-mail to Ron Beatty, 28 Mar 2003

² Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 1 (1991), pp. 624-625

³ Gregory Bernard Keen, The Descendants of Jöran Kyn of New Sweden (1913), pp. 224-226

⁴ Amandus Johnson, *The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664* (pub. 1927)

⁵ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 27

⁶ Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio., vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

⁷ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 1 (1991), p. 624 ⁸ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 1 (1991), p. 624

⁹ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes C-E, 1705-1736. LDS microfilm #21722

"In the name of God, Amen, the third day of December in the year of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and twenty seven, I Peter Rambo of the lower Dublin Township, County of Philadelphia, and senior freeholder being verry sick and weak of body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be to unto God, therefore calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die Do make and ordain this Last Will & Testament, that is to say, principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it, and for my body I recommend it to the earth, to be buried in a christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my Executrix, nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly Estate as It hath pleased God to bless me with in this life, I give, Devise and Dispose of the same in the following manner and form. IMPRIMIS to my two sons Swen and Peter and my daughter Britta, I give and Bequeath to each one shilling silver. ITEM to my two sons Andrew and John Rambo I give and Bequeath out of my Real Estate in Land that lying between the river and the run before the doore and so along that run to the widdow Boors line Containing forty-nine acres, to be Equally Divided between them both meadow and upland, together with three cows, a bed and furniture apiece to them their heirs or assigns and Note, that if either of these two shall decease before marriage or without assigns the Survivor shall have the deceased Estate, more to each of them I give one Shilling Sterling. ITEM to Jacob Rambo my son, I give and Bequeath my whole Estate now in my possession both Real and moveable (together with those Acres where the widdow Gustenberrys house and stand) with all its appurtenances meadow Orchard and to him and his heirs or assigns forever. Note that if Jacob shall die before marriage then Andrew shall take his Estate and Andrew shall give up his before named to John. LAST of all to Madlena my beloved wife whom I likewise constitute, make and ordain my only sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament I give sufficient suteable maintainance for time and term of life out of that part of my Estate given to Jacob and I do hereby utterly disallow, Revoke and disannull all and every other former Testaments will and Legacies, Bequests and Exec by me in any ways before this time named, willed and Bequeathed, Ratifying and confirming that this and no other is my last will and Testament. IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Signed Sealed published, pronounced & Declared by the s^d Peter Rambo as his last Will & Testam^t in presence of us the subscribers:

Lawrence Boore his

Niels NB (his mark) BoonPeter P Rambo

John Ewing mark

Philad^a June 13th 1730 Then personally appeared Lawrence Boore & Neels Boon two of the witnesses to the foregoing will & on their oath did declare they _____ heard Peter Rambo the testator above named sign, seal publish & Declare the same Will to be his last will & Testament & that at the ____ thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their knowledge"

4. **CATHERINE RAMBO** was born about 1655 and married PETER **MATTSSON** (alias **DALBO**) on 16 Feb 1674. Peter was born in New Sweden in 1647, the son of Matts and Elizabeth Hansson.¹ His father died in 1654, and his widowed mother married Anders Larsson Dalbo who was elected lieutenant of the colony in 1658. Anders Dalbo died before 1671, and his wife Elizabeth survived until 1700. Peter Mattsson was sometimes called Peter Dalbo after his step-father. The earliest reference to Peter Matson appears in a 1669 deed. He acquired several properties in Passyunk, Kingsessing and Sayamensing Island by 1678. His property acquisitions, debts and legal problems leave a running record of him over 30 years. In 1684 he started selling his properties in Philadelphia County and acquiring new ones on the Little Mantua Creek in Gloucester Co., New Jersey. See Appendix 7: the Mattson family by Dr. Peter S. Craig, *Swedish Colonial News*, Summer 2000. The Mattson family was devout and donated to support the church; two daughters married ministers who had been sent from Sweden to serve the colonists and the congregation of Gloria Dei Church at Wicaco (Philadelphia). Peter and Catherine Mattsson had the following children:²

41. BRIGITTA MATTSON, b. 1675, d. Jun 1750, m. Johan Hendricksson

42. ELISABETH MATTSON, b. 7 Feb 1678, d. 1736, m. Rev. Andreas Rudman [#42]

43. CATHARINA MATTSON, b. 29 Dec 1679, d. after 1728, m. John Cock

- 44. MARIA MATTSON, b. 11 May 1682, d. 1739, m. Rev. Andreas Sandel
- 45. PETER MATTSON Jr., b. 27 May 1685, m. Catharina Bankson [#24]
- 46. MATTHIAS MATTSON, b. 12 Aug 1688, d. 1750, m. Judith Swanson
- 47. MARGARET MATTSON, b. 1 Feb 1692, d. ca 1748, m. Peter Cock
- 48. JOHAN MATTSON, b. 14 Jun 1694, d. Sep 1739, m. Annicka Cock
- 49. JACOB MATTSON, b. 25 May 1697, m. 1) L. Van Culen, 2) M. Runnells

Peter and Catherine Mattsson settled at Passyunk on a 300-acre plantation surveyed in 1675 adjoining her father's farm. In 1684 Peter was granted 200 acres on Little Mantua Creek in Gloucester County, where they lived until his death in 1699.³

Peter Mattson was one of the first representatives to the General Assembly elected from the Fourth Tenth (Gloucester Co., NJ) in May 1685. He and John Rambo and Andrew Robeson, as members of the House of Representatives, signed an agreement on 20 May 1697 along with the Governor, the Council, and other members of the House to uphold, to the utmost of their power, the authority of the King William against all his enemies.⁴

Peter Mattson (alias Dalbo) died in 1699 and left a nuncupative will, taken in writing (in

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letter to Beverly Nelson Rambo, 21 Apr 1985

² Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), pp. 67-68

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), pp. 67-68

⁴ William A. Whitehead, ed., *Documents ... Colonial History*, New Jersey Archives, 1st Series, vol. 2 (pub. 1881), p. 146

Swedish) by Andrew Rudman [#42], minister of Wicaco, in the presence of Andrew Bankson and Wola (Olla) Dalbow. Before it could be probated, it had to be translated into English. Catharina Matson was named executrix; her brother John Rambo and brother-in-law William Dalbo served as her bondsmen. Letters of administration had to be filed in Philadelphia County also (on 17 Nov 1701). The will of Peter Mattson was dated 3 Oct 1699, proved in Gloucester Co., NJ on 1 Mar 1700/01, translated & recorded in Gloucester Co. Deeds Book 2: page 177, and abstracted in NJ Archives 21:662 & 23:312. It is transcribed as follows:¹

"The last will and Testament of Peter Matson alias Dalbo made ye third day of october in year 1699 being then taken into writeing by Andrew Rudman [#42] as it was spoken by ye sd Peter before Andrew Bankson and Wolla Dalbo viz Inprimis I Give unto my three sons Peter Matthias and Jacob my four hundred and Fifty acres of Land be the same more or less being on or near little Mantua Crek to be Equally divided, amongst them after their mothers Decease, ITEM I give unto my said Son Peter all my houses and Buildings that be upon ye sd Land and that he shall have his Equall Share of ye said land to be adjacent to ye Building. ITEM I give unto my said three Sons my Tenn acres of Meaddow lying uppon ye upper side of Trumpeters Creek to be equally Divided amongst them after their mothers Decease ITEM I give unto my son John my Island lying on ye Schuylkill Called Samenceing Island after my wifes Decease ITEM I give unto my Daughter Elizabeth Eighty acres of that my two hundred of that my two hundred and Seventy acres of Land lying on ve Schuylkill to be Regularly set out in any part of ve said land (Excepting ye Henry Cott to be forthwith her own propertie & posession ITEM I give unto my three Daughters Kathrine Mary and margrett ye remaing part of my said Tract of Land being one hundred and ninety acres to be Equally & Regularly Divided amongst them after my wifes Decease or time of marraige But in case any one of ye sd three Daughters should dye before marriage then his said Share shall come to my Daughter Bridgett ITEM the years rent which will be due from Benjamin Chambers ye twentyeth day of this month being five pounds I Give toward ye building of the Church at Wickaco according to my promise ITEM my moveable Goods I give to all my Children after my wifes Decease both Sons and Daughters to be Equally Divided amongst them but in case any of my unmarryed Daughters shall happen to marry before my wifes Decease then I to my said wife to give of my said goods according to her Discretion And further more we who where present as wittnesses to ye Testament above written do hereby Certify that it was ye mind of ye Testator that his sd wife should have ye posession and use of all his Estate both reall and personall (except what is before excepted) dureing ye time of her naturall life In wittness whereof we have hereunto set our hands Andress bangston, Wolla Dalbo (his mark), And: Rudman [#42] Minst: at Wicaco

Glocester ye 1st of march 1700 At a court then and there held this will was produced, proved approved and allowed and administration of all ye Estate Goods Chattells Rights

¹ New Jersey Secretary of State, *Gloucester County Deeds 1682-1779*. LDS microfilm #460078, Bk 2, page 177

and Credditts of belonging to or Concerning ye sd Defunct and his Testament being and Remaing in ye province of West Jersey by ye Justices sitting _____ sd Court ___ Committed to Kathrine Mattson Relict of ye sd Defunct and Executix in ye sd will appointed Test John Readins Registr Com: Gloc, Recorded ye ord^r of Court ye 6th of 7^{br} 1701"

Some researchers wrote that Catherine died after witnessing a will in 1722. Peter Craig thinks otherwise. "It is very doubtful if the Catharine Mattsson witnessing a will in 1722 was Catharine Rambo Mattsson, born about 1655. More likely the 1722 witness was Catharine Bengtsson Mattsson, wife of Peter Mattsson, Jr. Catherine Rambo Mattsson was still living on 10 August 1708 when she joined her son Peter Mattsson in the conveyance of 80 acres on the Schuylkill to her son-in-law, Rev. Andreas Rudman [#42] (Phila. deeds, E-5:62-63), and she also participated in a deed dated 31 May 1709 in which Peter Mattsson Jr. confirmed land in Kingsessing, formerly belonging to Peter Mattsson, Sr., to Justa Justison. (Phila. deeds, E-4:272-274)".¹

5. **ANDERS RAMBO** was born in 1658 and married MARIA **COCK**. She was born in 1661, a daughter of Peter Larson Cock and a sister of Anna and Brigitta Cock who married Anders's brothers Gunnar and John. (The Cock family is given at the end of this chapter). Andrew Rambo was appointed an overseer of highways in 1681 by the Court at Upland.² His area extended from Tacony creek to the falls of the Schuylkill, and the law required that the roads be repaired before the last of May. Anders Rambo died at Passyunk in 1698, before the proving of his father's will in November, since his brother Peter was appointed administrator. A memorial donation was made to Gloria Dei on 18 Oct 1698.³ His widow was still living in Apr 1717 when she was granted administration of his estate.(Phila Administration B:146) On 29 Apr 1702, Rev. Sandel wrote in his diary that he had begun to instruct her son Peter Rambo in his school and religious studies.⁴ *The widow Maria Rambo did not marry a Mr. Maiers*. On 7 Feb 1736 the heirs of Andrew Rambo divided his 400-acre Passyunk estate.⁵ However, this branch of the family became extinct as Anders's 3 sons had no male issue and the descendants of his daughters died out by the time of the Revolution.⁶

- 51. JOHN RAMBO, b. ca 1687, d. by 19 Apr 1717, m. Christian (?)
- 52. ANDERS RAMBO, b. 1689, d. 20 Nov 1753
- 53. PETER RAMBO, b. ca 1691, probably d. before 1736
- 54. BRIGITTA RAMBO, b. ca 1693, will proved 25 Jun 1740
- 55. MARIA RAMBO, b. ca 1695, d. after 1760, m. John Hernbom
- 56. MARTHA RAMBO, b. ca 1697, d. by 1758, m. Theodorus Lord

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 6

² William J. Buck, *History of Montgomery County Within the Schuylkill Valley* (Norristown, PA: E.L. Acker, 1859), pp. 24-26

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, ed., Colonial Records of the Swedish Churches in Pennsylvania, vol. 2 (2006), p. 127

⁴ Rev. Andreas Sandel, "Extracts from Journal ...," *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography*, vol. 30, p. 289

⁵ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, e-mail of 17 Oct 2004 citing Philadelphia County deeds, H-10:468-479

⁶ Ormond Rambo Jr., "The Rambo Family," American Swedish Yearbook (pub. 1948), pp. 1-19

6. JOHN RAMBO was born in 1661 "on the Schuylkill" and married BRIGITTA **COCK** after 1686, after her successful lawsuit requiring him to pay substantial damages for breach of promise. She was born about 1662,¹ a daughter of Peter Larson Cock and a sister of Anna and Maria Cock who married John's older brothers Gunnar [#1] and Anders [#5]. (The Cock family is given at the end of this chapter). John was an ardent suitor of Brigitta and went to the Cock house about midnight on Christmas 1684 where he gained entrance to her chamber by pulling a plank off the house. He got into bed with Brigitta, and since it was crowded, her two sisters withdrew and lay all night on the floor. John was indicted for his action and the verdict of the jury was that he should marry Brigitta before she delivered or maintain the child. They were each fined £10, and they married sometime after the birth of their first child.² John's father gave him a tract of land in Gloucester County in New Jersey on the Little Mantua Creek, adjacent to land held by his brother Gunnar, and it was here that John and Brigitta made their home. Brigitta Rambo died 21 Aug 1726 and is buried in the churchvard at Raccoon. John Rambo Sr. was buried there 17 Oct 1741 at the age of 80.³ Only four of his children were named in his will: John, Peter, Gabriel, and Deborah, but their other children were named in the Gloria Dei Church Records.⁴

- 61. BRIGITTA RAMBO, b. 15 Nov 1685, probably d. before 1740, m. Justa Fish
- 62. CATHARINE RAMBO, b. 4 Oct 1689, d. 1726, m. Åke Helm
- 63. MARGARET RAMBO, b. 23 Jan 1691, probably d. before 1740
- 64. JOHN RAMBO, b. 6 Jul 1692, d. 3 Jul 1753, m. Anna Laicon
- 65. PETER RAMBO, b. 6 Jan 1694, d. Spring 1753, m. Christina Keen
- 66. MARIA RAMBO, b. 5 May 1695, m. David Van Neman
- 6A. ELISABETH RAMBO, b. ca 1697, probably d. before 1740
- 67. ANDERS RAMBO, b. ca 1701, buried 27 Jul 1739, m. Catherine Hoffman
- 68. GABRIEL RAMBO, b. after 1697, m. Elizabeth Bristoll
- 6B. MARTHA RAMBO, b. by 1708, probably d. before 1740
- 69. DEBORAH RAMBO, b. after 1700, d. after 1753

On 20 Jul 1698 John and Gunnar deeded 257 acres of the West Jersey land they had inherited from their father to John Bowles of Philadelphia. [verbatim: "Gunner Rambo, eldest son, and John Rambo, youngest son, of Peter Rambo, late of Philadelphia, dec'd, to John Bowles of Philadelphia Co., yeoman, for 257 acres between the branches of Howman's alias Newport Creek, Glocester Co., part of a 300 a. lot inherited from their father by said Gunner Rambo as belonging to 1/8 of one of 'ye third tenn proprieties' of W.J., bought by said Peter of Tho. Bowman of N.Y., merchant, November 2, 1682"].⁵ In 1704 Gunnar and the rest of the family released their interest in the family lands to John and his descendants.^{6,7} A return

⁶ Ormond Rambo Jr., "The Rambo Family," *American Swedish Yearbook* (pub. 1948), pp. 1-19

¹ John H. Pierce, Papers, Arkansas History Commission, Little Rock, AR. Rambo family, box 3, file 44

² John F. Watson, Annals of Philadelphia and Pennsylvania in the Olden Time (pub. 1856), p. 304

³ Federal Writers Project, *Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck* (pub. 1938), pp. 328, 330

⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), pp. 27-28

⁵ William Nelson, ed., Patents and Deeds ... of New Jersey, 1664-1703 (1899), p. 671 citing Liber G: Gloucester Deeds 3:199

⁷ Wilfred Jordan, "Rambo" in Colonial & Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania, vol. 7, p. 276

of survey was recorded in Pa Archives 3:165.

John Rambo was a Deputy to the West Jersey Assembly in 1697 and, with the Governor, members of the Council, and fellow representatives including kinsmen Peter Mattson, signed the agreement to uphold the authority of the King against all enemies.¹ On the 12th of May 1701, John Rambo signed a petition to the King drawn up by the Council and House of Representatives to confirm Col. Andrew Hamilton as governor. John Rambo was a justice on the Gloucester County court 1695-1698, 1711-1716, and 1724-1727.²

In 1740 at the age of 79, he gave testimony in the boundary dispute between the Colonies of Pennsylvania and Maryland over the Three Lower Counties that make up most of what is now Delaware.³ He testified to names and places in the area since he had lived his first twenty years in Philadelphia and resided the rest of his life in the Jerseys. "John Rambo Aged 79 yrs an Intelegent man dwells on Little Mantos Creek was born at Schuylkill xxx an Elder Brother that lives at the Mouth of Conegacheag aged about 90 named Andrew Friend Als Neils and to Charles Anderson who lives higher up Potoumeck".⁴

The will of John Moon of Deptford Township, written on 8 Oct 1715, reads in part as follows, "fourthly I give my walkin Cane or my Cabinet to Joseph Tomlinson and the other of them to John Rambo".⁵ John Rambo Sr. may have married Moore's daughter after the death of Brigitta, or the legacy could have been intended for his son, John Jr., who was then about age 23. On 23 Mar 1727/8, John Rambo Sr. and Robert Lord were made trustees for William Chester's wife Mary and his sons Samuel and William Chester.⁶ William Chester's son, John of Great Mantos Creek in Gloucester Co., refused to serve as executor of the will.

The will of John Rambo was dated 12 Apr 1740, proved in Gloucester Co. on 21 Nov 1741, filed as #271H, and abstracted in NJ Archives $30:390.^7$ The inventory was filed 2 Nov 1741 and valued the estate at £149.19.9. The will reads as follows:⁸

"In the Name of God Amen the twelfth Day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and forty I John Rambo of Deepford in the County of Gloucester and province of New Jersie yeoman being sick and weak in body but of sound mind and memory Thanks be Given unto God therefore calling unto Mind the

¹ William A. Whitehead, ed., *Documents ... Colonial History*, New Jersey Archives, 1st Series, vol. 2 (pub. 1881), 146, 380

² Lewis D. Cook, "Early Swedes and Finns ... in Public Office," Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey, vol. 13 (1), p. 17

³ Theodore W. Bean, ed., *History of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania*, vol. 2 (Everts & Peck, 1884), pp. 1124-1129

⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 25 Mar 1997, citing Alfred Cook Meyers papers : MS. Penn vs Balt., in Chew Papers, at "Chireden," Germantown Dec. 16, 1922 ACM. LDS film # 0567028

⁵ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 1H-53H, 1691-1717. LDS microfilm #533144, packet #43H

⁶ William Nelson, ed., Calendar of Wills 1670-1730, New Jersey Archives, 1st Series, vol. 23 (pub. 1901), pp. 90-91

⁷ A. Van Doren Honeyman, ed., *Calendar of Wills 1730-1750*, New Jersey Archives, 1st Series, vol. 30 (pub. 1918), p. 390

⁸ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 242H-347H, 1739-1747. LDS microfilm #533147, packet #271H

Mortality of My Body and Knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye do Make and ordain this My last will and Testament That is to say principally and first of all I Give and recommend my Soul unto the Hands of God that gave it and for My body I recommend it to the Earth to be Buried in A Christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my Executor hereafter Named nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same Again by the Mighty power of God And as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased Almighty God to bless me with in this life I Give and devise and dispose of the same in the following Manner and form. Imp^{rs} it is my will and I do Order that in the first place all my Just Debts and funeral Charges be paid and satisfyed Item I Give and bequeath unto My son John Rambow the full and just sum of fifteen Pounds. Item I give and bequeath unto My son Gabriell Rambow the sum of ten Pounds. Item I give and bequeath unto My Daughter Deborah Rambow the sum of Twenty Pounds as also one Good feather Bed to be furnushed Compleatly out of my beding furniture at her discretion. Lastly I Give devise and bequeath unto my son Peter Rambow all and every part and parcell of my other Estate not as yet Given Away that is to say lands plantations together with all and every the Appurtenances thereto belonging as also all Rights of Lands and Propriety Rights and finally all my Estate Right title Interest Property Clam and demand thereto to him my said son Peter Rambow and his heirs and assigns forever as also all My Moveable Estate not as Given I Give devise and bequeath unto my said son Peter Rambow And of this My last will and Testament I make and ordain my said well beloved Son Peter Rambo my full and Whole Executor and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and annull all and every other former testaments Wills Legacies bequeaths and Executors by me in any wise before this time named willed and ratifying and Confirming this and None other to be My last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the Day and year above written. [signed] John Rambo Signed sealed published pronounced and declared by the said John Rambow as his last Will and Testament in the Presence of Allen^r Randall, John F. Fish, The Marke of Beatah Lock"

Alexander Randall & John Fish two of the witnesses to the above will being duly sworn did depose that they saw John Rambo the Testator therein named sign & seal the same & heard him publish pronounce & declare the foregoing Instrument to be his last Will & Testament & that at the Doing thereof the said Testator was of sound & disposing Mind & Memory & Understanding so far as they know & as the verily believe & that at the same Time Beatah Lock was present & sing'd her Name as an Evidence to the said Will together with these Deponents in presence of the said testator. Sworn at Burlington the Twenty first Day of November AD 1741 before me Joseph Rose Surrogate"

The inventory reads "____ perfect Inventory of the Goods& Chattles Rights ____ of John Rambo of Deepford in the County of Gloucester and ___ Province of new Jersie yeoman latley Deceased according to the price as they were valued and Appraised at by us whose names are hereunto subscribed November the 2^d 1741." The items listed include wearing apparel, 4 dear skins, some old bed & table linnen; a parcel of old books (£6); two Beds & their furniture, a parcel of old pewter; some old chairs (£1); an old pare of money

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scales and weights, two old chest & Tables, some old gran &, fire tongs, grid iron, candlesticks; one old gun & cutlash (£2); looking glass & glass bottles; some old wooden vessels (£9); two hives of Bees, some honey & wax, iron pots, brass kettle, hand mill; 8 swine (£5); 4 Milch Cows, sheep shears, ready money & plate, bonds & debts."

Thanks to Dr. Peter S. Craig for this story about of the marriage of John Rambo and Brigitta Cock. The story, as reconstructed from the court records,¹ began in the middle of February in the winter of 1684/85 when Brigitta Cock, then almost 20, went to bed as usual with her two unmarried sisters, Margaret (18) and Catherine (16). According to the later testimony of these two sisters, at about midnight John Rambo opened a plank above their bedchamber, jumped down into their room and then into the bed where they were. Protesting that the bed was not large enough for four, the two younger sisters finally agreed to sleep on the floor where they heard John Rambo, during the course of the night, promise Brigitta that he would marry her. At dawn, John Rambo left, the way he came in -- through the roof.

The Peter Cock family also went "through the roof" when Brigitta became pregnant and John Rambo, admitting the child was his, refused to marry her. So Peter Cock and Brigitta went to court, accusing John Rambo of housebreaking, fornication and breach of promise. The trial was held on 7 October 1685 when Brigitta was almost eight months pregnant. The jury found John Rambo guilty. But the court, in its wisdom, decided that <u>both</u> John Rambo and Brigitta Cock should be fined, the fine to be forgiven if they were married before the child was born.

The child, also named Brigitta (after her mother), was born on the fifteenth of November.² John Rambo not only refused to marry the child's mother; he also willingly paid the fine, offered to care for the child and then asked Jacob Young, the parish clerk at Gloria Dei, to post banns for his marriage to his new sweetheart -- Anneke Vander Sluys.³

This so infuriated the Cock family that Brigitta's brother, Captain Lasse Cock, forbid the publication of the wedding banns. To resolve the matter, an ecclesiastical court was convened at the church at Wicaco on 26 July 1686 where it was decided to uphold the Cock family's objections. John Rambo was not to be permitted to marry any other woman in the church unless he first had the permission of Brigitta.

And Brigitta refused to give her consent. Instead, she went to court a second time, asking for 150 pounds damages for breach of promise. To support her case, she submitted a copy of the ecclesiastical court's decision. John Rambo complained that he had already been tried once for breach of promise and had paid his fine. This plea did not stop the court, however. On the first of September 1686, it granted judgment for Brigitta.

¹ Samuel W. Pennypacker, *Pennsylvania Colonial Cases* (Philadelphia 1892), 79-84, 108, 112-14. Inaccurate summaries appear in George F. Watson, *Annals of Philadellphia* (Philadelphia, 1877), 1:304, and Struthers Burt, *Philadelphia Holy Experiment* (Garden City, N.Y. 1945), 78-79.

² Rudman's 1697 church census, *PMHB*, 2:225.

³ "Anneke Venslice" in original.

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John Rambo knew when he was defeated. Soon thereafter, he and Brigitta Cock were finally married.¹ They moved to Gloucester County, West Jersey, to live on a farm which had been purchased by his father, Peter Rambo.² There they were to have ten additional children.³ In Gloucester County, John Rambo became the pillar of respectability. He was the first Swede to sit as a justice on the Gloucester County court (1695-98; 1710-15, 1724-27), and also filled many other positions of public trust -- constable (1691-92), representative to the General Assembly of West Jersey (1697-1701), overseer of roads (1705-06), coroner (1710-14), trustee and tax collector (1717-18), and surveyor of highways (1720-21).⁴ In 1740, at the age of 79, he joined other elderly Swedes to give testimony for the Penn family in its boundary dispute with Maryland.⁵

An excerpt of the will of William Chester follows:⁶

"William Chester of Great Mantos Creek in the County of Gloucester in the Western Division of the Province of New Jersey ... bequeath unto my son William five Shillings ... unto my son Samuel the full quantity of sixty Acres of Land ... And as for and concerning the Surplus of sd Land I bought of sd Hannah Carpenter (the Sixty Acres aforesaid and some other parts and parcells which I formerly dispos'd of Deducted) And my messuage plantac'on and Land I bought of Thomas Budd for one hundred Acres I Give Devise & Bequeath the Same Surplus Messuage Plantac'on and One Hundred Acres of Land With all their Rights Members & Appurtenances unto my Trusy friends John Rambo Senior of Gloucester County afd Esq^r and Robert Lord of Gloucester County afd Yeoman (The plantac'on is Scituate on Mantos Creek afd) To hold to them their heirs and Assigns forever In Trust only and to these several Uses Intents & Purposes herein after menc'on'd Limitted & declar'd and no other That is to say To the use and behoofe of my dear & Loving Wife Mary & her Assigns For all the Term of her natural Life Without Impeachment of Waste And from & immediately after the determination of her Estate, then to the Use & behoofe of my Son John Chester his heirs & Assigns forever Moreover It is my mind & Will that my sd Wife Merry ____ the Use & Occupation of all my goods & Chattles (my sd Debts and Funeral expenses afd being first discharg'd) For all the Term of her natural life After whose decease I give & Bequeath the same Goods & Chattles unto my two daughters Ann & Hellen ... Dated the thirtieth day of September ... One thousand Seven hundred & Twenty Seven."

There is no proof that the Brigitta Rambo who died 21 Aug 1726 and is buried at Raccoon is John's wife.⁷

Strange that six of his seven daughters died before their father. Perhaps he simply didn't

¹ Their second child, Catharine, was born 4 October 1689. *PMHB*, 2:225. Rudman judiciously omitted the date of their marriage.

 $^{^{2}}$ A Gloucester County tax list dated 15 May 1687 shows John Rambo taxed for 175 acres on Little Mantua Creek. *GMNJ*, 13:12. However, the land was not conveyed to him until 20 April 1704 when his siblings executed a quitclaim deed. New Jersey Deeds, K-508.

³ *Rambo*, 24-25, 36-37, lists only eight additional children. The names of two others, Elizabeth and Martha Rambo, appear in Raccoon church records.

⁴ GMNJ, 13:16 and records of Gloucester County Court, Gloucester County Historical Society, Woodbury, N.J.

⁵ Pennsylvania Archives, 2d Ser., 706, 788-89. His will was dated 12 April 1740 and proved 21 November 1741, NJA, 30:390.

⁶ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 54H-145H, 1717-1733. LDS microfilm #533145, packet #95H

⁷ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 298

name married daughters in his will because their husbands were expected to take care of them.

7. a daughter, name not known, is believed to have married ANDERS NILSSON FRIEND who was born about 1656, son of Nils Larsson Frände and Anna Andersdotter.¹ In the 1693 census Andrew was listed with four in his household (himself, his wife and two children). The family lived in Ridley Township, Chester Co., PA until about 1694 when they moved to New Castle Co., Delaware to live on Andrew's 200-acres of his father's land located between Brandywine Creek and Red Clay Creek. The Rambo daughter died between May 1693 and August 1694, the dates her father, Peter Gunnarson Rambo, wrote to his sister in Sweden and made his will. Anders Friend remarried to Isabel by 24 Jun 1699 when they were assigned pews in the new Holy Trinity Church at Christina [now Wilmington]. They moved by 1710 to Cecil County, Maryland where he was host to Rev. Andreas Sandel when the latter attended the wedding of Jonas Aurén and Lydia Justis. From there they moved again west to the mouth of the Conococheague with his youngest son, Charles Friend. In 1740 he was living with his son Israel near Harper's Ferry, Virginia. Andrew died in 1748 at the home of his son Charles on the Potomac River. His Bible inspired an article by Peter Craig, "The Odyssey of Andrew Friend's Swedish Bible" in the Swedish American Genealogist, vol. 16 (Mar 1996). A great deal more about Anders Nilsson Friend is included in a paper by Peter Craig, The Family of Nils Larsson Frände (Friend), 1988.

It seems likely that this first child of Anders Nilsson Friend was a child of his first wife, presumed Rambo. It is also possible that Anders Friend married a daughter of Israel Helm as a second wife immediately after the death of his first wife.

71. ISRAEL FRIEND, will dated 12 Aug 1749 names wife Sarah and children: Jonas, Jacob, Charles, Catharine, and Mary.

It is not known whether either of the other known children of Anders Friend were children of his first wife. Those children are:

72. CHARLES FRIEND, will proved 20 March 1751

73. MARY FRIEND, married Robert Turner 3 May 1727 in Northeast, Maryland.

A list of families living in Montgomery Co., PA in 1734 included the names of Mons Rambo [#15], Gabriel Rambo [#17], John Rambo [#11] and Elias Rambo [#19] in Upper Merion. Peter Rambo [#12] was in Providence Township.²

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 25 Mar 1997, citing Alfred Cook Meyers papers on LDS film # 0567028

² William J. Buck, *History of Montgomery County Within the Schuylkill Valley* (Norristown, PA: E.L. Acker, 1859), pp. 24-26

THE PETER LARSSON COCK FAMILY

A number of members of the Rambo and Cock families intermarried. Later the name Cock was changed to Cox and Cook. **PETER LARSSON COCK** was born in 1610 at Bångsta, Turinge parish, Stockholm län, a son of Lars Petersson, and was sent to New Sweden in the third expedition in 1641 for punishment but also received pay of 2 daler copper money for necessary food and clothing. By 1648 he was a free man and settled on an island at the mouth of the Schuylkill River. He served as a judge on the court until succeeded by his eldest son Lars in 1680 and held several offices in the government of the colony. His wife was Margaret Lom who was born in 1626.¹ She was buried 13 Feb 1703 at the age of 77. Peter Larsson Cock died at his island 10 Nov 1687.

The order of birth of his children is not exactly clear.²

- 1. LARS PETERSSON COCK, b. 21 Mar 1646, m. Martha Ashman
- 2. ERIC PETERSSON COCK, b. ca 1650, d. 1701, m. Elisabeth Philipsson
- 3. ANNA COCK, b. ca 1652, d. before 1724, m. Gunnar Rambo [#1]
- 4. MÅNS PETERSSON COCK, b. ca 1654, d. after 1720, m. Gunilla Nilsson
- 5. JOHN PETERSSON COCK, b. 1656, m. Brigitta Friend
- 6. PETER PETERSSON COCK, b. 1658, m. Helena Helm
- 7. MAGDALENA COCK, b. c 1659, d. after 1723, m. Anders Petersson Longacre
- 8. MARIA COCK, b. ca 1661, d. after 1717, m. 1st Anders Rambo [#5]
- 9. GABRIEL PETERSSON COCK, b. 1663, m. Maria Friend
- A. BRIGITTA COCK, b. ca 1665, buried 21 Aug 1726, m. John Rambo [#6]
- B. MARGARET COCK, b. 1667, d. Oct 1701, m. 1st Robert Longshore
- C. CATHARINE COCK, b. 1669, m. Bengt Andersson Bengtsson [#21]
- D. unknown daughter, perhaps wife of Matthias Holstein

His sons Lawrence and Erick were included in the list of the Gloria Dei Church families of 1697/98, and Rev. Rudman [#42] recorded the following members:³

Eric Cox living at the other side of the river, Sensmensing in New Jersey, his wife Elizabeth and children: Peter, 23 years of age, John 21, Laurence 14, Olave 12, Helene 10, Margret 8, Anna 4, and Maria 2. Erick Cock died 22 Aug 1701.

Capt. Lawrence Cox was born March 21, 1646, the son of Peter Lasse Cock. On 15 May 1669 in New Sweden, Lawrence Cox married Martha Ashman⁴ who was born August 1650. They had at least seven children listed in the Gloria Dei records:⁵ Peter, John,

¹ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 1 (1991), p. 288

² Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), pp. 28-31

³ Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

⁴ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, p. 288

⁵ Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

Andreas, Catherine, Robert, Mouns, Lawrence, Gabriel, Margaret and Deborah.¹ See Philadelphia wills book B:28 and administrations books B:52, B:66, and B:145

There is much of interest about this family in Dr. Peter Stebbins Craig's *1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* and in Prof. Gibbon's article "Matsunk or Swedes' Land".²

Letter from Lars Persson Cock to his paternal uncle Mouns Larsson

Translated by Dr. Richard H. Hulan from the manuscript collection, Svenska ecklesiastika handlingar 1686-1694, R 1100, #186, Riksarkivet, Stockholm, Sweden.

"Highly honored, dear paternal uncle Mouns Larsson:

Greetings in God Almighty! Now letting you know, dear uncle, with this my letter, my circumstances and those of my family, and of former acquaintances out in this land, hoping that with God's help I may, at the first opportunity, receive a gladdening and good reply.

In the first place, what pertains to my late father: He came out here to the country of New Sweden, sent by his Royal Majesty to settle the land with the others, his countrymen; which he also did honorably for the high authorities. My late father was selected as a president [justice] in New Sweden which he did with the greatest lovalty; and during the Holland Dutch regime he was also a president on the court; and in the English regime's time likewise. My late father was always in advice and counsel with them. My late father, after he had been in this country one year and a half, gave himself into the state of holy matrimony and had with his dear wife thirteen children whereof now, God be praised, six sons and six daughters are living, all well provided for with wives and husbands, so that of all my late father's lineage in the first degree, that is children and grandchildren, there are living seventy-one souls; and in the year 1687, the 10th of November, my dear father fell asleep, in the name of the Lord, at a good age, leaving after him my dear mother. I, my dear father's eldest son, Lars Pärsson, am likewise healthy. My wife and children are in good circumstances also. I have had, together with my dear wife, eleven children, of whom six sons and two daughters are now living. And we are, God be praised, living in plenty. I am also seated in my late father's place and succeed him, and am also a member of our noble Governor's highest Council, and a counsellor. Also I have been on the court since I reached the legal age, and I am now going on my fiftieth year. My late father had never received any letter from his fatherland, for many years not knowing who among his parents, brothers, relatives and former acquaintances might be alive; but he has told me that he had five brothers living and three sisters when he came from the fatherland; but God knows who among them might be living now.

¹ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 1 (1991), p. 288.

² Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," *Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA.*, (Fall 1977)

If my uncle Mouns Larsson is dead, or the other brothers of my father, then I hope that their children or grandchildren may be alive, that I may receive a gladdening answer to this my letter. They lived at Bångsta hamlet in Södermanland. My father's father's name was Lars Persson. He lived at the same hamlet. Now, hoping that if any of my father's brothers should be alive, that those who know his family and former acquaintances might cause this to be placed in their hands, and that I might receive a gladdening reply by the first ship, praying that you direct your letter to Gothenburg to His Royal Majesty's Postmaster, Johan Thelin, and he shall certainly have it delivered. And we live at Passayongh on the Delaware River in Pennsylvania. Commending you together with our whole family to the almighty, and under his gracious protection,

and will ever be found your most obedient

Lars Persson Cock

P.S. When you write a reply to me, write to me thus, 'Lars Pärsson Cock.' Since we were living here among foreign nations, my late father took that surname so that we and others could be distinguished from one another.

Dated and written at Pennsylvania on Delaware River, the 31st of May 1693".¹

The will of Peter Larsson Cock Philadelphia Will Book A: pages 126-129, #56.² Thanks to Ruth Renton for sending a copy.

In the Name of God Amen the Twenty fifth day of June, One thousand Six hundred Eighty & Seven I Peter Cock of in the Countie of Philadelphia in the Province of Pennsilvania in part of America being in perfect health and memory, praised be the Almighty God, and calling to remembrance the Uncertain estate of this Transitory Life and that all flesh must yield unto death when it shall please Almighty God to call, And in order to settle my worldly estate in order that there be no trouble between my children after my decease, I do for quietness sake between them, make constitute, ordain and declare this my Last will and testament in Manner following; Revoking and Annulling by these presents all and testament & testaments, will and wills heretofore by me made & declared either by word or writting, and this to be taken as my Last will & Testament, and none other to be of whatsoever, And first Being penitent and Sorrie from the bottom of my heart, for my Sinns past, most humbile desiring forgiveness of the almighty God for the same., I give & Committ my Soul unto Almighty God my onlie Saviour & Redeemer, whom, and by the mouth of Jesus Christ I trust and believe assuredlie to be Saved and to have full remission and forgiveness of my Sinns past, and that my Soul with my body at the general day of resurrection shall rise again with joy, and through the merits of Christ's death and passion possess and inherit the kingdom of

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (pub. 1993), pp. 162-163

² Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes A-B, 1682-1706*. LDS microfilm #21721

heaven, prepared for the elect and chosen, and my bodie to be buried in such place decently in Christian manner, wher my exers hereafter named shall appoint ... And now for the Settling of my worldly estate as it have pleased God far above my deserts to bestow upon me, I do order give & dispose of the same in manner and form following that is to say First, I will that all those debts and _____ as follow right or confriente to and manner of person or persons whatsoever shall be well and truly contented and payd in Convenient time after my decease by my executor hereafter named, Item I give unto my loving wife Mary ______ life all my estate personal and real movables and immovables Lands & all whatsoever, In ______ time of her life I will th_ none of my children shall ______ and ______ whatsoever which __________ is Left, and that none of them shall displ

[try dispute]- in her possession during her Life, after which I dispose of my children as follows, Unto my son Gabriell for and in Consideration of his Staying with me to see after my conte during my Life time and my wife's and the Longer Live of us, One Island, scituate Lying and being on Shuillkill knowen by the name of the Skuillkill and marsh belonging unto the same and after the decease of me and my Island & all wife, I will that the same be Confirmed unto him and his heirs forever, and furthermore I give unto my Said Son Gabriel after my deceass & my wife's _____ the sum of thirttie pounds to be paid unto him out of the first Stock before anie division be made,, And furthermore I Give unto all my Twelve childrens sons and daughters (and in case anie one of them should dye the to the deceased his or her heirs or assigns) one equal Share of all the _____ming _____moveables and Immovables; And I order that ____ of them from the oldest son to the youngest daughter should have and _____ equally _____ at all shall be equallie Divyded amongst them (only what is above given to Gabriel excepted) _____ further I will and order that the Island ______ shall be bought by one of my six sons and that that amongst them will give most for it - and possess the same, and the sum so given to be divyded amongst all the as before and the same Island to continue and abide forever if possible in the name of Cock and my family forever; and unto this my Last will & Testament I ordain & appoint my faithfull and well beloved sons Lawrence Cock & Erick Cock to be my Executors of this my Last will & testament, In witness whereof I have hereunto in hangeablie Set my sign & Seal this day & year above written.-- Peter Cock [mark]

Signed & delivred in the presences of Lasse Cock, Gabriel Cock, Eric Cock, Gunner Rambo [GR mark], Mounce Cock [MK mark], John Cock, Robert Long____, Piter Cock

John Blackwell Esq ____ the ____ William Penn Lord Proprietor and chief ___ of the same, to all _____ greeting

Know yea that I the same John _____ notife that this fourth day of the first mo: Commonlie called March in the fifth year of the reign of our sovereign Lord King _____ England ____ and ____ year of the said Lord ____ government in America,, _____ at and in Philadelphia within the said province Lawrence and Erick Cock _____ afternamed did produce and exhibit the last will and Testament of Peter Cock of ______ th the County of Philadelphia in the province of Pennsilvania in the part of America ______ fifth day of June

1687, and according to the laws & _____- of the said province did solomnlie attest and declare that the same was the last will & testament of the said Peter Cock deceased, _____

allowed and insinnated is registered in the office of the Register generall (the original the same remaining) And at the request of the said Lawrence and Erick Cock ____ in the same Last will & testament named, _____ and committment the said Lawrence and Erick Cock in full power and lawfull authoritie well and trulie to administer upon all and singular the _____ and ___, goods ... rights, _____ and whatsoever of the said deceased in manner of to him belonging, or his said last will & testament conforming, lying being and remaining province and counties annesed with good and sufficient security in the sum of one thousand pounds Lawfull monies of and in the said province, , not onlie well & _____ to ____ the said last will and testament according to law, and to pay the debts _____ legacies ther_____ but also to make and exhibit in to this office a full, perfect, just [try inventorie] and and appraisment of all and singular the reall and personall of the said deceased this province aforesaid, from time to time as the same shall to his knowlege, by indenture (for somme as cou this province) at and before the first day of the second _____ the date po___ but also a time and pla____ calculated attempt to _____ mo. April, their solomn attest _____ on or befor the first day of the second mo:

 Aprill ______ after _____ shall be lawfullie called ______ Register _____ for the time being, dated at the _____ of Register for probate of ______ & granting administrataint for the

 province of Pennsilvania and counties _____ at Philadelphia aforesaid the day and year above "

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the estate of Margaret Cock as recorded in Philadelphia Administrations Book B page 6, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

CHAPTER 4: 3rd Generation: PETER G. RAMBO'S Grandchildren

The third generation children were born between the years of 1669 and 1707 as far as can be ascertained. Although the birth dates of many are not known, we know they belong to certain families if the parents named their living children in family Bibles or in their wills. However, not all had written wills, and in those early years some wills were lost. Dr. Peter Craig's *1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* contains much more of interest about the ancestors of spouses of this generation, especially the Boon, Cock, Helm, Hendrickson, Hoffman, Holstein, Huling, Jacobson, Keen, Lycon, Robeson, Rudman, Springer, Swanson, and Thomasson families. Prof. Gibbons article about "Matsunk or Swedes' Land" is a surprisingly interesting treatment of land ownership of this generation.

The children of [#1] Gunnar and Anneka (Cock) Rambo [son of Peter]

11. JOHN RAMBO was born about 1673 and first married ANNA LAICON who was born 21 Aug 1673 and died prior to 1718. She was the daughter of Michael Nilsson Laicon and his wife Helene¹ (who was probably a daughter of Måns Svensson Lom).² In 1696 John Rambo and his father, Gunnar, arranged to purchase a tract of land in what is now Upper Merion Township, near Bridgeport. Before finalizing this deal, it was found the land was part of 7,800 acres Penn had granted to his daughter, Letitia. However, in 1709, Penn's attorneys restored 250 acres to John Rambo.³ Later his tract was found to contain 350 acres. In the mid-1730s, a schoolhouse was built for the church on his land. "In the 1740's John Rambo made arrangements for his heirs. He gave his rights to the Mounce Cock grant to his son, Michael, who with Matthias Holstein, 3rd [#167], obtained title in 1743." In his will, he "devised his remaining holdings to his widow, SARAH, and his children by her and to Ezekiel, his son by his first wife. ... When surveyed for division, his ... estate was shown to contain not 100 acres but over 200 acres. Ezekiel received the upper portion and Sarah received the lower portion when it was divided in 1754".⁴ John died sometime between signing his will on 27 November 1745 and before 6 January 1746 when it was probated. In his will, he named the children born during his first marriage to Anna, and those born to his wife Sarah. Children of John and Anna Rambo were as follows:

- 111. PETER RAMBO, b. before fall 1697, d. before 1746
- 112. MÅNS RAMBO, b. ca 1700, d. 23 Oct 1782, m. Lydia (?)
- 113. GABRIEL RAMBO, b. after 1697
- 114. MICHAEL RAMBO, b. ?, d. ca 1758-9, m. Mary (?)

¹ Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

² Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 35

³ Theodore W. Bean, ed., *History of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania*, vol. 2 (Everts & Peck, 1884), pp. 1124-1129

⁴ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk," Bulletin of Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., vol. 21 (1), pp. 51-52, 60, 56, 64.

115. ANN RAMBO, b. ca 1716, d. 1754, m. 1) Samuel Wheeler, 2) John Ashton

116. ELEANOR RAMBO, b. ?

117. EZEKIEL RAMBO, b. ca 1723, m. 1) E. Holstein, 2) M. Hendrickson

John's second wife was SARAH (?); she survived her husband who died in 1746. Sarah died before 1760. Sarah was the mother of four children:

118. GUNNAR RAMBO mentioned in father's will 1746

- 119. MAGDALENA RAMBO, m. Benjamin Potts
- 11A. LYDIA RAMBO
- 11B. ISRAEL RAMBO

In 1714, John Rambo bought 100 acres adjoining his land (a river portion) from John Justas and "disposed of the rear portion of his tract, perhaps 150 acres, to Matthias Holstein, 2nd, and gave his son Mounce [#112], 100 acres between his and Holstein's property." "John Rambo and Matthias Holstein, 2nd [#16], had obtained the Mounce Cock grant which adjoined their other properties. In 1722 Andrew Lycon conveyed to them his rights to the tract, and they divided it with Holstein taking the rear portion and Rambo the river portion." In the 1734 census John Rambo was listed as holding 100 acres.¹

In Jan 1721, John Rambo became the executor of the will of his father-in-law Neiles Laicon of the Northern Liberties.(Phila. Wills 1721 #231; Book D:206-207) "Neeles Laiconn, Northern Liberties, Philadelphia Co.; yeoman; wife not named & John Rambo, executors; daughters Mary, Christian, Ann, Elizabeth, Susanna, Bridget; Estate on Redcliffe Creek, New Castle Co. to be sold. Witnesses: Francis Rawle, Elizabeth Williams by her mark. Signed with his mark Edward Hartsfield or his wife 3 Dec 1721. Proved 17 Jan 1721/22".² Is the witness to the will Francis Rawle or a Francis Rambo that is not yet identified?

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the Philadelphia will of Neeles Laiconn 1721, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. <u>rsbeatty@gmail.com</u> THANKS.)

" Gloria Dei Church at Wicaco south of Philadelphia remained the church of the settlers at Matsunk for many years. They traveled down to Gloria Dei for important occasions and rites, such as baptisms, marriages and funerals. Otherwise, until the 1730's, they held religious services in one another's home with a layman as leader. From time to time a minister would visit the community. In the mid-1730's the Matsunk congregation built a log school house on John Rambo's land, and it thenceforth served for religious as well as educational purposes. No regular preaching was done there, and the congregation continued to go to Gloria Dei for important occasions, but at least as early as 1744/45 burials took place near the school building."

¹ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), pp. 51-52

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 20 citing Gen. Soc. of PA, *Abstracts of Philadelphia Wills*

The will of John Rambo was dated 27 Nov 1745, proved 9 Mar 1746, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book H: pages 225-227, #129. It is transcribed as follows:¹

"In the Name of God Amen I John Rambo of Upper Merrion in the County of Philad^a being weak of Body but of perfect Mind and Memory thanks be to God therefore do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament I recommend my Soul to God that gave it and my Body to be buried at the discretion of my Executors herein after named I will and desire that my Funeral Charges and all my Lawfull debts be first paid ITEM I give and devise to my Son Mouns [#112] one English Shilling he having already had a plantation for his portion (w^{ch} contains one hundred acres of Lands) under the Limitation that he shall pay my Son Gabriel [#113] Ten Pounds at my decease ITEM I give and devise to my Son Michael [#114] one English Shilling he having already Received the Improvements on one hundred and fifty acres of Land under the Limitation that he shall pay my Son Gabriel Ten Pounds in Six Months after my Decease I Give and devise to my Son Gabriel one Cow and a Calf in part of his portion ITEM I give and devise to Each of my two Daughters (viz) Anne [#115] and Eleanor [#116] five Shillings My Loving wife Sarah and Ezekiel [#117] my Son I appoint constitute Nominate and ordain to be my Lawful Execut^{rs} for me and in my behalf to do for me as if I myself was living ITEM I give my said Exec^{rs} my son Ezekiel and my Wife Sarah the Plantation whereon I now live to be divided between them by a Right Line must be run parellel to the Line of Michael Rambo and my wife Sarah Shall have one full half and her Choise of the parts and Ezekiel shall pay to my Son Gabriel Ten Pounds in Twelve Months after my decease and my Will is and it shall be so that after the decease of my said wife Sarah the Estate of one hundred acres of Land more or Less hereby devised immeditly at the death of my s^d wife Sarah shall and must be to my four Children or the Survivor or Surviors of them (That is to Say) Gunner [#118], Mandlin [#119], Lydia [#11A] and Israel Ramboe [#11B] ITEM I give and devise to my dearly beloved Wife Sarah all that is not herein before devised to dispose of to the four Children begot between us as she thinks proper John Ramboe (his mark) Signed sealed declared pronounced and published by me the said John Ramboe as his Last Will and Testament disanull^g and making void all other wills and testaments heretofore by me made in any wise to all intents and purposes ratifying and confirming this and no others to be my last will and testament November ye 27th 1745 John Ramboe (his mark) (seal) Witness present Codicil I give and devise to my Son Ezekiel one Bed and furniture two Horses and Gears and a Cow and two year old Heifer Confirmed as the above before us John Davis Andrew Holsten Pat Menan Philadel^a 9th March 1746 Then personally appeared John Davis and Patrick Menan two of the Witness^s to the foregoing Will and on oath did declare they saw and heard Jn^o Ramboe the Testator therein named sign seal publish & declare the same will for and as his last will and testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory and understanding to the best of their knowledge and that And^w Holstein the other

¹ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes F-H, 1736-1748. LDS microfilm #21723

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witness thereto did also subscribe his Name as a witness in the presence of and at the request of the Testator Coram. Wm Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹

Be it remembered that on the 9th day of March 1746 the Last Will and Testament of John Ramboe deced^t was proved in Due form of Law and Probate and Lres Testament^y were granted to Sarah Ramboe and Ezekiel Ramboe [#117] Exers in the said Testam^t named being first Legally Sworn well and truly to administer the s^d deced^{ts} Estate and to bring an Inventory thereof into the Reg^r Gen^{l's} Office at Philad^a at or before the 9th day of April next and render a true Acct when thereunto Lawfully required Given under the Seal of the said Office W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹."

Was the land bequeathed to Sarah partitioned amongst her children upon her death? Anything else conclusive in the probate?

(PLEASE. If you know of a division of the John Rambo estate (or property) following Sarah's death, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

Although the will very clearly states "after the decease of my said wife Sarah the Estate of one hundred acres of Land more or Less hereby devised immeditly at the death of my sd wife Sarah shall and must be to my four Children or the Survivor or Surviors of them (That is to Say) Gunner [#118], Mandlin [#119], Lydia [#11A] and Israel [#11B] Ramboe ITEM I give and devise to my dearly beloved Wife Sarah all that is not herein before devised to dispose of to the four Children begot between us", there is still some debate about which of John's children were the four born to wife Sarah. Records of Christ Church in Upper Merion list Ezekiel as a son of Sarah,¹ and Gibbons contends that Gunnar was a son of the first wife.²

Andrew Swanson et al to Society of Traders; 1st day of 8th month 1687; 200 acres formerly laid out to the said Swedes & laid out to the Society on 22 7th month 1686 for 100 Guilders; signed by Erick Cock, John Matson (his mark), Walter King, Tho. Fairman, John Harper, Peter Nelson (his mark), Swan Swanson (his mark), ditto in right of Andrus Salung, Erick Mulcer (his mark), Lase Anderson, Mich Nellson (his mark), Christian Thomson, Wolle Nealison, John Stille (his mark), Lace Cock (his mark), Guner Rambo (his mark), Andrew Swanson, Hance Monson (his mark), Andrew Bengdzon [#2], Monce Cock (his mark), Wolly Swanson (his mark), and John Cock.³

12. PETER RAMBO was born about 1678 (i.e. aged 19 in the Gloria Dei census of 1697) and married (?)(not Magdalena Bauerin! – see discussion below).⁴ Peter Rambo

¹ http://www.hill-ky.org/Reports/Rambo.pdf

² Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 51 ³ Philadelphia County, PA, Recorder of Deeds, Grantor index to deeds v. S 1683-1872 (LDS microflm #1318529) and Deed

records volumes C1-C2 E1-E2, 1683-1745, vol. E-1: 632 (LDS microfilm #21874) ⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 4 & 15 May 1999, p. 2

lived in New Providence, Philadelphia County. "Peter took up land on Perkiomen Creek farther up the Schuylkill River by 1722 (Phila. Deed, H 6, p. 80)".¹ In 1738 Peter Rambo was warden of St. James's church in Perkiomen, and Samuel Lane was one of the vestry men. Peter died, and his will was proved in July 1753 with his son John Rambo as executor. Peter Rambo had the following children who were named in his will:

- 121. ANN RAMBO, b. 1716, d. 24 Feb 1798, m. Roger North
- 122. MARY RAMBO, m. John Koplin
- 123. JOHN RAMBO, d. ca Apr 1758, m. Anne Lane
- 124. PETER RAMBO, b. ca 1724-1728, m. Mary Peters
- 125. WILLIAM RAMBO, d. 1758, m. Hannah Lane
- 126. GUNNAR RAMBO, b. ca 1723, d. 1802, m.?

The will of Peter Rambo was dated 24 Aug 1744, proved 10 Jan 1753, recorded in Philadelphia Will Book K: pages 34-35, and filed as #23 - 1753. It is transcribed from the original as follows:² (Thanks to Ruth Renton for a sending a copy.)

"Be it Known unto all whome it may concern that I Peter Rambo of the Township of Providence in the County of Philadelphia in Pensilvania yeoman, Being now aged and also under Some Present Indisposition of Body; but of a Sound Disposing mind and Memory Thanks be Given to God therefore, Considering the uncertainty of this Transitory Life and the Certainty of Death Do this twenty fourth Day of August in the year of our lord one thousand Seven hundred & fourty four & Make and ordain this my last will and Testament in the following Manner and form (Viz) -- My will is that all my Just Debts both Publick and Private Contracts and funeral Charges together with the Legacies herein Bequeathed Shall be paid as is herein ordered and directed --INPRIMISE I Give and bequeath unto my Son John [#123] all my tract of Land and Plantation Scituate in the Township aforesd on the East Side of Parkiomen Creek Joyning to Richard Jacobs, Jacob Shoes, & Edward Lanes land Containing by esteamation one hundred & twenty acres let the same be more or less Together with all the Privileges Improvements and Appurtenances thereunto belonging to be freely & fully Enjoyed and Possessed by him his Heirs & Assigns from the Day of my Decease thence forward and forever; And also all my Personal Estate Provided always my Son John or his above Written pay and Perform the Debts and Legacies herein after Specified & Declared to becom Due from him or his above Written -- (IBID) I give and bequeath unto my Son Peter [#124] all my tract of land and Plantation situate on the other Side of the Said Creek Whereon is lately Eric Heds a dwelling house Joyning to the said Richard Jacob and Samuel Lanes land Containing by Esteamation Eighty Acres let the Same be more or less Together with all the Previledges Improvements & Appurtenances thereunto belonging to be freely & fully Enjoyed and Possessed by him his Heirs & Assigns from the Day of my Decease thence foreward & forever; Provided allways my Son Peter or his aboves^d Pay and Perform the Debts and Legacies In Manner herein after Specifed and

¹ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 50

² Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes I-K, 1748-1757*. LDS microfilm #21724

nttp://sites.google.com/site/RamboFamilyTree

Declared to become Due from him or his above Written -- (IBID) I give and bequeath unto my Son Guner [#126] the Sum of thirty five Pounds Current Lawfull money of Pensilvania to be Paid unto him when he arives to the Age of twenty one years by my Son John or his Heirs Executors or Admir -- (IBID) I give and bequeath unto my Son William [#125] the Sum of thirty Pounds of Like lawfull money of the sd Province to be Paid unto him by my son Peter or his heirs execu^{rs} when he arrives to the age of twenty years & Likewise order that my son William be put to learn a trade of his own Choise (IBID) I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann [#121] Now Wife of Roger North the Sum of one Shilling Sterling Money on Consideration of what I have already given her and other Reasons Best known to my Self to be Paid to her or her Sd Husband on Demand after my Decease by my Son John or his above Sd -- (IBID) I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Mary [#122] Now wife of John Copling the Sum of one Shilling Sterling Money for the afore Sd Reasons to be Paid unto her or her Sd Husband on Demand after my Decease by my Son John or his above Written --- And Whereas I have Given by this my Last Will the Greatest Part of my Real Estate and all my Personal Estate unto my son John as afore Sd it is my will and ordination that I Remain and abide with him During my Natural Life and he Shall find & Provide for me Sufficient meat Drink Apparel Lodging and Washing Suitable to my age and Condition and when I Depart this Life he Shall Bury me in a Christian like and Desent manner on his own Charge; I also order that my Son John or his aboveSd Shall Pay all my Just Debts Contracted before this Date out of his own Share as aforeSd --- And if Either of my three Sons (Viz) Peter [#124] Guner [#126] or William [#125] Should Dye before they Come to age to Enjoy their Share according to the true Intent and meaning of this my will the Share or Shares of Such that Dyes of the Sd three Shall be Equally Devided between the Survivors of them Share & Share alike --- Lastly I do nominate and appoint my Son John to be executor of this my last Will and Testament, And Do hereby utterly Disallow Revoke & Disannul all & Every other former Testaments Wills Legacies and Executors by me in any wise before this time named Willed or Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the Day and year first above Written -- Peter Rambo (his mark) Published pronounced & Declared by the Testator as his last Will and Testament in the Presence of us the Subscribers Edeth Adams (her mark), Richard Jacob, Thomas Bull -- N.B. one of the Exc^{rs} Bloted out before Sealing & Delivery hereof -- Upon the sixteenth day of January 1753 Then personally Appeared Richard Jacob one of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will and on his Solemn Affirmation according to Law did Declare he saw & heard Peter Rambo the Testator therein named Sign Seal publish & declare the same Will for and as his last Will and Testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound Mind memory and Understanding to the best of his Knowledge And that Edeth Adams and Thomas Bull the other Witnesses thereto Did also Subscribe their names as Witnesses in the presence of and at the Request of the Testator -- Coram -- Jn^o Campbell -- by Authority from -- W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ -- Be it remembered that on the 10th day of January 1753 the Last Will & Testament of Peter Ramb deced in due form

of Law was proved & Probate & Letters Testament^{ry} were Granted to John Rambo [#123] sole Execu^r in the s^d Will named being first Legally Sworn well & truy administer ye s^d deced^t Estate & to bring an Inventory therof into ye Reg^r Gen^{ls} Office at Phil___ at or before the 10th day of February next and tender a true account when thereunto law____ Required Given under the the seal of s^d Office ____"

The **rumor of Magdalena Bauerin as wife** of Peter Rambo has been discredited. The rumor no doubt arose from a published abstract of the Philadelphia Probate Docket F:476.¹ The abstract states: "Madalena Bauerin, Providence Township, Philadelphia County, spinster, declared on January 2, 1753, that she gave legacies to the poor of Providence Township; to Ann, daughter of Peter Rambo, to whom she was godmother; to George Boger; Daniel Boger; residue to Peter Rambo, where she usually made her abode; mentioned brothers and sisters having been unkind to her; witnesses, Margarette Ramsourin, Diterich Ramsowerin; administration to Peter Rambo, son of Madelina Bowerin, deceased, January 15, 1753." **NOTE** that the original court documents call Magdalena Bauerin a spinster several times and that the original documents do not mention any family relationship to Peter Rambo.

Thanks to Ruth Renton for copies of the following documents about Magdalena Bauerin. "The Year 1753

IN THE MONTH OF JANUARY² an elderly maiden lady of New Providence [HD: M. B.³] died. She was a faithful member of our congregation and lived in my house and under our care for several years on account of her physical frailty. She was a poor orphan who had to support herself by light manual labor. Unto whomsoever little is given, of her shall little be required. Her native intellectual powers were not extensive, yet she had a good memory: Beyond this, she was flighty by nature and was inclined to be either melancholy or gay. As a result of her memory and the good instruction she had received in her youth, she acquired an excellent store of divine truths and a treasure of passages from the Old and New Testaments, together with selected edifying evangelical hymns. Moreover, she was tireless in her efforts to increase her store by means of diligent reading, listening, and learning. She was a Sort of walking Topical Bible and Hymn Concordance. She often spent the whole day singing and reciting. Since she worked in her secular calling among people of various persuasions in the neighborhood, she sometimes had an opportunity to testify to the Word of God according to her gifts and lights. The Word of God, which is power unto salvation, which is spirit and life, and which becomes, to those who hear and know it, either the savor of life unto life or the savor of death unto death, had a beneficial effect upon her soul, too, according to the

¹ Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, "Abstracts of Wills," Publications of Genealogical Society of PA, vol. 5, p. 191

² The translation from here to July, 1753, is based on the manuscript Halle Documents, Vol. IV, pp. 3407-13, and H.N., Vol. II, pp. 141-43. Cf. also the manuscript volume PM95, Z5 pp. 15-43.

^{13,} and H.N., Vol. II, pp. 141-43. Cf. also the manuscript volume PM95, Z5 pp. 15-43

³ According to the Church Record, Magdalena Bauer was buried January 3, 1753; her age is given as "approximately forty-five years."

measure of her knowledge and disposition [HD: according to the measure and proportion: that her spiritual powers were capable of development. She was like many students who, in turn, are comparable to patients afflicted with passio coeliaca; they absorb great quantities of food, but digest little of it and consequently transform little of it into bodily humors and life.] Her memory was insatiable, and she gathered a rich store of the truths necessary to salvation, but the other faculties of her mind were not so strong and agile as to enable her to apply these truths properly. Otherwise she might have been an exceptional model in the Kingdom of God on earth. While she was in my home I tried to correct this failing by proper means. I called her attention to her complete poverty of spirit and recommended quiet, introspection, watchfulness, fervent prayer, etc. in order that she might make better use of the divine truths [HD: and in order that the vital power flowing from them might not be so easily dissipated]. For this purpose I gave her, in addition to other pertinent Scripture passages, the hymn 'Jesu, Jehova, ich such und verlange,' etc., especially stanzas 2, 3, and 4. Although improvement did not take place as rapidly as one might desire, the faithful Bishop of souls, in His endless love, patience, and long suffering, did not fail to work upon this poor sheep and save her soul. Finally He hurried her out of this world. In His gracious providence God, who governs even the littlest things and counts the hairs on the heads of believers, arranged it so that she was at the time in the home of a pious Reformed man, was receiving Christian care from him and his honest, Lutheran wife; and was removed without much pain or sickness. She selected the hymns which she wanted sung at the funeral and asked me to preach the funeral sermon on the basis of stanzas 7-11 from the hymn 'Herr Jesu Christ, meins Lebens Licht,' etc.) which begin

Five gaping holes and real,

Thy sacred wounds reveal.

I acceded to her request. Poor as she was, while she was living she never failed to contribute her mite toward the Church and public worship. In so doing she put to shame many who have nothing to spare for God's cause out of their abundance. The name of the Lord be praised for all the good he has vouchsafed to this soul!".¹

The estate packet for Magdalene Bauerin contained the noncupative will, letters of administration, and inventory as follow:²

"Register of Wills In and for the County of Philadelphia Pennsylvania, In the matter of the estate of Madelena Bowerin, Deceased, Will No. 94 Year 1753:

The Last Will and Testament of Madalena Bauerin of Providence Township and County of Philadelphia Spinster which She made Verbaly or by Word of Mouth Not only Upon the Second Day of January Last Last [sic] but at Several Times before to the Same Effect She Liveing for Som Time With Us the Subscribers is as followeth Item She Gave Ten Shillings to the Poor of Providence Township Item She Gave her bed and bedsted and all the furnitude Thereunto Belonging as also all her Clows and Apparel Whatsoever and

¹ Henry Melchoir Muhlenberg, The Journals of Henry Melchoir Muhlenberg, vol. 1 (Philadelphia, 1942), pp. 350-51

² Ruth E. Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley H. Behrens, Koplin research, copy of will, administration, inventory

Likewise Twenty Shillings in Money to Ann Rambo the Daughter of Peter Rambo to whom she was God mother. Item She Gave her Prayer Book and Bible unto George Boger Item She Gave her himn Book to Daniel Boger Item her Will Was that all her just Debts and funeral Charges Should be first Paid And All the rest of her Estate She Did Give and Bequeath unto the Said Peter Rambo Where She usealy made her abode And She being Interrogated Wheder She had anyting to bequeath to her Brothers and Sisters She answered Not That as they had bin Very Unkind to her She would Lieve them Nothing This is the Verbal Will and Testament of the Said Madalena Bauerin Made the Second Day of Jenuary In the year one Thousand Seven Hundred and fifty three at the house of us the Subscribers Where She Died As Witness our hands This Sixth Day of Jenuary 1753 Witness [signed] Nicho^S Bunn[,] _____ ranefouirn[,] Margarette Ramsaurin [her mark]"

The Letters of Administration was faint and difficult to read.

"Know all men by these presents That Mr. Peter Rambo Joseph Kendall and Nicholus Bonn of the County of Philadela in the Province of Pensilvania Are held and firmly Bound William Plumsted Esq Register Generall for the probate of Wills and Granting Letters of Administration in for the said Province in the Sum of Forty -- Pounds lawfull money of said Province To be ____ the said Register Generall his certain Attorney Executors Administrators or Assigns To the which payment _____ and truly to be made and done. We Bind ourselves Jointly and Severally Our Heirs Executors and -trators and every of them firmly by these presents Sealed with Our Seals being dated Calculation and Reckonning of the said Administration at or before the Sixteenth day of January Anno D 1754 And all the Rest and Residue of the Goods Chattles Rights and Credits which were of the deceas which shall be found Remaining upon the Administration Account - the same being first Examined and allowd the Orphans Court of the County of Philadelphia Shall deliver up and pay to Such person or persons as the Court by its decree or Sentence Shall Limit and Appoint And if it shall hereafter Appear that any last or Testaments (other than a Verbal Codicile hereto annexed) was made by the said deceased And the Executor or Executors therein named do Exhibit th unto the said Office makeing Request to have it allowd Accordingly of the said Peter Ram being thereunto Requested Do render and deliver up the said Letter of Administration (approbation of Testament being had and made) unto said Office. Then this present Obligation to be Void ____ The Condition of this obligation is Such That if the above bounden Peter Rambo - Admin and Singular the Goods Chattells Rights and Credits Which were of Madalena Bowerin of Providence Towns Do make or Cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and Singular the Goods Chattells Rights have or shall come into the hands possession or knowledge of the said Peter Rambo or into the hands poss of any other person or persons for him And the same so made Do exhibit or cause to be exhibited ____ Register Generalls Office at Philadelphia at or before the fifteenth day of February next And the ____ Chattells Rights and Credits which were of the said deceased at the time of her death. Or which at any time Thereafter

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Shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of any other person or persons for him, Do truly Administer according to Law And Further Do make or Cause to be made a true and Just _______ to Stand and Remain in full form and Virtue Sealed and delivered in the presence of Us Edward Dehaven, Casllar Gringer [signed] Peter Rambo, Joseph Kendall, Nicholas Bunn"

The inventory of the estate was short.

"An Inventory or Bill of Appraisement taken & Made ye fifth day of January 1753 of all the Effects of Maudlin Bowrin Spinster of Providence ye County of Philad^a Deceased _ us the Subscribers According to the best of our knowledge Imprimise

to wearring Apparrel 2-0-0; to BedSted, Bed and Beding 2-15-0; to an old trunk 0-3-6; to 5 pound flax 0-4-2; to 5 y^d and a halfe of Lining 0-13-0; to a Spining weel 0-5-0; to a Bond at Seven _____ by John boars 7-0-0; to a Note and other Depts Due to hur 5-3-0; to Cash 1-19-3; Appraised by us 20-3-8 Richard Jacob, John Schrack" Peter Rambo was executor of the estate.¹

"Records of Augustus Evangelical Lutheran Church show that the Anna Rambo referred to was the daughter of Peter and Maria Rambo, born 16 Dec. 1749 and baptized 12 Jun 1750, with sponsor being shown as Anna Magdalena Bauerin. (Hist. Soc. Pa. Mo. IL:1, p. 73) Page 245 of the same reference shows the marriage of Peter Rambow [sic] to Mary Peters, daughter of Peter Peters of Providence Twp., on 13 Apr 1748. This Peter Rambo was the son of Peter Rambo of Providence".²

13. **GUNNAR RAMBO** Jr. was born about 1680 (i.e. aged 17 in the Gloria Dei census of 1697). He was not mentioned in his father's [#1] will proved 1723-24, so he died before then but after 1717 when Sandel's Gloria Dei book reports that Gunnar Rambo of Matzong cut 11 logs for the new parsonage being constructed at Passyunk.³

14. **ANDERS (Andrew) RAMBO** was born about 1682 (i.e. aged 15 in the Gloria Dei census of 1697) and was mentioned in his father's [#1] will of 1724. He lived on the homestead with his brother Elias.⁴ Andrew died unmarried on 3 July 1755, age 71, at Matsunk. His will named all of the children of his brother Elias: [#19] Peter [#191], George [#193], Elias [#198], Gunner [#196], Andrew [#195], Jonas [#194], Jeremiah [#193], and Ann Carsine [#197]. The will of Andrew Rambo was written 2 Jul 1755, probated 1 Oct 1755, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book K: pages 359-360, #231. It is transcribed as follows:⁵

"In the Name of God Amen this Second Day of July one thousand Seven Hundred and fifty five I Andrew Rambo of Upper Merion in the County of Philad^a being very sick and

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty dated 15 May 1999 with enclosure to Mr. Wilson dated 26 Mar 1994

¹ Ruth E. Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley H. Behrens, Koplin research, copy of will, administration, inventory

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 15 May 1999, p. 2

⁴ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 50

⁵ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes I-K, 1748-1757. LDS microfilm #21724

Weak in Body but of perfect mind and memory and knowing it is appointed for all men once to Die Do make this my Last Will and Testament, I Resign my Soul into the Hands of God that Gave it, and my Body to be buried in a Christian Like and Decent Manner, I appoint Peter Rambo [#191] & George Rambo [#192] to be my Executors of this my Last Will, and Do Order that they see all my Just Debts and funeral Charges to be paid & Satisfied, I give and Bequeath to Peter Rambo the of Twenty Pounds, I give unto George Rambo the sum of Twenty Pounds, I give unto Elias Rambo [#198] the sum of Ten Pounds, I give unto my Brothers Daughter Ann Carsine [#197] the sum of three Pounds and my Gold Ring, I give unto Gunner Rambo [#196] the sum of Ten Pounds, I Give unto Andrew Rambo [#195] the sum of Ten Pounds, I give unto Jonas Rambo [#194] the sum of Ten Pounds, and I give unto Jeremiah Rambo [#193] the sum of Ten Pounds And Do Order that they be paid their Several Shares and Legacies as the Come of age, and that this be my Last will and Testament, in Testimoney whereof I have hereunto set my Hand Seal the Day and Year first above Written. Andrew Rambo (his mark) Signed and Sealed by the above named Andrew Rambo as his Last Will and Testament in the Presence of us, William White, Sarah Priest, Andrew Holsten [#166]

Philad^a 1^{sr} October 1755 Then personally appeared W^m White and _____ Holston two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will on oath did declare they ______ and heard Andrew Rambo the Testator therein named Sign Seal Publish and Declare the same will for and as his Last Will & Testament and that at the Doing thereof he was of Sound mind memory and understanding to the best of their knowledge Coram W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ Be it remembred that on the 1st Day of October 1755 the last Will and Testament of Andrew Rambo deced^{ed} in due form of Law was proved & probate and Letters Testamentary were granteed to Peter Rambo [#191] & George [#192] Rambo Executors in the s^d will named being duely sworn Well and truely to Administer the deced^{ts} Estate and bring an Invent^ry thereof into the Reg^t Gen¹ office at Philad^a at or before the 1st Day of for W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹."

15. **MÅNS RAMBO** was born about 1684 (i.e. aged 13 in the Gloria Dei census of 1697) and was married to CATHARINA **BOON** by Rev. Sandel [#44] in 1715. She was born in 1691, the daughter of Sven Boon and his wife Brigitta Swanson.¹ Catharina's grandfathers were Anders Svensson Bonde and Sven Svensson.² Anders Svensson Bonde (Boon) was born in Sweden about 1620 and settled at Tinicum, New Sweden, in June 1644. He was employed to "make hay for the cattle" and to sail Governor Printz's "little yacht." By 1693, Sven Boon was the wealthiest man in Philadelphia County west of the Schuylkill.³ The Sven Boon family lived at Calcon Hook in 1697/8. Catharina inherited three acres of land on an island from her father after his death in Darby, Pennsylvania in Nov 1729.(Chester Co. Wills A:306) Måns Rambo "acquired land in Plymouth Township across the Schuylkill from the Swedes' Tract in 1729 and by 1734 had moved to Kingsessing (Phila. Deed, G 1, p. 60; and Mtgy. Co.

¹ Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

² Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), p. 32

³ Prof. Odhner, "Founding of New Sweden," trans. Gregory Keen, Pennsylvania Magazine of History & Bio., vol. 3 (4), p. 402

Deed, 7, p. 431)", Philadelphia Co.¹ He died in 1760, and his will was proved on 3 May 1760. The will named his wife, children: Ann Lincoln, Mary, and Swen, and his grandchildren: Abraham Lincoln [#1521], Catherine Campbell [#1511], and Margaret Campbell [#1512]. His wife Catharine and son Swen Rambo were named executors. Catharina died the following year and her will was proved 2 May 1761. They had these known children:

- 151. BRITA RAMBO, b. ca 1718, d. 2 Jul 1758, m. William Campbell
- 152. ANNA RAMBO, b. 1725, d. 8 Feb 1819, m. Jacob Lincoln
- 153. SWEN RAMBO, d. 1770 in Kingsessing, unmarried.²
- 154. MARIA RAMBO, apparently never married, died after 1761

The will of Mounce Rambo was dated 5 Apr 1760, proved 3 May 1760, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book L: pages 436-438, #279. It is transcribed as follows:³

"In the Name of God Amen I Mounce Rambo of Kingsess in ye County of Philadelphia in ye province of Pennsylvania Yeoman, being weak & Infirm in Body but of sound & well disposing mind & memory praise be humbly given to Almighty God for ye same and for all other his mercies & favours towards one but in Consideration of my Mortality and of the uncertain State of this frail & Transitory Life and that sooner or later all flesh must yield unto death, do think fitt while Strength is afforded to make my last Will & Testam^t which I do in form & manner following, that is to say, first and Principally I recommend my soul into ve Hands of God that Gave it, and my Body I commit to ve Earth to be Buried in a Christain like & decent manner at ye discretion of my Executrix & Executor hereinafter named, And as Touching such Temporal Estate as it hath Pleased the Lord to favour me with, I give & dispose of the same as followeth viz^t Imprimis it is my Will & mind that all my Just Debts & Funeral Expences be in the first place duly paid & Discharged, ITEM I grant & allow to my dearly Loving Wife ve priviledge to dwell & reside in my Parlour with Liberty of Cellar Roome & Water at ye Spring with apples out of my Orchard Sufficient for her own use also firewood Cut & brought to the Doore Sufficient for her own private Burning in ye Parlour afs^d all which priviledges I will that she Enjoy during ye Term of her Natural Life, ITEM I give to my Daughter Ann [#152] the Wife of Jacob Linncon the sum of Twenty Pounds of Lawful Money of Pennsylv^a, ITEM I give to my Grandson Abraham Lincon [#1521] ve sum of Twentv Pounds Money afs^d to be paid to him when he attains to ye age of Twenty one years, but in Case he should Die in his minority unmarried & without Issue, then I give the same Twenty to be divided Equally to & amongst the other Children of my Daughter Ann Lincon that shall be Born at ye Time of my decease, ITEM I give to my Daughter Mary [#154] the sum of Forty pounds of lawfull money afs^d, I also give her one mare two cows & six Sheep, one pair of new Chest of Drawers, one Feather Bed & furniture, Two Pewter Dishes & six pewter plates; ITEM I geve to my Grand Child Catherine Campbell

¹ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 50

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 15 May 1999, p. 2

³ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes L-M, 1757-1763. LDS microfilm #21725

[#1511] the sum of fifteen pounds of Lawful money afs^d also one Cow, & three sheep, one desk in my parlour one feather Bed & furniture Two pewter dishes & six pewter plates, ITEM I give to my Grand Child Margaret Campbel [#1512] the sum of fifteen pounts of lawfull money afs^d also one Cow & three sheep, one Feather bed & furniture Two Pewter Dishes & six pewter plates; and my will further is that my daughter Mary & two Grand Children Cathering & Margaret Campbel afs^d have ye priviledge of dwelling in my House during the Time they Remain unmarried; ITEM I give to my Dear Wife the sum of Twenty Pounds of lawfull Money afores^d also the Bed & Beding whereon I now lyeth all my other Goods & furniture Usually in my Parlour Excepting the Desk before given to my Garand Daughter Catherine Campbel, and my Will further is that my s^d dear wife have a sufficient maintenance & Support both of Food & Raiment out of my Estate during her Natural Life. ITEM I give & Devise unto my son Swan all my Messuage Plantation & Tract of Land whereon I now dwell Containing about Seventy Acres with my Lot of Drain'd Marsh of four acres Situate in ye Township of Kingsess afs^d with their appurtenances and all other my Estate Real & Personal whasoever & wheresoever the same may be, not before given or mentioned to be Given in this my Will, To hold to him my son Swan [#153] his heirs & Assigns for Ever, Subject nevertheless to all ye Priviledges given to my Wife & Daughter Mary and two Grand Children Cathering [#1511] & Margaret Campbel [#1512] as afores^d, and lastly I nominate Constitute & appoint my dear Wife Executrix & my son Swan to be Excutor of this my Last Will & Testament hereby making Void all former or other Wills by me at any time heretofore made & Ratifying & Confirming this & only this to be my Last Will & Testam^t In Testimony whereof I Mounce Rambo the Testator have hereunto set my hand & seal ye Fifth Day of April in ye Year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred & sixty Mounce Rambo (his mark)

Signed Sealed Published Declared by ye s^d Testator to be his last Will & Testam^t in the presence of us Peter Yocon, Jn^o Campbell, Jsa Pearson

Philad^a 3^d May 1760 Then personally appeared Peter Yocom & John Campbell two of the Witnesses to ye foregoing Will & on Oath did Declare th___ say & heard Mounce Rambo the Testator therein Named Sign Seal publish & declare the same will for & as his last Will & Testam^t and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their Knowledge Coram W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ Be it remembred that on the 3^d day of May 1760 The last will & Testament of Mounce Rambo deced in due form of Law was proved & prabate & Letters Testament^{ry} were granted to ye Widow and Swan Rambo [#153] the Executors in the s^d Will appointed being duly Sworn well & truly to Administer the Deced^{t's} Estate & bring an Inven^{ry} thereof into the Reg^r Gen^{1's} Office at Philad^a at or before the 3^d Day of June next & render a true Acco^t when Required Given under the Seal of the s^d office W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹."

The will of Katharine Rambo [#15] was dated 23 Mar 1761, proved 2 May 1761, and

recorded in Philadelphia Will Book M: pages 100-101, #60. It is transcribed as follows:¹ "In the Name of God Amen, This 23^d Day of March 1761 I Katharine Rambo of Kingsess in the County of Philad^a in Pennsylv^a being of sound mind & memory, do Ordain & make this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following, 1st That my Remains may be decently buried by my Husband in Christian burial at Wiccaco, at my own Expence by my son Swan Rambo [#153]; And as touching my Little affairs of the things of this Life I give & bequeath in manner following: Whereas my Father Swan Boon at Calcoon hook left me by his last will Five acres of in s^d Hook, and my Husband Mounts Rambo at Kingsess the sum of Twenty Pounds as his last bequesth some time since this being my all I bequeath in manner thus; That my Daughter Mary Rambo [#154] shall have the four acres of marsh af^d To hold to her, her heirs & Assigns for ever. she paying my Daughter Ann [#152] the sum of five pounds Pennsylv^a Money. And the af^d Twenty Pounds left to me by my Dear Husband Mounts Rambo I will it to be Equially Divided between my son Swan, my Daughter Mary & my two Grand Children Katharine [#1511] & Margaret Campbell [#1512] and I appoint Swan Rambo my son, & Thomas Thomas Executors of this my last Will & Testament. Katharine Rambo (her mark) Sealed & Delivered as her last Will & Testam^t in the presence of Peter Jocom, John Trapnall Philad^a 2^d May 1761 Then personally appeared Peter Yocum & John Trapnall the witnesses to the foregoing Will and on oath did Declare they saw & heard Catherine Rambo the Testatrix therein named sign seal publish & declare the same will for & as her last Will & Testament and that at the doing thereof she was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their Knowledge. Coram W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ Be it remembred that on the 2^d day of May 1761 The last Will & Testam^t of Catherine Rambo deced in due form of Law was Proved & prabate & Lres Testament^{ry} were Granted to Swen Rambo & Thomas Thomas Execu^{rs} in the s^d Will named being duly sworn well & Truly to Adminis^r the Deced^{t's} Estate & bring an Inventy thereof into the Reg^r Gen^{l's} Office at Philad^a at or before the 2^d day of June next & Render a true acco^t when Required Given under the Seal of the s^d office William Plumsted Reg^r Gen^l."

The will of Swan Boon of Darby was recorded in Chester Co. in 1729. An abstract follows:²

November 2, 1729. November 26, 1729. A. 306.

To daughter Catherine Rambo [#15], a piece of land lying upon Relkenhood Island containing 3 acres. To son Andrew remainder of lands and all moveables, also executor. Witnesses: Neels Boon, Andrew Boon, Benj. Pearson.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the Chester Co. will of Swan Boon 1729, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

16. BRIGITTA RAMBO was born about 1685 (i.e. aged 12 in the Gloria Dei census of

¹ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes L-M, 1757-1763*. LDS microfilm #21725

² Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, e-mail of 2 Sep 2002

1697) and married MATTHIAS HOLSTEIN on 10 Oct 1705 in Wicaco Church. Matthias was born at Passyunk on 1 Jul 1681,¹ the son of Matthias Claessen, alias Holstein, and his first wife whose name is not known, incorrectly identified as Britta Gostenburg.² It is possible that she is the unknown daughter of Peter Larsson Cock (whereby Brigitta and Matthias would have been first cousins). Mathias Holstein Jr. "was a warden and vestryman for Gloria Dei Church from 1707 to 1709, but soon moved to Matsunk ... where he established a large farm in the vicinity of present Bridgeport".³ The family resided in Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania in 1714 [now Montgomery Co.], where they built a stone house 1.5 miles from the Schuylkill on Spring Creek.⁴ More than four generations were born and lived in this house. A stone barn was also built in which services were held during the building of Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion Township. Matthias was a large landowner, owning about 1,000 acres where Bridgeport, Pennsylvania now stands, from the Schuylkill River 1.5 miles to the top of Red Hill. He was elected to the Assembly in 1718 and 1722 to 1725.⁵ He died at Matsunk in 1737 between 17 Mar and 11 May. Brigitta Holstein was still living in 1754 when she was listed in the census of nine Swedish families that formed the beginning of Christ Church. The census showed that Brigitta, her sons, and their families still spoke and read the Swedish language as well as English.⁶ Brigitta died by 1758 when her estate was administered as indicated in Philadelphia Administration Book G, p. 130. Mathias and Brigitta Holstein had the following children:⁷

- 161. PETER HOLSTEIN, b. 1706, d. 1 Nov 1706
- 162. FREDERICK HOLSTEIN, b. 1 Jan 1708, died in infancy
- 163. BRITA HOLSTEIN, bapt. 14 Jan 1712, buried 31 Nov 1713 age 2y (see #169)
- 164. CATHARINE HOLSTEIN, b. ca 1712, m. 1) J. Hendrickson, 2) A. Culin
- 165. DEBORA HOLSTEIN, b. 5 Sep 1714, d. ca 1783, m. George Priest
- 166. ANDREW HOLSTEIN, bapt. 15 Apr 1716, d. 3 Jan 1762, m. Mary Jonse
- 167. MATTHIAS HOLSTEIN, b. 2 Dec 1717, d. 1768, m. Magdalena Hulings
- 168. MARIA HOLSTEIN, b. 23 Apr 1720, m. Matthias Rambo [#171]
- 169. BRITA HOLSTEIN, b. 14 Jan 1712, d. 1797, m. Elias Rambo [#336]
- 16A. JOHN HOLSTEIN, b. 26 Mar 1724, d. ca 1755, m. Elizabeth Archer
- 16B. ELISABETH HOLSTEIN, b. ca 1726, m. Ezekiel Rambo [#117]
- 16C. FREDERICK HOLSTEIN, b. 11 Feb 1728, m. Magdalena Jones

In 1709/10, Matthias Holstein bought 100 acres from John Justas, being the rear portion of the upper half of Peter Cock's inheritance. Matthias later bought the rear portion of John Rambo's tract, perhaps 150 acres. These two parcels made a contiguous tract on the

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 236

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985

³ Peter S. Craig, "Matthias Claesson and his Holstein Family," Swedish Colonial News, vol. 2 (3), pp. 2, 8 (Fall 2000)

⁴ Anna M. Holstein, Swedish Holsteins in America from 1644-1892 (pub. 1892), p. 14

⁵ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 2 (1997), p. 508

⁶ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 58, Appendix B census of 1754

⁷ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 15 May 1999, pp. 2-3

rear of the Swedes' Tract. In 1722 Matthias Holstein and John Rambo [#6] obtained and divided the Mounce Cock lands adjoining their other properties. "Holstein apparently also laid claim to the land adjoining the upper boundary of the Swedes' Tract. It had an excellent fording place, which, as early as 1722/23, was called Swedes' Ford. The soil close to the river at this point consisted of red shale over sandstone, a type of soil which, though not quite as excellent as limestone soil, was still very good for farming. Holstein is said to have landed at the ford on first coming to the area and to have resided there for a time while building his permanent dwelling on his land to the rear of John Rambo's property. If he kept possession of it once he got there, as seems likely, he did so without valid title, because the land was owned by the Manor. There may have been confusion over the upper limits of the Swedes' Tract or he may have purchased it from a previous settler, who also had no title. The low purchase price when title was finally obtained in 1741/42 may indicate long possession by Holstein." In the census of 1734 he was listed with 252 acres. "According to the account of a great-grandson of Matthias Holstein, 2nd, (Matthias Holstein [1772-1849]) the Upper Merion estate amounted to 1000 acres and was divided among Matthias, 3rd [#167], Andrew [#166] and Frederick [#16C]. Matthias, 3rd, received the homestead at Spring Creek with over 400 acres; Andrew, the Swedes' Ford farm of over 300 acres; and Frederick, the remaining acreage. John [#16A] received land outside Upper Merion."

" During these years the ford on Holstein's property, called the Swedes' Ford, was an important crossing point of the Schuylkill, and as early as January, 1722/23, residents of the surrounding area were asking for a road to Swedes' Ford. At that time the Provincial Council appointed a commission to lay out a road from the Conestoga Road in Whiteland, Chester County. A second commission, including Hugh Hughes, a resident of the Swedes' Tract, presented a more acceptable plan which was approved May, 1724. Swedes' Ford Road was probably soon completed because another road from Well's Ferry on the Delaware reached the opposite bank in 1730, although Eastburn's 'Platt of Mountjoy,' drafted in 1732, and deeds relating to Holstein land do not indicate or mention a road to Swedes' Ford. A Lewis Evans map of 1749 makes the first known reference to Swedes' Ford Road. It ran through the Swedes' Ford tract close to the adjoining Mounce Cock grant of the original Swedes' Tract.

" After construction of the road Swedes' Ford had a considerable amount of traffic since this was one of the best fording places over the Schuylkill on the way to Philadelphia from the interior, and Swedes' Ford Road was a principal highway from New York and New Jersey to the Pennsylvania backcountry. Business at the Ford led eventually to the establishment of a public house. It was believed by the great-grandson of Matthias Holstein, 2nd, that a tavern existed at Swedes' Ford as early as 1730, which is possible but doubtful, ..."

Matthias Holstein's will was signed on March 17, 1736/37 and proved on May 11, 1737. He left "two-thirds of his personal and real estate to his wife and 200 acres 'where I now dwell' to his son, Matthias Holstein, 3rd. To his other sons he left money: to Andrew

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[#166] 100 pounds or its value in land and to John and Frederick 60 pounds each".¹

"On 19 March 1759, Andrew Holstein, administrator of the estate of Bridget Holstein, sued Matthias Holstein, Jr., executor of the estate of Matthias Holstein, Sr., seeking an accounting of his executorship, which was ordered by the Philadelphia County Orphan's Court (5:96) On 16 June 1760, the same court also ordered a review of the accounting of the estate of Bridget Holstein. (5:169) On 6 Sept. 1760, the audit of the accounts of Andrew Holstein showed that Bridget Holstein, widow, had died possessed with property having a net value of £ 135.6, and that Matthias Holstein, Jr., executor of Matthias Holstein, Sr., showed an inventory dated 9 May 1737 with a value of £ 364.10.6, less estate expenses of £ 33.10.4 $\frac{1}{2}$, leaving a balance in his hands of £ 331.0.1 $\frac{1}{2}$. Both accounts were confirmed by the court. (5:172-173)".²

The will of Mathias Houlsteen was written 17 Mar 1736, proved 11 May 1737, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book F: pages 36-37, #35. It is transcribed as follows:³ "I Mathias Houlsteen of the Township of Upper Merrion in the County of Philadelphia and the province of Pensilvania being weake in body but of a perfect mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and testament it is my will and I do order in the first place all my just debts and funeral charges to be paid and satisfied ITEM I give and bequeath unto Brichard my Dearly beloved Wife the thirds of my personal & real estate ITEM I give and bequeath to my son Mathias [#167] two hundred acres of Land and the tenements belonging thereunto to him and his heirs for ever where I now dwell ITEM I give and bequeath to my son Andrew [#166] one hundred pounds or the value of it in Land ITEM I give and bequeath the sum of Eaity pounds ITEM I give and bequeath to my son Frethrik [#16C] the sum of Eaity pounds ITEM I give and bequeath to my Doughter Cathrien [#164] the sum of twenty pounds ITEM I give and bequeath to my Daughter Debra [#165] the sum of Fourty pounds ITEM I give and bequeath to my Doughter Marry [#168] the sum of fourty pounds at age to be paid ITEM I give & bequeath to my Doughter Brichard [#169] the sum of fourty pounds at age to be paid ITEM I give & bequeath to my Doughter Elizabeth [#16B] the sum of thirty pounds to be paid when she is at age I do order as my Will Testament that my son Mathias Houlsteen and my well beloved Wife Brichard Houlsteen to be my sole Executors Dated the 17th day of March 1736 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal Mathias Houlstein ... mark Signed sealed published ... as his last Will and Testament in the presents of us the subscribers I do nominate and appoint Jeremiah Smith and Lawrence Houlsteen to see my Will performed Mathew Robert. Edward Robert. Note the words that is in the seventeenth and in the twenty six lines that are enterlined before signing Philad^a 11th May 1737 Then personally appeared Mathew Robert and Edward Robert the witnesses to the within written Will and on their solemn affirmation according to Law

¹ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk," Bulletin of Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., vol. 21 (1), pp. 52-53, 54, 55, 53

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 15 May 1999, p. 3

³ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes F-H, 1736-1748. LDS microfilm #21723

did declare they saw and heard Mathias Houlsteen the testator within named sign seal publish and declare the within written Will to be his last Will & Testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their knowledge Coram Pet Evans Reg Gen

Be it remembred that on the 11th May 1737 the last Will and Testament of Mathias Houlsteen was proved in due form of Law and probate & letters Testamentary were granted to Brichard Houlsteen & Mathias Houlsteen [#167] Executors therein named haveing first sworn well and truly to administer the said Deced^{ts} estate and bring an Inventory thereof into the Register General's Office at Philadelphia at or before the Eleventh day of June next and also render a true and just Account when tereunto lawfully required Given under the Seal of th said Office Pet Evans Reg Gen"

The estate of Bridget Holstein was administered in 1758 (#48) and recorded in Philadelphia administration book G, p. 130.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the estate of Briget Holstein 1758 from Philadelphia Administration Book G, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. <u>rsbeatty@gmail.com</u> THANKS.)

The parental family of Matthias Holstein is as follows:¹

Matts Holstein was born in New Sweden in 1644 to unknown parents, attended church at Wicaco, lived at Moyamensing or Passyunk in 1698, and was buried on 9 Apr 1708 aged 64 in the old burying ground at Wicaco [since removed]. Matts Holstein and first wife unknown (*not Brita Gastenberg*) had four children:

Laurence Holstein, b. 15 Sep 1677, m. Elizabeth and had children (see below) Andrew Holstein, b. 16 Jan 1679

Matthias Holstein, b. 13 Jan 1681, m. Brita Rambo in 1705

Frederick Holstein, b. 13 Jan 1684, died at age 24, buried at Wicaco 11 Apr 1708 Matts Holsten married Katharine second, about 1688, and had three children:

Peter Holstein, b. 16 Jan 1691, died at age 15, buried at Wicaco 1 Nov 1706 Henry Holstein, b. 29 Mar 1694 (appears in Providence Twp in 1743 (actually 1734.) Catharine Holstein, b. 10 Jan 1697.

The Holston River in Virginia was named for Stephen Holston, a son of Henry Holston whose will was probated in Botetourt County,VA in 1805. Stephen was captured by the Indians in 1736 when seven years old.² [His records are in Augusta, Bedford & Botetourt counties.]

17. **GABRIEL RAMBO** was born about 1687 (i.e. aged 10 in the Gloria Dei census of 1697) and married CHRISTIAN (?) about 1715. In 1721 his father, Gunnar [#1], granted

¹ Marilu Burch Smallwood, Some Colonial and Revolutionary Families of North Carolina, vol 1 (1964), pp. 283-289

² Hettie Pauley Holstein, Holstein Family of Southern West Virginia, (Danville, WV: Tri County Printers, 1982), p. 1

him 150 acres of land with river frontage from his estate at Matsunk. Gabriel and family lived in Upper Merion Township where he died intestate in 1734, about age 46. Administration papers were issued his widow Christian on 2 Dec 1734 (#112), as recorded in Philadelphia Administration Book C, p. 280. His younger sons Gabriel and Andrew died before settlement in 1751; consequently his eldest son, Matthias, received a double share of the estate, almost 80 acres.¹ Known children were these:²

- 171. MATTHIAS RAMBO, b. 1716, d. Oct 1782, m. 1) Mary Holstein, 2) Jane (?)
- 172. CHRISTINA RAMBO, m. Moses Cox
- 173. MARTHA RAMBO, m. Jacob Cox
- 174. GABRIEL RAMBO, d. by 1751, no children
- 175. ANDREW RAMBO, b. 1730, d. by 1751, no childen

18. **MATTHIAS RAMBO** was born about 1690 (i.e. aged 7 in the Gloria Dei census of 1697). He died before 1724 and was not named in his father's will.

19. ELIAS RAMBO was born about 1693 (i.e. aged 4 in the Gloria Dei census of 1697) and by 1724 married MARIA VAN CULEN, daughter of George and Margaret (Morton) Van Culen of Ridley Township, Chester County and a granddaughter of John van Cullen of Finland. On 13 Jan 1735/6 George Van Culen wrote his will, bequeathing 5 shillings to his daughter Mary Rambo.(Chester Co. wills A:451).³ Elias lived on the family plantation and received the greater part of the estate from his father's will. Elias owned a fording place crossing the Schuylkill, called Cartledge's Ford in 1712 or Lower Swedes' Ford in 1726.⁴ Elias and Mathias Rambo built a boat to help their neighbors cross the Schuylkill River when the waters were high according to a petition in 1746 for Plymouth Mill Road.⁵ Ferry boats in those days were flat, propelled by the current and manpower, with a rope across the steam for guiding it to the opposite side. In time, mischief makers made a sport of cutting ferry ropes so the Assembly made this a misdemeanor. Elias died in 1750, and his will was probated on 1 Oct 1750 at Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co. It named his children as listed below and left his estate to his two eldest sons, Peter and George, who were also named the executors. They were listed in the 1754 church census with their uncle Anders,⁶ and they were mentioned in their uncle Andrew Rambo's [#14] will of 1755. Elias's sons Andrew, Gunnar, Jonas, and Jeremiah were under the age of 21 when his will was written in 1748, and his wife was not mentioned, so she is presumed dead by 1748. Elias and Maria had these children:

191. PETER RAMBO, b. 16 Jan 1725, d. 18 Jun 1767, m. Catherine Supplee

192. GEORGE RAMBO, b. ca 1727, d. 26 Feb 1786, m. Mary Rambo [#1141]

⁵ Charles R. Barker, "Stony Part of the Schuylkill," *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography*, vol 50 (4), p. 365

¹ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), pp. 49, 57

 ² George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)
 ³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 4 & 15 May 1999, p. 4

⁴ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 56

⁶ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion, p. 59, Appendix B census of 1754

Rambo Family Tree: Peter Gunnarson Rambo's Grandchildren

- 198. ELIAS RAMBO Jr., b. 1729, d. probably before 1769
- 197. ANNA RAMBO, b. before 1727, m. John Cursine
- 195. ANDERS (Andrew) RAMBO, b. ca Jun 1730, d. 6 Mar 1751
- 194. JONAS RAMBO, b. 1735, will proved 23 Sep 1769, unmarried
- 193. JEREMIAH RAMBO, b. after 1727, d. by 1779, m. Sarah Rambo [#1142]
- 196. GUNNER RAMBO, b. after 1727, m. Eleanor Peterson

The will of Elias Rambo was dated 4 Sep 1748, proved 1 Oct 1750, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book J: pages 305-306, #192. It is transcribed as follows:¹

"In the name of God Amen the 4th day of Sep^{br} in the year of our Lord 1748 I Elias Rambo of Upper Merrion in the County of Philadelphia being very sick & weak in Body but of Sound Mind & memory Thanks be given to God therefore calling to mind the Mortality of my Body and that it is appointed for all men once to dye, do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament That is to Say principally & first of all I recommend my Soul into ye hands of God that gave it, and as for my Body I recommend it to the Earth to be Buried in a Christian Like & Decent manner, at the Discretion of my Exec^{rs} Nothing Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall Receive the same again by the mighty power of God & Touching such Worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give order & dispose of the same in ye following manner and form Imprimis it is my Will & I do order that all my Just Debts & funeral Charges be full paid & Satisfied ITEM I give and bequeath to my Sons Jermiah Rambo and Jonas Rambo [#194] the Sum of Eight Pounds to each of them and paid them at the age of Twenty one years by my Heirs they Likewise shall have their maintenance by my heirs untill they come to age ITEM I give and bequeath to my Sons Andrew Rambo and Gunner Rrambo whom I Likewise order to be put to Trades the Sum of Six Pounds to Each and paid to them when they are free by my Heirs ITEM I give & bequeath to my Daughter Ann Rambo a bed & furniture Two Cows, a Case of Drawers Sadle and all her Mothers wearing apparel ITEM I geve and Bequeath to my Sons Peter Rambo & George Rambo who I likewise Constitute & ordain my only and Sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament all and Singular my Lands and Tenements freely to be possessed by them their Heirs and Assigns for ever and equally Divided between them according to the following manner namely my son Peter is to have the Lower half, and my Son George the upper half of my Plantation & Peter shall assist George to Build a House and Sink a well he also shall give him three Cows three Horses & five Sheep together with a Bed & furniture and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke & disannull all and every other former Testaments, Wills, Legacies, & Executors by me in any ways before this time Named willed & bequeatherd ratifying & confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day and year above written ITEM it is my Will & I do order that my son Elias Rambo shall have the Sum of Five Pounds paid to him by my son Peter in three Months after my Decease &

¹ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes I-K, 1748-1757. LDS microfilm #21724

his Maintenance in the House during his Life Elias Rambo (E his mark) Signed Sealed, Published Pronounced & declared by the said Elias Rambo as his Last Will & Testament in the pressence of us the subscribers Matthias Rambo William White, Jaes Currey Philad^a oct^r 1st 1750 Then psonally appeared William White & James Curry two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will and on their oath, did declare they saw & heard Elias Rambo the Testator therein Named Sign Seal Publish and declare the same Will for and as his Last Will & Testam^t & that at the doing thereof he was of sound Mind Memory and understand^g to the best of their knowledge and that Matthias Rambo the other witness thereto did also Subscribe his Name as a witness in the presence of and at the request of the Testator Coram W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ Be it remembred that on the 1st day of October 1750 the Last Will and Testament of Elias Rambo deced was proved in due form of Law & Probate & Lres Testamentary were granted to the Executors therein named being first Legally Sworn well and truly to administer the said Deced^{ts} Estate & to bring an Inventory thereof into the Reg^r Gen^{1's} office at Philad^a at or before the 1st day of November next and render a true acco^t when thereunto Lawfully required Given under the Seal of the said office W^m Plumsed Reg^r Gen¹."

The will of George Culin of Ridley was recorded in Chester Co. in 1735/6. An abstract follows:¹

January 13, 1735/6. March 19, 1735/6. A. 451.

To wife Margaret 1/3 of estate real and personal. To eldest son John 5 shillings having had his portion.

To daughter Mary Rambo 5 shillings. To son George my meadow on Darby Creek an all my upland. To son Daniel all my estate of land in Ridley on S.W side of Crum Creek with stock. To son Jonas £100 when 21 to be paid by George and Daniel. To 3 daughters, viz Margaret, Ann and Ellen. Remainder of personal estate. Executors: wife Margaret and son Daniel. Witnesses: John Crosby, Joseph Carter, Jacob Carter.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the Chester Co. will of George Culin 1735, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

The children of [#2] Anders and Gertrude (Rambo) Bengtsson [daughter of Peter]. See *A Genealogy of the Bankston Family* by Edna Robinson Vacher.

21. **BENGT ANDERSSON BENGTSSON**, yeoman, was born about 1669 in Philadelphia County and before May 1693 married CATHERINE **COCK**, the daughter of Peter Larsson and Margaret (Lom) Cock and sister of three of his aunts, wives of Gunnar, Anders, and John Rambo. The Bengtssons lived on Hollander Creek, near the Moyamensing District of Philadelphia, and Bengt served as a church warden and a

¹ Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, e-mail of 2 Sep 2002

member of the council of Gloria Dei church for many years before retiring in 1744 in favor of his brother, Jacob Bengtsson [#26]. Bengt died at Moyamensing soon after 30 Aug 1748. He and Catherine may have had more than these six children.¹

- 211. DANIEL BANKSON, b. 1694, d. 1742, m. Barbara Stille
- 212. PETER BANKSON, b. 1697, d. Jan 1743/4
- 213. JACOB BANKSON, b. 1704, d. 19 Apr 1788, m. Hannah Bond
- 214. MARIA BANKSON, m. Swan Bankson [#232]
- 215. ANDREW BANKSON
- 216. MARGARET BANKSON, m. John Meredith

One deed provides spectacular proof for Benjamin's relationship to his father and brothers. An extract from Deed Book E-6: p. 384 (crossed out, 348 hand written) follows:²

"Benjamin Bankson to Thomas Okley ... nineteenth day of the third month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twelve Nathan Stanbury one of the Justices of the Peace of the city & county of Phila certifieth & recordeth here that the same day & vear before him the s^d Justice at Phil^a came James Sinnox & Thomas Landlee both of the city of Phil^a & upon their solemn affirmation did declare & say that they were personally present & saw Benjamin Bankson & Helen his wife Jacob Bankson Daniel Bankson & Joseph Bankson sign seal & as their act & deed deliver the said writing or conveyance therein next after entered of record ... This Indenture sixtipartite made the thirteenth day of October A.D. one thousand seven hundred & eleven [RSB: this could be seven, i.e. 1707] Between Benjⁿ Bankson of Myamenson in the county of Phil^a in the province of Penn^a yeoman & Catherine his wife of the first part. Andrew Bankson Potquessink in the County of Bucks in the s^d Province yeoman & Gertrude his wife of the second part John Bankson of Passyunck in the s^d county of Phil^a yeoman & Helen his wife of the third part Jacob Bankson of Passyunk afores^d yeoman Danl Bankson of the city of Phil^a in the s^d province of the fourth part Joseph Bankson of the s^d city Carpenter of the fifth part (all sons of Andrew Bankson late of Passyunk afores^d yeoman dec^d) & Thomas Okley of the city of Phil^a in the s^d Province Feltmaker of the sixth part Whereas W^m Penn absolute proprietary & Governor in chief of the s^d province by his present commissioners of property ... by a certain grand or patent under their hands & the great seal of the s^d province bearing date the eleventh day of June A.D. 1705 for the consideration therein mentioned did grant & convey unto the s^d Andrew Bankson the father a certain tract or parcel of land situate lying & being in the s^d county Phila Beginning at a part by Schuylkill at the corner of Peter Cock's land then by the s^d land North ... to a post by the Schuvlkill River then up the same on the course thereof to the place of Beginning Containing five hundred acres ... as by the s^d patent Recorded in the Rolls office at Phila in Patent Book A Vol 3 Page 208 the Twelfth Day of July 1706 Relation thereunto had may more fully & at Lar appear By fore & Virture of which

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (pub. 1993), p. 52, e-mail of 31 Jan 2002

² Philadelphia County, PA, Recorder of Deeds, *Deed records volumes E3-E6, 1683-1745*, vol. E-6:383. LDS microfilm #21875

said Patent force & Virtue of some other good conveyance or assurrance in same duly had I executed He the s^d Andrew Bankson the father became in his Life time lawfully seized in his Demesne as ... made his Last Will & Testament whereby he devised the premises to his sons afores^d ... the S^d Benjamⁿ Bankson & Katherine his wife Andrew Bankson the son & Bartrude his wife John Bankson & Helen his wife Jacob Bankson Daniel Bankson & Joseph Bankson for an consideration of the sum of fifteen pounds lawfull Money of America to them in hand paid by the s^d Thomas Okley the Receipt whereof they Do hereby Acknowledge ... Do grant bargain sell alein Enfroff & confirm unto the s^d Thomas Okley his heirs and assigns all the above mentioned five Hundred Acres of Land & premises as is herein above set forth & Described Together with all the Woods Under Woods Ways Waters Water courses fishings fowlings Huntings Hanhays Right Lituties Priviledges Improvements Hereditamets & Appurtenances & Whatsoever thereunto belonging in any wise Appurtanc & Reversions & Remainders Rents Issues & Profits thereof & all patents Deeds Evidences & Writings concerning the same ... unto the s^d Thomas Okley ..." John Bangston signed, but the others signed with their distinctive marks.

Several other Philadelphia Deeds are of interest:

13 Oct 1707 Benjamin Bankson of Moyamensing & Catherine his wife join in deed selling Manatawny land of their father (Philadelphia Deeds E-6:7)

2 Apr 1744 Benjamin Bankson of Moyamensing, warden, joins brother Andrew in sale of 21 acres & 2 1/2 acres meadow to Wicaco church wardens (Philadelphia Deeds G-7:178-181)

Bengt was party to a Philadelphia deed dated 3/6/1746 book H #20 page 138 in which he is named as oldest son of Andrew & Gertrude Bankson (decd).¹

30 Aug 1748 Benjamin Bankson of Moyamension, yeo. to his son Andrew Bankson of City Phila., house carpenter, all his right, title & interest in land in Wicaco & Moyamensing late in possession of Swan Bankson, dec'd. Proved by John Ashton, tavern keeper, of Moyamensing 1 May 1749 (G-11:232-233)

Dr. Peter Craig cites many other deeds including: Phila. Deeds 1 Apr 1748 G-10:251-254 10 Feb 1748/9 G-11:180-182 5 May 1749 G-11:233-235 2 Dec 1704 N-2:390-393 20 Apr 1742 G-7:186-188 5 Jun 1720 F-2:268-270 3 Jun 1725 F-3:417-419 31 Oct 1737 F-9:311-313 17 May 1714 F-5:77-78

¹ Edna Robertson Vacher, A Genealogy of the Bankston (Benkestok) Family (pub. 1947), p. 13

7 Mar 1719/20 D:174 17 Mar 1745 N:454

Also intriguing is the will of John Stille. Benjamin Bankson witnessed the will of John Stilly in 1747. John Bankson was named an executor but renounced. The widow Sarah Stille married a Bankson before the will was probated. She was young enough to be with child when the will was written in 1745.

22. ANDERS BENGTSSON was born about 1673 in Moyamensing,¹ Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. Andrew Bankson, his wife Gertrude, and their oldest two children lived at "Potquessink" adjacent to Lars Larsson Boore when Rev. Rudman [#42] compiled the Gloria Dei Church census in 1697-98.² Andrew's wife was GERTRUDE BOORE, the daughter of Lars Larsson and Elizabeth Boore of Poquessing Creek, Dublin Township, Philadelphia County.³ The will of Lawrence Boore does not mention his daughter Gertrude(Phila. Wills 1708 #118; book C:152-153) nor is she mentioned in Horle.⁴ Andrew was active in affairs of the community, contributed to the Gloria Dei Church, and was commissioned as justice of the peace for Philadelphia County on 4 Sep 1704.(Pennsylvania Colonial Records, 2:159) On 4 May 1709 he was named a Andrew Bankson Jr. purchased 101 acres in Byberry vestryman of Gloria Dei. Township from John Hart for £ 95 on 9 Dec 1697.(Phila. Exemplification Book 7:197-198) On 1 Nov 1705 Andrew Bankson, yeoman, purchased 203 acres of land on Poquessing Creek for £180.(Philadelphia County Exemplification Book 6:211-213) This land apparently was on the Bucks County side of the creek as on 13 Oct 1707 Andrew Bankson of Poquessing Creek, Bucks County, and Gertrude his wife, joined with Andrew's brothers to sell land at Manatawney Creek [in present Berks County] patented to their father in 1705.(Philadelphia County deeds, E-6:348) Andrew Bankson of Byberry Township, Philadelphia County and his brothers Bengt, Joseph, and Daniel conveyed 147 1/2 acres of land in Moyamensing to their brothers John and Jacob Bankson on 19 Jul 1721.(Philadelphia Deeds Book F-7, p. 86) Andrew Bankson apparently continued to live at Poquessing Creek near the boundary of Philadelphia and Bucks counties until his death after 1744. He was still listed as a member of Gloria Dei Church (Old Swedes) in a census dated 20 Nov 1743, and on 2 Apr 1744 he joined in executing a deed confirming a prior conveyance by his father to that church. No record has yet been found of his death or the death of his wife.⁵ Two of his sons moved to Talbot County, Maryland where they were married in St. Peter's Parish.⁶ Andrew and Gertrude had these children:

221. ANDREW BANKSON Jr., b. ca 1695, m. Rachel Archer

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985

² Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, e-mail of 15 Jan 2001

⁴ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 2 (1997), pp. 233-234

⁵ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, e-mail of 11 Jan 2001

⁶ International Genealogical Index; Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Can search on-line at www.FamilySearch.org

- 222. ELIZABETH BANKSON, b. 1696-7
- 226. LAWRENCE BANKSON, b. 1704, m. Rebecca Hendricks
- 224. JOHN BANKSON, m. Margaret Kent
- 225. REBECCA BANKSON, m. Claus Johnson 30 Mar 1734

Several deeds give proof of Andrew's relationship to his father and brothers, especially one dated 1711 in Deed Book E-6: p. 384 (transcribed above following Benjamin's family).¹

The following **unconfirmed rumors** are of interest: 1) In 1746 Andrew executed a land deed which described him as a "yeoman, living in Chester, Pennsylvania".² 2) He died in 1750 in Chester Co.³

23 PETER BENGTSSON was born 6 Mar 1677 in Moyamensing, Philadelphia County and by 1700 had married CATHERINE SVENSSON who was born in 1682, daughter of Swan and Catherine Svensson.⁴ Catherine (Svensson) Bankston's father Swan Svensson and his brothers owned two miles of land along the shoreline of the Delaware River in Philadelphia. Swan's widow Catherine, her daughters and their husbands donated land at Wicaco on which Gloria Dei Church stands.^{5,6} (See deed transcribed below.) Peter Bankson lived in Moyamensing, served on the Gloria Dei building committee in 1703 and was commissioned Justice of the Peace on 3 Mar 1707. He probably died at age 30, before 13 Oct 1707 when he did not sign with all of his brothers to sell land of his father's in Manatawney.(Phila Deeds E-6:7) On 25 Oct 1708 letters of administration were issued to his widow. By deed of 21 August 1708, Swan Boon of Darby, Chester County and his wife Brita (Swanson), Hance Boon of Darby and his wife Barbara (Swanson), and John Cock of Stony Run beyond Plymouth (on behalf of his late wife Margaret Swanson) conveyed to Catharine Bankson, sister of the above three Swanson sisters and widow of Peter Bankson, their 3/4 of the property of their father Swan Swanson at Wicaco for fifty pounds.(Phila. County deeds, E-5/7:60-62)⁷ Catherine died two years later. The only children named in Catherine's will were these two:

- 231. GERTRUDE BANKSON, b. before 1708, died young.
- 232. SWAN BANKSON, b. before 1708, d. 1739, m. Mary Bankson [#214]

The land upon which Gloria Dei church now stands was donated in 1702 by the heirs of Swan Swanson, including Peter and Catherine Bankson, pursuant to his will,

"Swan Swanson of Wiccacoe, Philadelphia County, husbandman ... legacy to the Swede's Congregation at Wiccacoe of a piece of ground for a burying place forever. Overseers: Lassie Cock, Andrew Bankson, Neels Jones, Andrew Rambo. Signed 21 Jul

¹ Philadelphia County, PA, Recorder of Deeds, *Deed records volumes E3-E6, 1683-1745*, vol. E-6:383. LDS microfilm #21875

² Edna Robertson Vacher, A Genealogy of the Bankston (Benkestok) Family (pub. 1947)

³ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 290 ⁴ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 487

⁵ Jehu Curtis Clay, Annals of the Swedes on the Delaware, 4th ed. (pub. 1938), p. 70

⁶ Craig W. Horle, et. al., eds., Lawmaking and Legislators in Pennsylvania, ... 1682-1709, vol. 1 (1991), pp. 693-694

⁷ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, e-mail of 3 Jan 2003

1696. Proved 6 Oct 1696".^{1,2}

Here is a transcription of the deed:

Deed of 10 Apr 1702, Catharine Swanson, et al., to Gloria Dei Church

"THIS INDENTURE made the tenth day of April Ano Dei one thousand seven hundred and between Katherin Swanson widow & relict of Swan Swanson late of Wickakoe in the County of Philadelphia & Province of Pennsylvania deceased, Swan Bonde & Brita his wife one of the daughters & heiresses of the said Swan Swanson, Hans Bonde & Barbara his wife, another of the daughters & heiresses of the said Swan Swanson, & Peter Bengtson & Katherin his wife, another of the daughters & heiresses of the said Swan Swanson, of the first part, and Andrew Bengtson, Peter Rambo & Gustavus Gustason, all of the said County of Philadelphia, [] church wardens of the Sweads congregation at Wickakoe aforesaid, of the other part,

Whereas there is a certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in Wickakoe aforesaid, beginning at a stone in Delaware River between high & low water marked, from thence north eighty five degrees westerly two & twenty perches to a post, thence south five degrees westerly nine perches & six foot to a post near unto a large hawthorn bush, thence south eighty five degrees easterly twenty two perches to a post in Delaware River, then north five degrees easterly by the said river near the channel thereof nine perches & six foot to the first mentioned stone, containing one acre & a quarter of an acre & five perches, part of the two hundred acres of land which fell to the said Swan Swanson's allotment or dividend of the eight hundred acres of land which were granted unto the said Swan Swanson and to Swan Gunderson, Oele Swenson & Andries Swenson by the Dutch Governor's patent dated the fifth day of May 1664 and thereafter by patent granted by Francis Lovelace under his hand & seal of New York dated the third day of May 1671 unto the said Swen Gunderson, Swan Swanson, Oele Swenson & Andries Swenson, their heirs & assigns forever, as by the same patent recorded at New York and in the records of Upland Court in the year 1678 may appear.

Now this indenture witnesseth that the said Katherin Swanson, Swan Bonde & Brita his wife, Hans Bonde & Barbara his wife, and Peter Bengtson & Katherin his wife together with John Cock who married Margareta, one other of the daughters of the said Swan Swanson, heiress, deceased, as well for perfecting the good & charitable design & purpose which the said Swan Swanson in his lifetime had to give & grant the said part of land for the use & service of the said congregation, as also for the sum of five shillings current money to them paid by the said Church Wardens and for divers other good causes & considerations them thereunto moving.

Have given, granted, aliened, enfeoffed & confirmed and by these presents do give, grant, alien, enfeoff & confirm unto the said Church Wardens Andrew Bengtson, Peter Rambo, Gustavus Gustason & their successors all & singular the said piece of land containing one acre and a quarter of an acre & five perches situate, bounded and being as

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 20 citing Gen. Soc. of PA, Abstracts of Philadelphia Wills

² Philadelphia County, PA, Recorder of Deeds, vol. A #145 (page 95 in abstracts)

is shown above set down & described, Whereon the Sweads' old Church & also the new Church (called the Gloria) now stand, together with all the rights, privileges, improvements and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging and the reversion, remainders, rents, issues & profits thereof, And all the estate, right, title & interest of the said Katherin Swanson, Swan Bonde & Brita his wife, Hans Bonde & Barbara his wife & Peter Bengtson & Katherin his wife & John Cock of, in & to the same to have & to hold all the said one acre & a guarter of an acre and five perches of land & all other the premises hereby granted with their appurtenances unto the said Andrew Bengtson, Peter Rambo, & Gustavus Gustason & their successors the Church Wardens of the Sweads' Congregation at Wickakoe aforesaid forever Upon special trust & confidence and to the intent only that they the said Andrew Bengtson, Peter Rambo & Gustavus Gustason and their successors the Church Wardens of the said Congregation at Wickakoe aforesaid shall & will permit & suffer the said one acre and one guarter of an acre and five perches of land hereby granted with the houses which now are or hereafter shall be erected thereon to be from time to time & at all times hereafter forever employed to & for the use & service of such congregation and to no other use or service whatsoever, Yielding and paying the proportionable part of the Quitrents attending to the Chief Lord or Lords of the fee of this said Land, And the said Katherin Swanson for herself, her heirs, her executors & administrators and the said John Cock for himself, his heirs, his executors & administrators and the said Swan Bonde for himself and for the said Brita his wife, and the said Hans Bonde for himself and for the said Barbara his wife, and the said Peter Bengtson for himself and for the said Katherin his wife Do severally & respectively and for their several respective heirs, executors & administrators and not one of them for the other covenant, grant & agree to a within reason whereof the use or uses estate or estates herein granted & declared or mentioned or intended to be granted and declared touching the said piece of land & premises shall or may be & debarred, made or void or overthrown or whereby the said Congregation or Religious Community of the Sweads people at Wickakoe shall or may by any means be defeated or defrauded of the premises or any part thereof or of any use or estate hereby granted or intended to be granted & declared But that the Church Wardens and their successor Church Wardens of the said Congregation shall & may forever hereafter peaceably and quietly have, hold & enjoy the said granted premises with the appurtenances to and for the use & service aforesaid without any lawful lien or molestation of any person or persons whatsoever. And the grantors have made Thomas Farmer their attorney to deliver the first part of this indenture in court. In Witness the said parties to these presents have interchangeably set their hands & seals hereunto dated the day and year first above written.

> Katherin [her mark] Swanson Swan [his mark] Bonde Brita [her mark] Bonde Hans [his mark] Bonde Barbara [her mark] Bonde John Cocks

Peter Bengtson Katherin [her mark] Bengtson

Sealed & delivered in the presence of

Jonas Biurstr_m Andreas Sandel [#44]"

Thanks to Peter Craig for the transcription. This deed may not be recorded, but it is part of the Gloria Dei records.¹

The will of Catharine Bankson was signed 10 Jan 1710/11, proved 12 Mar 1710/11, recorded in Philadelphia Will Book C: pages 237-238, and filed 1710 #192. Thanks to Peter Craig for the following transcription:

I, Katherine Bankson of the County of Philadelphia in the Province of Pensilvania, widow, being sick and weak in body but of sound and perfict mind and memory . . . do make this my last will and testament . . .

Item. I give unto my daughter Gartery Bankson the sum of seventy pounds lawfull money of Pensilvania, that is to say the sum of fifty pounds, part thereof, to be payd her by my son Swan Bankson when she shall arrive at the age of twenty one years and twenty pounds residue thereof to be payd her by him within two years after he shall arrive at his age aforesaid. Item. I give and devise unto my said daughter Gartery my Negro girl named Rachall and all my cloathes and my silver tankard at her age of twenty one years or day of marriage which [ever] shall first happen. Item. My will is that if my said daughter Gartery shall happen to marry before my said son comes to the age aforesaid, then my will is that my executors hereinafter named shall pay or cause to be payd unto my said daughter Gartery the sum of thirty five pounds in part of the said sum of sev-enty pounds so given to her as aforesaid. Item. I give and bequeath unto my son Swan Bankson all and singular my part and share of the plantation scituate lying and being in Moyamensin in the County of Philadelphia and also all my house and lott w[h]ere I now live scituate lying and being in Wiccaco in the said county to hold to him his heirs and assigns forever, he or they paying the aforesaid seventy pounds to my daughter Gartery as aforesaid. Item. My will is that if either of my said two children should happen to dye and leiving no issue, then the share of him or her so dying shall descend and come to the other of them and to their heirs and assigns forever. Item. My will is that if my two children should both happen to dye and leiving no issue, then my will is that said two children's share shall descend and come to my two sisters Brigitt Boone [wife of Swan Boon] and Barbara Boone [wife of Hans Boon] and to my deceased sister Marga-ret Cock's [wife of John Cock] two children Swan Cock and Martha Cock, that is to say two thirds of my said two children's share to be equally divided between them, aforesaid Bridgett and Barbara and the remainder thereof to be

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985, e-mail of 3 Jan 2003

equally divided between them, the said Swan Cock and Martha Cock. Item. I give and bequeath unto Gartery Broome one heafer to be delivered her soon after my decease. Item. My will is that all my s[t]ock and househould goods shall be exposed to sale (excepting some of the best of the said househould goods to be keep for my said children's life) and the money so raised by sale thereof be for bringing up my said children. And lastly, I nominate and appoint my loving friends Hance Boone and Jacob Bankson to be my executors of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the tenth day of January one thousand seven hundred and ten [1710/11] Kathrin Bankson, her mark

Signed, sealed and published and declared by the abovenamed Katherine Bankson to be her last will and testament in the presence of us, [names illegible]

Philadelphia, March 10, 1710/11. Then personally appeared Swan Swanson and Christopher Swanson, two of the witnesses to the within writing &c by their solemn oaths did declare that they saw the said Cathren Bankson the testator sign, seal, publish and declare the within write-ing to be her last will and testament & that at the doing thereof she was of sound mind. memory & understanding to the best of their knowledge. [clerk's signature]

24. **CATHARINA BENGTSSON** was born 29 Jan 1679,¹ and was living with her parents in 1697.² She married her first cousin, PETER **MATTSON** [#45] of Gloucester County, New Jersey, son of Peter and Catherine (Rambo) Mattsson.³ Peter Mattson died 28 Mar 1722.⁴ Mrs. Catherine Mattson married JOHN VAN **CULIN** second, on 26 May 1726 as recorded in the Raccoon Church records. Catharina died in Deptford Township and was buried at the Swedes Church at Raccoon, Swedesboro, Gloucester Co., NJ on 27 Sep 1735.⁵ It is likely that her husband was the Johannes Culen who died on 17 Jan 1729 and was buried at the church at Raccoon. Catharina and Peter Mattson lived in Deptford Township, Gloucester Co., NJ and had these children who were baptized at the church at Raccoon:⁶

451. ANDERS MATTSON, b. ca 1711, d. before 1758, m. Helena Derickson

452. PEHR (Peter) MATTSON, b. 9 Jun 1713, d. before 1758, never married

453. MARIA MATTSON, b. 4 Dec 1714, d. 16 Dec 1771, never married

454. JOHANNES MATTSON, bapt. 12 Aug 1716, d. before 1764, never married

455. MATTHIAS MATTSON, b. 29 Oct 1720, d. 6 Oct 1721 at Raccoon

The estate of Cathrine Culing was administered by her daughter, Mary Mattson, and

⁵ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), pp. 308, 329

John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 21

² Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985

⁴ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 327, etc.

⁶ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck, pp. 234, 235, 238, 244, 327

contains a will, an inventory, and an accounting of the estate. Her will was dated 28 Sep 1735, proved 16 Apr 1736 in Gloucester Co., NJ, and filed in wills packet #200H. It is transcribed as follows:¹

"The Will or Testimony of Cathrine Culing September y^e 28th 1735 Anno y^e Domi I Beque' my third of my first husband^s Estate to my Daughter Mary & to receive the Debts Coming & to Defray the Debts Contracted now, _____ And for the rest of the moveables of the Estate my Desire is that they may Be Equally Divided Amongst them. This is As I Expect my last wile as above mentioned And Expressed where I had my Perfect Sence the Day and Year Above Written in Present^s of W. Peter Rambo. Thomas Fulton. Cathrine Culing (her mark)

Peter Rambo of Deptford in the county of Gloucester Yeoman one of the subscribing Witnesses to the above Testament of full age being duly sworn did depose that he saw Catherine Culing the Testarix abovenamed sign the above Instrum^t by making the above Mark thereto and heard her publish pronounce & declare the same to be her last Testament and that at the Doing thereof the said Testatrix was of sound and disposing Mind Memory & Understanding as this Deponent verily believes & that Thomas Sutton the other Witness was present at the same Time & did subscribe his Name (together with this Deponent) as a Witness thereto. Sworn at Burlington the Sixteenth Day of April AD 1736 before me Joseph Rose Surrogate"

The Accompt of Mary Matson Administratrix includes monies paid to W^m Monington for a debt, Francis Batten, John Clark, George Avis, Gabriel Rambo, Mary Gordon, Mary Glentworth, George Ward jun^r, John Raines,"pd to Peter Matson a Legacy bequeathed to him by the Deced as appears per Receipt No. 10 £ 19.4.8," to John Mattson a Legacy bequeath'd to him by the Deced as app^{rs} by Rec _____ Discharge ______ 11 £ 19.4.8, "This Accomptant prays allowance for two cows apprais'd at Four pounds & 1 Heifer at 1.1 all w^{ch} dy'd soon after appraisement before any Advantage could be made of them." Testimony to the fair value of the inventory was made by Peter Rambo of Deptford, Yeoman, of full age and "Mary Mattson of Deptford in the County of Gloucester Spinster Daughter of the within named Catherine Culin deced ... being of full age."

The inventory reads, "A true & perfect Inventory of the Goods & Chattles rights & Credits of Catharine Van Culien of Deptford in the County of Gloucester widow Deceased ... 29^{th} day of September Anno y^e Domini 1735," and includes wearing apparel, six beds & bedding, linnen, worsted, wool, one walnut chest, one pine chest, money scales, tables, books; spinning wheels & other matters (£1); two bells, half a barrel of shadd; milk vessels & bottles (£1); one cask with some still liquor therein; twelve barrels of cider & the casks (£3); pots, pans, tubs, one steel trap, 4 bags; 9 cows & hay to winter the same (£18); one pair of oxen; 5 heifers & one Bull (£9); calves, 10 sheep, 20 swine, one mare; Indian corn (£5); turnips (£1); wheat & rye in the stack (£6); 40 geese, and sundry other items including a debt of John Mattson ye son of Peter (£1) totalling £

¹ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 145H - 241H 1731-1739. LDS microfilm #533146, packet #200H

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The probate packet for Peter Mattson contains two sheets of paper. The biggest surprise is that the value of ten cattle and two steers (£24) was the only item to exceed the £16 value of his wearing apparel. The inventory listed riding horse, saddle and boots; another riding horse and side saddle $(\pounds7)$; a pair of oxen $(\pounds5)$; four young cattle; 7 vearlings; 19 swine ?; 19 sheep and 17 lambs; a feather bed & furniture (£6); another feather bed & furniture; another feather bed & furniture (£4); one Bible and other books; pewter & Iron pots; linen varn worsted wool; 2 spinning wheels & cards & a hackol; looking glass & tanned leather; axes, anviles, a handsaw, 4 iron hoops & other tools; a plow, plow irons, clevisses, horse gears & yoke (£1); an old cart & wheels, an old hand mill; a cross cut saw, ?, drawing knife & auger; a hoop net, a cannow, some wheat; a frying pan, grid iron, fire tongs & grindstone; 2 tables, 2 chests & some bacon; some malt, some meal & bags; "growing corn upon the ground;" 4 barrels of cider (£2); a bond upon Timothy Eghlington, miscellaneous items and two lines that were hard to read. The signature of John Rambo is very well formed. The second sheet contains an affirmation that the inventory was correct signed by Catherine Matson (her mark) and by John Rambo.¹

25. **JOHN BENGTSSON** was born 31 Mar 1681 in Moyamensing, Philadelphia County and married HELENA (Eleanor or Ellen) **COCK** about 1705. She was born about 1685, the daughter of Peter Petersson and Helena (Helm) Cock.² They lived at Moyamensing and were active members of the church at Wicaco. John Bankson died 12 Jun 1739 at age 58; his will was proved 7 Sep 1739. Mrs. Helena Bankson died after the church census of 1753.³ John's will named his wife Ellen, sons Andrew, Peter, John, and Jacob, and his daughter Deborah:

- 251. ANDREW BANKSON, b. after 1703, d. about Dec 1759, m.? Mary Webb
- 252. PETER BANKSON, b. 1710, d. 10 Sep 1766, m. Esther Lynn
- 253. DEBORAH BANKSON, m. 1) John Lord, 2) Thomas Wells
- 254. JOHN BANKSON Jr., will p. 1772, m. Mary Holland
- 255. JACOB BANKSON, b. ca 1720, d. 1757, m. Elinor Cox

Several deeds give proof of John's relationship to his father and brothers, especially one dated 1711 in Deed Book E-6: p. 384 (transcribed above following Benjamin's family).⁴

The will of John Bankson was dated 21 May 1739, proved 7 Sep 1739, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book F: pages 128-129, #117. It is transcribed as follows:⁵ "Be it remembered that the twenty first day of May Anno Domi one thousand seven

¹ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 55H - 145H 1717-1733. LDS microfilm #533145, packet #200H

² John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 97

³ Beverly Nelson Rambo, Letters to Ron Beatty, 1987, citing Dr. Craig, unpublished *Descendants of Israel Akeson Helm*

⁴ Philadelphia County, PA, Recorder of Deeds, *Deed records volumes E3-E6, 1683-1745*, vol. E-6:383. LDS microfilm #21875

⁵ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes F-H, 1736-1748. LDS microfilm #21723

hundred and thirty nine I John Bankson of Passyunk in the County of Philad^a Yeoman being infirm in Body but, through the Goodness of God, of sound Mind and Memory and being mindfull of my Mortality do make my Last Will and Testament in manner following To Say First my will is that all my just debts and funeral expences be duly paid AND I give unto my son Andrew, for whom I have already done considerably, the sum of ten pounds Pensilvania Currency AND I give unto my son Peter and his heirs for ever my twelve acres and an half of Meadow Ground lying on the south side of Hay Creek, moreover I give unto him the said Peter the sum of thirty pounds with one feather bed and a cow AND I give unto my daughter Deborah, to be paid and delivered unto her when she shall come of age or marry which shall first happen, my Negro Girl Diana and the sum of forty pounds currency also one feather bed and a cow, AND I give and devise unto my _____ younger sons John and Jacob and their heirs for ever all that my messuage plantation and tract of land thereunto belonging situate in Passyunk aforesaid with the meadows and appurtenances where I now live & one other peice of Meadow Ground lying by Hollanders Creek in Passyunk afores^d the creek divides it from Woodrops plantacon with its appurtenances BUT my mind and will is that my dear wife Ellen shall have her support during her widowhoood out of the aforesaid plantation and devices so as aforesaid given to my two younger sons with the payment of the legacies aforesaid and as for and concerning my said sons John and Jocob who I nominate to be the executors of this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I the said John Bankson (his mark)(Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the above and within named John Bankson the Testator for and as his Last Will & Testam^t in the presence of us Jacob Bankson (his mark) C Brockdon and John Ord

Philadelphia September 7 th 1739 Then personally appear'd Jacob Bankson Charles Brockdon and John Ord the witnesses to the foregoing Will and upon their oath did declare they saw & heard John Bankson the Testator above named sign seal publish and declare the same will to be his last will and testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their knowledge Coram Pet. Evans Reg Gen¹

Be it remembered that on the seventh day of September 1739 the last will and testament of John Bankson deceased was proved in due form of Law and probate and letters testamentary were granted to John & Jacob Bankson executors therein named being first solemnly sworn according to law well & truly to administer the said deceased's estate and to bring a true and perfect inventory thereof unto the Register Generals office at Philadelphia at or before the seventh day of October next and a true and just account when hereunto lawfully required Given under the seal of he said office Pet. Evans Reg. Gen¹."

26. JACOB BENGTSSON was born 19 Oct 1684 in Moyamensing, Philadelphia

County and died Aug 1766 or 1767.^{1,2} Sometime after 1707 he married MARGARET **COCK** who was born 18 Feb 1685, the daughter of Lasse Petersson and Martha (Ashman) Cock.³ In Jul 1721 His brothers Benjamin, Andrew, Daniel, and Joseph deeded their father's land in Passyunk and Moyamensing to Jacob and his brother John. In 1744 Jacob was named vestryman of Gloria Dei Church in place of his older brother Bengt. In 1748 he gave extensive interviews to Peter Kalm about the early history of the Swedish settlement. By 1753 the census showed him to be a widower living with his son Anders, a merchant and trustee of the church. Both were literate in Swedish.⁴ Jacob died between 22 Feb 1760 and 3 Jan 1767, the dates his will was written and proved. Jacob and Margaret Bankson had these children:

- 261. DEBORAH BANKSON, b. 1719, m. John Palmer
- 262. ANDREW BANKSON, b. ca 1720, d. 1786, m. Sarah Allen
- 263. MARTHA BANKSON, m. 1) John Linton, 2) Plunket Fleeson

Several deeds give proof of Jacob's relationship to his father and brothers, especially one dated 1711 in Deed Book E-6: p. 384 (transcribed above following Benjamin's family).⁵

Jacob Bankson's will was written 22 Feb 1760, proved on 3 Jan 1767, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book O: pages 83-84, #54. Thanks to Peter Craig for the transcription that follows:⁶

"In the name of God Amen. I. Jacob Bankson of Passavunk Township, in the County of Philadelphia, but now residing in the City of Philadelphia, Yeoman, being infirm in body, but thru the Mercy and Goodness of God, of sound and well disposing mind and memory, and being sensible of my mortality and desirous of settling my worldly affairs, do make this, my last will and testament in manner following: that is to say, First, my will is that all my just debts and funeral expenses be duly paid by my executor, and I do nominate and appoint my well-beloved son, Andrew Bankson to be the sole Executor of this my last will and testament, and I do give and devise and bequeath unto him, my said Andrew Bankson, my Negro woman named Bess, and all my monies, goods, chattels, Rights, credits, and personal estate, whatsoever and wheresoever. Moreover, I do give, devise and bequeath unto him, my said son, Andreas Bankson, my twenty acres of swamp or meadow ground situated among the meadows in or near Gloucester Point, and also all and singular My Messuages, Lands, tenements, and hereditaments, whatsoever and wheresoever, To hold to him my said son, Andrew Bankson, his heirs and assigns, forever, they paying unto his two sisters, namely, Martha Fleeson and Deborah Palmer the sum of fifty pounds unto each of them, their several and respective Executors or Administrators within twelve months after my decease, and I do declare this to be my

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, citing only Bankson Genealogy for Moyamensing birthplace and death in Aug 1766.

² Carl T. Smith Collection at Historical Society of Pennsylvania, FC/SM Box 72.8 estimates death at 1767.

³ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 97

⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985

⁵ Philadelphia County, PA, Recorder of Deeds, *Deed records volumes E3-E6, 1683-1745*, vol. E-6:383. LDS microfilm #21875

⁶ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes N-O, 1763-1771. LDS microfilm #21726

last will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made. By witness whereof, I, the said Jacob Bankson, have hereunto set my hand and seal, the twenty second day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand, seven hundred, and sixty.

Witnesses:hisSamuel EmblemJacob J. B. BanksonRobert TowersmarkWilliam FalconerProbated 3 Jan 1767

Signed Sealed Published & declared by the above named Jacob Bankson for and as his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who have hereunto set our names Witnesses of the same in the presence and at the request of the Testator, after the word (twenty) was wrote on a Ra_ure Sam¹ Emlin Rob^t Towers W^m Falconer

Philad^a January 3^d 1767 Then Personally appeared Samuel Emlen and Rob^t Towers two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will and said Rob^t Towers on oath and Samuel Emlen on his Solemn affirmation according to Law did respectively declare and affirm that they saw and heard Jacob Bankson the Testator therein named Sign Seal publish and declare the same Will for and as his last Will and Testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound & disposing Mind Memory and understanding to the best of their knowledge & belief Coram Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen¹

Be it Remembered that on the 3^d day of January 1767, The last Will and Testament of Jacob Bankson deceased in due form of Law was proved and Probate and letters Testamentary were granted to Andrew Bankson Executor in the said Will named being duly Sworn well and truly to Administer the said deceased Estate, and bring an Inventory thereof into the Register Generals Office at Philad^a on or before the 3^d day of February next and render a true and Just Account when thereunto Legally required Given under the Seal of the said Office Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen¹."

27. **BRIGITTA BENGTSSON** was born 10 Apr 1687.¹ She was still living at the time of Rev. Rudman's [#42] church census of 1697. No further record.

28. **DANIEL BENGTSSON** was born 22 Jan 1691,² and was a shipwright in Philadelphia. Daniel was an unmarried man living in the city of Philadelphia when he and his brothers Benjamin, Andrew, and Joseph conveyed title to 147 1/2 acres of land in Moyamensing to their brothers John and Jacob on 19 Jul 1721.(Philadelphia Deeds Book F-7, p. 86) Daniel Bankson married ELIZABETH (?), was a pioneer settler of Bucks Co., PA, and died there at the age of 36. His will was signed 30 Mar 1727 and proved 11 Apr 1727. The inventory of his estate included one servant, 5 Negroes, 2 flats, and 1 boat. Daniel and Elizabeth may have had a young son not named in the will:

281. DANIEL BANKSON, b. before 1728, m. Mary Atkinson

Several deeds give proof of Daniel's relationship to his father and brothers, especially

¹ John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 21

² John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 21

one dated 1711 in Deed Book E-6: p. 384 (transcribed above following Benjamin's family).¹

However, one deed (below) describes Daniel as dying "intestate, unmarried, and without issue", so perhaps the Daniel Bankson of Bucks County, married to Elizabeth, is a son of Andrew Bankson [#22].

7 Aug 1770 - deed by Andrew [Jacobsson] Bankson, merchant of City of Philadelphia, [#261] and wife Sarah to George David Seckle recites that Daniel [Andersson] Bankson died intestate, unmarried and without is-sue, so that fifty acre marsh in Moyamensing, adjoining Wicaco, patented to his grandfather An-ders Bengtsson, was resurveyed for John and Jacob Bankson on 1 January 1719/20, and John Bankson's sons and heirs quitclaimed their share to Jacob Bankson. (Phila. deeds, I-10:12-16). Thanks to Peter Craig for this abstract.²

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of this deed by Andrew Bankson 1770 as recorded in Philadelphia deeds I-10 pages 12-16, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

The will of Daniel Bankson was signed 30 Mar 1727, proved 11 Apr 1727, recorded in Bucks County, PA Will Book 1: p. 112, and filed as #253. It is transcribed as follows:³ "In the Name of God Amen I Daniel Bankson of the Township of Bensalem in the County of Bucks in the Province of Pensilvania being sick & weak of body but of a perfect & sound disposeing Mind & Memory do make & ordaine this Instrument of Writeing to contain & be my last Will & Testament & First I bequeath & Resign my Soul into the hand of Almighty God hopeing thro' the Meritts of the Lord Jesus Christ to enjoy a Resurrection with the blessed my Body I resign to the Grave to be decently buried by my Exec'x hereafter named & as for that portion of worldly goods which it hath pleased Almighty God to bless me withall I Give Devise & Bequeath the Same in Manner and Form Following (Viz^t) And first it is my Will that all my Just debts & Funerall expences be duly paid and discharged by my Executrix hereafter Named ITEM I Give & Bequeath unto my Loving Wife Elizabeth Bankson all my estate both reall and personall to be to her & her heirs for ever ITEM I doe hereby Nominate & appoint my Said wife Elizabeth Bankson Whole & Sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament hereby revokeing & makeing void all former or other wills by me heretofore made at any other time Whatsoever In Wittness whereof I have hereunto sett my Hand & Seal this Thirtieth day of March in the Year of our Lord God One Thousand Seven hundred & Twenty Seven & in the Thirteenth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George over Great Brittain etc King Daniel Bankson (Seal)

Signed Sealed & delivered in presente of William Hope. John Williamson. Jeff Pollard

¹ Philadelphia County, PA, Recorder of Deeds, *Deed records volumes E3-E6, 1683-1745*, vol. E-6:383. LDS microfilm #21875

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., from his file BANKS1.rtf

³ Bucks County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes 1-2, 1713-1759. LDS microfilm #172899

April the 11th 1727 Then Personally appeared William Hope John Williamson & Jeff Pollard the wittnesses to the above written Will & on their _____ Oaths upon the holy Evangelistis Did declare that they were personally present & saw the Testator Daniel Bankson sign ..."

29. **JOSEPH BENGTSSON** was born 2 May 1696 in Moyamensing,¹ Philadelphia County. Joseph was an unmarried carpenter living in the city of Philadelphia when he and his brothers Benjamin, Andrew, and Daniel conveyed land in Moyamensing, Philadelphia County to their brothers John and Jacob on 19 Jul 1721.(Phila. deeds, F-7:86-88) Joseph Bankson witnessed a deed for John Dorsey, gentleman, in Baltimore County, Maryland on 3 Aug 1726. Joseph married HANNAH (?), and the Bankson family lived in Baltimore by the 1730s. Joseph died by the age of 36 as did his brother Daniel. His death occurred before 14 Jun 1732 when letters of administration were issued to his widow, Hannah Bankson. (See Appendix 6: Bankson family by Martha Lyle.) The widow Hannah Bankson married William Hughes on 11 Dec 1735 at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Baltimore,² and they administered the Bankson estate.³ William Hughes, tavern keeper, died by 3 Jan 1746/7 when his will was proved in Baltimore Co. Hannah died between 14 Feb 1769 and 4 Dec 1770, the dates her will was written and proved. The Banksons had these children:⁴

- 291. JOSEPH BANKSON, b. ca 1720, d. 1762, m. Elizabeth (Giles) Slemaker
- 292. REBECCA BANKSON, m. Richard Carter
- 293. ARIANA BANKSON, m. James French
- 294. SUSANNA (Hannah) BANKSON, m. Samuel Norwood

Several deeds give proof of Joseph's relationship to his father and brothers, especially one dated 1711 in Deed Book E-6: p. 384 (transcribed above following Benjamin's family).⁵

Notice that none of the daughters' names are Bankson family names. Perhaps they were named for their mother's family.

(PLEASE. If you know of a Baltimore family frequently using the name Ariana as early as 1720, please send me a note. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

The will of Hannah Hughes was dated 14 Feb 1769, proved 4 Dec 1770, and recorded in Baltimore County Wills Book 3 page 158. It is transcribed as follows:^{6,7}

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985

² Bill Reamy and Martha Reamy, *Records of St. Paul's Parish*, vol. 1, p. 32

³ Robert W. Barnes, "Heirs to Baltimore Estates," Maryland and Delaware Genealogist, vol. 7 (1), p. 9

⁴ Robert Barnes, *Baltimore County Families* (pub. 1989), p. 26

⁵ Philadelphia County, PA, Recorder of Deeds, *Deed records volumes E3-E6, 1683-1745*, vol. E-6:383. LDS microfilm #21875

⁶ Baltimore County, Maryland, Orphan's Court, *Wills Book 3, 1763-1784, and Book 4, 1784-1791*. LDS microfilm #13591

⁷ Annapolis Archives film # 72,241-1

"In the name of God Amen I Hannah Hughes Widow of Baltimore Town in the Province of Maryland, considering the Uncertainty of this Transitory life it seemed good to me being at this time in perfect Health and of sound mind memory and understanding to make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament Relating to those things to which the Almighty God hath been pleased to bless me with I give and dispose of the same in the manner and form following First of all my will and desire is that all debts due from me at the time of my decease and my Funerall Expences be well and Truly paid by my Executrix hereafter named, Secondly I Give and bequeath unto my two daughters Rebeckah Carter wife of Richard Carter and Sussannah Norwood, wife of Samuel Norwood, all my corner lot of Land in the additional part of the Town aforesaid, whereon Francis Helm now lives and it is my will that my said Daughter Rebeckah Carter have the part or half whereon the House stands with all the premises and appurtenances thereto belonging which said lot I Give and bequeath as aforesaid to my said Two Daughters to them and their heirs for ever. I also Give and bequeath unto my said Daughter Susannah Norwood my velvet cloak my Damask Gownd & chintz Gownd and my satin Quilted Peticoat in full of her part of my cloaths and all the rest and residue of my wareing apparrell I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Rebeckah Carter also I Give and Bequeath unto my said Daughter Rebeckah Carter the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty pounds current money also two feather Beds one pair of Blanketts & one rugg also my silver milk pott half a dozen silver Teaspoons and one silver Tablespoon also my Desk that stands upstairs one dozen pewter plates and three dishes in full of her part of my estate Thirdly I Give and Bequeath unto said Daughter Susannah Norwood the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds current money with what I have before given her in full of her part of my Estate Fourthly I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Arianah French my two young negroes named Sharlotter & Daniel with all the rest and residue of my Estate both real and personall or of what kind, or nature soever, to her and her heir's forever And Lastly I do hereby nominate Constitute and appoint my loving daughter, Arrinah French my whole and sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former or other will or wills heretofore by me made In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seale this fourteen day of February one thousand seven hundred and sixty nine Hannah Huges (her mark) Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Hannah Hughes to be her last

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Hannah Hughes to be her last will and Testament in the presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto in the presence of the Testator and at her request in the presence of each other Benjⁿ Griffith, Arthur Faris, W^m Aisquith"

Decer 4th 1770 proved

The children of [#3] Peter and Magdalena (Skute) Rambo [son of Peter].

31. SVEN (or Swan) RAMBO was born 19 Oct 1677 in Lower Dublin Township,

Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania and was baptized at Gloria Dei.¹ He married ANNA CHRISTIERNSDOTTER [or CHRISTIAN], born 1674, daughter of Christiern Thomasson.(Phila. deeds, E-9/7:170)² On 22 Mar 1710/11 Peter Rambo Jr. conveyed a parcel of 80 acres to his eldest son Swan.³ Swan later owned a plantation of 400 acres on Cacoosing Creek in Chester Co., Pennsylvania. In 1729 Lancaster Co. was formed, and the settlement became known as Morlatton [now near Douglasville in Robeson Township of Berks Co.].⁴ Harry Long's map of Chester Co.1752 shows the early roads and location of this property near Mounce Jones.⁵ Swan owned a Swedish Bible which was printed in Stockholm in 1703. The names of their children were listed in it and it was passed on to his oldest son Peter. It is not known when Anna died, but Swan later married BARBARA (?) sometime after 1718 in Pennsylvania where their children were born. On 23 Nov 1728 Swan and Barbara Rambo sold the tract of land deeded to Swan by his father in 1710/11.⁶ Swan was a defendant in the fourth suit filed in Lancaster Co. court in 1729,⁷ and died by 7 Nov 1730 when letters of administration for his estate were issued in Lancaster Co. to his wife, Barbara Rambo with securities Israel Robeson and Peter Jones. Barbara Rambo still lived in Lancaster Co. on 21 Sep 1731 when she witnessed the will of Jonathan Burden of Cacowson; the will named his wife Margaret and the wife's brother Lodwick.⁸ Sometime about the late 1730's or early 1740's, Barbara and her children journeyed south to settle in Augusta Co., Virginia. They may have come with Joist Hite and party in the summer of 1732.⁹ Barbara Rambo, widow of Swen Rambo Sr., with her son, Swain Rambo, and probably with others of her children, settled on 400 acres of land adjoining the south side of Andrew and Magdalene Bird's land on Smith Creek at Craney Island. Barbara died there intestate prior to 15 Feb 1748/9, when Swain Rambo, John Dobins and Andrew Bird posted £ 50 bond for Swain as administrator of Barbara's estate. Her estate was inventoried 8 Apr 1749 by Samuel Newman, Peter Scholl and John Ruddle Sen^r and valued at £ 37.17.1, primarily for 5 horses, 6 colts, 2 cows, 4 calves, and some sheep.¹⁰ Swan and Ann (Christian) Rambo had these children:^{11,12}

311. MAGDALENA RAMBO, b. 31 Mar 1701, d. 7 Dec 1702

312. PETER RAMBO, b. 19 Feb 1703

313. JOSEPH RAMBO, b. 17 Jan 1706

314. CHRISTIERN RAMBO, b. 8 Aug 1708, will proved before Mar 1748 in VA

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 394

 ² Peter Stebbins Craig, *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993), pp. 58, 27
 ³ Simmeon Brooks Rambo and Mary Emma Hamrick, *The Rambo Heritage* (pub. 1983), pp. 8-9 with deed excerpted on p. 16

citing Colonial and Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania, vol. 6:289

⁴ Harry Long, conversation of 17 Oct 2004

⁵ http://Picasaweb.google.com/rsbeatty/HarryLongSMapsOfOriginalPlatsOfAugustaCountyVirginia#5061489001370498210

⁶ Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, letter of 11 Sep 1995

⁷ Historical Papers and Addresses of the Historical Society of Lancaster Co., PA, vol. 10 (Lancaster, PA, 1906), p. 421

⁸ Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, "Abstracts of Wills," *Publications of Genealogical Society of PA*, vol. 3 (3): p. 177 ⁹ Harry Long, e-mail of 29 Aug 2002

¹⁰ Augusta Co., VA Will Book 1, pp. 98, 184

¹¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 1 (Jan 1983), p. 18 by Marcia Ward Richie

¹² "Bible Records of Peter and Swan Rambo," Pennsylvania Historical Society

- 315. ANN RAMBO, b. 31 Mar 1711
- 316. LARS (LAWRENCE) RAMBO, b. 30 Dec 1713, m. 1) Leigh, 2) Jackson
- 317. MARIA RAMBO, b. 14 Apr 1716
- 318. MAGDALENE RAMBO, b. 19 Oct 1718

Swan and Barbara were the parents of these children:

- 319. SWAN RAMBO, b. about 1720, d. ca 1800, m. Jane Pinson
- 31A. PETER RAMBO, b. about 1725, d. after 1785
- 31B. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. by 1728, d. after 1749
- 31C. JACOB RAMBO, b. ca 1727, d. 1803, m. 1) Deborah Allen, 2) C. Mounce
- 31D. JANE RAMBO, b. before 1730

Rev. Sandel [#44] mentions being with "Hans Laicon, Sven Rambo, Peter Rambo and Marcus Holing" on 31 Oct 1710.¹

The inventory of Swan Rambo's estate listed 3 horses, 4 cows, 1 calf, a parcell of hogs, a Negro wench aged eight years, various tools, a parcel of books, and household goods.² The inventory was signed on 25 Jan 1731 by Andrew Bird with his mark, a locker script "a", and this mark appears on the inventory of Andrew Bird's father-in-law Mouns Jones in Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania on 5 May 1727, and finally as witness to the will of John Ruddell Jr. of Smith Creek in Augusta Co., Virginia on 26 Jul 1749.³

(PLEASE. If you have transcribed the inventory of Swan Rambo as recorded in Lancaster County, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

There is a deed recorded 30 Mar 1773 in Philadelphia Deeds Book I-11: p. 239, wherein Lawence Rambo of Granville County, SC, heir-at-law of Swan Rambo who was heir-at-law of Peter Rambo Jr., conveyed land to the United Swedish Lutheran Churches.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of this Philadelphia Deeds I-11:239, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

The Hulings and Ruddell families appear alongside Rambo and Bankston families throughout the south, so the following description is food for thought. Andrew Bird (1695-1749) married Magdalena Jones, a daughter of Mouns and Ingaborg Jones. In Pennsylvania Andrew Bird's father-in-law, Mouns Jones, lived across the Schuylkill River from Swan Rambo. Andrew Bird worked for a neighbor, Thomas Rutter, as a wood cutter to fuel Rutter's forge, which ran on water power from a dam near Mouns Jones's bridge. (This is in Mouns Jones will.) At the time of his death in 1727, Mouns

Rev. Andreas Sandel, "Extracts from Journal ...," Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, vol. 30, p. 445

² Simmeon Brooks Rambo and Mary Emma Hamrick, *The Rambo Heritage* (pub. 1983), pp. 18-20 transcribed

³ Harry Long, conversation of 17 Oct 2004

Jones lived in Morlatton, Amity Township, Philadelphia Co., so his will was filed in Philadelphia. The inventory of the estate of Mouns Jones in Pennsylvania (on 3 May 1727) was signed by Marcus Hulings, by Jn^o Warren, and by Andrew Bird with his mark, a script a (in the locker style that Harry Long was taught in school), as was the inventory of Swen Rambo, Sr on 25 Jan 1731 -- and that same mark was signed as witness to the will of John Ruddell, Jr. in Augusta Co., VA in on 26 Jul 1749 proving that Andrew Bird was the same person in both places. Marcus Hulings was another son-in-law of Mouns Jones, having married his eldest daughter Margaret. The Ruddells bought much of the land around New Market, VA. For details about the Bird families, see the e-mail from Harry Long dated 29 Aug 2002. The name Israel Robeson was on the mailing list for the Swan Rambo Adm. Bond. He was one of the six initial assessors of Lancaster Co., PA and lived in what became Robeson Township of Berks Co. William Bird, ironmaster of Birdsboro, PA, married Brigett Hulings, a daughter of Marcus and Margaret (Jones) Hulings. William Bird was a neighbor of Israel Robeson, and appears in Lancaster Co. deeds.¹

There are many other possibilities and no known proof, but Swan Rambo's wife, Barbara, may have been a daughter of Swan's neighbor Andrew Bird.²

Just before his death in 1713 Samuel Haddon was living in the household of Swan Rambo. His noncupative will is recorded in Phila. Wills C:347. A transcription follows:³ "Philad^a 15th 3rd mo.1713 Then came Lawrence Boore and Mary his Wife before me & on their solemn _____ declare that (being at the house of Swan Rambo on the 14 Instant) they heard Sam¹ Haddon (who lay there dangerously ill) say that he had due to him ab^t Twenty pounds in debts & being asked the question whether he was Willing Swan Rambo should have the same together with all other his personall Estate (To defray his funeral charges & trouble of the house during his sickness) in case he shouldye [should die] answered yess & the same Questions being twice or thrice repeated to him he as oft answered yess or to the same effect & the same Sam¹ Haddon decease^d the same day in the evening without makeing any other Will as those presents knows of & further saith not. Lawrence Boore Mary Boore

before me _____. The 15th" May 1713 Granted & letter of administration to Swan Rambo on this noncupative Will Inventory to be returned the 15th July 1713"

32. **BRIGITTA RAMBO** was born 10 Mar 1679 and was baptized at Gloria Dei.⁴ She was married in 1700, according to Rudman's [#42] accounts, and was mentioned in her father's will dated 1727.

33. **PETER RAMBO** was born 20 Dec 1682 and was baptized at Gloria Dei church.⁵ He married MARGARET **JONASON** (or JOHNSON) on 11 Nov 1709. Peter died 8

¹ Harry Long, materials given me 17 Oct 2004

² John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 29 by Helen Rambo

³ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes C-E, 1705-1736. LDS microfilm #21722

⁴ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 393

⁵ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 394

Mar 1739,¹ and his wife, Margaret died 13 Sep 1747. They resided in Lower Dublin Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

- 331. CHRISTIANA RAMBO, b. 6 Sep 1710, d. 26 Dec 1726
- 332. MAGDALEN RAMBO, b. 12 Nov 1712
- 333. BRIGETT RAMBO, b. 20 Feb 1714, d. 29 Jul 17xx .. young
- 334. ANN RAMBO, b. 10 Dec 1716, m. Daniel Jones
- 335. MARY RAMBO, b. 20 Apr 1720, d. after 1747, prob. m. Jacob Boardman
- 336. ELIAS RAMBO, b. 26 Dec 1722, d. ca Jun 1766, m. Brigitta Holstein
- 337. MARGARETTA RAMBO, b. 26 Dec 1726, m. Rev. Gabriel Näsman
- 338. CHRISTIANA RAMBO, b. 3 Feb 1729, d. 1805, m. Benjamin Johnson

This family information and dates of birth appear in a Bible record.² (PLEASE: If you have a copy of the ORIGINAL BIBLE RECORD, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

Peter's will was written 28 Feb 1738/39, proved on 7 Apr 1739, recorded in Philadelphia Will Book F: pages 110-111, and filed as #101. It is transcribed as follows:³

"In the Name of God Amen The twenty Eight Day of February in the year of our Lord God One thousand seven hundred thirty Eight nine I Peter Rambo of the township of Lower Dublin in ye county of Philadephia & province of Pensilvania Yeoman being in health & perfect Mind & memory thanks be given to God therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body & knowing th^t it is apointed for all Men once to die do make & ordain this my Last will & testament th^t is to say principaly & first of all I do recommend my Soul into ye hands of God th^t gave it and for my body I recommend it to ye earth to be buried in a christian like & decent like manner at ye discretion of my Ex^rs nothing doubting but at ye general resurrection I shall receive ye same again by ye mighty power of God and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased god to bless me in this life I give devise & dispose of ye same in ye following manner & form IMPRIMIS I will & desire & do order th^t all my just debts & funeral charges be first paid & satisfied ITEM I make ordain & constitute my espoused Wife Margret Rambo together wth my son Elias Rambo Ex^{rs} of th^s my Last will & testament ITEM I give & bequeath unto ye aforesaid Margret Rambo my Wife all my movable estate & unmovables to her own proper use &c behoof as long as she remains a widow & no longer but so as any of my Children comes to be married shall have all Movables praised & divided so th^t ye person so married shall have an Eq^l share of th^t s^d praisual & thⁿ be p^d to him or her w^hsoever it is th^t is maried wth A provisor th^t s^d he or she shall marry wth ye consent of their s^d Mother or some reasonable judges th^t She shall Repute & if he or she shall marry against their s^d mother's consent they shall be cut off wth five shillings and if they shall marry with consent after their share is given them the rest of the said estate shall remain

¹ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 293

² Catherine Criscione, Washington, D.C. 20002, family research, page 225 of something

³ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes F-H, 1736-1748. LDS microfilm #21723

undevided, & thus it shall be wth any of my children two or more if they should marry at one time or different times But if the s^d Margret Rambo should marry herself The estate wholly shall be praised & after ye s^d Margret Rambo hath had her thirds the rest shall be equally devided among my Children ITEM I give & bequeath to my son Elias Rambo my plantation scituate in Lower Dublin & County affores^d containing ninety three acres of Land joining to Lawrence Boores plantation near the York Road when he shall come of age his heirs & assigns forever & till thⁿ to be left under the hand of his Gardian ITEM I give to my s^d son Elias Rambo likewise the Eq¹ part of the plantation over the pennypack creek called the mountain point containing 225 acres in the whole plantation lying in the county affores^d to be devided Eq^{lly} between the heirs of my brother Andrew Jonason & my s^d son Elias Rambo he she or they the heirs of the afores^d Andrew Jonason pay the charges th^t was at to my to my heirs or else to be peaseably enjoyed by my son Elias Rambo affores^d & his heirs and assigns for ever ITEM it is my will & I order th^t my afores^d son Elias Rambo do & shall pay to each of his his sisters the full sum of fifteen pounds current lawfull money of pensilvania out of my plantations in seven years after he comes to age & as agreed th^t he shall pay the two eldest sisters first Ann & Mary but for Bridget she is to have five pound a bed & a cow wⁿ she pleases th^t is mother pleases & here revoke all other wills & testament & this only shall stand in full force & virtue Peter Rambo (Seal) Published pronounced decleared signed & sealed in the presence of us Andrew Swiffler. Timothy Kenny. John Towner (his mark)

Philadelphia April 7th 1739 Then personally appear'd Andrew Swifflers. Timothy Kenny and John Towner the witnesses tio the within written will and on their oath did declare they saw & heard Peter Rambo the Testator within named sign seal publish and declare the same Will to be his Last Will & Testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their knowledge Coram Pet. Evans Reg Gen¹

Be it remembered that on the seventh day of April 1739 the last will and testament of Peter Rambo deceased was proved in due form of Law and probate and Letters Testamentary were granted to Margaret Rambo (Elias Rambo the other Executor being absent) one of the Executores therein named being first solemnly sworn according to Law well and truly to administer the said deceaseds estate and to bring a true and perfect inventory thereof into the Register Generals Office at Philad^a at or before the seventh day of May next and a true and just account when thereunto lawfully required Given under the Seal of the said office Pet. Evans Reg. Gen¹."

Margaret's will was dated 27 Jul 1747, proved 24 Sep 1747, recorded in Philadelphia Will Book H: pages 392-394, and filed as #195. It is transcribed as follows:¹

"Be it remembered that I Margaret Rambo of the Township of Lower Dublin in the County of Philadelphia widow being very weak of Body but of sound disposing mind and memory Thanks be to God therefore calling to mind the mortality of my Body and

¹ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes F-H, 1736-1748. LDS microfilm #21723

knowing it is appointeed for all flesh once to die do make & ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner following First of all I recommend my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God that gave it and my Body to a Christian Like and decent Buriel at the discretion of my Exec^r hereafter named IMPRIMIS it is my Will and I do order that all my debts and Legacies by me bequeathed be fully paid and satisfied ITEM I give and bequeath unto my beloved Son Elias Rambo for his use all the time that Charles Fetters an Servant Boy shall have to Serve my assigns (if any there be) after my decease and also all the Tools belonging to the Cooper Trade ITEM I give and bequeath unto my beloved Daughter Mary Rambo a yearling Horse Coult also a Cow and a Heifer and one moiety or half of the pewter ITEM I give and bequeath unto my beloved Daughter Margaret wife of Gabriel Nesman the feather Bed and Bedding that now is providing for her also the pacing grey Mare on which I used to ride and one Cow and one Heiffer ITEM I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Christian Rambo all the money that shall become due at the time of my decease upon a Bond from my son Elias Rambo to me also my bed and its Funiture on which I used to Lye also the other Moiety of the Pewter a Case of Draws a young Horse Coult that now is about 4 months old and all the new feathers also I give and bequeath unto my two Daughters Mary and Christian above named all the Wool, Flax all that grows in the Garden to be Equally divided between them share and share alike also I give and bequeath unto my said daughter Chiristian one Cow a heffer the Beacon and the great Bible ITEM all the residue and remaind^r of my Estate and wheresoever to be found I order to be sold for the most that can be gott and the money thence arising to be equally divided amongst all my children that are living at the time of my decease share and share alike I constitute nominate and apppoint my trusty and loving friends John Vanhorne and Andrew Toy both of the Township of Lower Dublin and County aforesaid yeoman to be the Executors of this my Last Will and Testament disapproving disallowing annulling and making void all and ever former Will by me made allowing approving confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament In Witness and Confirmation whereof I have hereunto Sett my Hand and Seal this Twenty seventh Day of July Anno Domini one Thousand Seven hundred and forty seven 1747 Memorandum that I order before Signing that I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Chrstian my Saddle and all the Poultry and Linnen which before I had design'd Margaret Rambo (her mark) (seal) Sign'd seal'd published and the half to Mary. pronounced by the within named Margaret Rambo in the presence of us whose Names are hereunto subscribed James Mares. Thomas Slammers

Philad^a 24th Sept^r 1747 Then personally appe^d James Mares and Thomas Stammers two of the witnesses to the foregoing will and on oath did declare they saw & heard Marg^t Rambo the testatrix therein named sign seal publish and declare the same will for and as her last will and testam^t & that at the doing thereof she was of sound mind memory _____ understanding _____ best of their knowledge Coram Wm Plumsted Reg

Be it remembered that on the 24th of Sept^r 1747 the Last Will and testament of Margaret Rambo Deced^t was prov'd in due form of Law and Probate and Lres Testament^y were granted to John van horne and Andrew Toy Exer^s in the said Testam^t nam'd being first

Legally Sworn well and truly to administer the said deced^{ts} Estate and to bring an Inventory thereof into the Reg^r Gen^{l's} Office at Philad^a at or before the 24th of Oct^r next and render a tue acco^t when thereunto Lawfully required Given under the Seal of the said Office W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen^l."

34. **ANDREW RAMBO** was born 2 Apr 1691 and was baptized at Gloria Dei church.¹ He married an Englishwoman CATHERINE (?), born about 1688, whose last name is not known, *but she is not Catharina Boon, as that Catherine married Mons Rambo*. Andrew and Catherine lived in Pennypack and had no children. Andrew died at Pennypack on 6 Feb 1755 aged 64 and is buried at Gloria Dei.² His will names his wife Catherine, his brothers John and Jacob, his cousins Deborah, Cornelius, and Hannah Jones, and Elias and Peter Rambo, the children of Peter Rambo. His widow Catherine Rambo died 6 Feb 1758 aged 70 years and is reputed to have left a will.

The will of Andrew Rambo was written 2 Nov 1753, proved 22 Feb 1755, recorded in Philadelphia Will Book K: pp. 262-263, and filed as #167. It is transcribed as follows:³ "I Andrew Rambo of the Township of Lower Dublin in the County of Philadelphia Farmer being very weak in Body of sound and disposing Mind and Memory Thanks be to God therefore Calling to Mind the Mortality of Body and knowing it is appointed for all Men once to Die I do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in the following manner that is to say I recommend my soul into the Hands of God that gave it and my Body to a Christian like and decent Burrial at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named and as touching such Worldly Estate as it shall please God to Bless me with at the Time of my decease I give and dispose of the same as followeth in the first place it is my Will and I do Order that all my just debts and funerall Charges be fully paid and satisfied ITEM I give and bequeath unto my two Brothers John Rambo & Rambo the sum of two Shillings to each of them lawfull Money of Pennsylvania Ja ITEM I give and Bequeath unto my Beloved cousin Deborah Jones (the Daughter of Daniel Jones and Ann his wife) the sum of Five Pounds lawfull money of Pennsylvania

_____ paid her out of my Personall Estate when She shall attain the full Age of Twenty One Years ITEM I give and Bequeath unto my Cousin Hannah Jones (Daughter of Daniel Jones and Ann his Wife) the like sum of Five pounds aboves^d to be paid unto her the said Hannah Jones when she shall attain to the full age of Twenty one years. ITEM I Give and Bequeath unto Cathrine my dearly and well beloved Wife for and during the full term of her Natural Life all and Singular my Lands Messuages and Tenements together with all the residue and remainder of my Estate as well real as personall and wheresoever to be found To hold unto her my said wife Cathrine as and ____ Land Messuages and Tenements and the residue of my Estate for and during the full Term of her natural life as aforesaid: And After the decease of my said wife I give and Bequeath

¹ John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 393

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985, Gloria Dei burial records 15, 22

³ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes I-K, 1748-1757*. LDS microfilm #21724

all and Singluar the Lands Messuages and Tenements with all the residue and remainder of my Estate as well real as personal and wheresoever to be found unto my well beloved Cousin Elias Rambo (son of my Brother Peter Rambo) to have and to hold the said Lands Messuages & Tenements together with all the residue of my Estate unto the said Elias Rambo for and during the full term of his natural Life and after his decease I give & Bequeath unto Peter Rambo (son of the above named Elias Rambo) all and singular the Lands Messuages and Tenements together with all the residue and remainder of my Estate as afores^d unto him the said Peter Rambo his Heirs and Assigns for Ever But if the said Peter Rambo should happen to Die before his Father the above named Elias Rambo Then I Give and Bequeath the said Lands Messuages and Tenements together with all the Residue and Remainder of my Estate unto him the aforenamed Elias Rambo To have and to hold the said Lands Messuages and Tenements with all and Singular the Residue and Remainder of my Estate as well Real as personal unto him the said Elias Rambo his Heirs and Assigns forever I nominate and appoint Cathrine my dearly and well beloved Wife and Elias Rambo aforenamed to be the Executors of this my lst will and Testament hereby revoking disannulling disaproving and making Void all and every other Wills and Testaments heretofore by me made Allowing, Approving, & holding for firm & Effectual this & no other to be my Last Will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this Second day of November in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred fifty & three 1753 Andrew Rambo (his mark), Sign'd Seal'd published pronounced & declared by the within named Andrew Rambo to be his last Will & Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers Andrew Boore, Thomas Stammers. Philadelphia February 22^d 1755 Then personally appeared Andrew Boore and Thomas Stammers the witnesses to the foregoing Will and on oath did Declare they saw the said Andrew Rambo deced make his Mark to the said Writing and acknowledge the Circle there to made with the word Seal wrote therein for and as his Seal at the same time declaring the same to be his last Will and Testament being then of Sound Mind Memory & Understanding to the best of their Knowledge Coram W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ Be it Remembred that on the 22^d of February 1755 The last will & Testament of Andrew Rambo deced in due form of Law was proved & probate and Letters Testamentary were granted unto Elias Rambo and Catherine Rambo Execu^{rs} in the said Will named being duly Sworn well and truly to Administer the Deced^{ts} Estate and bring an Inventory thereof into the Register Gen^{1s} Office at Philad^a at or before the 22^d day of March next and Tender a true Acco^t when required Given under the Seal of the said Office W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹."

35. **ELIAS RAMBO** was born 7 Feb 1694 according to Gloria Dei church records,¹ but probably died young as he was not named in his father's will when written in 1727. It is presumed that he died without issue before that date.

¹ John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 393

Rambo Family Tree: Peter Gunnarson Rambo's Grandchildren

36. **JACOB RAMBO** was born 28 March 1697 and was baptized at Gloria Dei.¹ He died at Pennypack in Lower Dublin at the age of 72 and was buried on 22 Aug 1769 at Gloria Dei. His will was dated 3 Apr 1767, proved 2 Sep 1769, recorded in Philadelpia Will Book O: pages 412-413, filed as #304, and named his cousins Ann Wood and Christian Johnson, the wife of Benjamin Johnson. It is transcribed as follows:²

"In the Name of God Amen, I Jacob Rambo of the Township of Lower Dublin in the County of Philadelphia, being weak of Body but of sound and perfect mind and Memory do make and Publish this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following, First I Recommend that my Body may be decently Interr'd at the Discretion of my Ex^r ITEM I give and bequeath to my Cousin Ann, lately Ann Wood the Sum of Five Pounds to be paid to her or her Heirs in Seven Years after my decease by my Ex^r I also give and bequeath to my Cousin Christian Johnson the Wife of Benj^a Johnson or to her Heirs the Sum of Five Pounds to be paid by my Ex^r within Seven years after my decease. I also give bequeath and devise into my Friend George Fhreshly of Lower Dublin afores^d All and Singular my Personall Estate Goods or Chattells whatsoever as Also all my Real Estate Lands or Tenements with all their Appurtenances whatsoever or wheresoever Situate Standing or being whereof I shall die Seized in Possession Reversion or Remainder to hold to him the s^d George Threshly and to his Heirs and Assigns forever, he the s^d George Threshly paying all my just Debts Funeral Expences and Legacies above mentioned and I do make and appoint the s^d George Threshly whole and sole Ex^r of this my Last Will and Testam^t and Lastly I do hereby revoke all former and other Will or Wills by me made and declare this only to be my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Third day of April Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and sixty seven 1767. Jacob Rambo (his mark) Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the s^d Jacob Rambo the Testator as and for his Last Will and Testam^t in the presence of us who have Subscribed our Names as Witnesses thereto in the presence and at the Request of the s^d Testator Evan Thomas Elias Toy Joseph Jo

Philad^a September the Second 1769 Personally appeared Evan Thomas and John Harer two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will, and the said Evan Thomas on his Solemn Affirmation according to Law and the s^d John Harer on Oath did declare that they saw and heard Jacob Rambo the Testator therein named Sign Seal Publish and Declare the same Will for and as his Last Will and Testament, and that at that doing thereof he was of sound disposing Mind Memory and Understanding to the best of their Knowledge Coram Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen¹

Be it Remembered that on the Second day of September 1769 the last Will and Testament of Jacob Rambo deceased in due form of Law was proved and probate and Letters Testamentary thereof were granted to George Threshley in the said Will named, being duly Sworn well and truly to Administer the said deceaseds Estate and bring an Inventory thereof into the Register Generals Office at Philadelphia on or before the

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 393

² Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes N-O, 1763-1771*. LDS microfilm #21726

Second day of October next, and render a true Account of the said Administration on or before the Second day of September 1770, Given under the Seal of the said Office Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen¹."

37. **JOHN RAMBO** was born after the 1697 church census was taken by Rev. Rudman [#42] and was mentioned in his father's will, dated 3 Dec 1727, as receiving land and other property. He was an unmarried shoemaker in Pennypack according to the 1753 Gloria Dei census. He died in the winter of 1766 in Lower Dublin, and his will was dated 11 Feb 1762, proved 8 Jan 1767, recorded in Philadelphia Will Book O: pages 84-85, and filed as #55. It is transcribed as follows:¹

"In the name of God amen I John Rambo of the Township of lower Dublin in the County of Philadelphia and Province of Pennsylvania being weak in body but of sound and perfect Mind & Memory blessed be God for the same do make and publish this my last Will & Testament in Manner and form following that is to say Principally I recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it and as to my Body I recommend it to the Earth to buried in a Christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my Executor herein after named Item it is my Will and I do order that all my Just debts & funeral expences be fully paid and discharged by my Executor ITEM I give & bequeath unto Woodrop Sims the son of Jo^s Sims of the City of Philad^a Merchant the sum of six pounds to be paid in twelve months after my decease ITEM I give & bequeath unto my brother Jacob Rambo the sum of three pounds Pr annum for and during his Natural life provided my s^d brother Jacobs own Estate should fall short of supporting him as long as he liveth ITEM I give Bequeath and devise unto my good friend George Fhreshly all my Personal Estate together with all my real Estate Messuages or Tenements whereon the said George Fhreskly doth now live Situate standing and being in lower Dublin afores^d with all and Singular the Appurtenances thereunto belonging to hold to him the said George Fhreskly his Heirs and Assigns forever he the said George Fhreskly paying all my Just debts and Legacies as afores^d And I make and appoint the said George Fhreskly whole and Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament, And Lastly I do hereby revoke all former and other Wills by me made and declare this only to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I the said John Rambo have hereunto set my hand & seal the Eleventh day of February anno Domini one thousand Seven hundred and Sixy two 1762 John Rambo Signed Sealed Published & declared by the said John Rambo the Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto in the presence & at the request of the said Testator John Harvi Elias Toy Evan Thomas

Philad^a January 8th 1767, Then Personally appeared John Harvey and Evan Thomas two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will, and the said John Harvi on Oath and Evan Thomas on his Solemn Affirmation according to Law did respectively declare and Affirm that they saw and heard John Rambo the Testator therein named Sign Seal

¹ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes N-O, 1763-1771*. LDS microfilm #21726

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Publish and declare the same Will for and as his last Will and Testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound disposing Mind Memory and Understanding to the best of their knowledge & Belief Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen¹

Be it Remembered that on the 8th day of January 1767, The last Will and Testament of John Rambo deceased in due form of Law was Proved and Probate and Letters Testamentary thereof were granted unto George Fhreshley Sole Executor in the said Will named being duly Sworn well and truly to Administer the said deceaseds Estate and bring an Inventory thereof into the Register Genls Office at Philadelphia on or before the 8th day of February next and render a true account when thereunto Legally required Given under the Seal of the said Office Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen¹."

The children of [#4] Peter and Catherine (Rambo) Mattsson alias Dalbo [daughter of Peter]. For more details on these children, see Appendix 7: the Mattsson family.¹

41. **BRIGITTA MATTSON** was born in 1674 and by 1695 had married JOHAN **HENDRICKSSON**, a son of Hendrick and Gertrude Jacobsson.² Soon after their marriage, before Rudman's census of 1697, they moved to Christiana Hundred, New Castle County, near Red Clay Creek. In 1742/3, John Hendrickson and Bridget his wife conveyed to their son Peter the 31-acre share of Peter Mattson's plantation at Passyunk, which Bridget inherited under the will of her father, Peter Mattson. Johan died in New Castle Co., Delaware before his will was proved on 4 Nov 1745. Eight children were named in his will. The widow Brigitta Hendrickson died in New Castle Co. on 11 Jun 1750 at the age of 76 and is buried at Holy Trinity Church (Old Swedes) in Wilmington. (The record reads: "Brita Matsson, Johan Hindricsson's widow, 76 [years] old.")³ They had these children:

- 411. CATHARINA HENDRICKSON, b. ca 1696, m. Christopher Springer
- 412. ELISABETH HENDRICKSON, b. ca 1698, m. Israel Robinson
- 413. PETER HENDRICKSON, b. ca 1701, m. Anna Robinson
- 414. MARIA HENDRICKSON, b. ca 1703, d. ca 1736, m. John Springer
- 415. BRITA HENDRICKSON, b. ca 1705, m. 1) Mathias Stark, 2) Broer Sinnix
- 416. JOHN HENDRICKSON, b. ca 1708, m. Rebecca Hoffman
- 417. SARAH HENDRICKSON, b. ca 1710, m. Jacob Harper
- 418. SUSANNAH HENDRICKSON, b. 5 May 1713, m. John Hedges

The will of Johan Hendricksson was written 8 Oct 1731, proved 4 Nov 1745, abstracted in *A Calendar of Delaware Wills*: p. 35, and recorded in New Castle Co. Wills, Misc 1: p. 199. It named his wife and eight children and left his home plantation to his eldest son Peter Hendrickson, with the proviso that his wife Bridget [Brita] was free to live thereon

¹ Peter S. Craig, "The Mattson and Dalbo Families of West New Jersey," Swedish Colonial News (Summer 2000)

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985

³ Courtland B. Springer and Ruth L. Springer, eds., "Burial Records," *Delaware History*, vol. 5 (pub. 1952-53), p. 196

during her natural life. It gave to his son, John Hendrickson Jr., the tract which John Hendrickson Sr. had purchased from John Anderson [Cock]. The movables were to be divided among his six daughters, Mary, Catharina, Elisabeth, Bridget, Sarah and Susanna. His wife was to be executrix. It is likely that the land transfers were made before his death as John Hendrickson Jr. sold his inheritance on 10 May 1735. Thanks to Peter Craig for this abstract. The will is transcribed as follows:¹

"In the name of God Amen the Eighth Day of October 1731 I John Hendrickson of Christiana hundred and the county of New Castle upon Delaware Farmer Being very sick and weak of Body But of perfect mind & memory - thanks be given unto God therefore calling unto mind the mortality of my Body, and knowing it is appointed for all men once to Dye, doe make & ordain this my Last will & Testament that is to say principally & first of all I give & Recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it and my Body I recommend to the Earth to be Buried in a decent & Christian Buriall at the Descretion of my Executrix, nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall Receive the same again by the mighty power of God And as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me with in this life, I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner that is when all my Real Debts & funerall charges are paid & discharged. In primis I give & bequeath unto my Son John Hendrickson his heirs Execut^{IS} admts & Assg^s forever all the whole Tract of Land which Lyth over the Run wh I hn ght [sic] of my father-in-law John Anderson with the housing and cleared Land and all the coveniences therunto Belonging. Secondly I give & bequeath unto my Son Pietter Hendrickson my new Dwelling plantation and all the whole Tract belonging unto it that is to Say all my Land that Lyeth upon that side of the Run where my new Dwelling plantation is with the orchard cleared Land housing and all the conveniences thereunto belonging unto him the sd Pietter his heirs Executs admts & assgs forever, upon these conditions that my Deare & Loveing Wife Bridgett shall unmolested and undisturbed Dwell & Live upon the sd plantation During her Natural Life and that she shall not be debarred to have the Benefitt of the orchard But with the proviser that my said son Pietter & his heirs shall have share & part of the orchard for his heirs his familys use. Thirdly it is my Will that my Deare Loveing Wife shall have the use of all my Leaving moveable Estate During her Naturall Life Fourthly It is my will that after my Wifes Decease the then moveable Estate shall be equally Divided Betwixt my Six Daughters Mary Catherine Elizabeth, Bridgett, Sarah & Sussanna with this provisey that my Daughters Sarah & Sussanna shall first have so much of the said moevable Estate as their Sisters had when they were marryed, and then the Rest to be Equally Divided as aforesaid Lastly I appoint & constitute my Deare & Loving Wife Bridgett to be my whole & sole Executrix of this my Last will & Testament. In witness whereof I have heare unto sett my hand & seal the Day & year above written John Hendrickson (his mark)

Signed Sealed published pronounced & Declared by the s^d John Hendrickson as his Last

¹ New Castle County, Delaware, Register of Wills, *Miscellaneous will records, v. 1-2 1727-1788*. LDS microfilm #6545

Will & Testament in the presence of us The Subscribers Charles Springer, Charles Springer Jun^r (his mark)

Proved by Charles Springer, Jun' fourth day of November 1745"

John Hendrickson is mentioned in several land records. Descendants of Albert(us) Hendricks(on) 1673-1984 by Florence Hendricks Moore (Shippensburg, PA: Beidel Printing House, Inc., 1985) on page 22 cites Eagle's Early Pennsylvania Land Records page 605 abstracting Minute Book H transaction dated 1d 1mo 5th 1715-1716 "John Peel, of the County of New Castle, requests a Grant of a Parcell of vacant Land lieing between the Land of Erick Anderson, Andrew Cock, and John Hendrickson, in Christiana Hundred, supposed to contain 150 acres." Another transaction (p. 656) dated 4th of 6th mo 1719 reads "John Hendrickson, of the County of New Castle, produces an agreem't made with Secretary Logan in the year 1701, for one hundred acres of Land near Redclay Creek, in the said County, part of a Tract formerly said to be laid out to one Robert Robertson, on Rent, and by him and his Heirs afterwards thrown up to the Propr'r, so that the s'd 100 acres were granted to ye s'd J. Hendrickson, 100 acres more of the same to his Brother-in-Law, Anderson Cock, and the other 100 acres to James Williams, since dece'd, all on New Rent. ...". That continues (p. 690) "William Grimson, who dwells on the Road going to Conestogo, married James Williams' Widdow, who sold that 100 a's to John Hendricks, but has not actually conveyed it to him. Needful that J. Hendrickson get a Deed from Williams' heirs, and another from the Descendants of his Brother-in-Law so that the whole may be confirmed to him ..." Another transaction on 2mo 11 1726 (p. 739) "John Hendrickson (by his Brother-in-Law, C. Springer) requests the Grant of about 40 or 50 Acres of vac't Land adjoyning to him in Christiana Hundred."[RSB Charles Springer married Maria Hendrickson.] Of interest is the proximity of Hendrickson and Friend families.

42. **ELIZABETH MATTSON** was born 7 Feb 1678,¹ and on 4 May 1698 married Rev. ANDREAS **RUDMAN** at her home on Mantua Creek in West Jersey.^{2,3} He was born 3 Nov 1668, a son of Johan Augustison Rudolph and Magdalena Nilsdotter. In 1696 Rev. Andreas Rudman was selected by King Carl XI of Sweden to lead a delegation of missionaries to America to serve the Swedish congregations on the Delaware. He was from Gestricia, Norrland and arrived on the Delaware in 1697 with two other ministers, Eric Björk and Jonas Aurén. He gave his first sermon at Wicaco on 11 Jul 1697 and visited each household in his new parish in the following two months. During most of their marriage, Andreas and Elisabeth Rudman resided on Pine Street on the south edge of Philadelphia within walking distance of the Wicaco church. Rev. Rudman and Rev. Björk convinced their congregations of the need for new churches to replace the dilapidated log churches still in use and oversaw the entire construction of Holy Trinity

¹ John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 323

² Gregory B. Keen, *The Descendants of Jöran Kyn of New Sweden* (1913), p. 120 [minor mention]; Pa. Mag. Hist. Bio. 4(3):354

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985

and Gloria Dei Churches over the next two years. The new church was consecrated on 2 Jun 1700. Rev. Rudman also wrote eight hymns which were printed and published by Reynier Jansen in 1700, the first hymnals in America. In 1700 Rev. Rudman developed poor health as a result of pulmonary problems and sought to be recalled to Sweden. However, when his replacement (Andreas Sandel) arrived in 1702, Rudman was persuaded to preach to the Dutch Evangelical Lutheran Church in New York. His health did not improve in the climate there, and he returned to Philadelphia. On 24 November 1703, he ordained Justus Falckner at Gloria Dei, to serve as his successor in Manhattan. In his final years, Rev. Rudman served as "Superintendent" [suffragen bishop] of the Swedish Lutheran congregations and also preached at the Anglican churches in Oxford, PA and Philadelphia. He remained in Philadelphia until his death on 17 Sep 1708, at age of 39.¹ Rev. Eric Bjork preached the funeral service in Gloria Dei Church. Shortly before Rudman's death, his mother-in-law, Catharine (Rambo) Mattsson, conveyed to him 80 acres on the Schuylkill River, part of the late Peter Mattsson's plantation. Half of this was sold in 1708, but Rudman's widow, Elizabeth, lived on that plantation until the last year before she died. She then moved to live with her youngest daughter, wife of Pastor Peter Tranberg, in Piles Grove, Salem Co., New Jersey. She died there and was buried 5 Sep 1736. Her will was dated 1 Sep 1736 and proved in Salem Co., NJ. In it she named her two daughters and her grandchildren: Andrew, Rudman, William, Elizabeth, and Sarah Robeson, and Andrew, Rebecka, and Elizabeth Tranberg. The Rudmans had these children:

- 421. GERTRUDE MAGDALENA RUDMAN, b. 24 Feb 1699, m. A. Robeson
- 422. ANNA CATHARINE RUDMAN, b. about 1705, m. Rev. Tranberg
- 423. ANDERS RUDMAN, died in childhood
- 424. Son RUDMAN died in childhood

See the article by Peter Stebbins Craig in the *Swedish Colonial News*.² In the 8th month of 1701, Andreas Rudman obtained 1,000 acres of land in Philadelphia County by warrant.³

The will of Andrew Rudman was dated 13 Sep 1708, proved 20 Oct 1708, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book C: pages 137-138, #105. It is transcribed as follows:⁴

"In the Name of God Amen I Andrew Rudnam of the City of Philad^a in the Province of Pensilvania Clerk being sick and weak in Body but of sound mind memory and understanding praised be God for the same Do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner & form following Ano first I comitt my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God that gave it hoping in & through the Mercies Merits and Mediation of his Son Jesus Christ for Pardon of all my Sins Eternal Life & Salvation, And my [sic] I

¹ Rev. Andreas Sandel, "Extracts from Journal ...," Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, vol. 30, p. 288

² Peter S. Craig, "Pastor Andreas Rudman and his Family," *Swedish Colonial News*, vol. 2 (1), pp. 2, 3, 6, 7 (Winter 2000). Also in the *Lutheran Quarterly*, vol. 14 (4), pp. 459-462 (Winter 2000)

³ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 3, Old Rights, Proprietary Rights, ... and Soldiers Entitled to ... Lands, p. 4

⁴ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes C-E*, 1705-1736. LDS microfilm #21722

comitt it to the Earth from whence it came to be decently buried at the discretion of my Exix, hereafter named And as to that worldly estate it hath pleased the Lord in his Mercy to bestow upon me I dispose thereof as follows. IMPRIS I give and bequeath unto my Dear Wife Elizabeth Rudman the sume of Fifty pounds mony of Pensilvania to be paid her as soon as conveniently may be out of my Estate Real & Personal ITEM I give and bequeath unto my Daughters Magdalen and Ann Katharine the sume of one hundred pounds a peice mony aforesaid to be paid them respectively at their respective ages of one & twenty years or marriage, w^{ch} shall first happen. And in the mean time until the said sums become due to my said daughters as aforesd respectively I will that my Executrix, hereafter named by & with the advice & consent of the trustees hereafter menconed shall put out to Interest upon the best security they can find the said sums or any part thereof for the best advantage of my said Children. ITEM - I give devise & bequeath unto my Dear Wife the said Elizabeth Rudman all my Lands Tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever for & during the term of her Natural Life for the maintenance of herself & my said Children untill they arrive to their said respective ages or marriage, hereby impowering my said wife by & with the advice & consent of the said trustees to sell alien, or mortgage all or any part of my sd estate, as to them shall seem meet either towards payment of the Legacys above bequeathed or for the better subsistance & accomodacon, of my sd wife & Children. And after the decease of my said wife, I give devise & bequeath all the residue & remainder of my estate both real & personal unto my daughters Magdalen & Ann Katherine & their Heirs share & share alike. And in case either of my sd Daughters shall happen to die before her age or day of marriage aforesaid then the share or legacy of her so dying shall go to the survivor. Hereby nominating & appointing my good Friends Nicholas Pearse and John Crapp trustees & overseers of this my Will desiring them to see the same dully performed And LASTLY I do hereby make ordain & constitute my said Dear Wife Elizabeth Rudman full & sole Exix of this my last Will & Testament hereby revoking & annulling all former Wills by me made In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand & seal the thirteenth day of September Ano D^oni 1708. And: Rudman Seal Signed Sealed Published and declared by the sd Andrew Rudman as his last Will & Testam^t in the presence of us who have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the Testator Andreas Sandel. John Clubb. Pet Evans Philad^a Octob 20 1708. Then personally appear'd Andreas Sandel & John Clubb two of the witnesses to the within writing & on their oaths did declare that they saw And: Rudman the testator sign seal publish & declare the same writing to be his last Will & Test^t and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their knowledge. Coram Pet Evans D Reg^r

Be it remembered ye on the 20th Obor 1708 The last Will & Testament of Andrew Rudman deced was proved in due form of Law and probate Lres of Admin^son was granted to Eliz^a Rudman sole Exix therein named being first sworn well & truely to adm^r and to bring an Inv^{ty} of the Dec^{ts} estate into the Reg^{es} off at Phi^a on or before 20 gber next and also to render acco^{ts} when req^d Given under ye seal of sd Office."

The will of Elizabeth (Mattson) Rudman lists children and grandchildren, was written 1 Sep 1736, proved 2 Oct 1736, recorded in New Jersey Wills E:283, filed in Salem Co. Wills packet #651Q, and abstracted in NJ Archives 30:408-409 & 4:80. It is transcribed as follows:¹

"In the Name of God Amen The first day of Septemb^r in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred & Thirty Six I Elizabeth Rudman of Pensilvania & County of Philadelphia Widdow, being of perfect Mind & memory, Thanks be to God therefore, calling to Mind the uncertainty of this present life & the certainty of the Death Doth make & ordain this my Last will & Testament in manner following: to viz: First I recomend my Soul to the Hands of My Creator that gave, and the Body to the Earth to be burried in Christian like & decent manner, nothing doubting but at the generall Resurrection I shall receive the Same by the mighty Power of God. And as for worldly Estate, wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life, I give devise & dispose of the Same in following manner & form. I give & bequeath to my Grand Sons Andrew Robesson & Andrew Tranberg a certain Plantation Situated by Skulekill in the Province of Pensilania & County of Philad^a containing fourty five Acres of Land, (be it more or less) to be equally devided betwixt them ITEM I give unto my Grand Children Rudman Robesson William Robesson, Elizabeth Robesson & Sarah Robesson fourty Pounds to be equally distributed amongst them. And fourty Pounds to Rebecka Tranberg & Elizabeth Tranberg to be at the Same manner divided bitwixt them. My Daughter Magdalen Robesson is to have my Gold ring & Anna Catharina Tranberg my Daughter a Silver Baker. To my Son in Law Pet Tranberg I give a clock & my Grand Son Rudman Robesson a watch, to Elizabeth Robesson a Silver Tumbler, to Will^m Robesson an old fashion Silver Spoon, to Sarah Robesson one Silver Spoon, to Rebecka Tranberg one Silver Spoon, to Elizabeth Tranberg one Silver Spoon and as for my Apparel & Beddings I order it to be equally divided betwixt my Daughters Magdalen Robesson & Anna Catharina Tranberg; except and Elbow chair shall belong to Anna Catharina & a Chester=Draws to her Daughter Rebecka & a chest to her other Daughter Elizabeth. And my further order is that a Bond of Twenty add Pound shall belong to my Son in Law Peter Tranberg for to pay all funerall charges & other expences thereunto belonging. A Note of five pounds from Swen Warner I give to him likewise & a other Small notes & book debts. And I do hereby utterly disallow & disanull all former Testam^{ts} Wills & Legacies by me in any way before this Time named, willed & bequeathed. Ratefying this & no other at present to be my last will & Testa^{mt} In witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal the day & year above written. Elizabeth Rudman (her mark) Signed Sealed & pronounced in the presence of us mounce Keen Judith Matson (her mark) Philip Chetwood" The will was proved 2 Oct 1736 and administrator's bond signed the same day by "Peter Tranberg and Mounce Keen both of the County of Salem."

43. CATHARINA MATTSON was born 29 Dec 1679,² and married JOHN COCK.¹

¹ Salem County, New Jersey, Surrogate's Court, Wills 609Q-714Q, packet #651Q LDS microfilm #560163

² John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 323

He was born in 1676 in Shackamaxon, a son of Eric Cock and Elisabeth Olofsdotter (daughter of Olof Philipsson). On 20 Mar 1709/10, John Cock of Gloucester County and his wife Catharine, daughter of Peter Matson, joined in the conveyance of 63 acres of Peter Matson's plantation to Andreas Sandel. John and his wife lived in Deptford Township, Gloucester Co., New Jersey where he was selected constable in 1706 and overseer of highways in 1710. He frequently sat on juries from 1698 to 1729, held a pew at the church at Raccoon in 1731, and was sued in 1733. No record of their deaths has been found. Catharina appeared in church as a baptismal sponsor in 1728. There was another contemporary John Cock, an Englishman, living in Waterford Township, Gloucester Co. John and Catharina had these known children:²

- 431. PETER COCK, b. before 1713, buried 18 Jan 1727
- 432. Daughter COCK, b. before 1713, buried 24 Apr 1715
- 433. JOHANNES COCK, bapt. 4 Jun 1716, possibly d. 1748 Deptford Township

44. MARIA MATTSON was born 11 May 1682,³ and on 22 Feb 1704 married Rev. ANDREAS SANDEL, pastor of Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia.⁴ He was born in Hällnäs parish, Roslagen, Sweden on 30 Nov 1671, son of the local pastor Petrus Sandel and his wife Magdalena Chytraeus. Andreas studied at the University of Uppsala, was ordained 18 Jul 1701 by Dr. Eric Benzelius, and was immediately sent to America to replace Rev. Andreas Rudman [#42]. He was soon installed as minister of Gloria Dei Church and preached his first sermon on Palm Sunday, 29 Mar 1702. Rev. Sandel kept a diary of his activities in America and wrote in 1704 that "The Governor and a great many people [were] present" at his marriage to Maria which was performed by Rev. Rudman.⁵ They lived in the church parsonage in Passyunk until 1709 when his brother-in-law Peter Mattson Jr. deeded him part of the plantation of Peter Mattson Sr. Rev. Sandel was said to have had a violent temper and received an official rebuke from the Provincial Council after his assault on Benjamin Chambers. In 1719 Rev. Sandel sold the plantation, closed his church accounts on 7 May, and returned to Sweden with his family to become the pastor at Hedamora church, Kopparberg. Maria died there on 5 Feb 1739 at the age of 57 and Rev. Sandel died 11 May 1744.⁶ They had these children:

- 441. MAGDALENA SANDEL, b. 25 Dec 1704, m. Dr. John Nordman
- 442. PETER SANDEL, b. Jan 1706, d. 21 Apr 1708 at Passyunk
- 443. PETER SANDEL, b. 1709, d. 6 Apr 1752, m. Helena Arhusiander
- 444. ANDREAS SANDEL Jr., b. 27 Jul 1711, d. 13 Aug 1711
- 445. ANDREAS SANDEL Jr., b. 1713, d. 2 May 1720 in Hedemora, Sweden
- 446. JOHN SANDEL, b. ca 1715, died in Mar 1724 in Hedemora
- 447. BENJAMIN SANDEL, b. 11 Oct 1717, d. 1788, m. Sarah Christina Lodh

⁵ Rev. Andreas Sandel, "Extracts from Journal ...," *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography*, vol. 30, p. 295

¹ Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

² Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 238, 324, 328

³ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 323

⁴ Gregory Bernard Keen, The Descendants of Jöran Kyn of New Sweden (1913), p. 63 [minor mention]

⁶ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 2

448. ANDREAS SANDEL, b. 19 Jan 1721, buried 27 Sep 1724 in Hedemora 449. SAMUEL SANDEL, b. 14 Dec 1724, m. Katarina Elisabet Brandt 44A. MAGNUS SANDEL, b. & d. in Hedemora in infancy

45. **PETER MATTSON** was born 27 May 1685,¹ and married his first cousin CATHARINA **BENGTSSON** [#24] in 1710. She was born 29 Jan 1679, a daughter of Anders and Gertrude (Rambo) Bengtsson. Peter and Catharina settled on the plantation of Peter's father on Little Mantua Creek, Deptford Township, Gloucester Co., New Jersey. Peter was constable of Deptford Township in 1713, overseer of highways 1717-1719, and a Justice in 1721.² He died 28 Mar 1722 aged 36y 10m.³ An inventory of his estate was made by John Rambo, Henry Treadway, and Constantine Wood on 23 Apr 1722.⁴ After his death Catherine Matts[on] married John Van Culin on 26 May 1726. She was buried at the Swedes Church at Raccoon (Gloucester Co., NJ) on 27 Sep 1735. Peter and Catharina Mattson had these children who were all, except Anders, baptized at the Swedish Lutheran Church of Raccoon:

451. ANDERS MATTSON, b. ca 1711, d. before 1758, m. Helena Derickson

452. PEHR (Peter) MATTSON, b. 9 Jun 1713, d. before 1758, never married

453. MARIA MATTSON, b. 4 Dec 1714, d. 16 Dec 1771, never married

454. JOHANNES MATTSON, bapt. 12 Aug 1716, d. before 1764, never married

455. MATTHIAS MATTSON, b. 29 Oct 1720, d. 6 Oct 1721 at Raccoon

The probate packet for Peter Mattson contains two sheets of paper. The biggest surprise is that the value of ten cattle and two steers (£24) was the only item to exceed the £16 value of his wearing apparel. The inventory listed riding horse, saddle and boots; another riding horse and side saddle $(\pounds7)$; a pair of oxen $(\pounds5)$; four young cattle; 7 yearlings; 19 swine ?; 19 sheep and 17 lambs; a feather bed & furniture (£6); another feather bed & furniture; another feather bed & furniture (£4); one Bible and other books; pewter & Iron pots; linen varn worsted wool; 2 spinning wheels & cards & a hackol; looking glass & tanned leather; axes, anviles, a handsaw, 4 iron hoops & other tools; a plow, plow irons, clevisses, horse gears & yoke (£1); an old cart & wheels, an old hand mill; a cross cut saw, ?, drawing knife & auger; a hoop net, a cannow, some wheat; a frying pan, grid iron, fire tongs & grindstone; 2 tables, 2 chests & some bacon; some malt, some meal & bags; "growing corn upon the ground;" 4 barrels of cider (£2); a bond upon Timothy Eghlington, miscellaneous items and two lines that were hard to read. The signature of John Rambo is very well formed. The second sheet contains an affirmation that the inventory was correct signed by Catherine Matson (her mark) and by John Rambo.⁵ An abstract is published in New Jersey Archives vol. 23: p. 311.

⁴ William Nelson, ed., *Calendar of Wills 1670-1730*, New Jersey Archives, 1st Series, vol. 23 (pub. 1901), p. 312

¹ John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 323

² George Walmsley, Genealogy of the Mattson Family (pub. 1981)

³ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 327, etc.

⁵ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 54H-145H, 1717-1733. LDS microfilm #533145

The will of Catharina Van Culin was dated 28 Sep 1735 and bequeathed 1/3 of her first husband's estate to her daughter Mary. See her record [#24] for the that will & inventory. The will of Cathrine Culing was dated 28 Sep 1735, proved in Gloucester Co., NJ on 16 Apr 1736, and filed in wills packet #200H. The estate was administered Mary Mattson and contains a will, an inventory, and an accounting. The will is transcribed as follows:(794),, Gloucester Co., NJ Surrogates Court, *Wills 145H - 241H 1731-1739*. LDS microfilm #533146, packet #200H)

"The Will or Testimony of Cathrine Culing September y^e 28th 1735 Anno y^e Domi I Beque' my third of my first husband^s Estate to my Daughter Mary & to receive the Debts Coming & to Defray the Debts Contracted now, _____ And for the rest of the moveables of the Estate my Desire is that they may Be Equally Divided Amongst them. This is As I Expect my last wile as above mentioned And Expressed where I had my Perfect Sence the Day and Year Above Written in Present^s of W. Peter Rambo. Thomas Fulton. Cathrine Culing (her mark)

Peter Rambo of Deptford in the county of Gloucester Yeoman one of the subscribing Witnesses to the above Testament of full age being duly sworn did depose that he saw Catherine Culing the Testarix abovenamed sign the above Instrum^t by making the above Mark thereto and heard her publish pronounce & declare the same to be her last Testament and that at the Doing thereof the said Testatrix was of sound and disposing Mind Memory & Understanding as this Deponent verily believes & that Thomas Sutton the other Witness was present at the same Time & did subscribe his Name (together with this Deponent) as a Witness thereto. Sworn at Burlington the Sixteenth Day of April AD 1736 before me Joseph Rose Surrogate"

The Accompt of Mary Matson Administratrix includes monies paid to W^m Monington for a debt, Francis Batten, John Clark, George Avis, Gabriel Rambo, Mary Gordon, Mary Glentworth, George Ward jun^r, John Raines,"pd to Peter Matson a Legacy bequeathed to him by the Deced as appears per Receipt No. 10 £ 19.4.8," to John Mattson a Legacy bequeath'd to him by the Deced as app^{rs} by Rec __ Discharge __ 11 £ 19.4.8, "This Accomptant prays allowance for two cows apprais'd at Four pounds & 1 Heifer at 1.1 all w^{ch} dy'd soon after appraisement before any Advantage could be made of them." Testimony to the fair value of the inventory was made by Peter Rambo of Deptford, Yeoman, of full age and "Mary Mattson of Deptford in the County of Gloucester Spinster Daughter of the within named Catherine Culin deced ... being of full age."

The inventory reads, "A true & perfect Inventory of the Goods & Chattles rights & Credits of Catharine Van Culien of Deptford in the County of Gloucester widow Deceased ... 29^{th} day of September Anno y^e Domini 1735," and includes wearing apparel, six beds & bedding, linnen, worsted, wool, one walnut chest, one pine chest, money scales, tables, books; spinning wheels & other matters (£1); two bells, half a barrel of shadd; milk vessels & bottles (£1); one cask with some still liquor therein; twelve barrels of cider & the casks (£3); pots, pans, tubs, one steel trap, 4 bags; 9 cows & hay to winter the same (£18); one pair of oxen; 5 heifers & one Bull (£9); calves, 10

sheep, 20 swine, one mare; Indian corn (£5); turnips (£1); wheat & rye in the stack (£6); 40 geese, and sundry other items including a debt of John Mattson ye son of Peter (£1) totalling £ 133.17.6.

Matthias Mattson, the testator of this will is not identified. Perhaps Peter and Catharina named a second son Matthias (after the infant died) since "brothers Andrew and Peter" and kinsman Matthias all fit.

"In the name of God amen I Mathias Mattson of the Township of Greenwich County of Gloucester in ye province of West Jersie Jwr and yeoman this third day of November Annoye Domini 1747 ... First my mind and will is that my Plantation on which I now live laying on the River Deliwer below Rackoon Creek and all other my Estate be truly sold by my Executors here after named for the paying of all my my Debts ... and ye overplush to be equely devidd between my brothers Andrew and Peter Mattson. Lastly I apoints and ordains my trusty and well beloved Kinsmen and friends Mathias Mattson and John Jones boath of the Township above said my Executors of this my last will and Testament ... Mathias M. Mattson" witnesses Christian Steedom. Charles Hopman.^{1,2}

(PLEASE. If you have information about this Matthias Mattson will of 1747, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

46. MATTHIAS (Matts) MATTSON was born 12 Aug 1688.³ He married JUDITH (Julia) **SWANSON** in 1712.⁴ She was born in Wicaco in 1688, a daughter of Olle and Lydia (Ashman) Svensson.⁵ On 14 Sep 1711 Matthias Mattson quitclaimed his share of his father's estate on Little Mantua Creek to his older brother, Peter Mattson. He moved to land owned by his brother-in-law John Swanson in Greenwich Township where he lived for the balance of his life. On 29 Sep 1736 the old bachelor John Swanson of Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, wrote his will bequeathing his rents for his plantation on Oldmans Creek to his sister Judy Mattson for life. After her death the land was to go to his "cousins," her sons Peter and William Mattson. "Cousins" Catherine, Liddy. and Mary Mattson were bequeathed money. John Swanson named his "brother" Matthias Mattson executor of his estate. Mathias was active in the Swedish Lutheran Church at Raccoon in Gloucester Co., NJ, serving as church warden and vestryman. He was surveyor of highways in Greenwich Township 1719 to 1721 and constable 1726 to 1727. The gravestone records show that he died there 5 Oct 1750 aged 66 and was buried at the Trinity Church in Swedesboro.⁶ However, his will is dated 20 Oct 1750. His widow Judith was still alive in Jan 1772, living with her son William. Matts and Julia (Swanson) Mattson had these children, all of whom were baptized at the church at Raccoon.⁷

¹ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 348H - 454H 1748-1750. LDS microfilm #533148

² NJ Archives 30:326 Gloucester Wills 5:499 file #357

³ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 323

⁴ George Walmsley, Genealogy of the Mattson Family (pub. 1981)

⁵ Amandus Johnson, *The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664* (pub. 1927)

⁶ Lewis D. Cook, et al, "Gloucester County Gravestones ...," *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, vol. 13, pp. 33-39, 66, p. 67

⁷ Federal Writers Project, *Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck* (pub. 1938), pp. 234, etc.

Rambo Family Tree: Peter Gunnarson Rambo's Grandchildren

461. PETER MATTSON, b. 6 Sep 1713, buried 1771, m. Elizabeth Archer462. CATHARINA MATTSON, b. 25 Jun 1716, m. Jacob Richman

- 463. LYDIA MATTSON, b. 24 Jul 1718, d. Apr 1791, m. Charles Grantham
- 464. MARY MATTSON, b. 27 May 1721, d. after Apr 1791, m. Israel Lock
- 465. MATTHIAS MATTSON, b. 5 Feb 1724, d. 1767, m. Elizabeth Wilkins
- 466. OLOF MATTSON, b. 8 Apr 1731, d. 30 Oct 1799, m. Deborah Denny

The will of Mathias Matson was dated 20 Oct 1750, proved in Gloucester Co. on 13 Nov 1750, filed as #463H, recorded in New Jersey Wills Liber 7:20, and abstracted in NJ Archives $30:327.^{1}$ The inventory was filed 13 Nov 1750 and valued the estate at £ 335.0.0. These two pages are the entire estate packet. The will reads as follows:²

"In the Name of God Amen the Twentyeth day of October in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seaven hundred and Fifty I Mathias Matson of ye Township of Greenwilch in ye County of Gloucester and western Division of ye Province of New Jersey Yeoman being Very Sick and weak in body. but of Perfect mind and Memory, Thanks be Given unto God therefore. Calling unto Mind the Mortality of my body And knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye, do make and ordain this my Last will and Testament: that is to Say Principally, and first of all, I Give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of God, that gave itt; and for my Body I Recommend it to the Earth, to be Buryed in a Christian like and Decent Manner, att the Discretion of my Executors Nothing Doubting but at ve Generall Resurrection I shall receave the Same again by the Mighty Power of God. And as Touching Such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath Pleased God to bless me in this Life, I Give devise and dispose of the Same in the Following Manner and form. Imprimis, It is my will and I do order that in the first place all my just debts and Funerall Charges be paid and Satisfyed. ITEM it is my will and mind and I do order that my well beloved son Peter Matson shall have No more of my Estate Neither Real Nor Persionall he having alredy had his share and Portion of me in my life time only my Sweds books I give all them to him after my decease and the Sum of Five shill to be paid him by my Exce^r in full of his Portion ITEM I give unto my well beloved Son Mathias Matson and to his heirs and Assigns all the Remainder Part of my Home Plantation with all the Improvements thereto belonging to him his heirs and Assigns Forever And I do also order that my Son Mathias shall keep one Horse and Cowe for and During the Naturall life of my Dearly beloved wife Judith Matson to and for her only use and benefitt and also that she shall have the liberty to live on s^d Plantation During her lifetime without any hindance of him or any of his and I likewise order that Mathias shall Pay unto my well beloved Daughter Mary Matson the Sum of ten Pounds unto her Six years after the decease of me and my wife and I also Give unto my son Mathias the Large Pine Table also to him and his heirs and also that my Daughters Lydiah & Mary shall have ye liberty of house Room at ye home Place untill they Marrey ITEM I Give unto my son William

¹ A. Van Doren Honeyman, ed., Calendar of Wills 1730-1750, New Jersey Archives, 1st Series, vol. 30 (pub. 1918), p. 327

² Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, *Wills 454H - 556H 1750-1754*. LDS film #533149, packet #463H; or New Jersey, Department of State, Wills *Vols. 7-8 1750-1758*, Liber 7:20. LDS microfilm #522717

Matson his heirs & assign all that one hundred and forty one acres & half of Land lying on the Lower side of that Land formerly belonging to John Swanson being part of s^d Land which I bought of my son Peter Matson and I also Give unto my son William Matson all the Remainder Part of my Land lying below my Son Peters Land Adjoyning to him Containing Ninety Six Acres which I bought of John Alford which I Give unto him his heirs and Assigns Forever and I also Give unto my son Will^m my Ryding Horse bridle and Saddle and also my big Chest I Give unto him his heirs and Assigns ITEM I Give unto my Daughter Mary Matson one Soreill Mair and Colt for her & her assigns and the Remainder Part of my Moveable Estate heretofore not mentioned I do order that after my Daughter Lydiah Matson and Mary Matson has had and Equal share with my Daughter Cattern then the Remainder to be equally Divided amonge all my Children only my son Peter shall have no more than above Mentioned that is the books and five shill as afores^d And I likewise Constitute make and ordain my well beloved Sons Matthias Matson & W^m Matson my only and sole Exe^{rs} of this my last will and Testament. And I do hereby utterly Disallow, Revoake and disanull all, and Every other Former testaments, wills and Legacies and Executors. by me in Any ways before this time Named, willed & Bequeathed. Ratifying & Confirming this and No other to be my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seal ye day aboves^d Mathias Matson (his mark) 22^d March 1750

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced & Declared by ye s^d Mathias Matson as his last will & Testament in the Presence of us ye Subscribers Jacob Lippincott, Caleb Lippincott, Abraham Lord."

"Gloucester ss November 13th 1750 Jacob Lippincott & Caleb Lippincott two of the Witnesses to the within written will who being of the people called quakers on their solemn affirmation according to Law did declare & affirm that they saw Mathias Matson the testator in the S^d Will named Sign & Seal the same & heard him and heard him [sic] publish pronounce & declare the within written Instrument to be his Last will & testament and that at the doing thereof the said Testator was of Sound & disposing mind meomory & understanding to the best of their knowledge and belief and that at the same as a Witness to the s^d Will together with these affirmants in presence of the said Testator. Jacob Lippincott. Caleb Lippincott. affirmed at deptford in the county of Gloucester the day & year aboves^d before me John Ladd Surrogate"

"The inventory of Mathias Matson Decd Appraised by Jacob Lippincott and Banjamin Cheasman the Seventh day of November 1750" lists bed, bedding and houshold furniture, Plantation Tools and Clothing, cattle, horses and sheep, hogs and some slaves, corn in the mow and on ye ground, flax in ye barn, hay in the stack, and cash totalling £ 335.0.0

The will of John Swanson reads as follows:¹

¹ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 145H - 241H 1731-1739. LDS microfilm #533146, packet #211H

"In the name of God, Amen, this twenty ninth Day of September & in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred & Thirty Six I John Swanson of Grenweach & County of Glowster Yeoman & in the sd Provance of West New Jersey Being seck & weeck of Body But of Perfect Mind & Memory Thakes Be to God for it. Do Macke and Ordain this My Last Will and testament in Manear & forme as folsarth Viz first I bequeath My Sole to the Armes of My Blessed Savor Beging of Him in Marsey to Recsus It & My Body to a Christan Bureal Desasantly to Be Intared According to the Dischresion of My Execetter & as for My Outward & Worldly Estates, I Give & bequeath in Manear & forme as foleareth Viz Itam I Give in to the Hands of Peather Van Crey by Way of Spesah trust Inposed in Him he sd Tranbrey My Plantation that I Bought of Lackeas Dun Seaute on Oldman Creck Containing three Hundred Acres for Him he sd Tranbr to Rent fourth ye sd Plantation at His Dischresion & to Give ye rents

& Profets unto My Sister Judy Mattson During Har Natral Life or to Recsue ye sd Mesuage to ye sd Judy in case she Incline to Go to Live theron. During Har Nateral Life Itam that After the Deth of My sd Sester Judy Mattson I Give & Bequeath to My Cusan Peatter Mattson, & to his Heires & Assignes the one Halfe being one Hundred and fifty Eackes out of My A fore sd Plantation, to be a Suvuayed to Him on the Loer Side Next AJoyning to his Land. Itam I Give & Bequeath to My Cusan Willam Mattson, the other Moyaty or other & Uper Halfe of My sd Plantation & to His Heires & Assignes for Ever After ye Deceses of his Mother Wih the Hausen Orchards & Inpruments thereon Itam I Give and Bequeath to My Cusan Gavtear Dun ye Sum of Six Pounds to be Payd by My Execettor Itam I Give and Bequeath to My Cusan John Justis y^e Sum of five Pounds to Be Bestoed on Him in Schuling Itam, I Give & Bequeath to Carthan Mattson y^e Sum of Sixteen Pounds Pounds to Be Payd by My Execetter Itam I Give & Bequeath to My Cuson Lidy Mattson the Sum of Sixteen Pounds to be Payd by My Execettr Itam I give & Bequeath to My Cusan Mary Mattson the Sum of Sixteen Pounds to be Payd by Execetter Itam I give & Bequeath to My Brother Peatter Swanson the Sum of five Shilings to be Pavd by Execetter Lastly I Give & Bequeath to My Brother Mathias Mattson all the Rest of My Parsaneal Estatte therewith to Pay My Just Debts & funearl Charges & Oles Seas and after that Dun the Rest to Pay Him for His touble of Recsuing & Paying of ye Leguses Afore sd Whome I Hearby Condstute Mention and Appoynt My Sole Execetter of this My Last Will & testment. In Wittness Whearof I Have Hearunto Seatte My Hand & Seale this Day & year first above Written Signed Sealed and Deleuered in ye sd Presants of Samuel Shivers. Jacob Mattson. Joseph Coles. John Swanson (his mark)"

47. **MARGARET MATTSON** was born 1 Feb 1692.¹ She married PETER **COCK** of Philadelphia. He was born in Passyunk in 1688, a son of Peter Cox Sr. and his wife Helena Helm. Margaret had inherited part of her father's estate in Passyunk on the Schuylkill, Philadelphia County. Peter was a prominent member of the Gloria Dei

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 323

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Church, serving as a church warden from 1745 until his death on 17 Jan 1751. His wife Margaret joined her husband Peter Cox and other heirs of Peter and Helena Cock in the sale of some family land on 20 May 1747 but was not mentioned in her husband's will of 22 October 1748. Therefore, it may be assumed that she died about 1748. His will named these children:

471. ELEANOR COCK, m. 1) Rev. John Dylander, 2) Daniel Dupuy

- 472. ISRAEL COCK, b. 1720, d. 22 Apr 1755, m. Christina Holton
- 473. REBECCA COCK, m. John Jacob Weiss
- 474. MARGARET COCK, m. Francis Manny

The will of Peter Cox was dated 22 Oct 1748, proved 20 Jan 1750/1, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book J: pages 347-348, #223. It is transcribed as follows:¹

"It is to be Remembred the twenty second day of october in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven hundred and forty Eight That I Peter Cox of Passyunk in the County of Philadelphia in ye Province of Pennsylvania Yeoman being at present in good health of Body & of Sound disposing mind and memory and being mindfull of my mortality therefore do make this my Last Will and Testament concerning the disposure of my Worldly Estate in manner and form hereinafter Expressed that is to say in the first place I will & ordain that all my just debts and Funeral expences be duly paid & discharged by my Executor hereinafter named and I do give and devise unto my beloved Son Israel Cox all that my Messuage or Tenement & Plantation whereon I now live Situate in the said Passyunk containing seventy four acres or thereabouts be the same more or less Together with the appurtenances To hold to him his heirs & assigns forever in Fee Simple also I give & bequeath unto my said son his heirs & assigns my Negroe Boy named Coffee for and during my said negroes natural Life and I give and devise unto my three beloved Daughters Elianor Dupee Rebecca Weise and Margaret Many a piece or parcel of Land belong to me Situate at the Lower Ferry upon the Schoolkill River bounded Northward by Andrew Robinson & Thornbury Southward by part of the Same Land Eastward by land of George Gray and westward by the said Shuylkill River To hold to them my said Daughters their Heirs and Assigns Share and Share alike forever and as for & concerning the residue and remainder of my Estate both real and personal my Will & mind is that the same be divided by Equal Portions to and amongst my said Children allowing my son Two Shares To hold to them their heirs & assigns forever in manner aforesaid and I do hereby ordain & my said son Israel Cox Sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament revoking and making void all former and other Will or Wills by me at any Time heretofor made and Declaring this only as and for my Last will & Testament In Witness whereof I the said Peter Cox have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year first above written Peter Cos Signed, Sealed, Published pronounced & declared by the abovenamed Testator as and for his Last Will & Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers Adam Andres, Jere^h Elfreth, Alex^r Seaton Philad^a 20th January 1750 Then

¹ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes I-K, 1748-1757*. LDS microfilm #21724

psonally appeared adam andres & Jermiad Elfreth two of the witnesses to the foregoing Will and on their solemn affirmacon according to Law did declare & affirm they saw & heard Peter Cox the Testator therein named sign seal publish & declare the same Will for and as his Last will & Testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their knowledge and that Alex^r Seaton the other Witness thereto did also subscribe his Name as a witness in the presence of and at the request of the Testator Coram W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ Be it remembered that on the 20th day of January 1750 the Last Will & Testament of Peter Cox deceased was proved in due form of Law & Probate & Lres Testamentary were granted to Israel Cox sole Ex^e or in the said Testament named being first legally sworn well & truly to administer the said deced^{t's} Estate and to bring an Inventory thereof into the Reg^r Gen^{1's} office at Philad^a at or before the 20th day of February next & render a true acco^t when thereunto Lawfully required Given under the Seal of the said office W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen^l

48. **JOHAN MATTSSON (John Mattson)** was born 14 Jun 1694.¹ On 1 May 1717, he married ANNICKA **COCK** (Anna Cock) at the Swedish Church at Raccoon [now Swedesboro, New Jersey]. (The church record reads Johan Mattsson and Annicka Cock.) Annicka was born about 1693, the daughter of Eric and Elizabeth (Phillipson) Cock.² John and Anna resided in Greenwich Township, Gloucester Co., New Jersey and were active members in the church until his accidental death on 11 Sep 1739 when his cart "overset".³ The widow Annica Mattson returned to Deptford Township where she died in Dec 1746. Letters of administration for her estate were granted to Peter Rambo on 11 Dec 1746. John and Anna had these children baptized at the Raccoon church:

- 481. JOHANNES MATTSON, b. 30 Mar 1718
- 482. ERIC MATTSON, b. 13 Mar 1720
- 483. PETER MATTSON, b. 6 Jan 1724
- 484. ELIZABETH MATTSON, b. 21 May 1726
- 485. ISRAEL MATTSON, b. 15 Jul 1728, d. 14 Apr 1770, m. Mary Pedrick

The estate papers of Anica Mattson consist of two pages filed in packet 335H in Gloucester Co., New Jersey. One page is "A true and perfect Inventory of the Goods & Chattles Rights & Credits of Annica Mattson late of Greenwich in the County of Gloucester and the provence of New Jersey Spinster Deceased" listing wearing apparel, money, old bag, one pickter & old looking glass, old little spining wheel, two old ed, bolsters, blankets, sheet & coverlead, one candle stick & other old things, two iron pots, box iron heaters, a vial wilk drops, one churn & other wooded ware, two old chests & old teumprey, a Grate Spening wheel totalling £ 15.7.3. The other page is the administrator's bond showing that Peter Rambo "of the township of deptford in the County of Glocester yeoman" was an executor of the estate of "Anneky Matson late of the township afd

¹ John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 323

² Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

³ Federal Writers Project, *Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck* (pub. 1938), pp. 305, 330, etc.

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49. **JACOB MATTSON** was born 25 May 1697.¹ He married LYDIA VAN **CULEN** on 29 Apr 1724 at the Swedish Church at Raccoon [Swedesboro, New Jersey]. (The church record reads Jacob Mattsson and Lydia Kulen.)² Lydia was born about 1704, a daughter of Jacobus and Brigitta (Swanson) Van Culin. Jacob and Lydia lived in Gloucester Co., New Jersey where Jacob was constable of Greenwich Township from 1716 to 1720. Lydia died before 20 Jan 1733 when Jacob Mattson married for his second wife, MARIA **RUNNELLS**, daughter of John and Anna (Mullica) Reynolds. Maria was born about 1704. It is not known where they lived or when he died. By 1754 his widow Maria was residing with her eldest daughter, Catharina Mattson, wife of Eric Mullica. In the church census of 1772 Maria was residing in Woolwich Township with her children Jacob and Maria, adjoining her son Abraham. Jacob and Lydia were the parents of this child:

491. MARY BRIGITTA MATTSON, b. 10 Jan 1725, m. Mounce Hopman Jacob and Maria (Reynolds) Mattson had these children:³

- 492. ANNA CATHARINE MATTSON, b. 11 Nov 1734, m. 1) Mullica, 2) ...
- 493. JONAS ABRAHAM MATTSON, b. 12 Oct 1736, m. Rachel Adams
- 494. JACOB MATTSON, b. ca 1740, buried 27 May 1786, m. Rebecca Adams
- 495. MARIA MATTSON, b. ca 1744, living with her mother in 1772

The will of Jacobus Vanculin (1747) mentions grandson Andrew Matson, but that grandson Andrew was born in 1727, the son of Anders Mattsson and Maria Van Culin. The will of Jacobus Vanculin was dated 22 Jul 1745, proved 16 Apr 1747, recorded in New Jersey Wills 5:385, filed in Salem Co. Wills packet #766Q, abstracted in NJ Archives 30:495, and partially transcribed as follows:⁴

"I Jacobus Vanculin of Salem County ... yeoman ... Item I give Devise and bequeath unto my Grand Son Andrew Matson of Oldmans Crick In Glouchester County in the Province aforeSaid, A tract or Parcell of Land Lying in Glouschester County ... to wit my Daughter Son ... the money that Charles Friend and Timothy Rain Owes me ... Item I give and bequeath unto my Son William Vanculin the Sum of Five Shillings ... wife all the Rest of my Personall Estate ... John Rain and my grandson Andrew Matson both of Glouchester County to be my Sole Execut^{rs} ... [22 Jul 1745] Jacobus Vanculin (his mark) ... in Presence of us Peter Peterson (his mark), An Peterson, Mart'n Reardan" The administration was signed Andrew Matson (his mark)

The children of [#5] Andrew and Maria (Cock) Rambo [son of Peter].

51. JOHN RAMBO was born about 1687 and married CHRISTIAN (?). He was a yeoman living in Passyunk, Philadelphia County. He became ill and made his will 23

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 323

² Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 307

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985

⁴ Salem County, New Jersey, Surrogate's Court, Wills 715Q-846Q, packet #766Q LDS microfilm #560164

Nov 1716. He died before 19 Apr 1717 when his will was proved. In his will he confirmed the sale of some marsh land to William Powell of Philadelphia. He left his estate to his "dear wife Christian" for use during her lifetime and to his daughter Mary. In case Mary died without issue, his plantation and property were to be divided between his brothers and sisters. His brother Andrew was appointed to oversee the upbringing and education of Mary Rambo, a very young child. More than 40 years later, on 14 Apr 1760, a court examination of land records traced the land patent of John's lands from Peter Gunnarson Rambo.¹ See transcription below. Gov. Gen. Lovelace gave a patent on 1 Oct 1669 to Peter Rambo who willed the land to his son Andrew who then died. John and Christian had one known child mentioned in the land records:

511. MARY RAMBO, b. before 1716, m. William Hannis

The will of John Rambo was written 23 Nov 1716, proved 19 Apr 1717, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book D: page 71, #92. It is transcribed as follows:²

"In the Name of God Amen I John Rambo of Passyunk in ye County of Philadelphia Yeoman being sick and weak in body but of sound mind memory & understanding do make this my Last Will and Testam^t in manner following FIRST I give my Soul to ye Hands of God that gave it and my Body to be buryed at ye discretion of my Exix hereafter named and as to such temporal estate as I am any wise seized or possessed of in this world I dispose thereof as followeth Whereas I have heretofore sold but not conveyed to William Powell of Philadelphia Cooper a piece or parcell of meadow or marsh ground situate on ye East side of the east side of the River Shuylkill over against Andrew Supples in ye s^d county containing four acres I do hereby and confirm ye same to the said William Powell to hold to him his heirs & assigns forever ITEM I give devise & bequeath all my Lands & Plantaton and all and every ye appurtenances thereunto belonging unto my Dear Wife Christian Rambo for and during ye term of her natural life and after her decease to ye use and behoofe of my Daughter Mary her heirs and assigns forever provided nevertheless and my will and mind is that in case my said daughter Mary shall dye without issue that then in such case my said land plantation &

shall after my s^d wifes decease be and remain to ye use and behoofes of my Brothers and Sisters and their heirs and assigns and to ye heirs and assigns of the survivors of them share and share alike ITEM I give and bequeath unto my sd Dear Wife all and singular my personal estate whatsoever and wheresoever to her for life and the remainder to my said Daghter and in case of her death as afores^d to my Brother and Sisters and to ye surviv^{rs} or survivor of them equally to be divided and I do hereby constitute make and ordain my said Dear Wife Christian whole and sole Execut^{rx} of this my Last Will and Testam. And do appoint my Brother Andrew Rambo overseer or trustee of this my Will and the estate thereby given or bequeathed and to ye assisting my said wife in ye managem^t thereof and bringing up and educating of my Daughter In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the twenty third day of November in ye year of our

¹ "Rambo Family Collection of Research Records," Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Andrew Rambo, Book H-10, p. 468

² Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes C-E, 1705-1736. LDS microfilm #21722

Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Sixteen. John Rambo (his mark) Seal Signed sealed published and declared by ye testator as his Last Will and Testam^t in ye presents of us whoo subscribed in his presents Andreas Sandel. Pet Evans. & George Yard.

Philad^a April 19th 1717 Then personally appeared Andrew Sandal and George Yard two of the witnesses to ye written Will and on their several corporal Oaths did declare they saw John Rambo the testator within named sign seal publish & declare ye within writing as his Last Will and testam^t and that at ye doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to ye best of their knowledge Coran Pet Evans RgGen¹

Be it remembered that on ye 19th day of April 1717. the last will and testam^t of John Rambo Deced^t was proved in due form of Law and Probate & letters of adminis^{on} was granted to Christian Rambo Execut^{rx} therein named being first sworn well and truely to administer and to bring an inventory of the deced^{ts} estate into ye Register Generals Office at Philad^a ye 19th day of May next and also to render acco^t when required given under ye seal of said office Pet Evans Reg. Gen.

The land record was dated 7 Feb 1736 and recorded in Philadelphia Deeds H-10: pp. 468-479 (twelve pages!). It is partially transcribed as follows:¹

"This indenture Quinquepartite made the seventh day of February in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and thirty six Between Christian Rambo the Widow of John Rambo deceased who was one of the sons of Andrew Rambo late of Passyunk in the county of Philadelphia Yeoman dec'ed and Mary Rambo the Daughter of him the said John of the First Part Andrew Rambo second son of the said deceased Andrew Rambo of the second part Mary Hernbum widow one of the Daughters of the said Andrew Rambo the father of the third part Theodorus Lord of Passyunk aforesaid yeoman and Martha his wife another of the daughters of the said Andrew Rambo the Father of the Fourth Part and Bridget (als Breta) Rambo the other daughter of the said deceased Andrew Rambo the Father of the Fifth Part Whereas Francis Lovelace Esq^r Governor General under his Royal Highness James Duke of York and Albany etc. By a certain Patent or grant under his hand and Provincial Seal Bearing date the first day of October 1669 did give ratify confirm and grant unto Peter Rambo (Father of the said deceased Andrew Rambo and Grandfather of the said deceased John and of the said Andrew Mary Hernbum Martha and Bridget partys hereto) A certain plantation then in the tenure or occupation of him the said Peter Rambo lying and being upon Pinneys Creek or Kill bounded on the south with the Schuylkill and with the said Pinneys Creek or Kill so far as it runs up and above with the land formerly granted to John Ashman and Company at Passyunk containing by Estimation three hundred Acres (were it more or less) To hold to him the said Peter Rambo his heirs and assigns forever paying yearly unto his Majesties use three Bushels of Winter Wheat when it shall be demanded by such Person or Persons in Authority as his Majesty shall please to establish and Impower In Delaware River and the Parts and Plantations Adjacent as by the said Patent Recorded by Order of the Governor etc.

¹ Philadelphia Co., PA, Recorder of Deeds, *Deed records volumes H10-H11, 1739-1766*, vol. H-10: 468-479. LDS film #21893

Matthias Nicholls Secr Relation being thereunto had at large appears By Force and Virtue of which Patent or some other good conveyance or assurance in Law he the said Peter Rambo became lawfully seized in his Demesne as of fee of and in the Land and Plantation aforesaid And he the said Peter Rambo being so seized thereof made his Last will and testament in writing bearing date the thirtieth day of August (1694 and thereby devised the premises (int al) unto his son the said deceased Andrew Rambo in Fee and shortly after dyed so seized thereof as in his estate aforesaid By Force and Virtue of which siad recited testament he the said Andrew the son of the said Peter became lawfully seized of the same premises in his demesne as of fee and being so seized dyed intestate leaving Issue the said John Andrew Party hereto Mary Hernbum Martha and Bridget who together with their Mother Mary agreed upon a division of the Estate of the said Andrew Rambo the father By which division the land in the said recited Patent mentioned which was deemed to contain three hundred acres besides sixty acres of Meadow Ground was thus to be divided Viz^t the said John Rambo was to have a part of the said reputed three hundred acres lying mostly or near the east side or end of the whole tract then in his Possession and then reputed to contain about one hundred and ten acres To hold to him the said John Rambo his heirs and assigns forever The said Andrew the son was to have that part joining on the River Schuylkill then in his Possession and whereon he had built a shop and then reputed to contain ninety acres To hold to him the said Andrew Rambo his heirs and assigns forever And as for and concerning the Residue of the said reputed Three hundred and sixty acres the same was agreed to be and remain To the use of the said Mary Rambo the widow (the Meadow Ground) aforesaid excepted which was to be divided among the parties as hereafter mentioned) To hold the same residue and remainder of the premises (except before excepted) Together with all the personnal Estate then in her Possession unto her the said Mary the widow during the term of her natural life and after her decease then to the said Mary (Now called Mary Hernbum) Martha & Bridget their heirs and assigns forever and as concerning the said Meadow Ground It was to be and remain to the Common use of the said parties and their heirs respectively until further Partition thereof could be conveniently made by them their heirs or assigns And the said John Rambo dyed before a division according to the aforesaid Agreement was fully made seized of his part aforesaid and herein after more Particularly described having first made his Last will and testament in writing bearing date the twenty third day of November 1716 Whereby he devised in these words that is to say Item I give devise and bequeath all my Lands House Plantation and all and every the appurtenance thereunto my Dear wife Christian Rambo ... and shortly after he the said John Rambo dyed and the said Mary the Widow of the said deceased Andrew Rambo is departed this life and the personnal estate of the said deceased Andrew Rambo her husband in her possession agreed upon her decease to be and remain unto the said Mary Hernbum Martha and Bridget as afore recited did thereupon come to their hands and possession and the same is equally divided amongst them and the said Mary the Daughter of the said John is come of age NOW THIS indenture Witnesseth that they the said partys unto this present Indenture are minded to make a full and perfect division ...

Andrew Rambo ... more exact survey thereof is found to contain one hundred and eleven acres Beginning at a corner post It being a corner of the said Martha Lords part in the line of Mary Rambo ... Together with a certain messuage or tenement by him the said Andrew Party hereto thereon erected and built ... as his full part share or division of all and singular the premises (other than and except such further part thereof which shall or may happen to devolve or appertain unto him the said Andrew upon the decease of the said Mary the daughter of the said John without issue of her body according to the Purpose of the Testament of him the said John Rambo and other than and except the aforeseid meadows which are hereafter to be divided as hereinafter mentioned And that the said Mary Hernbum her heirs and assigns shall have the full Quantity of Forty one acres of land (part of the first described tract) It being another corner of the said Martha Lords part in the line of the Plantation late belonging to Anthony Hartley deceased, ... to the River Schuylkill thence up the said River on several courses sixty six perches ... Together with a certain Messuage or tenement thereon erected ... And that the said Theodorus Lord and Martha his wife ... shall have the full Quantity of forty one acres of land (Part of the said first described tract Beginning at a post in the said Mary Hernbum's Part and in the said Hartleys Line ... And that the said Bridget (als Breta) Rambo ... shall have the full quantity of forty one acres of land (Part of the said first described tract) Beginning at the aforesaid Hickery Tree ... And that the said Christian Rambo and Mary Rambo her daughter ... shall have the fully Quantity of one hundred thirty five Acres ... by land belonging to the Swedes Parsonage ... "

52. **ANDERS RAMBO** was born about 1689 and was named in the land record.(See #51 above) He was a yeoman who lived in Passyunk. He died at age 64 on 20 Nov 1753 and left a will dated the day before, 19 Nov 1753.¹ Anders left legacies to Oloff Perlin, the pastor of the Swedish church; to his kinswomen - Martha Griffiths, daughter of John and Margaret (Swanson) Cock, Deborah and Eleanor Rambo of Philadelphia; to kinsman Andrew Rambo, son of Elias Rambo; to his niece Mary Hannis when 18, daughter of William Hannis; and to a nephew, John Lord of Passyunk. His nephew John Lord was named executor, but John died before the will was proved, so John's widow Deborah (Bankson) Lord became the administrator.²

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the estate of Anders Rambo (and John Lord) as recorded in Philadelphia Administration Book F: p. 515 and Philadelphia Orphans Court Book 5: pp. 46, 51, 84, 87, 159, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

53. **PETER RAMBO** was born before 1697 and apparently died before 7 Feb 1736, as he did not share in his father's estate and was not named in his sister Breta's will [#54 below]. It is possible that this is the Peter Rambo of Anne Arundel Co., Maryland who

¹ Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, "Abstracts of Wills," *Publications of Genealogical Society of PA*, vol. 5, pp. 192-193

² Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine, vol. 5, pp. 192-193

was imprisoned for debt and was "languishing in the custody of the sheriff of Anne Arundel County" in the summer of 1732.¹

54. **BRIGITTA (Breta) RAMBO** was born before 1697 and was named in the land record of 1760. She did not marry and died before 25 Jun 1740 when her will was proved in Philadelphia and recorded in Will Book F: page 161, #152. She left her property to her brother Andrew and sister Mary Hernbom during their lifetimes, then passing on to John Lord, the son of her sister Martha, and to Evid Hernbom, the son of her sister Mary. She also named her cousin Mary Hainey, probably her great-niece Mary (Rambo) Hannis.² Jacob Bankson [#26] signed the inventory of her property which included 40 acres of land, two cows, furniture and wearing apparel.

The will of Breta Rambo was dated 4 Mar 1739/40, proved 25 Jun 1740, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book F: pages 161-162, #152. It is transcribed as follows:³

"In the Name of God Amen I Breta Rambo being weak of body but of sound mind and memory do make this my last Will and Testament in Manner following that is to say First as for and concerning all my Lands Tenements Hereditaments and real Estate whatsoever whereof I am any way seiz'd off or any other in Trust for me I give and devise to my brother Andrew Rambo and my Sister Mary Harnbom during their natural lives and to the Survivor of them during his or her natural life and from and after their decease I give and devise the same unto John Lord my Sister Martha Lord's son and to Avid Harnbon my said sister Mary's son and to the heirs of these the said John and Avid equally to be divided between them but in case either of them the said John and Avid shall dye before he arrives at the age of twenty one years without lawful issue then my will is that my said Land and real estate shall be and remain from and after the decease of my said brother Andrew and sister Mary to the survivor of them the said John Lord and Avid Harnbom and to the heirs of such survivor and in case the said John and Avvid shall both happen to dye before either of them shall arrive to the age of twenty one years without either of them leaving any lawful issue then my will is that my said land and real estate after the decease of my said brother Andrew and sister Mary shall go and descend unto my cousin Mary Hainey and her heirs and as for and concerning my personal estate I give and bequeath ten pound thereof to my cousin Mary Hainey and fifteen pounds thereof to my sister Martha Lord and the residue thereof after the said legacys of ten pounds and fifteen pounds and my just debts and funeral expenses shall be paid I give and bequeath to my said brother Andrew whom I do hereby nominate and appoint to be executor of this my Last Will and Testament revoking all other wills by me heretofore made In witnesse whereof I the said Breta Rambo have hereunto set my hand and seal this fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred thirty nine. Breta Rambo (her mark) Signed sealed publish'd and declared by the above named Breta

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, e-mail 17 Oct 2004 citing Archives of Maryland, vol. 37, pp. 402, 459, 483

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 6

³ Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, Wills volumes F-H, 1736-1748. LDS microfilm #21723

Rambo as her Last Will and Testament in the presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names at her request and in her presence Thomas Barton. Casper Crear. John Wobbe.

Philadelphia June 25^t 1740 Then personally appear'd Thomas Barton Casper Crear and John Wobbe the witnesses to the foregoing will and upon their oath did declare they saw and heard Breta Rambo the Testatrix above named sign seal publish and declare the same Will to be her last will and testament and that at the doing thereof she was of sound mind memory and understanding to the best of their knowledge Coram Pet. Evans Reg Gen Be it remembered that on the 25^t June 1740 the last will & testament of Breta Rambo deced was prov'd in due form of law and probate and Letters Testamentary were granted to ______ executor therein named being first sworn according to law well and truly to administer the said decesd's Estate a_____ ng a true and perfect inventory thereof into the Register General's Office at Philadelphia at or before the 25^t day of July _____ just and thereunto lawfully required Given under the seal of the said Office Pet. Evans Reg. Gen."

55. **MARIA RAMBO** was born before 1697 and "married JOHN **HERNBOM**, son of Arvid Hernbom. Arvid Hernbom from the gymnasium of Skara, Sweden, served as chaplain at the Swedish embassy and came to America of his own accord, bearing good testimonials. Licensed to preach by Bishop Jesper Swedberg in 1711, Swedberg ordered Rev. Andreas Sandel to ordain Arvid Hernbom to the priesthood to serve the Wicaco congregation after Sandel's departure. But, after his arrival, Sandel and the other Swedish clergymen did not think him qualified for the priesthood, so he was not ordained. In 1719, on Sandel's departure, Hernbom was promised £ 25 a year to preach half-time at Wicaco. On Lidman's arrival, Hernbom, who had kept the school at Wicaco, quit it entirely, having 'become weary.'(Acrelius, 219, 223, 227) Arvid Hernbom's son John Hernbom died 20 December 1751 at the age of 54 in Kingsessing and was buried at Gloria Dei. (Gloria Dei burial records) The 1734 tax list for Kingsessing showed him owning 10 acres in Kingsessing. He was also listed in the Wicaco church census of 20 November 1743 as living in Kingsessing. The will of Brita Rambo of 19 March 1739/40 mentioned her sister Mary Hernbom and Mary's child Arvid Hernbom".¹ Maria was living in 1760 and was named as a widow in the land record. The Hernboms had at least one child:

551. ARVID HERNBOM, b. before 1739

56. **MARTHA RAMBO** was born before 1697 and married THEODORUS **LORD**. He was the only son of Edward Lord of Haverford West (located south of Philadelphia, PA). Edward Lord died in 1723.² Theodorus and his first wife Mary Tregany had a son Gregory born 16 May 1711 and a daughter Mary baptized 29 Aug 1714 at Christ Church Philadelphia. Theodorus and Mary buried several children at Christ Church: a son Trigany on 16 Jul 1711, daughter Mary 27 Apr 1714, son Theodorus 7 Jun 1714, daughter Sarah 31 Aug 1714, and finally wife Mary on 30 Aug 1717. Martha (Rambo) Lord was living in Mar 1739 when bequeathed fifteen pounds by her sister Breta's will.

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, pp. 6-7

² Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania. "Notes, Queries," *Publications of the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania*, vol. 9

(See #54 above). Theodorus was 79 years old when he wrote his will in 1758, shortly before he died and was buried at Christ Church Philadelphia on 20 Sep 1758.¹ He and Martha had one child, John, who was named executor of his uncle Andrew's will which was written in Nov of 1753:

561. JOHN LORD, b. before 1723, m. Deborah Bankson

562. MARY LORD, d. after 1758

Theodorus Lord left a will written 12 Aug 1758, proved 21 Sep 1758, and recorded in Philadelphia Wills Book L:160-162, #93. It is transcribed as follows:²

"In the Name of God Amen, I Theodorus Lord of the Township of Passiunk in the county of Philadelphia Now in the Seventy Ninth year of my Age and at Present in Perfeckt Health Mind & Memory & Know not how soon it may Please God to Call me out of this Transitory Life, Doe now make my Last Will & Testament In manner & forme following, Imp^{rs} My Will is & I doe rder & Direct my Executers herein after Named to Pay my Funerall Expenses & Just Debts out of my Personal Estate as Soon as Conveniently, IT: I give & bequeath to my George Dole's sonn John Dole pounds to be put out to Interest for him untill he arives to ye age of twenty one years to hold to him & his Heirs; IT: I give all ye Remainder & residuary part of my Personall Estate to my Daughter Mary Lord after the above Legacy & my Debts are paid; IT: I give Devise and Bequeath that Trackt of Land which I gott by my Wife Martha Lord computed to be about Forty acres to my Grand Daughter Elinor Lord & her Heirs for Ever Subjeckt to ye Incumbrance a Morgadge deed on the same given by my sonn John Lord which she is to Clear of out of her other Estate; IT: I give Devise & bequeath all the Plantation wherein I Live Computed Ninety six Acres & Appurtenances thereto belonging to my s^d Daughter Mary Lord & Grand Daughter Elinor Lord to hold to them & the Survivor of them & to their Lawful Issue forEver, Share & Share alike In two Equal Shares, & my further Will is that if Either my afores^d Daughter Mary Lord or my Grand Daughter, Elinor Lord Die without Leaving Lawful Issue of their Bodies then I give my afores^d Plantation whereon I Live to the Survivor & to her Lawfull Issue for Ever But If both my s^d Daughter Mary Lord & Grand Daughter Die without Leaving Lawfull Issue of their Bodies then I do give Devise & bequeath my afores^d Plantation of Ninety six Acres to my Loving Fr^d Daniel Williams & my Daughter Mary Lord, to sell & Dispose of all my Lands & Tenem^{ts} whatsoever & wheresoever If they shall Judge It more Advantagious for my s^d Daughter & Grand Daughter to have the Interest arising from the Moneys got for the Land, then to Rent ve Plantation out to Tennant & Absolutely to Convey in Fee Simple all my afores^d Plantation Either by Private or publick Seal or Sales unto any Person or Persons that shall Purchase the same & to Sign Seale & Execute all such Deeds & Assurances in Writing need full to him & Them Purchasing the same & ye money arising from the Sale thereof I Direckt to be put out to Interest & ye Interest thereof I give in the same manner as I gave the Plantation in ye

¹ Charles R. Hildeburn, comp., Baptisms and Burials ... Christ Church, Philadelphia 1709-1760 (pub. 1982), pp. 231, 64, 179

² Philadelphia County, PA, Register of Wills, *Wills volumes L-M, 1757-1763*. LDS microfilm #21725

foregoing part, that is to say, one halfe to my Daughter Mary Lord & her Issue; the other halfe to my Grand Daughter Elinor Lord & to her Issue & to the Survivors of them that have Lawful Issue for Ever, but if both my Daughter & Grand Daughter Die without Lawful Issue, then I give the Money arising from the Sale of my afores^d Lands & Plantation to my s^d Loving Fr^d Dan¹ Williams & to his Heirs for Ever; and Lastly I Doe hereby Nominate & Appoint my s^d Daughter Mary Lord [#562] & my s^e Loving Fr^d Dan¹ W^{ms} to be my Executers to this my Last Will & Testament & I doe farther Impower & appoint my s^d Fr^d Dan¹ Williams to be Guardian & Trustee for my Grand Daughter Ellinor Lord [#5611] & to take in Possession her part of my Estate for her use, Hereby Revoking all other Will heretofore at any time made by me In Witness whereof I have sett my Hand & Seale this Twevef Day of August Seventeen hundred & fifty Eight; Theodorus Lord Signed Sealed & Declared by the above Named Theodorus Lord to be his Last Will & Testament In Presence of us, & Desired us to Subscribe our Names as Witnesses thereto; Joseph Howell, Charles Jones, Peter Speice (his mark) ... Letters Testamentary were granted to Mary Lord (Dan¹ Williams absent)"

The children of [#6] John and Brigitta (Cock) Rambo [son of Peter].

61. **BRIGITTA RAMBO** was born 15 Nov 1685.¹ She married JUSTA **FISH**.² It is likely that he was the son Justanous mentioned in the will of Casparus Fish of Gloucester Co., New Jersey dated 25 Jan 1707/8.(NJ Arch 23:164 citing New Jersey Wills Liber 1:217) Brigitta died before 12 Apr 1740 as she was not mentioned in her father's will.

62. **CATHARINE RAMBO** was born 4 Oct 1689,^{3,4} and married ÅKE **HELM** who was born 1690, the son of Israel Åkeson Helm, 1627-1702. Israel Helm came from Sweden in 1643 as a companion to Gov. Printz's son and held various positions in New Sweden including Justice in the court of Upland 1670-1680, interpreter to the Indians, and member of the Deputy Governor's Council. Åke and Catherine (Rambo) Helm lived in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, New Jersey where Catherine died on 30 Jun 1726.⁵ On 27 Dec 1728 Åke Helm married his second wife, Elizabeth Dalbo, a daughter of Olof and Catharine (Friend) Dalbo.⁶ Åke was active in the affairs of the Trinity Church (Old Swedes) at Raccoon in Gloucester County. Åke and Elizabeth (Dalbo) had these known children shown in the church baptismal records: Andrew Helm, b. 25 Sep 1729, Gabriel Helm, b. 6 Mar 1731, Åke (Okeynus) Helm, b. 23 Oct 1733, and Deborah Helm, b. 30 Nov 1736 with Godfather Christian Rambo.⁷ Åke was chosen trustee in 1744 and was designated to keep the Church book at his home in 1745. In 1749 Åke Helm was extensively

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 393

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 7

³ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 393

⁴ Lewis D. Cook, "Early Swedes and Finns ... in Public Office," Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey, vol. 13 (1), p. 16

⁵ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 327, etc.

⁶ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, manuscript dated 22 Dec 1987

⁷ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck, pp. 258, 259, 261, 263, 330

interviewed by Peter Kalm. See Peter Kalm's Travels by Benson.¹ Åke probably died in 1750; his will was proved 26 Oct 1750. In the will he named his eldest son John, daughter Magdalena, son Andrew, and youngest son Åke (Okeynus), a minor. Executor was a son-in-law, Andrew Hendrickson. Catharine and Åke Helm had these children, most of whom were baptized at the Raccoon Church, and three were buried there:

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- 621. JOHN HELM, b. ca 1710, m. 1) Sarah Dalbo, 2) Catherine Archer
- 622. MAGDALENA HELM, b. 20 Sep 1714, m. 1) Samuel Linch, 2) E. Seely
- 623. CATHARINA HELM, b. 16 Aug 1716, buried 13 Sep 1734 aged 18
- 624. JOHANNES HELM, d. 14 Aug 1717
- 625. ISRAEL HELM, b. 8 Oct 1718, d. 26 Aug 1723
- 626. ELIZABETH HELM, b. 8 Apr 1721, m. Andrew Hendrickson
- 627. BRIGITTA HELM, b. 17 Oct 1723, m. 1) John Halton, 2) William Homan

The will of Okeynus Helm was written 20 Jan 1744/5, proved 26 Oct 1750, recorded in New Jersey Wills 7:151-154, filed in Gloucester Co. Wills packet #457Q, and abstracted in NJ Archives 30:229-230. It is transcribed as follows:²

"In the name of God Amen I Okeynus Helm of the Township of Greenwich and County of Gloucester in the Province of west jersie This twentith Day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred fourty & four/or five, Being butt weak in body, But of a good Sound and Desposing mind and Memory thanks be given Almighty God there for. In my Sickness Calling to mind the Certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time of Death doe make and ordain this my last will and Testament utterly making Null and Void all other and former wills by me here tofore made and this only to be my Last will in order and form followeth First I Recomend my Soul to Almighty God that gave it and my Body to the Earth to bee Interred in Such Decent manner as shall Seem Right and mett to my Executor here after named. And as for Such Worldy goods as it has been pleased god to bless me with in this life I give and bequeth them after this following manner and form Imprimus My mind and will is that all my Just Debts and Lawfull Charges be Justly and truly paid by my Executor within a twelve-month at farthest after my Decease, ITEM my mind and will allso is that my son Andrew Helm shall have all my Plantation where on I now Dwels on Rackoon Creek in the County above Said as the Same is laid out butted and bounded unto him my said son Andrew Helm and to his hiers and assigns for Ever But in case it should so hapen that my Said Son Andrew Should Depart this Life without hier or Isue then and in such Case my will is that my Said Plantation Shall Decend to and becom the right of my Son gabriel Helm and his hiers and assigns and in Case that my Said Son Gabriel Should Dye with out hier or Isue then and in Such Case my mind and will is that my said plantation Shall be and decend to my youngest Son Okeyus and to his hiers and assigns for Ever. ITEM my mind and will allso is that my Said son Gabriel Helm Shall have all my land in Pensneck as it is laid out and limitted unto him my Said Son Gabriel Helm & to his hiers and

¹ Peter Kalm, Travels in North America, trans. by Adolph Benson (reprint, 1964), pp. 180, 187, 285 & 716-717

² Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 454H - 556H 1750-1754. LDS microfilm #533149, packet #457Q

assigns for Ever, but if my Said Son Gabriel Shoul Dye without hier or Isue then & in Such Case my will is that all my lands in Pensneck Shall Decend to and becom the right of my youngest Son Okeynus and to his hiers and assigns for Ever ITEM I give unto my Eldest Son John Helm (besides what I have allready given him) the Sum of five Shillings ITEM I give my Daughter Magdalena one Shilling ITEM I give and bequeth all my Personall and movable state to be Equely Devided between all my children Except my Son John and my Daughter Magdalenah allso I would have my youngest Son Okeynus Helm to be put to a trade which he Shall best like and be willing to Lastly I apoint Constitute and ordain my Son in law Andrew Hendrickson my Sole Executor of this my last will and Testament In wittness whereof I have hereto put my hand and seal the day and year first above written Sealed pronounced and Declared this to be my last will and Testament in the present of Hendrick Hendrikson (his mark), John Jones (his mark), Peter Cox (his mark) Okynus Helm (his mark)" The will was proved 26 Oct 1750 by John Jones and Peter Cox: Andrew Hendrickson was administrator. The inventory was appraised at £ 129.7.2 on 11 & 13 Oct 1750 by Timothy Rain & Mathew Gill and listed wearing apparel (£5); bed & Furniture in the Old house (£6); Bed & furniture in the New house (£11); Black Wallnut Chest and Table (£3.5); a dozen chairs; a Black Walnut Table, Glasses & Dulf Wear (£1); a looking glass; a Wallnut Chest (£0.15); a Pair, 6 sheep, 6 cows, a bull, a cart & a plow, "a parcel of Swine," 3 calves, books, butter, two tables & a chest, a warming pan, looking glass & Delf Wear, chairs, a grindstone, an apple mill, "Hogh^{ds} & Bar^{ls}," tubs, reelers, table, Old Hodgsheads, chains & Yoaks, Frenchers Knives & forks, pots, frying pans, a gun, plow irons, Hand Mill Stones, Womans Saddle, wooll, spade, grubing hoe, axes, a stack of rye, broad ax, sickkles, drawing knife, chissel & wedge, sean, hoop net, a parcel of Hay, and a few other items. The final accounts showed a payment to "John Halton in part of a Legacy due to Bridget his Wife."

Israel Helm had six children: Harmanus, Israel who was lost at sea, Åke who married Catherine Rambo, Helene - wife of Peter Cock Jr., Ingabor - wife of Erick Palsson Mollicka, and Elizabeth - wife of George Laurance.¹ The will of Israel Helm was dated 17 Jun 1701 and is abstracted in NJ Archives 23:221. For more on this family, consult the manuscript by Peter Stebbins Craig dated 22 Dec 1987.

63. **MARGARET RAMBO** was born 23 Jan 1691. She probably died before 12 Apr 1740 as she was not mentioned in her father's will.

64. **JOHN RAMBO** was born 6 July 1692.² By 1721 he had married ANNA **LAICON**, who was born about 1697, a daughter of Nils and Maria (Gästenberg) Laicon.³ John died

¹ Lewis D. Cook, "Early Swedes and Finns ... in Public Office," *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, vol. 13 (1), pp 14-15

² John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 393

³ Gregory Bernard Keen, The Descendants of Jöran Kyn of New Sweden (1913), p. 37; PMHB 3(1):92

at Kensington, Philadelphia Co. "aged 60" on 3 Jul 1753.¹ The names of their children are not known.

65. PETER RAMBO was born 6 Jan 1694 and married CHRISTINA KEEN on 2 Dec 1724 at the Raccoon Church in Swedesboro, New Jersey.² She was born 5 May 1695, the daughter of Måns Keen and his first wife, Magdalena Hopman or Hoffman who was born in 1664 at Upland.³ Peter's father bequeathed all of his lands to Peter in 1741, while giving Peter's brothers and sister legacies of money. Peter and his family lived on Little Mantua Creek, Deptford Township, Gloucester Co., NJ on the property that had been willed to his father by his grandfather. Peter was one of the wardens and vestrymen of the church at Raccoon (Swedesboro, NJ), and his name appears frequently in the church register between 1716 and 1725.⁴ He was Justice of the Peace in 1726, overseer of the poor from 1737 to 1740, and surveyor of roads in 1744-45. His signature is on an administrator's bond of the estate of John Clarke 10 Jan 1736, Gloucester Co. Wills #197H.⁵ Prof. Kalm stayed at the Rambo home in Raccoon for a time in 1748. Peter Rambo died between 27 Apr 1753 and 5 May 1753, the dates his will was signed and proved. His estate amounted to £ 915.16 and included silver articles and a number of Swedish books. Peter and Christina had the following children, most of whom were baptized at the church at Raccoon:⁶

- 651. JOHANNES RAMBO, b. 21 Nov 1725, m. 1) E. Harriot, 2) E. Champney
- 652. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 2 Jan 1728, d. 11 Jan 1774, m. Thomas Denny
- 653. BENJAMIN RAMBO, b. 3 Mar 1732, m. 1) Rachel Reeves, 2) E. Wolston
- 654. MOUNCE RAMBO, b. 1734, d. 6 Jul 1757 aged 22 1/2, buried Gloria Dei
- 655. MAGDALEN RAMBO, b. 10 Apr 1737
- 656. GABRIEL RAMBO, b. 19 Apr 1739
- 657. MARTHA RAMBO, b. 12 Jun 1741, d. 24 Oct 1759.

The will of Peter Rambo was signed 27 Apr 1753, proved 5 May 1753, abstracted in NJ Archives 32:263, and recorded in New Jersey Wills 7:361-363. A transcription follows:⁷ "In the Name of God Amen the Eighteenth day of April in the year of our Lord _75_ I Peter Rambo in the County of Gloucester being very sick in Body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God therefor calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die do make & ordain this my last Will and Testament (that is to Say) Principally and first of all I Give and Recommend my Soul into the hand of God and for my Body I Recommend it to the Earth to be Buried in a Christian like decent manner at the Discretion of my Executors

¹ "Early Swedish Records,... Gloria Dei Church," Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine, vol . 31, pp. 288, 295

² Gregory Bernard Keen, The Descendants of Jöran Kyn of New Sweden (1913), pp. 37, 39-40; PMHB 3(1):92, 94-95

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985, Keen 39-40

⁴ Federal Writers Project, *Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck* (pub. 1938), pp. 8-26, etc.

⁵ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, *Wills 145H - 241H 1731-1739*. LDS microfilm #533146

⁶ Wilfred Jordan, "Rambo" in Colonial & Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania, vol. 7, pp. 277-281

⁷ New Jersey, Department of State, Wills Vols. 7-8 1750-1758, Liber 7:361. LDS microfilm #522717

hoping for an Everlasting Life ereafter through Christ my Saviour and touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in the Life I Give devise and Dispose of the same in the following manner and form Imprimis it is my Will and I do order that in the first place all my just Debts and funeral Charges be paid and Satisfyed ITEM It is my Will and I do order my Dear Son John Rambo and my Dear Son in Law Thomas Denny whom I ordain my Executors to give and sign as good Title and Deed as I have for three hundred and thirty five Acres of Land Situated at Mantu Creek in Gloucester County to Isak Stephens now living on the said premisses according to the Agreement made between him and me last Year ITEM I give to my Son John his Heirs or assigns the House he now lives in at Wicacoa in Pennsylvania and Philadelphia County and the use of the whole Lot paying Yearly therefore the Ground Rent till my Dear Son Mounce is come of the age of Twenty one Years then it is to be Divided between them or their Heirs or assigns equally in such manner that John takes his Share on that Side the House is built on which is given to him alone ITEM I Give to my Executors and their Heirs or assigns all my proprietary Right I have to Hundred and fifty Acres of Poyn Land Situated by Poplars Branch back in the Woods of Gloucester County I do likewise order that my Moveables shall be justly valued and praised and to be given thereof to my Son Benjamin Ten pounds, To my Son Gabriel Thirty pounds To my Son Mounce Thirty pounds To my Daughter Elizabeth Denny Twenty pounds and To my & Martha Th each all [water damage] I Give of the said Daughters Moveables a Chest a draws of Black Walnut and a pair of Silver Shoe Buckles & Tea Geers to my Daughter Magdlen a Black walnut Table and a pair of Gold Sleave Buttons to Marta My Horse Saddle & Bridle to Mounce It is likewise my farther will that if my Son Mounce should die before he is of the age of Twenty one Years his Share of the Lot at Wicacoa shall belong to Benjamin or his Heirs and the Rest of his Share in the Moveables to be Equally divided amongst the Surviving Brothers & Sisters ITEM if Gabriel Madlena & Marta or any of them should depart this Life before they or each of them arrives to the age abovesaid or Heirs or each of their Marriage day or Days, that then their or each of their Shares of my said Estate be equally divided amongst all & every of their Brothers and Sisters IT. the Remainder of my Estate whatsoever is to be divided between the Children Equally Lastly I nominate and Constitute my Son John Rambo & Son in Law Thomas Denny Executors of this my last Will and Testament, and I do hereby utterly disallow and revoke all other former Testaments Wills Legacies and Executors by me in any ways before this time named Willed & Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the day and year above Written Peter Rambo Signed Sealed published pronounced and Declared by the said Peter Rambo as his last Will and Testament in the presence of us Subscribers Erick Unander, Samuel Cobb (his mark), Mathew Gill

Matthew Gill " proved the will 5 May 1753

66. **MARIA RAMBO** was born 5 May 1695.^{1,2} She married DAVID VAN NEMAN (Iman) at the Swedish Lutheran Church at Raccoon on 17 Apr 1722.³ David Vanneman of Greenwich, Gloucester Co., New Jersey died before the inventory for his estate was filed 20 Mar 1733. Maria (Rambo) Van Neman probably died before 12 Apr 1740 as she was not named in her father's will. David and Maria had the following children who were baptized by the pastor of the church at Raccoon, Gloucester Co., New Jersey:⁴

- 661. JOHN VAN NEMAN, b. 22 Mar 1723
- 662. ABRAHAM VAN NEMAN, b. 5 Sep 1724, d. 11 Sep 1724
- 663. ISAAC VAN NEMAN, b. 16 Nov 1725
- 664. AARON VAN NEMAN, b. 28 Oct 1727

The probate packet of David Vanneman has two pages.⁵ The inventory reads, "A true and perfect inventory of the Goods and Chattles Rights and Creditts that whereof and belonging to David Van-Em-an of Greenwich in the County of Gloucester Esg^r deceased as they were Valued and Appraised by us the Subscribers this twentieth and twenty first days of March Anno ye Domini 1732 ..." and included wearing apparel; one pair of fatt oxen & one pair of working oxen; two cows and two heifers with calf; two three-year-old steers; 8 two-year-old cattle & two calves; one mare, two colts & one riding horse (£10); one mare & one three-year-old colt (£4); one old horse; 25 grown sheep & 9 lambs; one pair timber wheels & chains (£3); one cart, plows, axes, hoes, & spades; saws augers, ptichforks, & old iron awl; 8 grown barrow hogs; two sows & their pigs; ten young hogs; the part of one stack of rye; sixteen acres of corn growing in the ground; four feather beds & their furniture; one looking glass & one couch; two black walnut round tables; two plain tables; two spinning wheels, one canoe; two old empty chests; one cider mill & one sled; two grindstones hang one iron; three old iron pots, one brass kettle & one frying pan; one parcell of old lumbering cass and tubs; glass & stone bottles; a cafe of fourteen glass bottles; 9 chairs; two old men saddles & three old bridles; bear skins & sheep skins; two powder horns & powder therein; two guns & one lignavitae morter $(\pounds 2)$; five pewter dishes, 13 plates, one basonon Tankett & 9 spoons; one lathorn, knifes, etc.; one gridiron & one pot tramell; wooden platters & trenchers; one steel trap, peils & keellers; two old kans & two old peils [cans & pails]; one raw hide & two hives of bees; six ducks, sixteen hens & cocks; ten geese & 12 turkeys; 3 bibles & one common praier book; 19 other books; one pair of anirons; one sword, one old pair of stilleards; one old file and one iron square; two pair of tongs, one fire shovel & one iron spitt; some earthen ware altogether totalling £ 130.10.9. Signed John Van Iman (his mark), Robert Gerrand and W^m Mickle.

The second page is a standard printed form for administrators bond declaring "Mary Vanneman of Greenwich the County of Gloucester Widow and Christopher Taylor of the

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 393

² Rev. Rudman, "Records of Gloria Dei," trans. by G.B. Keen, *Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio.*, vol. 2, pp. 224-228.

³ Federal Writers Project, *Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck* (pub. 1938), p. 307, etc.

⁴ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck, p. 248, 250, 252, 255, 327

⁵ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, Wills 145H - 241H 1731-1739. LDS microfilm #533146, packet #172H

same place yeoman ...[posted bond of] three hundred Pounds ... the Twenty Eighth Day of March ... 1733 ... [to administer the estate of] David Vanneman late of Greenwich in the County aforesaid yeoman." signed mary vanaman, witnesses Randall. Sam¹ Russill.

67. **ANDERS (Andrew) RAMBO** was born about 1701 and married CATHERINE **HOFFMAN** on 24 Nov 1725 at the Raccoon church.¹ She was born about 1708, the daughter of Anders and Maria Hoffman. Andrew Rambo died and was buried on 27 July 1739. His estate was administrated in Gloucester Co., New Jersey on 5 Dec 1739. Catherine was named administratrix and Peter Rambo, yeoman of the same place, was named bondsman. About 1740 the widow Catharine married Andrew Cox of Boon's Island, Kingsessing, son of Valentine Cock and Margaret Swanson and grandson of Otto Ernest Cock. A 1752 Wicaco church census lists her children by first and second marriages. She died 20 Sep 1756 at Boon's Island, Kingsessing [now Philadelphia International Airport]. Her children by her first marriage to Andrew Rambo were:^{2,3}

- 671. MARIA RAMBO, b. 11 Oct 1726, m. Jacob Boardman
- 672. SARAH RAMBO, b. ca 1731, d. ca 1760, m. Cornelius Hines
- 673. RACHEL RAMBO, b. ca 1733, d. 21 Apr 1757, m. John Walters
- 674. REBECCA RAMBO, b. ca 1735, m. John Walters (above)
- 675. ANDREW RAMBO, b. 23 Dec 1737, d. 11 Jan 1753 at Boon's Island.

Andrew Rambo died intestate, the inventory was dated 1 Sep 1739, and the abstract of his estate lists wife Catherine. The probate papers for the estate of Andrew Rambo in Gloucester Wills packet #242H consist of two pages, a typical pre-printed administrator's bond and an inventory.⁴ The administrator's bond contains the following writing, "We Catharine Rambo Widow & Relict of Andrew Rambo late of Deptford in the County of Gloucester Yeoman deced' and Peter Rambo of the same place Yeoman ... Two hundred & Eighty Three Pounds [bond] ... Fifth Day of December Anno Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty Nine." The backside holds the following statement, "Catharine Rambo the Adm^{rx} within named being duly sworn made oath on the Holv Evangelists that the within named Andrew Rambo dyed without a Will sofar as she knows." The inventory lists wearing apparel (£12); ready money (£1); one old Sword; a parcel of old Sweeds Books; 4 beds & furniture; 9 cows & one pair of oxen (£31); heifers, yearling cattle, calves, 26 beef, 16 poor swine; 3 fatt swine (£2); one old horse, saddle & bridle, one mare & a womens saddle, one small stack of wheate; two stacks of Rye (£9); one stack of oats; thirteen sheep (£4); 15 cheses; about two bushaell of Meall, Indian corn, wheat, onions, some Dung hill fowls, cabbages, pumpkins, squashes, pease & beans, about 4 acres of Indian Corn; some undrest flax (£1); one old plow and grovs. one old sled & two Irons, two old sickles, sythes & pitch forck, one Broad & 3

¹ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 308

² Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 254, 264

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 25 Mar 1997, pp. 2-3 citing several church records [RPN, Burr, and HTR]

⁴ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, *Wills 242H-347H*, *1739-1747*, LDS microfilm #533147, packet #242H

narrow Axes, one old Spade & Drawingknife, one old hammer Pound Shave Compses and two old hoves, pots, shovels, hooks, tongs, iron, pans, 6 chairs, one old table and dough trough, pewter, dishes, plates, tankets, spoons and tinware, one copper sauce pan, about 6 pound of wool, boxes, trunk; one old Woolling and linnen Spining Wheel (£1); some sole and uper leather, wool, comb wosterd, feathers, 14 glass bottles, some old knifes and forks, one old hand gun, powder & shoot, one small looking glass, trenchers, earthen vessels, wooden vessels, 20 small cedar vessels, 4 cedar tubs, one old flax break, and sundry other items valued in total at £ 141.14.6.

The will of Andrew Hoffman was dated 29 Sep 1725, proved 8 May 1828, and recorded in New Jersey Wills 2:556; it was filed in Salem Co. Wills packet #446Q, abstracted in NJ Archives 23:232, and partially transcribed as follows:¹

"... [29 Sep 1725] I Andrew Hoffman of Piles Grove Precinct in the County of Salem ... yeoman ... Wife Mary Hoffman During her Widdow hood ... To my son Mounce Hoffman ... Dwelling Plantation ... Scituate in Piles Grove between Col. Isaac Sharps Plantation & en^r Thomas Hills and John Whitalls ... my seven Daughters ... that is Catherin. Mary. Beala Rebeckah. Margaret Susanah & Magdalena Hoffman ... Three Sons Laurence. John. and Andrew Hoffman ... Andrew Hoffman (his mark)" The inventory of the estate was appraised in 1727 at £ 148.2.0.

68. **GABRIEL RAMBO**, a farmer and blacksmith, was born after 1697 and married ELIZABETH (Betty) **BRISTOL**.² She was born in Philadelphia, a daughter of Thomas Bristol. Gabriel Rambo of Gloucester Co. in the Province of West New Jersey and Elizabeth his wife conveyed land to Peter Stilley of the city of Philadelphia on 22 May 1744.³ His signature is on an inventory of the estate of John Chester 14 Feb 1736, Gloucester Co. Wills #196H.⁴ Gabriel died before Jan 1772 when a church census was taken at Raccoon. Gabriel and Elizabeth had at least one known son:⁵

681. THOMAS RAMBO, b. 24 Sep 1728, d. 1775, m. Deborah Beal

Is this the Gabriel Rambo, executor and sole legatee of "Uncle Jeremiah Smith" whose will was dated 10 Aug 1761, proved 25 Jul 1763, and witnessed by Swen Warner, John Davis, and James Humphrey? Book M:557 #315.⁶ Jeremiah Smith is mentioned in the will record of Matthias Holstein [#16].

69. **DEBORAH RAMBO** was born well after 1700. She was a Godparent for her brother Peter's daughter Elizabeth in 1728, and for Jonas Cock's daughter Margaret on 15 Mar 1730.⁷ She was named in her father's will which was proved Nov 1741. She still unmarried in 1753 when the Wicaco church census showed that she was a maid for

¹ Salem County, New Jersey, Surrogate's Court, Wills 416Q-520Q, packet #446Q. LDS microfilm #560161

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 7

³ "Rambo Family Collection of Research Papers," Hist. Soc. of Penn., Deeds, I-4, p. 149, Gabriel Rambo

⁴ Gloucester Co., NJ, Surrogates Court, *Wills 145H - 241H 1731-1739*. LDS microfilm #533146, packet #196H

⁵ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), p. 257

⁶ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 21 citing Gen. Soc. of PA, Abstracts of Philadelphia Wills

⁷ Federal Writers Project, Records of Swedish Lutheran Churches at Raccoon and Penns Neck (pub. 1938), pp. 256, 258

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Magdalena Smith, wife of Jeremiah Smith in Philadelphia. She was mentioned as a kinswoman in the will of Andrew Rambo [#52] in 1753.¹

6A. **ELISABETH RAMBO** "was a baptismal sponsor at Raccoon 1713-1720 and must have been born about 1697 (16 being the usual age when maidens first could be sponsors)".² She probably died before 12 Apr 1740 as she was not mentioned in her father's will.

6B. **MARTA RAMBO** "was a baptismal sponsor 1724-1738 and must have been born by 1708. She probably died before 12 Apr 1740 as she was not mentioned in her father's will. She was possibly the "kinswoman" Martha Griffiths mentioned in will of Andrew Rambo [#52] in 1753".³

The children of [#7] Andrew Nilsson Friend and his wife, presumed Rambo [daughter of Peter].

71. **ISRAEL FRIEND** is known to be a child of Andrew Friend's first marriage. Israel "became a famous Indian interpreter for Maryland and died on the Virginia side of the Potomac, leaving five children. Israel has many descendants, his sons having played active roles during the Revolution".⁴

OTHER RAMBO INFORMATION

Peter Rambo was one of the signers of a petition to Governor Gordon dated 10 May 1724 wherein the inhabitants of Colebrook Dale prayed for relief against what they had suffered from Indians who had fallen on the people living in Falkner's Schwamm and in Goshenhoppen.⁵ [Falkner's Swamp in New Hanover, PA]

Who is the Mary Bankson, wife of John, who was buried at Christ Church Philadelphia on 15 Aug 1742?⁶

Who was Wilhemina Bankson, daughter of Anne, who was buried at Christ Church Philadelphia on 2 Oct 1751?

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 7

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 7

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 20 Apr 1999, p. 7

⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, 25 Mar 1977, p. 2

⁵ Daniel Rupp, Thirty Thousand Names of ... Immigrants in Pennsylvania: 1727 to 1776 (pub. 1975), pp. 469-70

⁶ Charles R. Hildeburn, comp., Baptisms and Burials ... Christ Church, Philadelphia 1709-1760 (pub. 1982), p. 117

CHAPTER 5: 4th Generation: Great-Grandchildren

The children of the fourth generation were born in the span of years from 1694 through 1741, starting with the birth of Daniel and Barbara Bankson's [#211] son, Daniel. Most were born in the middle years between 1710 and 1730, although the dates of birth for many of the children are not known.

The children of [#12] Peter and (?) Rambo, [son of Gunnar, Peter].

121. ANN RAMBO was born in 1716 and married ROGER NORTH on 12 Oct 1733 in St. James Church, Evansburg, Pennsylvania.¹ Roger was born about 1704,² the son of Caleb and Jane (Eckerly) North and a descendant of Sir Edward, Lord North. His mother Jane was reputedly the daughter of Eckerly, the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Roger North was born in West Meath, Ireland and sailed with his parents' family of 11 from Cork, Ireland on May 1, 1729, landing at Philadelphia on 20 Jul. See the Genealogy and History of the Related Keyes, North and Cruzen Families by Millard Fillmore Stipes, pages 33-34, 48-49, 56, 185-194 and Descendants of Caleb North, published in 1930 by Dexter North who cites Stipes as a primary reference, pp. 7-11. Roger had been educated for the ministry and became a vestryman in St. James' Church in 1729.^{3,4} He was a Lieutenant of Associators under Col. Edward Jones in the Provincial Service in 1748.^{5,6} Roger and Ann (Rambo) North settled at the mouth of Mingo Creek, Providence Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.].⁷ He appears on the tax lists there in 1769, 1774, and 1779-1782. In 1769 Roger North was a miller and was assessed on 220 acres.⁸ In 1780 the value of his assessment was £5.350.9 He made a speech at the Trapp Inn that included this sentiment, "although disabled himself by age and infirmity to engage in the struggle for human rights, his sons belonged to his country in the day of her need and not to himself, and the liberty of the Colonies must and should be defended."(Dotter's "Perkiomen Region", Vol. I, p. 85.) His descendants are eligible to join the colonial societies, and the DAR has accepted him as a Revolutionary patriot for the speeches he made.¹⁰ Their eight sons fought in the American Revolution, and several obtained land bounties and moved westward. Roger North died in 3 Jun 1785, and his wife, Ann Rambo North, died 24 Feb 1798 in Upper Providence, Philadelphia Co. [now Montgomery Co.]. They had 13 children:

1211. SOPHIA NORTH, b. 10 Sep 1734, m. 1) Isaac Davis, 2) George McElheny

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

² Wilfred Jordan, ed., "Joseph B. Hutchinson" in *Colonial and Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania*, vol. 6, p. 160 ³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001

⁴ Susan N. Peterson, family research, e-mail of 18 Feb 2001

⁵ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 2, Names ... Marriage Licenses ... Previous to 1790 (1876), pp. 504, 432

⁶ Dexter North, Descendants of Caleb North (1930), p. 9

⁷ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 41, 174. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁸ Susan N. Peterson, family research, e-mail of 18 Feb 2001

⁹ Dexter North, Descendants of Caleb North (1930), p. 9

¹⁰ Susan N. Peterson, family research, e-mail of 18 Feb 2001

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- 1212. SAMUEL NORTH, b. 8 Sep 1735, m. Barbara Hagermood
- 1213. SARAH NORTH, b. 1737, d. 1813, m. Elisha Davis
- 1214. ELIZABETH (Betsy) NORTH, b. 2 Nov 1740, d. 1813, m. George Evans
- 1215. JOHN NORTH, b. 5 Oct 1743, d. 15 Apr 1799, m. Catherine Boice
- 1216. JOSHUA NORTH, b. 3 Nov 1745, m. 1) Rebecca Cloyd, 2) Mary Murphy
- 1217. WILLIAM NORTH, b. ca 1747, d. Nov 1834, m. Catherine Elizabeth Jordan
- 1218. ROGER NORTH, b. ca 1749, d. 1831, m. Elizabeth Todd
- 1219. ANN NANCY NORTH, b. ca 1750, d. 1826, m. John Humphreys
- 121A. GEORGE NORTH, b. 1751, m. 1) Sarah Evans, 2) Elizabeth Keyes
- 121B. CALEB NORTH, b. 15 July 1753, m. 1) Abigail Hockley, 2) Lydia Lewis
- 121C. THOMAS NORTH, b. 28 Aug 1757, d. 30 May 1815, m. Naomi Davis
- 121D. HANNAH NORTH, b. 1761, d. 1785, m. James Parker

The will of Roger North was dated 27 Aug 1784, proved 22 Jun 1785, and recorded in the Register's Office of Montgomery Co., PA in Will Book 1 on page 37 and also in proceedings 3:424:6. It was filed as #4824 and is transcribed from the original as follows:

In the name of God Amen I Roger North of Providence Township in the county of Philad^a in the State of Pennsylvania yeoman being through Divine favour in my Usual Health of Body and of Sound Disposing mind and memory do think fit this Twenty Seventh Day of August Anno Dom[&] One Thousand Seven Hundred & Eighty-four to make and Publish this my last Will and Testament in the following manner and form. and first it is my will and I do Order that all Just Debts Against my Estate be Duly paid and Satisfy^d --- 2^{ndly} I Give and Bequeath unto Ann my Wife Her Heirs & Assigns three bonds on Jacob Kicker for the sum of one Hundred and fifty pounds, also all my Household goods (my writing Desk only Excepted which I Do hereby give and bequeath to my son George) and one Cow unto my s^d wife as afores^d --- I further give and Bequeath unto my said Wife the middle Room in my Dwelling House with a Sufficient Mantainance in all things nessacary to be procured for her by my Son Thomas During her natural life, but if she cannot agree to live with my son Thomas then he shall pay unto her the sum of fifteen pounds yearly During her life but in that Case her Right to the Room & mantainance as aforesaid to be Void if she Chooseth another Home. --- 4th I Give and Bequeath unto my first born Son Sam¹ North one Shilling Sterling to be in full as I have given him a Sufficient portion According to my Estate --- 5th I Give and Bequeath unto my two sons William North & George North the Sum of Twenty pounds to Each of them to be in full --- 6th I Give and bequeath unto my four Sons, John, Joshua, Roger, and Caleb, the sum of fifteen pounds to Each of them to be in full with what they have Already had. 7th I Give and Bequeath unto my four Daughters, Sophia, Sarah, Elizabeth, and Ann the sum of fifteen pounds to Each of them to be in full with what they have had. 8th I Give and Bequeath unto my Grand Daughter Sarah Jordan the Sum of Ten pounds --- in Consideration of the Devise herein to be made to my Son Thomas it is my Will & I do Order that he shall pay the Several Legacies before

mentioned, before or on the first Day of April, 1788, if Demanded --- 9th I Give and Devise unto my Son Thomas North all my Land Containing Seventy Acres together also with all and Singular the Buildings & improvements Heriditam^{ts} & appurtenances, also, my Stock of Horses, Cows and Sheep (one Cow being Willed to my s^d Wife only Excepted) Together with my Waggon, plow, Harrow and geers and all Reversions and Remainders of my Estate Unto him my Said Son Thomas North and to his Heirs & Assigns forever. 10th And I Do Hereby Ordain nominate Constitute & appoint my two sons Caleb North and Thomas North Executors of this my Last Will & Testament --- and I Do Hereby Revoke and Disanul all former Wills and Bequests heretofore by me made and do Declare this & no Other to be my Last Will and Testament.

Rog^r North (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced and Declared by the Said Roger North as and for his Last Will & Testament in the presence of us. Elizabeth Dismant, John Dismant, Benjamin Dismant" The inventory was taken 18 Jul 1785 by Benjⁿ Dismant and Joseph Tyson and listed household and farming goods and livestock totalling £ 239.7.0.

The will of Ann North, wife of Roger, was dated 18 Dec 1797, proved 15 May 1798, and recorded in Montgomery Co. Will Book 2: page 56 and also in proceedings 3:308:1. It was filed as #4739 and is transcribed from the original as follows:

"Be it Remembered that I Ann North of Providence Township in the County of Montgomery & State of Pennsylvania Widow being weak & sick in body but through Divine favor of Sound mind memory & Understanding Do this -- Eighteenth Day of December Anno Domini 1797 make & publish this my last Will & Testament the which I Do in manner & form following to wit --- Imprimis. It is my Will & I Do Order that all Just Debts against my Estate be Duly paid Item. I Give & bequeath to my Daughter Sophia all my Wearing apparrel, Bed & bedding warming pan Tea Kettle and Coffee pot --- Item. I Give & bequeath to my Grand Daughter Hannah Humphreys three pewter plates ---Item. I Give & bequeath to my Grandson, Samuel Davis the Sum of Six pounds --- Item. I Give & bequeath to my Son Joshua my large margin Bible Item. I Give and bequeath to my Son John one new Bible or the Sum of fifteen Shillings to buy himself a Bible Item. I Give and bequeath to my Son William one new Bible or the Sum of fifteen Shillings to buy himself one And it is my Will and I Do Order that the whole of my Cash Bonds & Notes (after all my Just Debts & the aforesaid Legacies are paid out of the Same) shall be equally Divided between my four Daughters, Namely, Sophia, Sarah Elizabeth and Ann, & be paid unto them within eighteen Months from & after my Decease, if they will come to receive the same of my Executors, for nothing herein contained shall be understood to require my Executors to take or Send their legacies to them. But if my Soninlaw George McElhaney or any or either of my Daughters Should bring any Charge or Account against my Estate, that in that case it is my will that Such Charge or Account shall be Deducted from his or her equal one fourth part as aforesaid & my Executors to pay them the remainder and no more, or if either of my Daughters Children Should bring any account whatsoever against my Estate, in that

Case it is my Will that Such Account be Deducted from the Said one fourth part herein bequeathed to his or her Mother & my Executors to pay her the remainder & no more --- and all other bequests Aforesaid to be paid within Eighteen months from & after my Decease --- and lastly, I Nominate Constitute & Appoint my Son Caleb North & Benjamin Dismant [#1228] of Providence aforesaid to be the Executors of this my last Will, hereby revoking all other Wills Legacies & Bequests by me heretofore made and Declaring this & no other to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the Day & year aforesaid.

Her

Ann A North (Seal)

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Signed Sealed Published pronounced & Declared by the Said Testatrix as her last Will & Testament in the presence of us who in her presence & at her request have subscribed as witnesses.

B Dismant, Tho^s North" The inventory was dated 3 Mar 1798 by Jacob Wismer and William Dismant and included mostly household furnishings, one large Margin Bible, and 100£ of Bonds totalling £ 124.19.7½. Caleb North declined to serve as executor on 27 Feb 1798.

Stipes presents a lineage twice with some variation. Here is one of them:¹
Thomas North, son
Robert North m. Alice Harcourt, son
Roger North m. Christian Warcup, d. 1509, son
Sir Edward, first Lord North, Baron North, m. Alice Squire, eldest son
Sir Roger North m. Winifreda Dudley, d. 1565, eldest son
Sir Dudley North m. Frances Brocket, d. 1566, eldest son
Sir John North m. Dorothy Dale, d. 1597, second son
John North went to Ireland with Cromwell about 1650, sons:

a) John (to New England ca 1635) &
b) Roger North will proved at Trim, County Clonfad, Ireland in 1701
m. Jane Eckerly dau. Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, sons:

#2) John m. Hannah Watson &

#3) Caleb North m. Ann, sailed to Philadelphia 1729.

(PLEASE. If you have a PROOF of this lineage of Caleb North, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

122. **MARY RAMBO** married JOHN **KOPLIN**. Might this be the marriage of Mary Rambo to John Conner recorded at the First Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia on 6m 6d 1742?² He was the son of Matthias and Anna Mary Koplin and served as a Justice of the Peace from 1757 to 1762. However, his father's will, written in 1769 and transcribed

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 33-34 and 48-56. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² First Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Church records 1701-1946*. LDS microfilm #468374. Conner very plainly

- 1221. Miss KOPLIN, b. 16 Nov 1742, buried 28 Sep 1762
- 1222. MATTHIAS KOPLIN, b. before 1749, d. Jan 1816, m. 1) ?, 2) Cathrine (?)
- 1223. MARY KOPLIN, b. ca 1740s, d. before 1808, m. John Pennibaker
- 1224. ALICE KOPLIN, b. 6 Jun 1747, d. 26 Nov 1768, m. Michael Ickes
- 1225. JOHN KOPLIN, b. ca 1749, d. 1827, m. Susann Cressman
- 1226. CHRISTIAN KOPLIN, b. ca 1750, d. 2 Jun 1808, m. Margaret (?)
- 1227. WILLIAM KOPLIN, d. probably 1784
- 1228. ESTHER KOPLIN, d. by 1804, m. Benjamin Dismant on 6 May 1771
- 1229. SOPHIA KOPLIN, b. 3 Jan 1756, d. 27 Sep 1823, m. Isaiah Davis

Last will and Testament of Matthias Koplin, will No. 73, Year 1774, County of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Typed by Ruth E. Renton Feb. 1988 from a Certified Copy. "Be it Remembered that I, Matthias Koplin of the Township of Providence in the County of Philadelphia in the Province of Pennsylvania yeoman being (by divine Favour) in my usual Health, and of sound disposing Mind and Memory, do think fit this Eighteenth Day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty-nine, to make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament, which I do in the following manner and form.

Imprimis it is my will and I do order, that my Body shall be buried on my own Land, by the side of my late Wife, without any Established Ceremony.

2dly It is my Will and I do order that all my just debts and funeral expences be paid and satisfied out of my Estate, by my Executrix and Executor, herein after named.

3dly Whereas I have given to my Son John Koplin a Plantation containing two hundred acres of Land, which I bought of Casper Acre, which said Plantation, my said son hath sold for Seven hundred and Fifty Pounds, to a certain John Fry, and I also gave to my said Son and paid in ready Money, in discharge of sundry debts of his, ammounting in the whole to the sum of one hundred and fifty six pounds Eleven Shillings and ninepence, and I also did Grant and Convey unto my said son one other Plantation of one hundred and fifty acres of Land, which I bought of George Mill, which my said son hath sold for five hundred Pounds, and for which I received no other consideration but a bond of Seventy Six Pounds fifteen shillings, payable by George Reichner, the twenty seventh Day of May Anno Dom 1773, and I have also given to my said Son sundry other things, which with the above mentioned, ammount to a verry full and large share of my Estate, the greatest part whereof he hath wantonly wasted, and for some time lived a verry disorderly life. Therefore my said son John (altho my first-born and the son of my youth) shall have or enjoy no other part or portion of my Estate but as follows, that is to say the fourth part of the wheat in the Barn (if at my Death there shall happen to be any-therein),

¹ Ruth E. Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley H. Behrens, Koplin research, letter & copy of will, 20 Feb 2001

² Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Gardiner, Margaret Eleanor Hench" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 4, p. 198

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and also one half of all my Bonds, Notes and Cash, Excepting only as follows viz the said Bond of seventy six pounds fifteen shillings is to be taken out of his half, which I give and Bequeath as follows, to wit, the sum of fifty pounds part thereof to my son John's Eldest Son Matthias, and the remainder thereof to be equally divided between my son John's three other sons to wit John, Christian & William- to Each of them the sum of eight pounds Eighteen Shillings and four pence. and I do also except out of the said half of my Bonds notes and Cash the sum of Twenty six pounds, which I give and Bequeath to my son John's Children and GrandChildren, that is to say, the Sum of three Pounds to his Daughter Mary the Wife of John Pennibaker, and the sum of three pounds to the two Children of his deceased Daughter Alice, the sum of Ten pounds to his Daughter Esther and the Sum of Ten Pounds to his Daughter Sophia. I further give to my said son John one equal fourth part of all the Cows and other horned Cattle which shall be possessd by me and my Daughter in law Deborah in Partnership at the time of my death, Two Cows out of said fourth part Excepted, one of which I Give to my said GrandDaughter Esther and the other to her Sister Sophia.

4thly And whereas my beloved son Christian [now deceased] continued to dwell with me and to Farm my Plantation in Partnership with myself, about thirteen years(?) and a Quarter, within which Time we built a valuable Barn, and my said Son Christian defrayed one half the expence thereof, and my daughter in law Deborah the Widow of my said Son Christian yet continues to dwell with me and to Farm my Plantation in Partnership, therefore I Give and Bequeath to my said Daughter in Law Deborah, for ever, the one full equal half part of all the following Movables to wit Half the Corn in the Barn and in the ground, namely Wheat, Rye, Buckwheat and Oats, Half the Hay, half the Stock of Horses, Cows and other horned Cattle, sheep and hogs, Half the Wagons, Plows Harrow and all other Impliments of Husbandry, and half the Furniture of the Kitchen and Cellar, all which said half so bequeathed to my said Daughter in law Deborah, will be her Property at my Death, by virtue of an agreement which I made with her late Husband, yet least any Doubt or dispute should arise respecting her Right to the same or any part thereof I do hereby expressly confirm to her. and the remaining part of movables (after my Son John's fourth part of wheat in the Barn, Cows and other Horned Cattle and what is above given to my Daughter in law Deborah) I Give to be equally divided amongst my son Christian's four Children namely Mary, Deborah, Matthias & John but their Mother to have the same in her Possession to preserve for her said Children until they respectively attain the age, the sons of twenty one years, and Daughters eighteen years. Item I also Give unto my four last mentioned GrandChildren all my movables in or belonging to my two lower Rooms. [Except Bonds, Notes and Cash] and also all my Stock of Bees, all which to be retained in their Mothers hands and to be divided Equally amongst them as they severally attain to the ages afforesaid, but if any or either of them shall happen to die in his her or their minority. I do order that the above share or shares of such, shall be Equally divided amongst the survivor of them

5thly I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter in law Deborah the full and Equal half part of all my Bonds, Notes and Cash, she paying out of the same as follows viz. to her

Daughter Mary the Sum of thirty Pounds, to her Daughter Deborah the sum of thirty pounds, to her Son Matthias the sum of Ten Pounds and to her Son John the Sum of Ten Pounds.

6thly I give and Devise unto my Grandson Matthias, (Eldest son of my Son Christian deceased,) all that Messuage Plantation and Tract of Land whereon I now Dwell, which I bought of Sampson Davis and Samuel Lane situate(?) in Providence afforesaid, save only about six acres of Land out of where the saw-mill is built which i expressly reserved out of this devise together with all and Singular the Buildings, Improvements and Appurtenances, to Have and To Hold, the said Plantation and Tract of Land [Except as above excepted] Hereditaments and Premises with the Appurtenances unto my said Grandson Matthias his heirs and assignees forever. And I do hereby order and enjoyn him my said Grandson Matthias to payout of the said Plantation at the expiration of Six months after he attains the age of twenty one years. To his Sister Mary the sum of Seventy pounds, and at the Expiration of one year after the said Six months to payout of the said Land to his Sister Deborah the sum of Seventy Pounds, and at the Expiration of one other Year next following, to pay thereout of to his three Couzens John, Christian and William Koplin, to Each of them the sum of fifteen Pounds, all which and all other pecuniary Legacies in this will mentioned are intended, and to be understood to be current Money of the Province of Pennsylvania.

7th and it is my Will and I do order that my Daughter in law Deborah shall have the use and Possession of all my said Plantation untill her Son Matthias shall attain the age of twenty one years, which will be the Second Day of October Anno Dom 1780 but she shall not commit any Waste thereon. And Whereas my said daughter in law Deborah will have opportunity(?) of making considerable proffit out of the said ------her Son under her direction, whose ----- for the last seven years may be of great service to her, she as an affectionate Mother ought to afford him some Guarantee Therefore it is my Will that his said mother shall help her said Son Matthias (if he shall behave toward her as a dutiful son but not otherwise) with such stock and Impliments of Husbandry as will enable him to Farm the said Plantation when he attains the age of twenty one years, out of the proffits which she shall have made as aforesaid, at which time she shall deliver up to her said Son the said plantation in good order, and with a good Crop of wintergrain in the ground, and a Reasonable Quantaty, of spring grain and Hay, which shall be put in the Barn the preceding Summer. But yet nowithstanding if the said Deborah shall remain a Widow her said son Matthias will allow her the Priveledge of living in the Mansion House, and to pass and repass to and from the same without any molestation, and if she shall stand in need, he shall provide for her all manner of necessaries during her Widowhood. But if she should Marry and Die before her said Son Matthias attains the age of twenty one years, in that Case her Husband shall have no Right to the said Plantation nor any part thereof by virtue of any thing herein conained.

9thly I Give and Devise to my Grandson John (youngest son of my Son Christian) and to his heirs and assigns forever, all that piece or parcel of about six acres of Land which I reserved out of the foregoing devise to his Brother Matthias, it being the same piece of

Land whereon Martin Blakely(?) hath for some time Dwelt, on the Westerly part of my Plantation. Bounded by Perklomey Creek, the Road leading to Henry Riners Mill, Land of George Essick and a Strip of Land along the sawmill which I granted to my Son Christian, with all and singular Rights. Liberties Hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, save only a sufficient across the said piece of Land which I hereby Devise to the use of my Grand Cart son Matthias his heirs and assigns forever, in order that he and they may allways have an uninterrupted passage to the Wood-land in this Will Devised to the said Matthias. But in Case the said John shall die under age, it is my Will that the said piece of about six acres of Land Hereditaments and premises shall be inherited by his Brother Matthias his heirs and assigns forever. And I do hereby Nominate Constitute and appoint my Daughter in law Deborah Executrix and her Son Matthias Executor of this my Will and Testament because my son John has forfeited all my Confidence and absconded the Province. and i do hereby nominate my trusty Friends Israel Jacobs, Jacob Umstat and John Pennebaker senior Trustees, to see that this my Will is well and truely performed -- according to the true intent and meaning thereof.----And lastly I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke and Disannull, all and every other former Wills Legacies and Executors by me in any wise before this, Wills Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the Day and Year first above [signed] Matthias Koplin written.

Signed, Sealed, Published, pronounced and declared, by the said Matthias Koplin the Testator, for and as his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us the subscribers.

Isr¹ Jacobs Andrew Allen Thomas Rees Henry Remer Jun^r

Execd affd 31 Dec^r 1774

Philad^a December 31st 1774 Personally appeared Israel Jacobs and Henry Remer two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will & the said Israel Jacobs on his Solemn Affirmation according to Law & the said Henry Remer on Oath did respectively declare that they Saw and heard Matthias Koplin the Testator therein named Sign, Seal publish & Declare the same Will for and as his last Will and Testament, and that at the Execution thereof he was of sound disposing Mind Memory & Understanding to the best of their knowledge and Belief

Benjamin Chew Reg Gen¹."

123. JOHN RAMBO married ANNE LANE, the daughter of Samuel Lane.¹ It is probable that Samuel Lane was married twice and that son Edward and daughters Ann, Hannah and Christian were children of the first marriage. Samuel's will named his wife as Rebecca (Hooper) Lane, who lived from 1719-1808, and his four daughters Sarah, Elizabeth, Rebecca and Mary, in addition to the other four children. Even if Rebecca married in her teens, it is improbable that she was the mother of Ann (Lane) Rambo who married and had six children before she died in 1754. The fathers, Peter Rambo and Samuel Lane, were wardens and vestrymen in St. James (Episcopal) Church in Perkiomen in 1737-38.² Anne died 7 May 1754 and is buried in the St. James Episcopal Churchyard in

¹ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

² Rev. A. J. Barrow, "St. James's, Perkiomen," Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, vol. 19, pp. 87-90

Perkiomen. John Rambo's will was dated 24 Mar 1758 and was proved three weeks later on 12 Apr 1758. He and his brother William made their wills and died about the same time. In his will, John named 6 children. However, only four were listed in their Grandfather Samuel Lane's will written in 1771.

- 1231. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. ca 1745, d. before Apr 1771
- 1232. ANN RAMBO, b. ca 1746, d. 1817, m. William Todd
- 1233. MARY RAMBO, b. before 1754, d. before Apr 1771
- 1234. ALICE RAMBO, b. ca 1748, d. 1817, m. Edward Roberts
- 1235. PETER RAMBO, b. 1 Oct 1751, d. 13 Apr 1821, m. Nancy Ann James
- 1236. RACHEL RAMBO, b. before 1754, alive and unmarried in 1772

His will required all children to be "bound out till they be of age and my son Peter to be bound to some trade as he shall like and be learnt as far as the rule of three."

The will of John Rambo was written 24 Mar 1758, proved 12 Apr 1758, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book L: pages 108-110, #63. It is transcribed from the original as follows:

"In the Name of God Amen the twenty fourth day of March Anno Dom¹ 1758, I John Rambo of Providence in the County of Philad^a, Yeoman, being sick & weak in body but of perfect sound Mind & Memmory thanks be to God do make these presents my last will & Testament, in Maner and form following viz first I bequeath my soul & spirit unto the hands of Almighty God & my body to be buried at the discretion of my Ex^{is}. And as touching the disposition of my worldly Estate I dispose of the same as follows Imprimis It's my will that all such debts as I truly owe be paid 2^{dly} It's my will that after my decease that all my Estate both Real & personal shall be sold and the money arising therefrom shall be put out to Interest Untill such time as my son Peter Rambo comes of Age. Except the following legacies ITEM Its my will that when my Eldest daughter Elizabeth Rambo arrives at the age of twenty one years she shall have paid unto her the sum of thirty pounds - Its Allso my will that when my daughter Ann Rambo Arrives at the age of twenty one years she shall be paid the sum of twenty pounds ITEM Its my will that when My daughter Mary Rambo Arrives at the age of twenty one years she shall be paid the sum of Ten pounds. ITEM Its my will that when my daughter Ealse Rambo Arrives at the Age of Twenty one years she shall have paid unto her the sum of ten pounds. ITEM Its my will that when My daughter Rachel arrives at the age of Eighteen years she shall be paid the sum of five pounds ITEM Its my will that when My son Peter Rambo Arrives at age that then Its my will that my whole Estate shall be Equally Divided between my Children, My son Peter Rambo first haveing two shares or twice as much as any of the Rest, and my daughters share & share Alike And last I do constitute Nominate & Appoint Christian Kouplin & Jacob Humstead my true & faithful Ex^{rs} of this My last will & Testament with full powers & authority to sell my Real Estate & Execute a Lawfull Title for the same as if I were living, And I do also appoint Gunner Rambo & John Pennibaker Guardians over my whole Estate & do declare this My last will & Testament P.S. Its my will that all my Children shall be bound out till they be of Age & my son Peter to some trade as he shall like & to be learnt as far as the rule of three John Rambo Signed Sealed Published pronounced & declared by the said John Rambo as his last will and Testament in the presence of us David Robeson Jun^r, John Buterwick, Rog^r North Jun^r 1758 April 12th Ex^{rs} affd."

"Philada 12 Apl 1758 Then personally appeared David Robeson & Roger North two of the witnesses to the foregoing will & on oath did declare they saw and heard John Rambo the Testator therein ______ sign seal publish & declare the same will for & as his last Will & Testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their knowledge Coram W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ Be it remembered that on the 12th day of April 1758 the last Will & Testament of John Rambo dec'd in due form of law was proved probate & Letters Testamentary were granted to Christian Kouplin & Jacob Humstead Executors in the said will named being solemnly affirmed well & truly to administer the decdts Estate bring an inventory thereof into the Reg^r Gen^{1s} Office at Philada at or before the 12th day of May next _____ a true account when required Given under the seal of the sd office W^m Plumsted Reg Genl."

Will of Samuel Lane was dated 9 Apr 1771, proved 18 Feb 1772, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book P: page 225-227, #140. An excerpt follows:

"... I Samuel Lane of New Providence Township in the County of Phila^a ... Yeoman, ... my loving Wife Rebecca Lane part of the Land that we now live on, Beginning in the middle of Perquiomen Creek, thence by land of Mathias Koplin. ... to the middle of the said Creek, thence down the same according to the natural Courses thereof one hundred and ninety two perches and a half to the place of beginning Containing two hundred and four Acres ... that she may have a place of residence for herself and my four Youngest Daughters, to wit, Sarah Lane, Elizabeth Lane, Rebecca Lane, and Mary Lane to live on with their Mother ... (Excepting twelve hundred pounds the Tavern place was lately sold for) ... son Edward Lane ... Grand Son Samuel Lane ... his sisters to wit, Ann Lane, Mary Lane, Hannah Lane, and Elizabeth Lane and his Brother Edward Lane ... ITEM I give to my Daughter Hannah Davis the Sum of three Pounds p^r annum lawful Money during her Natural Life, out of my Real Estate, And to her two Children by a former Husband, Rebecca and Anne Rambo, twenty Pounds lawful money to each of them as they arrive at the Age of eighteen Years And to her five Children by Zachariah Davis to wit Samuel, James, William, John and Edward twenty Shillings to each of them out of Real Estate as they arrive at Age of Twenty one Years. Samuel Lane. ITEM I give to my grand Children, which are the Children of John Rambo deceased Viz^t Ann Todd, Alce Roberts, Peter Rambo, and Rachel Rambo, the Sum of twenty Shillings lawful Money to each of them, to be paid to the two oldest in one Year after my decease and to the two youngest as they arrive at age out of real Estate as afores^d ... grand Daughter Rebecca Church ... ITEM I give and bequeath to my five Daughters Viz^t Christiana Richardson, Sarah Lane, Elizabeth Lane, Rebecca Lane, and Mary Lane ... my loving Wife and my said Sister Eleanor Robeson ... my beloved Wife Rebecca Lane, my Sossin Robert Shannon and my Neighbor Henry Newberry Joint Executors ... loving Friends Henry

Pawling and Rowland Evans to be Trustees ... the nineth day of April Anno Dom 1771... Subscribers Elijah Davis Henry Reimer Pat Menan"

124. **PETER RAMBO** was born about 1724-28 and married MARY **PETERS**, daughter of Peter Peters, on 13 Apr 1748 in Providence Township, as recorded by the pastor of Augustus Evangelical Lutheran Church at Trappe, Pennsylvania.¹ Mary was confirmed at the Providence church on 14 Apr 1754.² A spinster named Magdalena Bauerin lived with the family until her death on 3 Jan 1753 at the age of 45.³ She named Peter Rambo administrator of her will and bequeathed legacies to the poor of Providence Township and to her godchild Anna Rambo.⁴ (See Peter Rambo [#12] for a complete transcription of all Bauerin materials.) This may be the Peter Rambo listed in March 1762 for a draft of 400 acres on both sides of the Schuylkill called Mine Tract, about 2 miles below Reading. In 1774 Peter Rambo was assessed tax on 40 acres in Providence Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania and had two horses and three cattle.⁵ He was on the tax rolls of Providence Township through 1780 but was taxed in East Hanover, Dauphin Co., PA for 160 acres in 1781 and 1782.^{6,7} He appears in the Old Hanover Church Records in 1787 only.⁸ Peter and Mary Rambo probably had more than these known children:

1241. ANNA RAMBO, b. 16 Dec 1749, baptized 8 Jul 1750⁹

1242. EZEKIEL RAMBO, b. ca 1750-60, d. before Sep 1837, m. Elizabeth (?)

1243. child RAMBO, b. 12 Jul 1752, bapt. Augustus Lutheran Church, Trappe

The will of Peter Peters reads in part:

"In the Name of God, Amen. I, Peter Peters, Hampshire County in the Colony of Virginia being very sick and weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory ... First, I give and bequeath to my daughters Mary Rambo, Susannah Williams, Hannah Parker and the heirs of their bodies, that is after my daughters death of any of them, that their heirs shall have an equal share men and women after the Ar_____ of fullage after my daughters death and not before all my personal estate to be equally divided between the three aforesaid. I give and bequeath unto my son-in-law Peter Rambo, Richard Williams and Robert Parker my lot or parcel of ground lying and joining Newcreek, the survey containing one Hundred and Eighty-two Acres and their heirs and assigns forever as also my Lower Lot or parcell on ground _____ to the plantation I sold Richard Williams. I give and bequeath to my two grandsons Edward Peters and Peter Peters to be equally divided between them to hold it forever their Heirs or assigns with six (?) pounds to be

¹ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 432

² Pennsylvania German Society, *Pennsylvania German Church Records* (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 466

³ Pennsylvania German Society, *Pennsylvania German Church Records* (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 477

⁴ Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, "Abstracts of Wills," *Publications of Genealogical Society of PA*, vol. 5, p. 191

⁵ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 14, Provincial Papers: Proprietary, Supply, and State Tax Lists ..., p. 415

⁶ William H. Egle, Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of Dauphin County (pub. 1896), p. 23

⁷ Map of Roads, Montgomery, Lancaster, Berks, Dauphin Co. PA, 1907

⁸ Rev. Thomas H. Robinson, Early History of Old Hanover Church, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania (1878), p. 27

⁹ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 383

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given them out of my personal [missing line] Likewise I constitute make and ordain Richard Williams, and Robert Parker ... I have herunto set my hand and seal this seventh day of October, Seventeen Hundred and seventy-two, 1772. Signed sealed published and declared by the said Peter Peters as his last will and his Presence of us the subscribers Jacob Casylman, Stephen Calvin, Thos Branan. Peter Peters [his mark]" Proved 9 Mar 1773 by witnesses Jacob Castleman and Stephen Calvin and on file at courthouse in Romney, West Virginia.¹

Peter Rambo owed money to the estate of Peter Peterson in 1782. On 6 Jun 1788 Peter Rambo of Dauphin Co. sold to John Williams of Hampshire Co. "182 a. on South Branch; rec. 6-12-1788. Wit.: Henry Prizer, Ezekiel Rambo [#1242], Robt. Parker.²

[RSB: An Elias Rambo bought land in Washington Co., VA in 1800, and there is an estate for an unknown Elias Rambo in Washington Co. in 1849. My guess is that this Elias is another son of Peter Rambo and a brother to Ezekiel.]

125. WILLIAM RAMBO married HANNAH LANE, the daughter of Samuel Lane and a sister of Anne Lane who married William's brother John. Hannah was most likely the daughter of Samuel Lane's first marriage (wife's name not known at this time). William signed his will on 23 Mar 1758, one day before his brother John, and they died within weeks of each other, but the causes of their deaths are not known. After his death, Hannah married Zachariah Davis and had four sons by him: Samuel, James, William, John and Edward. William and Hannah lived in Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co.[now Montgomery Co.] and had these two daughters:

1251. REBECCA RAMBO, b. prior to 1758, living in 1771

1252. ANN RAMBO, b. prior to 1758, living in 1771

The will of William Rambo was written 23 Mar 1758, proved 3 May 1758, recorded in Philadelphia Will Book L: pages 112-113, #65, and transcribed as follows:

"In the Name of God Amen the Twenty third Day of March in the year one Thousand Seven hundred & Fifty Eight, I William Rambo of Upper Merion Philad^a County & Province of Pensylvania being weak in Body but of sound mind & memory Blessed be God for the same & knowing it is appointed that Mortal Creatures must Die do make this my Last Will & Testament, first of all it is my Will & I do order all my Just Debts & Funeral Charges to be paid & Satisfied, ITEM I give & Bequeath to my Daughter Rebecka the sum of three Pound Pensylv^a Money to be paid when she is of age, ITEM I Give & Bequeath to my Daughter Ann the sum of Three Pound of Like money aboves^d to be paid when she is of age ITEM I give & Bequeath all the Remainder of my Estate to my beloved Wife Hannah to her proper use as she shall think fit after my Decease ITEM I do Order & Appoint my Beloved Wife Hannah & Rogger North to be my Executors to

¹ L. Len Clardy, Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills (1992), copy in Rambo traveling papers

² Clara McCormack Sage and Laura Sage Jones, comps., *Early Records: Hampshire County, Virginia* (reprint 1976), p. 48

this my Last Will & Testament; William Rambo Sign'd Seal'd & Declared to be his Last Will & Testament in the presence of us Samul Lane, Henry Priest [#1652], Matthias Holsten Philad^a 3^d May 1758, Then personally appeared Sam¹ Lane & Mathias Holsten two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will & on Oath did Declare they saw & heard W^m Rambo the Testator therein Named Sign Seal Publish & Declare the same Will for & as his Last Will & Testament & that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory & understanding to the best of their Knowledge Coram W^m Plumsted Reg^r Gen¹ Be it remembered that on the 3^d day of May 1758 the last Will & Testament of William Rambo deced in due form of law was proved & probate & Letters Testamentary were granted to Hannah Rambo (Roger North [#121] renounced) Exe__ in the s^d will named being duely sworn well & Truely to Administer the Deced^{ts} Estate & bring an Invent^{ry} thereof into the Register Gen^{1s} Office at Philad^a at or before the 3^d day of June next & tender a true acco^t when Required given under the seal of the s^d office W^m Plumsted Reg Genl"

126. **GUNNER RAMBO** was born about 1723. In 1774 he lived in Limerick township and owned 160 acres, 3 horses, and 4 cattle. In 1782 he was taxed on property valued at 1,053 pounds.¹ The 1790 Census indicated that Gunner's household consisted of 3 males over age 16 and one female. He died in Limerick Township, Montgomery Co. in 1802.² He had the following sons:

- 1261. MOSES RAMBO, b. ca 1755, in 1800 census, m. Margareth (?)
- 1262. AARON RAMBO, b. ca 1768, d. before 23 Dec 1803, m. Anna Boulton
- 1263. JOHN RAMBO, b. 1755-1774, in 1800 census
- 1264. ABRAHAM RAMBO, b. between 1755-1774, m? Catherine Tyson
- 1265. ELI RAMBO, b. 11 Dec 1773, d. 10 Dec 1823, m. Margaret (?)

The will of Gunnar Rambo of Limerick Township was dated 23 Jan 1802, proved 30 Mar 1802, recorded in Montgomery County Will Book 2: pages 251, and filed as #5316. It is transcribed from the original as follows:

"Be it Remembered that I Gunnar Rambo of Limerick Township in the County of Montgomery & State of Pennsylvania Yeoman being through Divine favour in my usual health of body & of Sound Disposing mind and memory Do this twenty third Day of January Anno Dom 1802 make & publish this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following to wit --- Imprimis It is my Will & I Do order that all Just Debts against my Estate be duly paid --- I Give & Devise to my Son Abraham & to his heirs & Assigns forever all that Tract of Land which I bought of Peter Marple with the appurtenances Situate in Limerick aforesaid Containing twenty acres. I also give & bequeath to my Son Abraham the Sum of Seventy five pounds fifty pounds thereof to be paid unto him out of my out standing money within Six months after my Decease & the Remaining twenty five pounds to be paid unto him by my Son Eli within four years after my Decease. I

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 16, Provincial Papers: Supply, and State Tax Lists ..., p. 174

² "Rambo Family Collection of Research Records," Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Andrew Rambo, Book H-10, p. 468

Give and Devise unto my Son Eli & to his heirs & assigns forever all that tract of land which I bought of John Bull with the Appurtenances situate in Limerick aforesaid, Containing fifty six Acres & fourteen perches except two Acres & one hundred & five perches thereof herein after Devised to my Son John. & in Consideration of the above Devise to my Son Eli he shall pay to my Son Moses the Sum of one hundred pounds within two years after my Decease & to each of my Sons Abraham & Aaron the Sum of twenty five pounds within four years after my Decease. I further give & Devise unto my son Eli & to his heirs & assigns forever one other Tract of land adjoining the above Tract which I bought of Francis Hooven Containing five Acres & one hundred & two perches with the buildings & appurtenances thereunto belonging --- I Give & bequeath to my Son Aaron the further Sum of one pound ten shillings to be paid out of my outstanding money --- I give & Devise to my son John & to his Heirs & assigns forever all that Tract of land whereon I now live Containing about eighty eight acres with all the buildings & appurtenances thereunto belonging also one other Tract of land Adjoining the Same Beginning at a Stone in a line of the Said eighty eight acre Tract thence North 39 ¹/₂ Degrees East twenty three perches & four tenths to a Stone & South 41 ¹/₄ Degrees West twenty one perches & one tenth to a Stone & north 41 ¹/₄ Degrees West nineteen perches & half to the place of beginning Containing two Acres & one hundred & five perches. I also give to my Son John all & Singular my personal Estate except my Cash bonds Notes & book Debts all of which after paying my Debts & the aforesaid Legacies out of the Same Shall be equally Divided among & paid unto my five Sons Moses Aaron John Abraham & Eli Share & Share alike. as Soon as convenient for my Executors. --- I Give & Devise to my Son Eli & to his Heirs & Assigns forever the full & free use & benefit of the whole Stream of water Running through my now Dwelling plantation three Days out of every week from the last day of march to the first Day of October forever for Watering the meadows on the lands hereby Devised unto him to be taken along the Ditches already made for that purpose & my Sons John & Eli shall be at equal expence in keeping the Said Ditches & Dams unto them belonging in good repair. & if my Son John his heirs or Assigns should neglect or refuse to Do their equal half part thereof then & in that case my Son Eli his heirs or assigns may Repair the same at the proper Costs & Charges of my son John his heirs or Assigns. & the Dam of the lower Ditch shall never be Raised so as to damage the Spring at the Springhouse on the plantation hereby Devised to my Son John --- Every Sum of money herein before mentioned Shall be recconed taken & Deemed to be gold or Silver money and not otherwise --- And lastly I nominate Constitute & appoint my two Sons Aaron & John, and Benjamin Dismant to be the Executors of this my Will hereby Revoking all other wills Legacies & Bequests by me heretofore made & Declaring this & no other to be my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal the Day & year aforesaid. Gunnar Rambo

Signed Sealed published pronounced & Declared by the said Testator as his last Will & Testament in the presence of us who in his presence & at his Request have Subscribed as Witnesses John Boulton afd; Levi Boulton afd" The inventory was appraised 19 Feb

1802 by Nicholas Chiessman and Levi Boulton and included mostly farm goods, livestock, and a Bible & prayer book.

The children of [#15] Måns and Catharina (Boon) Rambo [son of Gunnar, Peter].

151. **BRITA RAMBO** was born about 1718 and died 2 July 1758, age 40.¹ She married WILLIAM **CAMPBELL** whose name was spelled "Charnel", "Cammel", and Cambel" in the Gloria Dei Church records. They had five known children:²

1511. JOHN CAMPBELL, bapt. Gloria Dei by 1734, not in wills

- 1512. CATHERINE CAMPBELL, bapt. Gloria Dei by 1742, single in 1763
- 1513. JAMES CAMPBELL, bapt. Gloria Dei by 1743
- 1514. MARGARET CAMPBELL, bapt. Gloria Dei by 1747, single in 1764
- 1515. REBECCA CAMPBELL, bapt. Gloria Dei by 1748, buried 13 Sep 1753

152. ANNA RAMBO was born 1725 and married JACOB LINCOLN who was also born in 1725, a son of Abraham and Rebecca Lincoln, by a license dated Jun 1747.^{3,4} The Lincoln family can be traced in England to Robert Lincoln whose will was probated in 1543. He was a small landowner but reasonably well off and considered a gentleman and yeoman. One of his descendants, Samuel Lincoln, immigrated to Hingham, Massachusetts in 1637, and his grandsons, Abraham (father of Jacob) and Mordecai Lincoln, settled briefly in New Jersey before entering the iron foundry business in Chester Co., PA in the early 1700s. President Abraham Lincoln was descended from Abraham Lincoln's brother, Mordecai, so the President was a cousin to the descendants of Jacob and Ann (Rambo) Lincoln. Jacob was a scythemaker, the scythe being an essential tool for every farmer in those days, used in clearing land, cutting hay, and harvesting crops. The church records of Gloria Dei list the family as "LINKHORN," and the minister noted in 1811, when baptizing Abraham Linkhorn's children, that he was a brother of Jacob Linkhorn and that their mother was a daughter of deceased Mauns Rambo. The mother was still living a few miles west of Darby. At the same time, the minister baptized three daughters of Abraham's sister, Mary Lincoln Evans.⁵ Jacob died intestate in Kingessing on 5 Jun 1769 aged 44, and Ann died there 8 Feb 1819 aged 91. They are buried at Gloria Dei.⁶ Jacob and Ann (Rambo) Lincoln had these children:

- 1521. ABRAHAM LINCOLN, b. ca 1749, d. by Jun 1811, m. Elizabeth Shrum
- 1522. CATARINA LINCOLN, b. 16 Jun 1751, d. 13 Feb 1757 aged 5
- 1523. ANNA LINCOLN, b. 8 Aug 1753, d. by 1832, m. Mr. Bowman
- 1524. JOHN LINCOLN, b. 1 Feb 1756, d. 27 Dec 1756 aged 11m
- 1525. REBECCA LINCOLN, b. 11 Dec 1757, d. 1834, m. Ebenezer Bravard
- 1526. MOSES LINCOLN, b. ca 1759, d. 22 Feb 1835, m. Barbara Kinch

¹Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms 1879-1927 -- Marriages 1750-1789. LDS microfilm #511806

² Peter S. Craig, Craig Collection family sheets (Upland) at Swedish Colonial Society Archives citing Gloria Dei, 1752 census

³ Jacob Merle Gwynne, The Cousin Connection and Genealogy of the Lincoln Cousins, Historical Society of Pennsylvania

⁴ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 2, Names ... Marriage Licenses ... Previous to 1790 (1876), pp. 239 or 203', 151'

⁵ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

⁶ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham...., 1637-1920 (pub. 1923), p. 116 w/ inscription

1527. MARY LINCOLN, b. 17 Aug 1763, m. Benjamin Evans 1528. JACOB LINCOLN, b. 1 Apr 1766, d. before 1834, m. Mary Taylor

Anna renounced administration of the estate in favor of Philip Price on 1 Jul 1769. Sons Abraham and Moses are proved by Philadelphia Orphans' Court Docket No. 27:479-500 petition of 28 Mar 1821 stating: "issue of Jacob and Ann were six children to wit: Abraham, Moses, Rebecca (now Rebecca Bravard widow), Mary (now wife of Benj. Evans), and Jacob. ... John and Catharine were dead, and perhaps Anna also."¹

153. SWEN RAMBO was named in his parents' wills of 1760 and 1761. Swen was named administrator of an estate in 1770, but he died unmarried in Kingsessing in 1770.² A Swan Rambo married Prudence Culin at the 1st Baptist Church of Philadelphia on 25 Dec 1765.³

154. MARY RAMBO was named in 1760 in her father's will and in 1761 in her mother's will. She apparently never married.⁴

The children of [#17] Gabriel and Christian (?) Rambo [son of Gunnar, Peter] were Matthias, Christian, Martha, Gabriel and Andrew.

171. MATTHIAS RAMBO was born in 1716 and died 10 Oct 1782 at the age of 66. He is buried at Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania.^{5,6} He married his cousin MARY HOLSTEIN [#168] by license on 20 May 1741 at First Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia.⁷ She was born 23 Apr 1720, a daughter of Matthias and Brigitta (Rambo) Holstein. Matthias and Mary (Holstein) Rambo had one child before Mary died. Matthias received 80 acres from his father's estate at Matsunk in 1751. The 1754 census of Christ Church, Upper Merion records Matthias Rambo, a peasant [farmer], and JANE Rambo, his "English born" wife who did not understand Swedish.^{8,9,10} In 1773 Mathias and his wife Jane conveyed land to their son Ezekiel.¹¹ They lived in Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.]. Matthias and Mary had this child:¹²

1711. GABRIEL RAMBO, b. ca 1743, d. 6 Jun 1774, m. Maria Kientsch

¹ Waldo Lincoln, History ... Lincoln Family... of Hingham..., 1637-1920 (1923), pp. 116-117 citing Phila. Registry vol. H:63

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, letter of 15 May 1999, p. 2; citing *Pennsylvania Gazette* of 6 Dec 1770 ³ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), p. 799'

⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, letter of 15 May 1999, p. 2

⁵ Montgomery County, PA "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008 ⁶ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

⁷ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), pp. 33', 58' ⁸ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion, p. 59, Appendix B census of 1754

⁹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, letter of 15 May 1999, p. 4

¹⁰ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

¹¹ Montgomery County, PA (Norristown) Land Deeds Book 4, p. 202. Mathias Rambo to son, Ezekiel

¹² Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, letter of 15 May 1999, pp. 3-4

Matthias and Jane probably had these children and may have had others:

- 1712. EZEKIEL RAMBO, b. ca 1746, alive in 1810 census, m. Elizabeth Matson
- 1713. BENJAMIN RAMBO, b. 28 Feb 1756, d. 27 Mar 1811, m. Martha Supplee
- 1714. NATHAN RAMBO, b. 1759, d. 27 Jul 1845, m. Hester Reese

172. **CHRISTINA RAMBO** married MOSES **COX**, brother of Jacob Cox who married her sister. Their daughter Eleanor was baptized at Gloria Dei Church with sureties Rev. Olave Parlin, Henry Elves, Eleanor Bankson [#2526], and Polly Elves:¹

- 1721. MARIA COX, b. before 1752 census
- 1722. ELEANOR COX, b. before 1752 census
- 1723. DEBORAH COX, b. 8 Feb 1756

There were several men named Moses Cox; the following notes might be relevant. Susan Cox, daughter of Moses, married Robert Erwin on 29 Sep 1796, as reported by *Poulson's American Daily Advertiser* on 1 Oct.

Moses Cox Jr. died in 1798.

Deborah Cox married Jacob Hjerty 30 Dec 1783 at Gloria Dei.²

173. **MARTHA RAMBO** married JACOB **COX** on 3 Dec 1750 at Gloria Dei Church (Old Swedes), Philadelphia.³ Jacob (James) Cock (Cox) was a son of Mons and Rebecca Cock and a grandson of Lars Peterson Cock and wife, Martha Ashman. Jacob was buried 3 Jan 1768 at Gloria Dei. Jacob and Martha were the parents of at least three children:⁴

1731. MARTHA COX, b. ca 1751, d. 30 Oct 1756

- 1732. JOHN COX, b. 18 Mar 1757, d. 28 Jul 1758
- 1733. ANDREW COX, b. 3 Jul 1768, bapt. 11 Oct 1769, buried 7 Jan 1770

The children of [#19] Elias and Mary (Van Culen) Rambo [son of Gunnar, Peter]

191. **PETER RAMBO** was born 16 Jan 1725 and married CATHERINE **SUPPLEE** who was of Dutch ancestry,⁵ born 16 Apr 1730, a daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Enoch) Supplee.⁶ Jacob was a son of the French Huguenot Andris Souplis who arrived in Philadelphia in 1684 and who was one of the original founders of Germantown.⁷ The Peter Rambos lived in Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.] and acquired the portion of his uncle Gabriel Rambo's estate which fell to his

- ³ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), pp. 491 or 502'
- ⁴ Peter S. Craig, Craig Collection family sheets at Swedish Colonial Society Archives citing Gloria Dei, 1752 census, Gibbons

¹ Peter S. Craig, Craig Collection family sheets at Swedish Colonial Society Archives citing Gloria Dei records and 1752 census

² Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), p. 350'

⁵ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion, p. 61, Appendix C census of 1783

⁶ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, *Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett*, p. 288 ⁷ Duncan Ely, family research, e-mail of 19 Dec 2003

cousins, Christian Cox and Martha Cox. He also "obtained part of the old overplus land, the former Jacob Supplee tract, ...; and in 1765 he purchased from his brother Jeremiah, the lower half of almost 90 acres acquired from Ezekiel Rambo, John's son. Both properties were river land and the second adjoined below Christ Church. In his will Peter Rambo left his estate to his wife until his sons came of age. In 1760 his estate was listed as 250 acres".¹ Peter died 18 Jun 1767 aged 42.^{2,3} His will named his "wife Kattern" and children Peter and Jonathan. Peter and Catherine had these children, according to the family Bible:⁴

- 1911. ANDREW RAMBO, b. 7 Jun 1760, d. 1 Mar 1762, aged 1y 9m
- 1912. JOSEPH RAMBO, b. 20 Dec 1761, d. 25 Mar 1764, aged 3 yrs.
- 1913. PETER RAMBO, b. 17 Feb 1764, d. 20 Apr 1836, m. Mary (?)
- 1914. JONATHAN RAMBO, b. 27 Jul 1766, m. 1) E. Sturges, 2) Rachel Davis

After Peter Rambo's death, and about 1770, Catherine Rambo married Jehu Jones, who was a miller and the owner of Gulph Mill. He was one of seven sons of Robert Jones, a Quaker in Lower Merion.⁵ Jehu and Catherine Jones had these children: Margaret b. ca 1772, Rebecca b. ca 1776, and Catherine b. ca 1780.⁶ Jehu died in 1785, and his widow Catherine was the executrix of his will. She died 22 May 1821, aged 82y 1m 7d, and was buried in the graveyard of Christ Church (Old Swedes), Upper Merion.

Peter Rambo's will was dated 18 Jun 1767, proved 17 Aug 1767, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book O: pages 141-142, #103. It is transcribed as follows:

"In the Name of God Amen the Eighteenth day of June Anno Dom One thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Seven I Peter Rambo of the Township of Upper Merrion in the County of Philadelphia and Province of Pennsylvaina being Weak in body but of a perfect Mind and Memory do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament It is my Will and I do order in the first place all my Just Debts and Funeral Charges to be paid and Satisfied ITEM I give and bequeath to my son Peter the Plantation where I now Dwell to him to his Heirs and Assigns for Ever, ITEM I give and bequeath to my son Jonathan a piece of Ground or Lot of Land Joyning Jeremiah Rambo [#193], Andrew Crafords and Church Ground and others I give Likewise a piece of Ground or Lot Joyning Matthias Rambo Moses Yocom and other and also one other pirce or parcil of Land which I Purchased of Matthias Rambo to him his Heirs and Assigns for Ever but he is not to have the the place adjoyning Matthias Rambo and Moses Yocom till the Death of my Wife Kaltern I likewise give to my son Jonathan the sum of Two Hundred Pounds Lawful Money to be Raised out of my Movable Estat and Rents to paid when he is of age by my Executors hereafter named ITEM I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife

- ⁴ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008
- ⁵ Charles R. Barker, "The Gulph Mill," *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography*, vol. 53 (2), pp. 182-183
- ⁶ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 61, Appendix C census of 1783

¹ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 64-65

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985, Gravestones, Upper Merion

³ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones "1767"

Kattern all my Moveable Estate and all the Rents ariseing out of my Lands till my sons Peter and Jonathan comes to age of Twenty one I do appoint my Beloved Wifee Kattern and Jonathan Roverts to be my sole Executors of this my last --- and Testament and I do declare this to be my last Will and Testament Signed Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of Peter Rambo (seal) William White, Jonas Rambo [#194], Matthias Holsten Philadelphia August 17th 1767 Personally appeared Jonas Rambo and Matthias Holsten Two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will and on Oath did declare that they saw and heard Peter Rambo the Testator therein named Sign Seal Publish and Declare the same Will for and as his Last Will and Testament, and that at the Doing thereof he was of Sound Mind Memory and Understanding to the best of their Knowledge and Belief Coram Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen^{ll}

Be it Remembered that on the 17th day of August 1767 the Last Will and Testament of Peter Rambo deceased in due form of Law was proved and probate and Letters Testamentary thereof were Granted to Catharine Rambo (Jonathan Rambo having renounced the Executorship under his Hand and Seal) Executrix in the same will named she being duly Qualified well and truly to Administer the said Deceased's Estate and return an Inventory thereof in to the Register Generals Office in Philadelphia on or before the 17th day of September next, and render a True and Just Account on the 18th day of August 1868, or when thereto Legally Required Given under the Seal of the said Office Benjamin Chew Reg^r Genr¹."

192. **GEORGE RAMBO** was born about 1726 and married his orphaned cousin, MARY **RAMBO** [#1141] on 9 Jun 1759 at Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia.^{1,2} She was born about 1739, the daughter of Michael Rambo. George inherited part of his father's estate in 1750 and was listed in 1769 with 150 acres.³ On 22 Mar 1770, George Rambo of Upper Merion and Mary his wife, and Jeremiah Rambo [#193] and Sarah his wife, release to John Rambo [#1143] of Upper Merion, property ... John, Mary and Sarah being the children of Michael Rambo, late of Upper Merion, deceased.⁴ In 1783, Benjamin Rambo [#1713] aged 27 appears in the church census as a hired man in this household. George Rambo died 26 Feb 1786 at the age of 59 and was buried in Christ (Old Swedes) Churchyard.⁵ They had these known children as shown in 1783 church census:⁶

- 1921. JONAS RAMBO, b. 13 Nov 1760, d. 19 Feb 1828, m. Ann Rambo
- 1924. ANDREW RAMBO, b. Jun 1762, d. 11 Mar 1771
- 1922. ANN RAMBO, b. ca 1764
- 1923. CHRISTINA RAMBO, b. ca 1778

¹Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms 1879-1927 -- Marriages 1750-1789. LDS microfilm #511806

² Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), p. 491

³ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 65

⁴ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985 citing Drysdale Papers 36

⁵ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

⁶ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 60, Appendix C census of 1783

The estate papers of George Rambo of Upper Merion Township are filed in Montgomery Co. as #15129. The administrators bond was dated 28 Mar 1786 and names Mary Rambo and Jonas Rambo as administrators with Lindsay Coats [#1674] and Sam. Holstein as surieties. The inventory was appraised at £ 1248:17:6 on 11 Mar 1786 by Lindsay Coats, William Crawford, and Sam¹ Holstein [#1671]. It lists household goods, livestock, farming goods, and bonds from 18 people including Nicholas Bower and Andrew Shinline, Benjamin Eastburn, John Rambo, Alexander Henderson, Ezekiel Rambo, Jesse Roberts [#1673], Jeremiah Rambo, John Jones, Amos Sturgis and Tobias Rambo.

193. JEREMIAH RAMBO and his brother George married sisters. Jeremiah married his orphaned cousin SARAH RAMBO [#1142] by license on 16 Jan 1765 at St. Michael and Zion Church, Philadelphia.^{1,2} She was born 1742, the daughter of Michael Rambo. In 1764 Jeremiah bought the remainder of the John Rambo [#11] estate, almost 90 acres, from Sarah's uncle Ezekiel Rambo [#117]. Jeremiah retained the upper half which adjoined above Christ Church. In 1770 they received Mary's share of her father's estate, which land adjoined her husband's.³ The 1774 tax list of Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.] showed Jeremiah with 50 acres of land, 2 horses, and 1 cow.⁴ He died between 1776 and 1779 since Sarah was assessed the tax in 1779 on land valued at 1,400 pounds in 1780. The first Census in 1790 listed Sarah as head of the household with 2 males over the age of 16 and one male under 16. However, Jeremiah Rambo's estate was not probated until 25 Jan 1791, as recorded in Montgomery Co. Wills Book I:402. Sarah died about 1815.⁵ They are buried at Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion, but the gravestones are undated. Jeremiah and Sarah had two children who were baptized at Gloria Dei Church. The 1783 census of Christ Church listed Sarah with three children:

- 1931. JOHN RAMBO, b. 11 Apr 1765, d. ca 1827, m. Elizabeth (?)
- 1932. HANNAH RAMBO, b. 7 July 1770, m. Robert Stewart
- 1933. Son RAMBO, b. before 1774, died young (older than 16 in 1790 census)
- 1934. JEREMIAH RAMBO, b. 1777
- 1935. SARAH RAMBO

Jeremiah Rambo died intestate, and his estate papers are filed in Montgomery Co. as #15206. Letters of administration were granted on 25 Jan 1791 to Sarah Rambo & John Rambo Jr. with surjeties John Rambo and John Pugh. There is no inventory in the file.

Sarah's will names sons John and Jeremiah, daughter Hannah, grandchildren Sarah Stewart, and James and Robert Stewart.

⁴ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 14, Provincial Papers: Proprietary, Supply, and State Tax Lists ..., p. 453

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 334'

² Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 2, Names ... Marriage Licenses ... Previous to 1790 (1876), pp. 239 or 203'

³ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk," Bulletin of Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., vol. 21 (1), p. 64-65, 56

⁵ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk or Swedes' Land," Bulletin of the Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., (Fall 1977), p. 56

Will of Sarah Rambo of Upper Merion, widow of Jeremiah Rambo of Montgomery County, was dated 4 Mar 1807 and recorded in Montgomery Co. Will Book 4: pages 119. An abstract follows:

Gives to two sons John and Jeremiah 5 pounds. To granddaughter Sarah Stewart household goods and furniture. To Hannah the use and profit of my plantation where I dwell during her lifetime but not subject to debts of her late husband Robert Stewart. To son John's children after decease of my daughter Hannah, 10 acres of land. To two grandsons James and Robert Stewart the residue of the plantation after death of my daughter, Hannah.

Witnesses: Michael Rambo and Nathan Potts. recorded 13 Feb 1816.¹

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Sarah Rambo dated 1807 or the estate papers of Jeremiah Rambo dated 1791, both in Montgomery Co., please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

194. **JONAS RAMBO** served as surety for Peter and Catherine's son Peter during his baptism at Gloria Dei Church in 1764. He died in fall of 1769, and his will named his brothers George, Jeremiah and Gunnar and his sister, Ann Cursine (Corsine, Carson, or Corson).

The will of Jonas Rambo was dated 3 Aug 1769, proved 23 Sep 1769, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book O: pages 436-437, #322. It is transcribed as follows:

"In the Name of God Amen, this third day of August One thousand Seven hundred and sixty Nine, I Jonas Rambo of upper Merrion in the County of Philadelphia and Province of Pennsylvania Carpenter being very sick and weak in Body but of perfect Mind and Memory Thanks be given unto God therefor; calling unto Mind the Mortality of My Body, and knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to Die Do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner & form following viz^t Principally and first I recommend my Soul to God who gave it and my body to the Earth, to be therein Buried in a Christian like and decent manner at the direction of my Executors herein after mentioned. And as to the Worldly Estate it hath pleased God to Bless me with in this World, I give, Devise and dispose thereof as followeth that is to say Imprimis my Will is that my Just debts and Funeral Charges be justly paid and defrayed ITEM I give and bequeath to my Brother Gunner Rambo Five shillings to be paid after my Decease ITEM I give and bequeath to my sister Ann Cursion, Wife of John Cursion, Five shillings to be paid after my decease ITEM I give and Bequeath to my Brother George Rambo, all my Right and Interest of the Fishing place opposite to his House in the River Schulkill ITEM I give and Bqueath to my Brother Jeremiah Rambo [#193] his Heirs Forever all my right, Title Interest and properly or fourth part of the Fishery of the Island by the Ford on Schulkill. ITEM I give and Bequeath the remainder of all and singular of

¹ Howard Holland Rambo, manuscript (ten pages) dated 24 Mar 1983, p. 31

my Estate (Except what is before Excepted) to my two Brothers George and Jeremiah Rambo, to them and their Heirs forever, to be divided equally between them, share and share alike, Whom I likewise constitute, make and Ordain my only and Sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament: And I do hereby utterly disallow, Revoke and disannul all and every other former Testaments, Wills Legacies and Executors, by me in any Ways before this time Named, Willed and Bequeathed, Ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day and Year above Written Jonas Rambo Signed, Seal'd, published, pronounced and declared by the said Jonas Rambo as his last Will and Testament in the presence of us the subscribers Tobias Rambo [#1123], John Rambo, Jn^o Roberts.

Philad^a September 23 1769. Personally Appear'd John Rambo and John Roberts two of the Witnesses to the foregoing Will and on Oath did declare that they saw and heard Jonas Rambo the Testator therein Named Sign, Seal Publish and declare the same Will for and as his last Will and Testament and that at that doing thereof he was of sound disposing Mind Memory and Understanding to the best of their Knowledge and Belief Coram Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen¹

Be it Remember'd that on the 23^d day of September 1769 the last Will and Testament of Jonas Rambo deceased in due form of Law was proved, and probate and Letters Testamentary thereof were granted to George Rambo and Jeremiah Rambo [#193] Executors in the said Will Named, being first duly Sworn well and Truely to Administer the said Deceaseds Estate and bring an Inventory thereof into the Register Generals Office at Philadelphia on or before the 23^d of October next, and render a True and Just Account of the said Administration on or before the 23^d day of September 1770 or when thereto Legally required given under the Seal of the said Office Benjamin Chew Reg^r Gen¹."

195. **ANDREW RAMBO** was born about Jun 1730 and died in Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.], on 6 Mar 1751, at the age of twenty years, nine months.

There was a plethora of Andrew Rambos at this time, especially #175, #195, and #1125. The death in 1751 might refer to a different Andrew, and this could be the Anders Rambo recorded in the 1783 census with very young sons Tobias and Samuel.

There is another Andrew, a ship-carpenter who died 10 Aug 1769. The New York Journal on 10 August 1769, p. 2, carried this item from Philadelphia: "On Monday night last Mr. Andrew Rambo, ship-carpenter, of this City, got up in his Sleep (at the Middle Ferry, on Schuylkill, where he had been at Work) went to the Window, and fell out, when he was so much hurt, that he expired in a few Minutes".¹ Andrew [#195] had a

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, e-mail of 22 May 2007

brother, Jonas Rambo [#192] who was a carpenter.

196. GUNNAR RAMBO married ELEONORA PETERSON on 29 Jun 1759 at St. Michael's and Zion Church, Philadelphia with witnesses Frederick Holstein, Nicholas Jones, John Griffin, Jeremia Rambo.^{1,2,3,4} They had the following children who were all baptized at Gloria Dei Church:⁵

1961. JESSE RAMBO, b. 7 Sep 1760, d. after 1830, m. Margaret Kuentch

1962. MARY RAMBO, b. 23 Feb 1762

1963. ANN RAMBO, b. 21 Jun 1765, m.? Jacob Wachter

1964. PETER RAMBO, b. 7 Oct 1769

1965. LAWRENCE RAMBO, b. 6 Jul 1772

1966. CHRISTINA RAMBO, b. 14 Jan 1779

197. ANN RAMBO married JOHN CURSINE (also spelled as Corson or Carson). John may have been a descendant of Cornelius Corsen, who landed at Staten Island in 1685 with a band of Huguenots.⁶ Ann and her husband had at least one child who was baptized and buried at Gloria Dei Church:⁷

1971. GEORGE CURSINE, b. 6 Mar 1755, d. 21 Nov 1756

1972. WILLIAM CURSINE, m. Mary (?)

Ann Rambo (above) is likely the Nanny Rambo married John Casein 27 May 1754 in St. Michael's & Zion [where Ann's brother Gunnar was married] with witness Benjamin Potts.^{8,9,10} She was Ann Rambo in her father's will of 1748 and Ann Cursion in her brother Jonas' will of 1769.

"1800 April 29 George, son of William & Mary Cursain, in Front Street Alley ... his age was 16 years within a month. His father's membership is from his mother who was a daughter, only one, of Peter Rambo, in Upper Merion".¹¹

Ann Rambo Cursine (above) is only daughter of Elias Rambo, not Peter; none of the known Peter Rambos have only one daughter.

Ann, daughter of Peter Rambo [#12], married Roger North according to Peter's will. Ann, one of several daughters of Peter Rambo [#33], married Daniel Jones.

Peter [#53] probably died without issue.

Peter [#65] lived at Raccoon and had several daughters.

¹ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 669

² Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

³ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 317'

⁴ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (Genealogical Publishing Co., 1983)

⁵ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 393, vol. 2, p. 411

⁶ John W. Jordon, "Luken Family" in Encyclopedia of Pennsylvania Biography, vol. 1. 1914, p. 169

⁷ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 104

⁸ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (Genealogical Publishing Co., 1983), p. 619

⁹ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 304' ¹⁰ Pennsylvania German Church Records, Family Tree Maker CD series 9 #130

¹¹ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Burials 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511811 page 136, Gloria Dei deaths

Peter [#111] was not mentioned in his father's will in 1745.
Anna, daughter of Peter [#124], was born 1749.
Peter [#191] was too young (b. 1725).
Brigitta Rambo [#32] was the only daughter of a Peter Rambo, but nothing is known about her husband or offspring.
Is there another Rambo daughter who married Cursine?
Why does Corson show up as middle name among other cousins? William Corson Hughes [#1672249], a son of Mary Rambo [#19211]; William Corson Drew [#1676795], and Elwood Corson Wood [#1714372].

198. **ELIAS RAMBO** Jr. probably died prior to 1769, as he was not named in the will of his brother Jonas.

CHAPTER 6: 5th Generation: Great-Great Grandchildren

Those persons in the fifth generation were born during the span of years from 1727 to 1779. The majority were born in the years of 1740-1765, with the older child of the oldest child born before that time and the youngest child of the youngest child born in the latter years. While some of the older members of this generation, such as Tobias Rambo [#1123], still spoke Swedish and followed Swedish customs and beliefs, many others spoke only English and gravitated to churches where services were held in English. Members of this generation and their children were involved in events leading to the Revolutionary War, and much action occurred in the vicinity of Philadelphia and Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.] where the earliest Rambo families had settled.

The children of [#121] Roger and Ann (Rambo) North [daughter of Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. The *Genealogy and History of the Related Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* by Millard Fillmore Stipes contains extensive descriptions of the North descendants and ancestors. (My thanks to Gloria Motter). The information in *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North is considered more accurate.

1211. **SOPHIA NORTH** was born 10 Sep 1734.¹ She married ISAAC **DAVIS** on 11 Mar 1756 in Augustus Lutheran at Trappe, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.].² After Mr. Davis died in 1764,³ Sophie married GEORGE **McELHENY** [or McElhaney] on 7 May 1766.⁴ George was born in 1730 and died in 1802.⁵ Sophie died in Charlestown, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. Her will was written 15 May 1819, and proved 7 Jun 1819.⁶ Sophia and Isaac Davis had three children:^{7,8}

12111. LLEWELLYN DAVIS

12112. ROGER DAVIS, b. 2 Oct 1762, d. 20 Nov 1815, m. Sarah Jones

12113. SOPHIA DAVIS

Sophia and George McElheny had the following children:^{9,10,11}

- 12114. HANNAH McELHENY, unmarried according to mother's will in 1819
- 12115. ANN McELHENY, not mentioned in mother's will in 1819
- 12116. LYDIA McELHENY, not mentioned in mother's will in 1819
- 12117. ELIZABETH McELHENY, b. 1774, d. 1857, m. Eli Evans
- 12118. SOPHIE McELHENY, b. 1778, d. 1871, m. Joseph McCreary

¹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

² Pennsylvania German Society, *Pennsylvania German Church Records* (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 446

³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁴ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁵ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 150, 1919* (1936), p. 71

⁶ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁸ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁹ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946

¹⁰ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

¹¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 42, 51. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

12119. GEORGE McELHENY, m. Esther Davis [#12293]

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Sophia McElheny dated 1819, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

Several dates in the foregoing description are questionable. Sophie was born "July 7, or Sept. 10, 1734" according to Dexter North in 1930, perhaps in Upper Providence Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.]. The marriage license to George McElheny was issued 7 May 1766, but a marriage date of 5 Jul 1766 is also rumored. Another date of death is also rumored: 30 Jul 1813.

(PLEASE. If you have original documents proving any of these dates, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD.)

1212. **SAMUEL NORTH** was born 8 Sep 1735.¹ He served in the American Revolution and is said to have been in the battle of Monmouth.² He received a land warrant for 300 acres in Luzerne County in 1787.^{3,4} "Samuel died in North Carolina. It is said he started the first plow in that state".⁵ He married BARBARA **HAGERMOOD** and had these children:^{6,7}

12121. JOSEPH NORTH, b. 17 Sep 1771, d. Jul 1856, m. Catherine North [#12154]

- 12122. MARY NORTH
- 12123. ANN NORTH, b. 28 Mar 1773, m. Samuel Harvey
- 12124. Daughter NORTH
- 12125. Daughter NORTH

A conflicting account of the family is that Samuel North married nee Adams and had children:

Mary North, m. Mr. Griffith

Ann North, b. 28 Mar 1773, m. Samuel Harvey

Unknown Child North

Joseph North, b. 17 Sep 1771 in Montgomery Co., PA, d. 15 Jul 1856 in Woods Co., Ohio, m. Catherine North & had descendants.⁸

1213. **SARAH NORTH** was born in 1737.⁹ She married ELISHA **DAVIS** on 11 Oct 1759 by authority of license at Trappe, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

² Susan N. Peterson, family research, e-mail of 2 Mar 2001

³ Pennsylvania Archives, 5th Series, vol. 7, 6th Series, vols. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, Muster Rolls Relating to the Associators and Militia

⁴ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 24, Provincial Papers: Warrantees of Land in ... Pennsylvania, 1730-1898, p. 255

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 42. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁶ Daughters of the American Revolution, D.A.R. Patriot Index (Washington, D.C.: privately printed, 1966), p. 499

⁷ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), 50. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁸ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁹ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

Montgomery Co.].¹ Elisha was possibly the brother of Isaac Davis, married to her sister Sophie. Sarah died in 1813.² Elisha and Sarah Davis had two known children:³

12131. SARAH DAVIS, b. 25 Sep 1762, d. 5 Mar 1844, m. Amos Jordan 12132. ROGER DAVIS, b. 1760, baptized 22 Mar 1761.⁴

1214. **ELIZABETH (Betsy) NORTH** was born 2 Nov 1740 in Upper Providence, Philadelphia Co.[now Montgomery Co.] and was married to GEORGE **EVANS** in Mifflin, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania on 23 Jan 1764 by Rev. Muhlenberg on authority of a licentia from the governor.^{5,6} (Verbatim: "When I got home, I had to marry George Evans and Elisabeth North by authority of a licentia from the governor".⁷) George Evans was born about 1735, a son of George and Elizabeth (Kendall) Evans. Betsy died 24 Feb 1813. George and Betsy (North) Evans had these children:⁸

- 12141. FREDERICK EVANS, b. 30 Mar 1776, d. 14 Dec 1844, m. Ann North
- 12142. LEWIS EVANS, b. 18 Dec 1778, d. 18 Aug 1852, m. Amelia Greathouse
- 12143. CALEB EVANS, b. ca 1780
- 12144. LYDIA EVANS, b. ca 1782
- 12145. WILLIAM EVANS, m. Enoch Davis on 15 Apr 1771.9

"[KENDALL, John. Limberick, County of Philadelphia. Jan 27, 1743/4; Mar 5, 1744. G.174. Wife Mary. Children: William, Joseph, Sarah, Martha, <<Elizabeth>>, Rachel, Mary, Hannah, and <<Kattern>>. Exec: Mary, William and Joseph Kendall. Wit: William Lloyd, John Shankmire [his mark], and Roger North.].

"[Phil Co Wills, Book O.318. KENDAL, Mary, May 11, 1767. January 19, 1769. Children: Martha Hammer, Sarah Wells, <<Elizabeth Evans>>, Rachel Brooke, Hannah Earonie, <<Catherine Jordan>>, William and James. Grandchildren: Samuel and Mary Evans and Hannah Shannon. Execs.: Jas. Hammer and Francis Jordan (sons in law). Wit: Jno. and Geo. Brooke and Francis Hobson.]".¹⁰

1215. **JOHN NORTH** was born 5 Oct 1743,¹¹ and married CATHERINE **BOICE** (or Borce or Bource) on 11 Dec 1767 in East Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania.^{12,13} She was

¹² Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

¹Pennsylvania German Society, *Pennsylvania German Church Records* (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 454, daughter of "Rochar"

² Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North, p. 10

³ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Weary, Ruth Jordan" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 524

⁴ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 168. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁶ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 2, Names ... Marriage Licenses ... Previous to 1790 (1876), p. 83'

⁷ Henry Melchior Muhlenberg, *The Journals of Henry Melchior Muhlenberg*, vol. 2 (1945), p. 14

⁸ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁹Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

¹⁰ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

¹¹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing Descendants of Caleb North by Dexter North, pp. 10, 12-13

¹³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

born 25 Mar 1748 and died 2 Mar 1816 in Ohio.¹ During the Revolution, John served in Capt. Woodside's Artillery, 5th Co., 5th Bn., Philadelphia in 1785 and under Lt. Col. Mifflin, 2nd Co. Art. Bn. in 1787.² On 7 Apr 1786, John North was elected Lieutenant, 1st Bn, 2nd Co. in Philadelphia. In 1792 he obtained a warrant for 140 acres of land in Cumberland County.³ John North died 15 Apr 1799 in Logan, Hocking Co., Ohio. He and Catherine had ten children:^{4,5}

- 12151. SOPHIA NORTH, b. 18 Sep 1768 in Juniata Valley, PA
- 12152. ANN (Nancy) NORTH, b. 27 Jan 1770, m. Frederick Evans [#12141]
- 12153. ELIZABETH NORTH, b. 25 Dec 1772, d. 1862, m. Joseph Randolph
- 12154. CATHERINE NORTH, b. 23 Jul 1775, d. 1857, m. Joseph North [#12121]
- 12155. EUPHEMIA NORTH, b. 22 Feb 1778 in Cumberland Co., PA
- 12156. SARAH NORTH, b. 7 Jan 1781, d. 6 Aug 1796 in Cumberland Co., PA
- 12157. HANNAH NORTH, b. 15 Oct 1783
- 12158. ABIGAIL NORTH, b. 11 May 1786, d. 1859, m. Dr. John Byers Smith
- 12159. CALEB NORTH, b. 18 Mar 1789, d. 28 Jan 1878, m. Sarah Black
- 1215A. JOHN NORTH, b. 15 Sep 1792, m.? Ms. Johnson, or m. Sarah Collins

A family Bible is mentioned by Dexter North in his Descendants of Caleb North (1930). (PLEASE. If you have a copy of this Bible record, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

JOSHUA NORTH was born 3 Nov 1745 and saw duty as a Pvt. in the 1216. Revolution.⁶ In 1776 he and brother Caleb bought land in Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania and soon built the first tannery in what is now Perry County, in Greenwood Township. He and Caleb also bought the island in the Juniata long known as North's Island, located at the old Rope Ferry Dam. Joshua married REBECCA CLOYD on 15 Feb 1776 in McAlisterville, Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania [now Juniata Co.]. She was born 23 Feb 1755, a daughter of James and Margaret (Wilson) Clovd.⁷ Joshua married MARY **MURPHY** second, on 15 Feb 1796 in Mifflin, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania.^{8,9} In 1800 Joshua built the Millerstown tannery, which he sold in 1816.¹⁰ Joshua's will was written 5 Apr 1813 and proved 12 Oct 1822 in Perry, Pennsylvania.¹¹ Joshua named four children of his first wife, Rebecca, in his will:^{12,1}

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 24 by Joanne Harbour Tankersley

² Pennsylvania Archives, 5th Series, vol. 7, 6th Series, vols. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, Muster Rolls Relating to the Associators and Militia

Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 24, Provincial Papers; Warrantees of Land in ... Pennsylvania, 1730-1898, p. 738

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 50. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=1170

⁶ Pennsylvania Archives, 5th Series, vol. 7, 6th Series, vols. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, Muster Rolls Relating to the Associators and Militia ⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00078.htm

⁸ Daughters of the American Revolution, D.A.R. Patriot Index (Washington, D.C.: privately printed, 1966), p. 499.

⁹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

¹⁰ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants; History of Perry *County*, pp. 1026

Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing Descendants of Caleb North by Dexter North, pp. 10, 14-15

¹² Wilfred Jordan, ed., "Joseph B. Hutchinson" in Colonial and Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania, vol. 6, p. 160

- 12161. JAMES NORTH, b. 5 Nov 1777, m. 1) Euphema Davis, 2) Rachel Jordan
- 12162. CALEB NORTH, m. Abigail Lewis
- 12163. JOSHUA NORTH, m.? Margaret Van Camp
- 12164. REBECCA NORTH, b. 25 May 1785, m. 1) Daniel Lewis, 2) Ezra Doty

Joshua also names children of his second wife, Mary, in his will:

- 12165. FREDERICK NORTH, b. before 1793 (of age in 1813)
- 12166. HANNAH NORTH, b. before 1795, m. John Howe
- 12167. JOHN NORTH, b. ca 1799, m. Jane Houston McAlister
- 12168. HIEL NORTH
- 12169. ROGER NORTH, b. ca 1810, d. 7 Dec 1897 Lebanon, IL, unmarried.²

Joshua's will was written 5 Apr 1813, and proved 12 Oct 1822 in Perry, PA. Thanks to Kathleen Hale for the following transcription:

In the name of God, Amen. I, Joshua North of Greenwood Township, Cumberland County, and State of Pennsylvania, being in good health of body and of sound and disposing mind and memory (praised be God for the same) and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, whilst I have strength and capacity to do so, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made, and first I commit my soul unto the hands of my creator who gave it, and my Body to the earth to be interred in the burying ground of my family on my plantation, at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, and my will is that one-half of an acre of ground including the present grave yard shall be measured off and excepted forever from sale, when the rest of my real estate is sold as hereinafter directed, and as to such other worldly real estate, wherewith it has pleased God to entrust me, I dispose of the same as followeth: I will that all my just debts as shall be by me owing at my death together with my funeral expenses and all charges touching the proving of, or otherwise concerning this my will, shall in the first place out of my personal estate and effects be fully paid and satisfied and from and after payment thereof and subject thereunto, then my will is that all the residue of my goods, stocks, chattels, merchandise and household furniture shall be indifferently appraised, and after each appraisement made, that the same shall be sold at publick vandue as soon as convenient to my executor and as soon as the money can be collected, that the same shall be divided into three equal parts, one equal third part thereof, I give and bequeath unto my wife Mary North and the other two-thirds to go towards paying off the legacies herein specified. I also give and bequeath to her my said wife, the interest of one-third part of all the money arising from the sale of my real estate during her life, which one-third part as aforesaid is to be put out in the safest way that may occur to my Executor, and the interest paid to her annually, and at her death, the said one-third is to be divided equally, share and share alike, between my three eldest sons, viz. James North [#12161] and Caleb North [#12162] and Joshua North [#12163]. I also give and bequeath to my son James North seventy dollars,

¹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing Descendants of Caleb North by Dexter North; sent copy of will

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 131. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

to be paid to him one year after my decease or sooner if convenient to my executor. I give and bequeath to my son Caleb North, two hundred and ten dollars to be paid to him one year after my decease, or sooner if convenient to my executor. To my daughter Rebeckah Doty [#12164], I give and bequeath twenty dollars to be paid to her one year after my decease which bequests when paid, with what I have already given the children of my first wife, namely Rebeckah North, deceased, I consider to be equal one with the other so far -- To my son Frederick North [#12165], I give and bequeath one dollar, to be paid to him one year after my decease -- to my daughter Hannah North [#12166], I give and bequeath one hundred dollars to be paid to her one year after my decease. To my son John North [#12167] I give and bequeath one hundred dollars, to be paid to him one year after my decease, or the money secured in some safe hands, till he arrives at the age of twenty-one years, paying him the interest thereof annually, at the discretion of my executor. To my son Hiel North [#12168], I give and bequeath one hundred dollars, the money likewise to be paid him, one year after my decease or secured in safe hands till he arrives at the age of twenty-one years, paying him the interest annually at the discretion of my executor. To Rodger North [#12169], my infant son, I give and bequeath fifty dollars to be disposed of for the most benefit of the said infant, at the discretion of my executor.

And lastly I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son Caleb North executor of this my last will and testament. Empower my said executor to make immediate sale of all my land except the grave yard, as before excepted for the best price that can be obtained for the same, in order to provide for the discharge of my debts and legacies herein contained - And further that after all my debts and legacies are settled, there should remain a surplus of money from the sale of my estate aforesaid, I give and bequeath said surplus to my three eldest sons, James North, Caleb North, and Joshua North, to be equally divided amongst them, share and share alike. This is my last will and testament written on one-half sheet of paper and signed on both sides, revoking and annulling all former will or wills and confirming the foregoing to all intents and purposes whatever, given under my hand and seal this fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen. Joshua North [seal]

Signed, sealed, published, and declared by the above named Joshua North, as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses thereunto. Abm. Adams John Derr will proved Oct 12, 1822.

Pages 267 to 270 in the *History of Perry County* describe the tanning industry and the many tanneries that once existed in Perry County. Only three remained in 1922. Pages 268-269 state that, "The first tannery in the county was built by Joshua North, on the James Patterson farm, in Greenwood Township, before 1800. The bark was chopped into bits with axes in those days, instead of being ground. This tannery was later known as Jordan's. Just when North built the tannery is unknown, but in 1776 Joshua North, tanner and Caleb North, storekeeper, came from Chester County and bought a number of

tracts of land, including the old tannery farm. It probably was built soon after that. The Norths also bought the island in the Juniata, long known as North's Island, and being located at the old Rope Ferry Dam. In 1800 Joshua North built the Millerstown tannery, selling to Isaac McCord in 1816. During the ownership of Mr. McCord he also bought the Jordan tannery and closed it down. He also erected the stone house, which is the present home of J. H. G. Rippman, in 1822, and began the erection of a new tannery in 1824." [SWJ - The Jordan tannery referred to may have been that of Amos Jordan, grandfather, or Francis Jordan, father, of Robert Bull Jordan.] Thanks to Scott Jordan for the transcription.¹

1217. **WILLIAM NORTH** was born in 1747. He was a Capt. in the American Revolution. Rev. Muhlenberg recorded in his journals the marriage on 23 Dec 1778 of William North to CATHERINE <u>ELIZABETH</u> **JORDAN**, daughter of Francis Jordan.² (Verbatim: "December 23, Wednesday. After publication of the banns, married William North and Elizabeth Jordan. He the unmarried son of Roger North and she the unmarried daughter of Francis Jordan, New Providence township. Vid Bond of William North and Lewellyn Davis".) Elizabeth's mother was most likely Catherine Kendall, daughter of John and Mary Kendall.³ In the censuses of 1790 and 1820, William is in Greenwood Township, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania.⁴ He died 20 Nov 1834 in Juniata, Pennsylvania.⁵ William and Elizabeth were the parents of these children:^{6,7}

- 12171. RACHEL NORTH, m. William Hunter and removed to Kansas
- 12172. ABIGAIL NORTH, b. 15 Jul 1783, m. John Goshen Thompson
- 12173. CATHERINE NORTH, b. 1795, m. Jacob Bollinger of Millerstown
- 12174. WILHELMINA NORTH, b. 1800 m. Daniel Bollinger

"[Cumberland Co Wills: JORDAN, Francis. Farmer. Juniata. Apr 14, 1804; Nov 26, 1804. Wife Catherine. Sons Amos and John. Dau Elizabeth North. Son Jeremiah Jordan. Exs: Sons Amos Jordan and John Jordan. Wit: Abigail North, James Beatty, Isaac Craven.]".⁸ The witness Abigail North is most likely Abigail, wife of Caleb North.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Francis Jordan of Cumberland Co., PA, written 14 Apr 1804, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

"[KENDALL, John. Limberick, County of Philadelphia. Jan 27, 1743/4; Mar 5, 1744. G.174. Wife Mary. Children: William, Joseph, Sarah, Martha, <<Elizabeth>>, Rachel,

¹ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, e-mail of 18 Mar 2003

² Henry Melchior Muhlenberg, *The Journals of Henry Melchior Muhlenberg*, vol. 3 (1958), pp. 206, 208

³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing abstracts of wills in Philadelphia and Cumberland counties, PA

⁴ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁶ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North; sent copy of will

⁷ R. H. Schively, ed., *Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley* ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

⁸ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

Mary, Hannah, and <<Kattern>>. Exec: Mary, William and Joseph Kendall. Wit: William Lloyd, John Shankmire [his mark], and Roger North.].

"[Phil Co Wills, Book O.318. KENDAL, Mary, May 11, 1767. January 19, 1769. Children: Martha Hammer, Sarah Wells, <<Elizabeth Evans>>, Rachel Brooke, Hannah Earonie, <<Catherine Jordan>>, William and James. Grandchildren: Samuel and Mary Evans and Hannah Shannon. Execs.: Jas. Hammer and Francis Jordan (sons in law). Wit: Jno. and Geo. Brooke and Francis Hobson.]".¹

A Catherine Jordan, who died 24 Jul 1802 aged 48, is buried amongst the North family in St. Paul's Episcopal Church Cemetery.²

1218. **ROGER NORTH** was born in 1749 and served in the Revolution. On 1 Apr 1774, in Philadelphia, Roger North married ELIZABETH **TODD** who was born 13 Feb 1752, the daughter of David and Hannah (Owens) Todd of Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.].^{3,4} David and Hannah Todd settled in Lexington, Kentucky in 1783, founding the Todd family prominent in its history. Elizabeth's brother, Gen. Levi Todd, named one of his sons Roger North Todd. Elizabeth was the great aunt of Mrs. Mary (Todd) Lincoln, wife of the President.⁵ Roger North was a member of Capt. Alexander Johnston's company of Volunteer Light Horse, of Chester Co. 1780-81 and is recorded in West Nantmeal Township of Chester Co. in the 1790 census. Elizabeth died 5 Feb 1803 and is buried in Charlestown Cemetery.⁶ Roger is reputed to have married again to BARBARA **HAGERMOOD**.⁷ Roger North died near Philadelphia in 1831.⁸ There is debate whether Roger and Elizabeth North had these children:⁹

12181. THOMAS NORTH

12182. HARRIET NORTH

12183. ELIZA NORTH

12184. ANN NORTH, b. 12 Feb 1770, d. 16 Oct 1821, m. Jacob Horning

1219. **ANN NANCY NORTH** was born about 1750, and was "of Providence Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania" when she married JOHN **HUMPHREYS** on or before 17 Nov 1772 in Philadelphia Co., PA.¹⁰ He was born in Charlestown Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania about 1741, a son of David and Catherine (Lewis) Humphreys and a grandson of John. John and Ann bought the homestead of 112 acres from his father on

¹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

² Norris Stanley Barratt, *History of Old St. Paul's Episcopal Church* (pub. 1917), p. 227

³ Georgia Jardine, "Children of David Todd" in California DAR Ancestry Guide, 1976, p. 591

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 18 Jul 2001 correction

⁶ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of Jul 2001 citing Emily Todd Helm in *Kittochtinney Magazine*, vol. 1 (1), pp. 84-85

⁷ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North, p. 17

⁸ Kathleen Hale, e-mail of 18 Jul 2001 citing Emily Todd Helm in *Kittochtinney Magazine*, vol. 1 (1), pp. 84-85

⁹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 56, 61. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

¹⁰ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

17 Nov 1772 and continued the operation of his father's tannery.¹ John Humphreys served as an Ensign in Light Horse Harry Lee's dragoons during the American Revolution on 2 Aug 1779, transferred to the 6th Pennsylvania on 24 Aug 1779, transferred to the 2nd Pennsylvania 17 Jan 1781, and was promoted to 2nd Lieut. in the Continental Artillery 2 Apr 1782 to 17 Jun 1783. He was a member of the Society of Cincinnati.² He built a large stone house on the property in 1778 but sold their home to Ezekiel Howell in 1790 to follow relatives to Virginia. John died in 1796 in Harpers Ferry, West Virginia,³ and Nancy died in 1826 in Charlestown, WV at "Belvidere", the home of her son, George Washington Humphreys.⁴ John and Ann had these children:^{5,6,7}

- 12191. HANNAH HUMPHREYS, b. 28 May 1774, d. 1857, m. Joseph Lucas
- 12192. DAVID HUMPHREYS, b. Jun 1775, d. 1850, m. Catherine Keyes
- 12193. GEORGE WASHINGTON HUMPHREYS, b. 4 Jul 1778, never married
- 12194. ROGER NORTH HUMPHREYS, b. ca 1780, d. 1824, m. Hannah Wager
- 12195. JOHN HUMPHREYS, m. Susan Allibone
- 12196. ANNA RAMBO HUMPHREYS, b. 14 Jan 1785, m. Jonathan Kearsley
- 12197. ABIGAIL NORTH HUMPHREYS, b. 4 Jul 1787, m. William Tate

A different family history contends that John Humphreys was a lieutenant in Col. Lea's dragoons during the Revolutionary War and went to Juniata Co., PA about 1786 and later to Harpers Ferry and Martinsburg, WV.⁸

121A. **GEORGE NORTH** was born in 1751 in Chester Co., Pennsylvania.⁹ His year of birth is in question since his brother Caleb referred to him as "my favorite younger brother," but his tombstone gives his age as 63.¹⁰ George North was commissioned as an ensign October 12, 1776 under Capt. Thomas Robinson's Company, Col. Anthony Wayne's command.¹¹ He saw duty in the American Revolution as a Lieutenant, 5th Pennsylvania Line.¹² He took the oath of allegiance to the United States of America and renounced loyalty to King George of Great Britain at Mount Joy [Valley Forge] on 12 May 1778.¹³ In Dec 1783, George and his brother Caleb North subscribed to the Pennsylvania Society of the Order of the Cincinnati.¹⁴ He married SARAH **EVANS** on

⁵ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Maltby, Martha Stanley Humphreys" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 375
 ⁶ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 50, 126, 303. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

Allan Sparrow Humphreys, Humphreys Genealogy (1954), p. 10 citing Chester Co. Deeds F-2:108. Thanks to Andrew Selden

² Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 20 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 20 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁴ North Family Papers, Special Collections of Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, PA. MS 35 1830 Papers, c.1830-1927, 1868-1919. Thanks to Kathleen Hale for the citation.

⁷ Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), pp. 10-12. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

⁸ Dexter North, *The Caleb North Genealogy: Descendents of Caleb North, ...* (pub. 1930)

⁹Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 5, 1939, p. 36

¹⁰ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 20 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North, p. 17

¹¹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 17 Jul 2001 citing PA Archives, vol. 10, 2nd series, p. 126

¹² Pennsylvania Archives, 5th Series, vol. 7, 6th Series, vols. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, Muster Rolls Relating to the Associators and Militia

¹³ Nellie Waldenmaier, *Oaths of Allegiance to the United States of America* (pub. 1944), p. 55

¹⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 127. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

12 Jan 1786 at the German Reformed Church in Germantown.¹ She was a daughter of William and Martha (Davis) Evans. "William Evans was a prominent merchant of Philadelphia in the early days. Sarah died 23 Sep 1793 in Jefferson County, Virginia and with her children is buried near the old 'Keep Tryst' furnace, one mile above Harper's Ferry".² In 1790 they were in Berkeley Co., Virginia [now Jefferson Co.].³ After the death of Sarah, George married ELIZABETH KEYES on 30 Oct 1794 in Halltown, Berkeley Co., Virginia. She was born 20 Nov 1774 at Keyes Ferry, VA, the ninth child of Capt. Humphrey Keyes by his second wife, Sarah Hall. Capt. Humphrey Keyes was a great-grandson of Solomon and Francis (Grant) Keyes of Newbury and Chelmsford, Massachusetts. "Humphrey was a sea captain, wrecked off the coast of Turkey and was taken captive by the Algerians. After some years he escaped and returned home, to find that his wife, supposing him dead, had married another, with whom she spent the remainder of her life".⁴ Capt. Humphrey Keyes' first wife was Marcella Wade.⁵ George and Elizabeth lived on the Potomac near Harper's Ferry until 1804 when they moved to Mount Jefferson, a farm of 400 acres, then to Charlestown, and finally to Alexandria, Virginia. George was a trustee and made a generous donation for the founding of the Old Academy at Charlestown, VA in 1795. In 1809 he served as sheriff of Jefferson Co., VA.⁶ He died 31 Dec 1814 in Laurel Hill, near Alexandria, Fairfax Co., VA.⁷ Mrs. Eliza North was allowed a pension on an application dated 20 Jan 1851.⁸ She died on 15 Apr 1859 at the home of her son William Darke North, Mill Creek, Berkeley Co., VA. Another source gives: "Died - At the home of her children, N.G. and Mary M. North, on 20 Apr 1859, Eliza Keyes North".⁹ Eliza North is buried at Charlestown, WV. George and Sarah had these known children:

121A2. ANN SMITH NORTH, b. 22 Nov 1788, d. 1870, m. Samuel Hopkins Mark

121A3. LYDIA RAMBO NORTH, b. 29 May 1790, d. Apr 1854, m. Charles Gibbs

121A4. SARAH EVANS NORTH, b. 15 Jul 1792, d. 16 Apr 1793

121A5. WILLIAM EVANS NORTH, b. & d. 23 Sep 1793 in Loudoun Co., Virginia George and Eliza North had the following nine children "who partook of the restless, roving disposition of her seafaring father and military husband, and are scattered through half the states of the Union, to South America and to foreign lands":¹⁰

121A6. MARY HALL NORTH, b. 16 Aug 1795, m. Benjamin Grimes Thornton 121A7. SARAH KEYES NORTH, b. 4 May 1797, d. 1885, m. Samuel Davis Harper 121A8. WILLIAM DARKE NORTH, b. 1 Apr 1799, d. 1872, m. Hannah E. Gill

- 121A9. THOMAS JEFFERSON NORTH, b. 5 Jul 1801, m. Elizabeth Hinkle
- 121AA. ELIZA WAYNE NORTH, b. 30 Nov 1803, d. 14 Sep 1804

121AB. ARELIA WAYNE NORTH, b. 15 Aug 1805, m. Richard R. Cruzen

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), p. 760'

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 43, 127. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 59. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 10, 17-19, 118. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 17 Jul 2001 citing *More Keyes* by Paralee Keyes Hoot

⁶ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 128-129. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁸ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 59, 127. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North ... Cruzen Families*, pp. 127-129 quoting Virginia Free Press of 28 Apr and a surviving daughter

¹⁰ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 30-32, 42-50, 58-60, 65, 127-131

121AC. EMILY ELIZA NORTH, b. 12 Mar 1808, d. 28 Dec 1831121AD. NATHANIEL GREENE NORTH, b. 12 May 1810, m. Mary Worthington121AE. GEORGE CALEB NORTH, b. 15 Jun 1815, d. 1863, m. Sarah Bragg

In 1780, dues of £187 were solicited of George Noarth, a "privileged hunter," by the Schuylkill Fishing Company.

The will of John Evans, Sarah's brother, written in 1802 mentions, "Ann and Lydia, children of sister Sarah North, now deceased."

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There was a plethora of Sarah Evans. Other researchers contend that she was a sister of George Evans who married George North's sister Elizabeth,¹ or daughter of William and Sarah (Smith) Evans.²

CALEB NORTH was born in Chester county 15 July 1753 and died in 121B. Philadelphia on 7 Nov 1840 at age 87.³ He was involved in an unfortunate incident reported in the Pennsylvania Evening Post of 20 Feb 1777, "Last Friday evening a very melancholy accident happened at the sign of the Bull, near Col. Dewees' forge. As a number of officers, belonging to Col. Wayne's regiment, were examining their fuses, the one belonging to Capt. North was discharged by accident, whereby Lieut. Beatty of the same corps, was shot through the body, and instantly expired."^{4,5} He signed the oath of allegiance on 12 May 1778, witnessed by Gen. Anthony Wayne.⁶ He attained the rank of Lt. Col. of the 11th Pennsylvania regiment and fought at Ticonderoga, Paoli, Germantown, and Monmouth in the American Revolution. He participated in the southern campaign where he had charge of marching British prisoners to Pennsylvania following the surrender of Cornwallis. As a benefit of his military service, Col. Caleb North was entitled to 750 acres of donation lands in western Pennsylvania.⁷ On 3 Dec 1782, Rev. Muhlenberg wrote in his journal "Tuesday. Rainy weather. Mr. Roger North's son, Caleb North, Esq., an officer, asked for a licence because he wishes to be married across the Schulkiel: Caleb North of New Providence Township Philad. County and ABIGAIL HOCKLEY of Coventry Township, Chester County. He received one under the name of the Hon^{ble} Vice President Jam^S Potter Esqu".⁸ In Dec 1783, Caleb and his brother George North subscribed to the Pennsylvania Society of the Order of the

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 127. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00084.htm

³ James Wilson and John Fiske, eds., "Caleb North" in Appleton's Cyclopedia of American Biography, vol. 4, p. 533

⁴ Elizabeth Parker Fitler, extractor, "Genealogical Gleanings ...1777," Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine, vol. 31 (4), p. 297

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series*, vol. 10 (1895), pp 118-119

⁶ Nellie Waldenmaier, Oaths of Allegiance to the United States of America (pub. 1944), p. 48

⁷ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 3, Old Rights, Proprietary Rights, ... and Soldiers Entitled to ... Lands, p. 710

⁸ Henry Melchior Muhlenberg, The Journals of Henry Melchior Muhlenberg, vol. 3 (1958), p. 517

Cincinnati.¹ Following the death of his first wife, Caleb married LYDIA **LEWIS** of Lewes, Delaware by 1 May 1795. She was the daughter of Wrixam and Sarah (Kollock) Lewis, II, and was less than 14 years old in 1777.² Caleb North was allowed a pension on an application dated 2 Jul 1818.³ He was a merchant in Coventry, Pennsylvania and in 1819 was chosen high-sheriff of Philadelphia. From 1828 until his death on 7 Nov 1840, he was president of the Society of Cincinnati in Pennsylvania. His burial place (since 1905) is in the West Laurel Cemetery, Philadelphia.⁴ Lydia died 16 Feb 1845. See the Caleb North biography in *Virtutis Praemium* by John Dwight Kilbourne, 1998. A picture of Caleb exists.⁵ Caleb and Abigail had a son:

121B1. FRANCIS ASBURY NORTH, b. 1792, d. by 1837, m. Maria (?) Caleb and Lydia had these children:^{6,7}

- 121B2. ANN NORTH, b. 9 Mar 1796, d. Jul 1861, m. John Martin Groome Emory
- 121B3. SARAH NORTH, b. 9 Apr 1798, d. 16 Apr 1859, m. Alexander Benson
- 121B4. CALEB NORTH, b. 9 Feb 1800, d. 27 Nov 1872 unmarried
- 121B5. EMMELINE NORTH, b. 3 Feb 1801, d. 17 Jan 1883 unmarried
- 121B6. GEORGE WASHINGTON NORTH, b. 24 Aug 1803, m. Catherine Clemson
- 121B7. MARIA NORTH, b. 1808, d. 14 Aug 1876 unmarried
- 121B8. EDWIN NORTH, b. 14 Jan 1811, d. 19 Jan 1883 unmarried
- 121B9. LOUISA NORTH
- 121BA. ELLA HARRIET NORTH, b. 1817, d. 14 Apr 1872 unmarried

The will of Caleb North was dated 13 Mar 1837, proved 2 Dec 1840, and recorded in Chester County, PA, Book R, Vol 17: page 30, case # 10040 as follows.

"Be it Remembered That I Caleb North of Coventry Township, Chester County, and State of Pennsylvania, being through infinite mercy of sound Mind, and Memory, but duly sensible of the uncertainty of human life, have thought fit to make and do hereby make this my last Will, and Testament revoking all and every other Will, and Testament, heretofore made by me.

Imprimis All my just debts and funeral expenses to be paid as soon as possible.

Item I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Lydia my House No 279 in Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, with the incumberances of the ground Rent of One Hundred and ten Dollars per Annum, and a Mortguage of Five Thousand Dollars on Interest, at Six prct, my House and Lot No 19. Crown Street Philadelphia, clear of Incumberances, with Two shares of Philadelphia and Lancaster Turnpike Stock, with as much of the household, Furniture and Plate Bedding &c as she may see cause to take for herself, and daughters, during her natural life, and on the decease of my Wife, I do order and direct that the two

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 127. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 61. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁶ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 50-51, 45-46, 60-61, 127, 135-137

⁷ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

Houses above mentioned the Lancaster and Philadelphia Turnpike Stock with the Furniture that she may leave behind her, shall be sold and the proceeds, equally divided amongst the following Legatees, my children, Caleb, Emmeline, George, Maria, Edwin, and Ella, or if any of them should die before they should come to inherit, their Legal heirs shall take their shares.

Item To my daughter Ann Emory, I give and bequeath all the account against her in my Books, and Two Hundred Dollars in cash, in full, for her Legacy.

Item To my daughter Sarah Benson, I give and bequeath all the account I have against her in my Books, in full for her Legacy of my Estate.

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter in Law Maria North now Maria Perfect, widow, and relict, of my son Frances Asbury North, and my grand daughter Louisa North, my Tract of Four Hundred, and fifty acres, of Donation Lands No 7. in the Third Quarter of the fifth Township in the Sixteenth range, in the State of Ohio, to hold the same as Tenants in common, their Heirs and assigns in full of all claims against my Estate, as a Legacy or otherwise.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Caleb North, and to my son George Washington North, their Heirs and assigns as tenants in common, my Tract of Donation Land No 19. District No 2, now Butler County State of Pennsylvania, containing Five Hundred Acres.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Edwin North my Tract of Land lot No 198. in the 10th District of Donation Lands, in Erie County State of Pennsylvania, near Waterford containing Two Hundred and fifty acres.

And I do authorise my Executor to sell my Estate in Coventry, the House in which I now dwell, with all the Furniture, that my Wife may not want for her and and my single Daughter's use, all the Horses, Cows, Sheep, Swine Wagon, Cart, Ploughs, Harrows, and every Implement of Husbandry, the Grain that may be in the Ground, and every moveable property belonging to me, and my Farm in Delaware which with every other Property not already disposed of, with the amount of two Notes that I hold of George Washington North & Co and all money that may be due me will form a Capital, to divide amongst the following Legatees my children in one Year after my Death if practicable, viz Caleb, one Sixth part, Emmeline one Sixth part, and Ella one Sixth part, and if any of them should Die before they come to inherit, and leave Children, the Child or Children shall, take the parents part And I do appoint my Son George Washington North to be the Guardian, and Councellor, of my son Caleb North during his natural life.

And Lastly I do Nominate and Appoint my Esteemed friend Alexander Benson. Executor of this my last Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Thirteenth day of March. A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven.

Caleb North

Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the Testator Caleb North for and as his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have hereunto subscribed our names.

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Jn. Young Edwin North

Codicil

Be it Remembered that on this Twenty second day of April, 1837. I have on mature consideration extended the power of my Executor, with the approbation of my wife, Lydia that If it should be deemed for the advantage of the Estate to Sell the House No 279 Chesnut St. subject to the Ground Rent and the Mortgage thereon, so as to realise, Five Thousand Dollars and vest that sum, in such Stock as they may deem safe for the benefit and support of the Widow, during her life, they have my full approbation and authority to do so, and to make the Lawful conveyances for the same. And farther I do consent that if it should be the wish and agreement of all the interested Legatees to hold the Coventry Estate during their mothers life for the benefit of the Family and then to be sold agreeably to my last Will and Testament they have my full consent with the approbation of my Executor so to do. (The Words No 279 Chesnut St. instered over the Erasure in the 5th line.)

Witness my hand and Seal the day and Year above Written.

Witness Jno. YoungCaleb North

Edwin North

Chester County

Joseph J Lewis being affirmed (the said Edward North being a devisee under the said will & therefore incompetent to prove its execution) says that he has seen Caleb North the above named testator write and has knowledge of his hand writing and from such knowledge he does verily believe that the signatures "Caleb North" to the foregoing will and codocil are in the proper hand writing of the said testator.

Affirmed & subscribed Nov 30. A.D. 1840, before me Jesse Coulson Joseph J Lewis

West Chester December the Second A.D. 1840 Then personally appeared John Young who on his Solomn Oath did declare and Say that he was personally present and did See and hear Caleb North the Testator in the above will and Codicil named Sign Seal Publish pronounce and declare the Same as and for his last will and Testament and at the time of So doing he was of a Sound and well disposing mind and memory to the best of his knowledge and belief Sworn before me Jesse Coulson Register"¹

Source: The PA Archives, Vol X, Second Series, pp 118-119:

"An inquisition, dated February 17, 1777, now on file in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, addressed to the Council of Safety, sets forth 'that an unhappy accident happened on the 16th instant, at a certain Alexander McCalla's, in Charlestown

¹ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, sent copy

to wit: the accidental death of Charles Clinton Beatty [footnote omitted] second lieutenant to Capt. Thomas Church's company, of the Fourth battalion, commanded by Col. Anthony Wayne; and as there is no legal way of proceeding in cases of accidental death, thought it expedient to call upon the chairman of the committee to qualify evidence, and call and empannel a jury. We, therefore, of the jury find that his death was accidental by a shot from Capt. Caleb North's fusee, not apprehending it to be charged.'

Signed by Capt. Thomas Church and eleven others".¹

121C. **THOMAS NORTH** was born 28 Aug 1757, according to a family Bible record.² He served in the American Revolution, and was a Lieutenant on the militia roles of 1785 for New Providence Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania.³ He married NAOMI **DAVIS** on 17 Apr 1783. She was born 27 Jan 1762 in Juanita Valley, PA, the daughter of Lewyllen and Magdallen (Howell) Davis. Thomas North settled in Thompkins Co., New York in 1799 and died there 30 May 1815 in New Ludlowville. Naomi died 25 Aug 1844. They were the parents of two known sons and possibly three other children:⁴

- 121C6. MARY ANN NORTH, b. ca 1784
- 121C1. JOSHUA NORTH, b. 1 May 1786, d. 6 May 1865, m. Jemima Hedden
- 121C2. ELIZA NORTH, b. 16 Feb 1789, d. 3 Mar 1849
- 121C5. JEMIAH NORTH, b. 24 Sep 1789, buried Ludlowville
- 121C3. JOSEPH EXENER NORTH, b. 16 Sep 1791, d. 1862, m. Christiana Teeter
- 121C4. RODGER DAVIS NORTH, m. Sarah Wilson, moved to Ohio

The will of Magdalene Davis written 27 Feb 1805 mentions granddaughters Magdalene and Elizabeth North.⁵

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Magdalene Davis dated 1805, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

121D. **HANNAH NORTH** was born in 1761.⁶ She married JAMES **PARKER** and died in 1785 in Kentucky.⁷

121D1. NORTH PARKER, b. ca 1783 in Kentucky

The children of [#122] John and Mary (Rambo) Koplin [daughter of Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Sophia, Matthias, a daughter, Mary, Alice Mary, John, Christian, William

¹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

² Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

³ Pennsylvania Archives, 5th Series, vol. 7, 6th Series, vols. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, Muster Rolls Relating to the Associators and Militia

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 131. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 17 Jul 2001

⁶ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

and Esther.¹

1221. **Daughter KOPLIN** was born 16 Nov 1742 and buried 28 Sep 1762 at "Augustus Ground" in Philadelphia Co.²

1222. **MATTHIAS KOPLIN** was the eldest son, born before 1749 in Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. He married twice, the first wife unknown, the second, CATHERINE (?), *not Denny*. Matthias was taxed as a farmer and miller in Maryland, then in Adams and Mifflin Counties, PA. He died in Mifflin Co., PA in Jan of 1816 and is probably buried in the tiny cemetery on his land near Newton Hamilton. His will was written 1 Jan 1816 and named all his children by both wives. Children by his first wife were:³

- 12221. MATTHIAS KOPLIN, b. by 1775, d. 1847, m.? Margaret Kieffer
- 12222. BETSY KOPLIN

His children by his second wife, Cathrine were:

- 12223. CATHERINE KOPLIN, b. ca 1778, m. Peter Kefauver
- 12224. ABRAHAM KOPLIN, b. ca 1780, d. 1833, m. Sybil Dull
- 12225. POLLY (Mary) KOPLIN, b. ca 1782, d. by 1860, m. Jacob Noss
- 12226. FREDERICK KOPLIN, b. ca 1790s, d. by 1829, m. Mary (?)
- 12227. RACHEL KOPLIN, b. ca 1792, d. by 1850, m. Samuel Neice
- 12228. NANCY KOPLIN, b. ca 1796, d. 12 Jan 1861, m. Jacob B. Shoop
- 12229. SUFFIA (Sophia) KOPLIN, b. ca 1796, d. 3 May 1874, m. William Roddy
- 1222A. DAVID KOPLIN, b. 1800, m. 1) Elizabeth (?), 2) Elizabeth Hillsbury

Will of Mathias Koplin recorded in Mifflin Co., PA Will Book 2: page 250, #2407

"In the name of God Amen I Mathias Koplin of Mifflin County Wayne Township and state of Pennsylvania being weak of body but sound mind, Knowing the Certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time, Considering it a duty encumbin_ on all parents to endevour to preserve harmony amongst their offspring after their desceas as well as when living with them, After Recommending my Soul to its Giver I wish to Have my property Real and personal Disposed of in the following manner -- 1st, I allow my funeral Expenses with all my debts to be paid (which is but few) 2^d, I allow my Real property that is the place that I now live on and my other place that is now in the tenner of Jacob Shoop to be Rented until my younger son David Comes of age and then Sold as the wisdom of my executors think fit for the best advantage 3^d, I allow all my personal property to be sold (tho not before Spring) and the one half of all my property is to be allow^d to my wife Catherine During her lif_ that is the incom for her Support 4th, I allow the two Children I had by my first wife Viz Mathias and Betsy to Get two hundred and fifty Dollars each and Polly Noss my Daughter to Get three hundred Dollars for the

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001, will of Matthias Koplin

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 18 Nov 1999

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001, copy of will

use of her and her Children and there to be paid as soon as my places above named be Sold. And now the rest of my Children Frederick Abraham Rachal Neice Nancy Shoop Suffy and David Shall be equal Sheares of the Residue provided that Jacob Shoop pay the Debt that I am bound for to Geo. Calbreath without trouble and Lastly I do appoint my Beloved wife Cathrin and Abraham to be my Executors to execute this my last will and Testament but as soon as my son David arrives at age to fall in his Mothers place and further I do hereby Revoke any former will or wills Acknowledged by me heretofore in Testimony of the above I hereunto Set my hand this First day of January in the year of Lord one thousand eight hundred and Sixteen. Mathias Koplin his mark Witness Jeremiah Cunningham & John Graham" In an attachment to the will, the witnesses correct the omission of daughter Catherine and spell the surname Copeland.

1223. **MARY KOPLIN** was already married to JOHN **PENNIBAKER** when her grandfather Koplin's will was written in 1769. She probably died before 1 Aug 1808 when John Pennibaker wrote his will which mentions his "beloved wife Catharine", gives his walnut chest to granddaughter Mary, his seventy-acre Estate to grandson John after the death or marriage of his wife Catharine, and that same estate to son Adolph until said grandson John attains the age of 21 years. Only one child of Mary's is known:¹

12231. ADOLPH PENNIBAKER (or Pennypacker), b. 29 Jul 1775

Will of John Pennibaker, file # 5010, Montgomery Co., PA was filed 14 Nov 1811 and "established by verdict of Jury 22 May 18_"

"Be it Remembered that I John Pannebaker of the Township of Upper Providence in the County of Montgomery in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania yeoman being in health of Body and of sound mind memory and understanding but considering the uncertainty of this transitory life Do make this my Last Will and testament in the following manner to wit: First my Body is to be buried in a decent christianlike manner at the discretion of my Executors herein-after named, my just debts are to be fully paid and discharged, and my worldly Estate I give and dispose of in the following manner. I give and bequeath to my Grand-daughter Mary my Walnut Chest. The plantation whereon I reside situate in the said Township of Upper Providence Containing about seventy acres of land be the same more or less together with the Buildings and appurtenances and the personal Estate remaining after the payment of my just debts, the use thereof I give and devise to my beloved wife Catharine To have and to hold the same for and during her widowhood. At her marriage or Death I give and devise the s^d plantation with the Buildings and appurtenances together with the personal estate aforesaid or its value unto my Grand-son John To have and to hold the same unto my said Grand-son John and to his heirs and assigns for ever in fee simple. Subject nevertheless to the payment of forty Dollars per annum to my said wife Catharine in the event of her marriage for and during her natural life which said sum is to be in full lieu of her Dower at common law. If my wife should

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001, copy of will

marry, or if she should die before my Grand-son John attains the age of twenty one years then I give and devise the aforesaid Real and Personal Estate unto my Son Adolf and to his Heirs and assigns To have and to hold the same till my said Grandson John attains his age aforesaid Subject nevertheless in the event of my wifes marriage to the payment of forty Dollars per annum as aforesaid to my said wife. If my Grandson John should die without ______ Issue. I give and Devise the real and personal Estate aforesaid to my Son Adlof To have and to hold the same to my son Adolf and to his Heirs and Assigns for ever in fee Simple. Subject nevertheless to payment of the said sum of forty Dollars to my said wife in the event of her marriage for and during her natural life and not otherwise. In order that my plantation may be well take care of till it is given up to my Grandson should he live to enjoy it I enjoin it on my Executors to take Especial care of the same to mind that there is no kind of waste committed thereupon. that the limber

______ are not destroyed, but that all is kept in good order and repair. And lastly I nominate constitute and appoint my said Son Adolf and my friend Samuel Gross of the said township of Upper Providence to be the Executors of this my will, hereby revoking all other wills legacies and bequests by me heretofore made and declaring this and no other to be my Last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the first day of August in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and Eight. [signed] John Pannebaker [seal] Signed, sealed, published, pronounced and declared by the said Testator as his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request have Subscribed as witnesses _____ John Winter Henry Martin"

1224. **ALICE KOPLIN** was born 6 Jun 1747¹ and married MICHAEL **ICKES** on 10 Apr 1763 at the New Hanover Lutheran Church by license dated 30 Mar.² He was the son of John Nicolaus Ickes from the Palatine and his wife Anna Clara, who settled in Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Limerick Township, Montgomery Co.] north of the Schuylkill River and northwest of Perkiomen Creek.³ John Michael was born about 1739 since he was in his 17th year when confirmed in the New Hanover Evangelical Lutheran Church on 17 Apr 1756.⁴ When the father, John Nicolaus Ickes, divided his land among his sons, Michael received the northwest quarter, and built a house there.⁵ Alice died 26 Nov 1768 at the age of 21y 5m 2w 6d and was buried at the New Hanover Lutheran Church.^{6,7,8,9} Following the death of his wife Alice, Michael Ickes married Catharine Acker on 14 Nov 1769, and they had two children baptized at the New Hanover born

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 18 Nov 1999

² Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 458

³ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

⁴ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 2, p. 299

⁵ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

⁶ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, e-mail of 12 Apr 2003

⁷ Pennsylvania German Society, *Pennsylvania German Church Records* (pub. 1983), vol. 2, p. 376 gives Falkner Swamp

⁸ Donna R. Irish, comp., *Pennsylvania German Marriages* (Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 1982), p. 585

⁹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 18 Nov 1999

7 Dec 1775.¹ John Michael Ickes was deacon of New Hanover Lutheran Church, and drowned in the Schuylkill on 16 May 1778 aged 37.^{2,3} His estate papers were filed in Orphans Court in Philadelphia Co., PA, and in Montgomery Co. after its formation in 1784. Montgomery Co. Orphans Court file OC9089 contains a instrument filed 24 Dec 1785 stating, "Whereas Nicholas Icks, eldest son of Michael Icks, late of Limerick Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, this day presented a petition to Orphans Court at Montgomery County. Said Michael Icks, lately died intestate leaving a widow and five children, Nicholas, the petitioner, Samuel above 14, Elizabeth, Susannah and Michael, all under 14." Elizabeth, Susannah and Michael are all children of the second wife, Catherine, who married Peter Bitting after the death of Michael Ickes.⁴ Michael and Alice (Koplin) Ickes had these two children:⁵

12241. JOH. NICHOLAS ICKES, b. 1 Oct 1764, m. 1) M. Christman, 2) S. Loy 12242. SAMUEL ICKES, b. 17 Feb 1766, d. 21 Jan 1858, m. Susannah (?)

1225. **JOHN KOPLIN** was born about 1749 in Philadephia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.] and married SUSANN **CRESSMAN**, daughter of Nicholas Cressman according to Deed Book B, page 107 of Montgomery Co., PA. (Johann Nicholas Croessman per Muhlenberg) John Koplin served in Col. DeHaas regiment in the Revolutionary War, marched to Canada, and served several other tours. He bought 75 acres, a "sawmill plantation," in East Nantmeal, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. In 1825 he filed a petition detailing his service saying that he was seventy-six years old and very infirm. He died in 1827 in Chester Co. John and Susann had these children:⁶

- 12251. ESTHER KOPLIN, d. after 1833
- 12252. ISAAC KOPLIN, d. 1833, m. Ann Amole
- 12253. BENJAMIN KOPLIN, b. 7 Oct 1791, d. 29 Feb 1792
- 12254. SUSANNA KOPLIN, b. Apr 1793, d. 1 Jul 1841, m. Jacob Miller
- 12255. ANN MARY KOPLIN, b. 15 Jul 1782, d. 3 Aug 1857, m. Henry Shick
- 1225X. JOHN KOPLIN, b. ca 1784, d. ca 1821, m. Mary Unstead
- 1225X. SAMUEL KOPLIN, b. 3 Apr 1787, d. by 1870, m. Elisabeth (?)

Petition of John Koplin, a Soldier in the Revolutionary War from GEN/Ro17: p. 21, Sophie Seldon Rogers Collection:⁷

"Your petitioner enlisted in Co. DeHaas Regiment, and marched into Canada in Captain LeMar's Company, and served in said Company for the space of one year. The term of his enlistment, when he was honorably discharged. That he was present at the taking of Fort Ann, and that he was in Company with a party of the army on the river St.

¹ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol 2, pp. 209, 210, 349

² Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 2, p. 376

³ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Ickes, Harold L." in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 6, p. 319

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, e-mail of 12 Apr 2003

⁵ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001

⁶ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter w/ petition 20 Feb 2001

⁷ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, 20 Feb 2001 - copy of petition

Lawrence, when they were attacked by the British and Indians and compelled to retreat to the Fort that he afterwards returned to Pennsylvania and engaged as a Teamster under Christopher Hart and accompanied the Army in that Capacity for the space of six months, or (---) when he was honorably discharged. That he served a tour three ------ in the Militia under Captain Read at the time the British had possession of Philada. When he was again honorably discharged- that he is now upwards of seventy six years of age, that his is very infirm, and does not possess sufficient to maintain him. Chester County, Nov 28 1825, Appeared before Hugh Strickland, justice. Endorsed by Caleb North, Lt. Col. (The petition was an inhabitant of township Eastmontmeal [East Nantmeal] in Chester Co.)"

1226. **CHRISTIAN KOPLIN** was born about 1750 in Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania and married MARGARET. His pension application to the State of Pennsylvania in 1785 says he was then 35 years old, was a corporal in Captain John Christy's Fifth PA regiment, and was wounded at the Battle of Brandywine in 1777 in the Revolutionary War. His invalid pension continued until he died 2 Jun 1808 near Port Royal in Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania [now Juniata Co.]. He is probably buried on his own 200 acres. Court records show the names of his children in the dispute over this land. After Christian died, his wife MARGARET (?) went to Fairfield Co., Ohio where their son Caleb lived. She died there in 1814 and is buried at the Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Rushville, Ohio. Christian and Margaret had these children:¹

- 12261. AGNES KOPLIN, b. 9 Apr 1782, d. after 1817, m. Thomas Henderson
- 12262. WILLIAM KOPLIN, b. 1 Jan 1785, d. by 1860, m. Mary Mans
- 12263. ESTHER KOPLIN, b. 29 Apr 1787, d. after 1827, m. James Edmiston
- 12264. MARGARET KOPLIN, b. 17 Apr 1789, d. 1 Apr 1881, m. William Stewart
- 12265. CALEB KOPLIN, b. 10 Oct 1790, m. 1) Henderson, 2) McElheny, 3) 4) ...
- 12266. MARY KOPLIN, d. after 1827, m. John Mark

"At an Orphans Court held and kept at Chester for the County of Chester the twentyeth Day of December Anno Domini 1785 before John Parson, Thomas Ch_ney, George Peirce & Thomas Lewis Esquires --- Justices present

Christian Compland late a Corporal in Captain John Cristy's Company of the fifth Pennsylvania regiment Aged thirty five years made appear to this Court that he received a wound by a Musket Ball shot through his left Arm between his elbow and sholder at the Battle of Brandywine on the Eleventh day of September 1777 It's therefore Considered and Adjudged by this court that he is entitled to a pension of five Dollars P^r month Commenceing at the Disolution of the armies of the United States".²

1227. **WILLIAM KOPLIN**. This may be the William whose bond was given for his estate in Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania by a John Koplin in 1784. There is a stone with

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter w/ petition 20 Feb 2001

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, 20 Feb 2001

no dates for this William buried in St. Peter's cemetery, Knauertown, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. He probably died in 1784.¹

1228. **ESTHER KOPLIN** married BENJAMIN **DISMANT** on 6 May 1771 at St. Michael's and Zion Church.² His will, written 7 Jun 1804, does not mention his wife, so she probably died before he did in 1806. His will names sons Henry and William and grandsons John and Benjamin Dismant. The Dismant Cemetery is in Royersford, on the border of Upper Providence and Limerick Townships, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania.³

12281. HENRY DISMANT, d. 21 Aug 1814, m.?

12282. WILLIAM DISMANT, m. (?)

"Will of Benjamin Dismant Be it remembered that I Benjamin Dismant of Providence township in the county of Montgomery in Pennsylvania, Yeoman being devine favour in my usual health of body and of sound disposing _____ memory & understanding Do this 7th day of June 1804 make & publish this my last will & testament the which I do in the manner and form following to wit - Imprimis It is my will and I do order that all just debts against my estate be duly paid. Item I give and bequeath unto my first born son Henry the sum of one dollar together with what I have given him for I have given him between two & three hundred pounds great part of which he has wasted and his way of living is no encouragement for me to give him more. therefor the said sum of one dollar shall be my said Son Henry's Portion in full out of my estate. Item I give and bequeath unto my son William the full free and uninterupted use benefit & profits of 50 acres of Land being the southwest end of my plantation of equal width from Daniel Dismant's land to Mingo Creek for and during his life and after his death I give and devise the said 50 acres of land with the buildings Improvements and appurances thereunto belonging unto my beloved Grandson John Dismant his heirs & assigns forever But he shall find and provide for his Mother during her widowhood. Item I also give and devise to my said son William all the residue & remainder of my plantation with the improvements & appurtances thereunto belonging & to his heirs & assigns forever. Item I also give & bequeath to my said son William all my Personal estate not herein otherwise disposed of together with all my Cash bonds & notes. Item I give my wearing apparel to be equally divided between my two grandsons, John Dismant & Benjamin Dismant by my executor. I give to my Grand Daughter Mariah my bed bedstead & bedding and my best case of Drawers to my Grandson Benjamin Dismant to be delivered to them when my executor thinks fit. And I do hereby nominate & appoint my son William Dismant to be the executor of this my Last will & I do hereby revoke & dismiss all former wills at any time before this by me made & do satisfy this & no other to be my last will & testament. my Mortgage & notes of hand shall for ever be null & void against my son Henry. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001

² Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 355'

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001, copy of will

aforesaid. [signed] Benjamin Dismant [seal] Witness Daniel Dismant Christian_ O. Desmant"¹

It is possible that Benjamin Dismant was born 29 Aug 1747, son of Henry and Elisabeth Dismant as recorded at Trappe.²

1229. **SOPHIA KOPLIN** was born 3 Jan 1756 and was baptized by Muhlenberg in Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. She married ISAIAH **DAVIS** who was born 18 Oct 1756 and served in the Revolutionary War. They lived in Limerick Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania but died in Pottsgrove, PA. Sophia died 27 Sep 1823 aged 69y 8m 21d, and Isaiah died 26 Oct 1823 aged 67y 8d. They are probably buried in St. James Cemetery in Limerick Township.³

12291. ANN DAVIS, b. 10 Aug 1781, d. 24 Feb 1825, m. Benjamin Castelberry

- 12292. REBECCA DAVIS, b. 15 Jan 1783, d.? 20 Nov 1820, m. Jacob Castelberry
- 12293. ESTHER DAVIS, (twin), b. 15 Jan 1783, m. George McElheny [#12119]

12294. MARY DAVIS, b. 27 Sep 1790, d. 9 Nov 1824, m. Christian Hatfield

12295. RICHARD DAVIS, b. 25 Nov 1784, d. Apr 1788, aged 3y 4m 8d

12296. ISAAC DAVIS, b. 24 Aug 1787, d. 4 Mar 1811, aged 23y 6m 8d

12297. THOMAS DAVIS, b. 3 May 1793, m. possibly Hannah (?)

12298. AMOS DAVIS, b. 1 Mar 1797, d. 7 Feb 1815, aged 17y 11m 1w

The children of [#123] John and Anne (Lane) Rambo [son of Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth, Ann, Mary, Alice, Peter, and Rachel.

1231. **ELIZABETH RAMBO** was named as his eldest daughter by John Rambo's will of 1758. She died before 1772 since she was not named in her grandfather's will.

1232. **ANN RAMBO** was born about 1746 and married WILLIAM **TODD** by license dated 27 Nov 1766.⁴ He was the son of Robert and Isabel (Bodley) Todd. His father Robert Todd was born in Ireland in 1697 and died in Providence, Montgomery Co in 1775.⁵ Robert had two sons by his first wife, one of whom was David Todd, born 1723, the great grandfather of Mary Todd Lincoln, wife of President Abraham Lincoln. After 1729, Robert Todd married his second wife, Isabella Bodley, and they had four daughters and five sons, including William Todd. William Todd was educated with his brothers in Virginia. Mrs. Ann Rambo Todd was named in her grandfather Samuel Lane's will in 1772.⁶ The family moved to Westmoreland County by 1780, residing in Unity

⁵ Louis A. Warren, ed., "The Todd Ancestors of Mary Todd Lincoln," *The Lincoln Kinsman*, vol. 26 (pub. Aug. 1940), p. 3

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, 20 Feb 2001

² Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 413

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, 20 Feb 2001, copy of Bible record

⁴ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 2, Names ... Marriage Licenses ... Previous to 1790 (1876), pp. 239 or 203', 247'

⁶ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, *Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country* (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

Township. William entered public service and was a member of the Pennsylvania Assembly, one of the Council of Censors, and an associate justice of Common Pleas.¹ In 1791 without proper authority, William Todd took possession of military stores to supply those defending the frontier from frequent Indian attacks. No action was taken because of his standing in the community, as Major Irwin wrote to Col. Clement Biddle, "This William Todd was a colleague of Findley in the Consitutional Convention of 1790-91, and was his neighbor." William Todd's sister, Sarah Todd, had married John Findley (possibly a relative of William Findley) on 4 May 1762, and William Findley was a legislator and later a state senator. William Todd died 28 Oct 1810. Ann Rambo Todd died in 1817, but her estate was not settled until Aug 1818, according to newspaper accounts.² Her will directed that her estate be divided into eight shares and distributed in this manner: one share to her grandson William Todd, one share to the six Mathews grandchildren, one share to two other grandchildren, and one share each to her five living daughters. In the Census of 1790, four males over 16 and 11 females were listed in the Todd household, but the names of all of their children are not known at this time:

- 12321. MARY TODD, b. ca 1767, d. 15 Mar 1835, m. Joseph Baldridge
- 12322. Daughter TODD, b. after 1767, d. before 1817, m. Mr. Mathews
- 12323. NANCY ANN TODD, b. 27 Dec 1771, d. 22 Sep 1870, m. Joseph Clark
- 12324. DAVID (or Robert) TODD, d. before 1817, m.?
- 12325. REBECCA TODD, b. ca 1773, m. James Sloan
- 12326. RACHEL TODD, b. ca 1775, m. Mr. Latta
- 12327. LOIS TODD, b. ca 1779, m. George A. Armstrong
- 12328. Ms. TODD, d. before 1817, m. Mr. Smith or Mr. Carnahan

William Todd's obituary detailed his life as follows:

"Departed this life on Sunday morning, the 28th inst. at 6 oclock, William Todd, Esq. in the 68th year of his age. He had resided in the County more than 30 years, much of the time he was employed in public service. He was elected to the state legislator in 1783 and for several succeeding the federal constitution, afterwards to the state assembly, and in 1789, he was elected a member of the convention which prepared and enacted the present Constitution of Penns. and was appointed one of the first associate judges under that Constitution which he about two years afterwards declined on being elected into the state Senate in place of Gen. Butler when sent on command. In all which he served with public approbation. Since leaving the Senate, he has lived retired for about eight years past, his health has been gradually declining. Before he came to Westmoreland, he had been a member of the committee that preserved order at the commencement of the revolution, had a seat on the bench, and was a field officer of the militia in Bedford Co. and to the last, was a zealous friend and supporter of the Repub. Con. of this State and of the U.S., but few such early patriots now remain."

¹ George Albert, History of Westmoreland Pennsylvania (pub. 1882), pp. 190, 212, 635

² Della Reagan Fischer, Marriage and Death Notices from Weekly Newspapers. LDS microfilm #844896 Item 2

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(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Ann Todd of Westmoreland Co., PA, proved in 1817, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS) Ann Todd's will is recorded in Westmoreland Co. Will Book 1:428.(794),, book 974.881 P22c) A copy was published in *Todd Times*. Also of interest are wills of James Todd 4:464 dated 1863, Samuel Todd 6:326 dated 1879, and Elizabeth E. Todd 7:434 dated 1886.

1233. **MARY RAMBO**, like her sister Elizabeth, was alive in 1758 but apparently had died by 1772.

Could this be the Mary Rambow who married widower Jacob Maesener? They were married at St. Michael's and Zion Church, Philadelphia on 3 Mar 1767.¹

1234. **ALICE RAMBO** was born about 1748, was orphaned in 1758, and chose Jacob Umsted for her guardian in 1766. Alice was mentioned in her grandfather Lane's will. She married EDWARD **ROBERTS** by license dated 8 Apr 1768.² Edward was the son of Samuel and Catherine (Francis) Roberts of Providence, in Lower Perkiomen.^{3,4} In 1771 Edward's parents granted him 130 acres, 53 perches of land. Edward Roberts died intestate in 1810; Alice died in 1817 and is buried beneath a large marble slab in the Lower Providence Baptist Graveyard. They had these children:

- 12341. SAMUEL ROBERTS, b. after 1768, m. Barbara (?)
- 12342. JEMIMA ROBERTS, b. 1771, d. 1847, m. Benjamin Davis
- 12343. JOHN ROBERTS
- 12344. ELIZABETH ROBERTS, b. 1778, d. 1863, m. Joseph Johnson
- 12345. JESSE ROBERTS
- 12346. WILLIAM ROBERTS, b. 1783, d. 27 Jun 1849
- 12347. JONATHAN ROBERTS
- 12348. EDWARD ROBERTS Jr.
- 12349. ALICE ROBERTS, m. Alexander Phillips

The Journal of Isaac Holstein records death of John Roberts of the valley at an advanced age on 6 Mar 1846.

1235. **PETER RAMBO** was born 1 Oct 1751 in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania. He was named in his grandfather Lane's will of 1771.⁵ He married NANCY <u>ANN</u> **JAMES** on 17 Nov 1772 at the Second Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia.⁶ She was born 30 Jun 1755 in Wales. Peter served as a private in Capt. Ambros Cram's Co., 9th battalion,

- ⁵ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, *Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country* (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104
- ⁶ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of [PA] Marriages Prior to 1810, Vol. 2, p. 607' 17 Nov 1776 on p. 593'

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 340'

² Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 2, Names ... Marriage Licenses ... Previous to 1790 (1876), pp. 239 or 203', 210'

³ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

⁴ H. W. Kriebel, ed., "The DeHaven Family, No. 12," *The Perkiomen Region*, vol. 12 (3,4), p. 25 (Oct 1934)

Lancaster Co., PA militia.¹ Peter died 13 Apr 1821 aged 69y 6m 12d, Nancy died 25 Aug 1834 in Coolspring Township, Mercer Co., PA at the age of 79, and they are buried in old Coolspring Presbyterian Church Cemetery.^{2,3} Peter and Ann Rambo had 10 children:⁴

- 12351. JOHN RAMBO, b. 25 Sep 1775, d. 2 Oct 1850, m. Esther (?)
- 12352. THOMAS RAMBO, b. 30 Sep 1777, d. before 1849, m. Elizabeth (?)
- 12353. MARY (Polly) RAMBO, b. 20 Mar 1781, m. David William Findley
- 12354. PETER RAMBO, b. 26 Dec 1784, d. by Nov 1830, m. Elizabeth (?)
- 12355. NANCY RAMBO, b. 13 Dec 1786, d. 9 Jan 1835, m. James Young
- 12356. JAMES RAMBO, b. 12 Apr 1789, d. 19 Oct 1862, m. ?
- 12357. SARAH RAMBO, b. 3 Jun 1792, d. 27 Apr 1865, m. Joseph Junkin, III
- 12358. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 31 Dec 1794, m. Mr. Wilson
- 12359. WILLIAM TODD RAMBO, b. 3 Jun 1796, d. 21 Apr 1815
- 1235A. DAVID RAMBO, b. 25 Apr 1798, d. 1866, m. Sarah Moore

Another Peter Rambo [#3363] is reputed to have married Ann James on same date, 17 Nov 1772. Is there any record of the name NANCY Ann James other than the book of cemetery inscriptions in Mercer Co.?

Is the surname James or Jemes? ⁵

1236. **RACHEL RAMBO** was born prior to 1754 when her mother died. She was living in 1772 but was not married at the time as she is called Rachel Rambo in her grandfather Lane's will while her sisters are called by their married names.⁶

The children of [#124] Peter and Mary (Peters) Rambo [son of Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. They resided in Providence Township, near Trappe, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, Dauphin Co., PA, and Hampshire Co., Virginia.

1241. **ANNA RAMBO** was born 16 Dec 1749 and was christened on 12 Jun 1750 in the Augustus Evangelical Lutheran Church at Trappe, New Providence Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, with sponsor Anna Magdelena Bauerin.^{7,8} Perhaps this is the Ann Rambo who married Jacob Weikel and had son John Henry Weikel. John Henry Weikel married Margaret Heebner and had seven children).⁹

¹ Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 155, 1920 (1937)

² Pat Montgomery, family records, Newton, IA 50208

³ "Old Cool Spring Church Cemetery," Mercer Co. PA Tombstone Inscriptions, D.A.R. Library, Washington, D.C., p. 111

⁴ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 2 (Nov 1983), pp. 10, 31-32 by Pat Montgomery

⁵ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 155, 1920* (1937), p. 8

⁶ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

⁷ Pennsylvania German Society, *Pennsylvania German Church Records* (pub. 1983), vol. 1, p. 383

⁸ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, letter of 15 May 1999, enclosure to Mr. Wilson

⁹ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (New York, 1923), pp. 291, 318, 339

1242. EZEKIEL RAMBO was born between 1750 and 1760 in Providence Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. He was on the tax rolls of Providence Township in 1781, 1782, and 1783.¹ By 1785, Ezekiel lived in East Hanover Township, Dauphin Co., Pennsylvania.² He also served in the Revolutionary War in 1785 as a member of Capt. Ambrose Crain's Co., Dauphin Co., where his name was misspelled "Zeachaih."³ His son John was born in 1786 and baptized 14 May 1788 in the Swatara Reformed Congregation, Jonestown, Lebanon Co., Pennsylvania.⁴ Ezekiel Rambo appears in the 1790 census in Dauphin Co., but soon afterwards his family migrated to Hampshire Co., Virginia where his grandfather Peter Peters had settled and died in 1773. A few years later, the family moved to Washington County, Virginia where he paid £ 100 on 12 Aug 1795 for 153 acres on the South Fork of the Holston River.⁵ On 25 Jun 1813. he obtained 12 acres on the waters of the south fork of Holston River, adjoining the land of John Rudy.⁶ According to a land document dated 23 Feb 1832, Ezekiel's wife was named ELIZABETH (?), but her maiden name is not known. She was also born between 1750-60. The aging parents lived with their youngest son David at the time of the 1830 Census, and it is probable that Elizabeth's death prompted Ezekiel to write his will in Aug 1834. Ezekiel died before 25 Sep 1837 when his will was submitted for probate in Washington Co., Virginia. Ezekiel and Elizabeth (?) Rambo had these children, although the birthdates of their daughters are not known for sure:

- 12421. NANCY RAMBO, b. ca Oct 1779, d. Mar 1853, m. Samuel Thomas McCall
- 12422. ELIAS RAMBO, b. Feb 1782, m. 1) Elizabeth Kincannon, 2) Mary (?)
- 12423. MARY (Polly) RAMBO, m. John Rudy
- 12424. JOHN RAMBO, b. 12 Mar 1786, d. 8 Sep 1865, m. Dorcus Davis
- 12425. MOSES RAMBO, b. ca 1790, m. 1) Nancy Burgess, 2) Julia Gholson
- 12426. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 31 Dec 1794, m. 1) John Lindsey, 2) John Wilson
- 12427. RACHEL RAMBO, m. Mr. Woodby
- 12428. DAVID RAMBO, b. ca 1800, d. 9 Jul 1866, m. Matilda Kelley

In 1809, Ezekiel petitioned the court for permission to build a mill pond.(Washington Co., Virginia will book 3, p. 153) "The Commonwealth of Virginia to the sheriff of Washington County greeting. Whereas Ezekiel Rambo is proprietor of the lands on both sides of the south fork in this County & is desirous to build a water Grist Mill on the said land & to erect a dam across the said River for working the said Mill Therefore we command you to summon & empannel twelve fit persons to meet upon the lands proposed for the abutment on the 10th day of this month ... " The return states on the 10th day of December 1808 "that the lands of no other person except Ezekiel Rambo will

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol 16, Provincial Papers: Supply, and State Tax Lists ..., pp. 24, 239, 644

² Richard T. Williams, et. al., eds., "Assessment ... Dauphin ... 1785" *Pennsylvania Traveler Post*, vol. 17 (3), p. 30 (May 1981) ³ *Pennsylvania Archives, 5th Series*, vol. 7, *6th Series*, vols. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, *Muster Rolls Relating to the Associators and Militia*.

Recorded as Zachel Rambo £0.15.0

⁴ William J. Hinke, Church Record of Swatara Reformed ... LDS microfilm #20348, Reformed Church Records in E. PA

⁵ Lewis Summers, comp., Annals of Southwest Virginia, 1769-1800 (pub. 1929), p. 1310 citing "Brief of Deeds" p 423

⁶ Washington County, Virginia Land Records.

be endamaged ..." recorded 19 Dec 1809.

The will of Ezekiel Rambo is dated 24 Aug 1834, proved 25 Sep 1837, and recorded in Washington Co., VA will book 7: page 235 as follows:

" I, Ezekiel Rambo of Washington County, Virginia do make and ordain this my Last Will in Manner and form as followeth, that is to say in the place I give seven of my children Elias Rambo, Moses Rambo, and John Rambo, my sons, and Rachel Woodby, Polly Rudy, Elizabeth Wilson, and Nancy McCall all the moneys and debts owing to me, and all the personal property belonging to me at my death, to be equally divided between them, only I allow my three sons first named to have fifteen dollars each more than my daughters, some of whom have rec'd part of their share and have given receipts which is to be discounted out of their part to make them all equal.

Secondly, I give to my youngest son, David Rambo, all that part of the tract of land that I now live on which lies on the north side of the south fork of Holston river, and joining the lands of James Rhea and David Buchanan to be freely enjoyed and possessed by him after my death. In witness wherof I have unto set my hand & affixed my seal this 24th day of August in the year of our Lord 1834.

Signed, sealed and delivered

in the presence of us the witnesses s/ Ezekiel Rambo Jno Keys, D. Gilliland

Wm. Gilliland"

The inventory of the estate was recorded in will book 9:75 and valued at \$490.79 including notes due from Peter Mock, William Hanes, James Spear, David Rambo, James Wilder, Fulton Kelly, Aaron Rambo, Francis K Wright and John Reid. The sale of the estate on 18 Nov 1837 shows that most items were purchased by his children, Mary Rudy; Elizabeth Wilson; and David, John, John Jr., and James Rambo. Mary Rudy bought an axe for 55 cents; Elizabeth Wilson bought the dung fork for 30 cents; John Rambo bought the still and kegs for \$15.18; James Rambo bought the rifle gun for \$3.18. Other purchasers included John K. Gilliland, Edward Thomas, Francis K. Wright, And.w Edmondson, Edward Roe, John Reid, Thomas Wright, Thomas McGee, Reuben Widener, and Peter Rutledge.

Thomas Majors & wife Sarah sold to Ezekiel Ranbaugh for £100 on 12 Aug 1795 for 153 acres on the South Fork of the Holston River.¹ Purchase recorded 1:278. Washington Co., VA Deed Book 11 page 66:

"This Indenture made this 23 day of February One Thousand eight hundred & thirty two Between Ezekiel Rambo and Elizabeth his wife of the first part, and John Rudy of the other part all of Washington County and State of Virginia Witnesseth that the aforesaid Ezekil Rambo and Elizabeth his wife hath Bargained and sold and in consideration of the sum of ten dollars to him in hand paid by the aforesaid John Rudy doth grant Bargain

¹ Washington Co., Virginia, Deed Book 1, page 423

and sell unto the aforesaid John Rudy a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the said Washington County on the south east side of the south fork of Holston River and Bounded as followeth To wit. Beginning at a large black oak corner to John Rudy & Ezekiel Rambo land, running thence N 79 W 42 poles to a white oak corner to John Rosen__ and Ezekiel Rambo's land, thence ... thence with Rudy's line N 16 E 27 poles to the Beginning containing five acres ..." Ezekiel Rambo delivered the deed and requested that it be recorded.¹

"James Barbour Esq^r Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia To all to whom these presents shall come greeting: Know Ye That by virtue of a Land Office Treasury Warrant N^o 4592, issued the 2nd day of December 1809, there is granted by the said Commonwealth, unto Ezekiel Rambow, a certain tract or parcel of land, containing Twelve acres, by survey, bearing date the 7th day of May 1812, situate in the County of Washington, on the waters of the south fork of Holston river, and bounded as followeth to wit: Beginning at a chestnut and pine sapling near the top of a clift; thence north fifty degrees, east nineteen poles to a white oak, south eighty five degrees, east seventy two poles to a chestnut stump, in a field; south twelve degrees east forty four poles to a white oak near a road, north fifty three degrees west seventy three poles to a large black oak corner to John Rudeys land; south eight degrees west thirty three poles to two white oaks on a hill side; and thence north fifty three degrees west forty one poles to the beginning with its appurtenances; To Have and To Hold the said tract or parcel of land with its appurtenances to the said Ezekiel Rambow, and his heirs forever. In Witness whereof the said James Barbour Esq^r Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia hath hereunto set his hand and caused the lesser seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed at Richmond on the twenty fifth Day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thriteen and of the Commonwealth the thirty seventh [signed] J^S Barbour".²

A Rambo son must have married a daughter of John Larrimore, who, in his will dated 26 May 1829 and proved on 17 Nov 1829, bequeathed money to a grandson John Larrimore Rambo.(Wash. Co. wills 6:106) John L. Rambo was executor of the estate of Samuel P. Neal circa 1856; cf. Ezekiel Rambo [#124244]. James McCall [#124211] married Mary Jane Larimore in 1841 in Washington Co., VA.

Other Washington Co. probate records of interest are:

- Elias Rambo 1849 inventory WB11:162, sale WB11:163, settlement WB12:161;

- John Rambo 1865 inventory WB16:325, sale WB16:327(0),, Pippenger, Wesley E., comp. Index to Virginia Estates 1800-1865 vol. 3 (Richmond, VA: Virginia

⁻ Ezekiel Rambo 1837 will (transcribed above) WB7:235, sale WB9:76, inventory (abstracted above) WB9:75, settlement WB9:182, grist mill (transcribed above) WB3:153;

¹ L. Len Clardy, Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills (1992), Rambo traveling papers 2003

² Virginia Land Office Grants #63, 1812-1813, p. 477 (reel 129); Library of Virginia website: http://ajax.lva.lib.va.us

Genealogical Society, 2002\: p. 492)

Other "Windy Hill" records of interest are:

May 19, 1795. "to Thomas McCall. 70 pounds. 215 acres on the South Fork of the Holston River".¹ (210),, p. 1309) [RSB note: Perhaps the father of Samuel Thomas McCall who married Nancy Rambo?]

"June 17, 1790 Thos. Wolsey and Sarah his wife ... 300 acres on the waters of the South Fork of the Holston River".(210),, p. 1304) [RSB note: Could Rachel Rambo have married Wolsey rather than Woodby?]

Botetourt County Marriages "1793 Rambo, Enos Sarah Williams" [parents not named](210),, p. 529)

Windy Hill Road and Laurel Creek are near the beginning of the South Fork of the Holston River, east of Damascus, Virginia. In 1792, part of Washington Co., VA became Washington Co., TN ... and later, Carter Co., TN, and in 1836 Johnson Co., TN.

The children of [#125] William and Hannah (Lane) Rambo [son of Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1251. **REBECCA RAMBO** was born before 1758 when her father died and named her in his will. She was living in 1771 when her grandfather Lane died and bequeathed her ± 20 .²

1252. ANN RAMBO was born before 1758 when her father died and named her in his will. She was living in 1771 when her grandfather Lane died and left her $\pm 20.^3$

The children of [#126] Gunnar and (?) Rambo, his wife [son of Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1261. **MOSES RAMBO** may have been born about 1755, but the birthdate is not known. He married an English Presbyterian named MARGARETH (?). Moses Rambo appeared on the tax lists for Limerick for the years 1779, 1780, and in 1782 when part of the tax was paid for David Kennedy.⁴ In the 1800 Census, his household now in Providence Township consisted of one male over age 45, one female between ages 26-45, two males and one female between ages 16-25, and 2 females under the age of 10. It is not known if all were their children, or whether some were grandchildren. The known children of Moses and Margaret were baptized by Rev. Muhlenberg in the Augustus Church, Limerick Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania on 15 Apr 1781, Easter Sunday.⁵ [Page 414 - 14 Apr - "They are Susanna, four years old last January, and

- ³ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, *Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country* (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104
- ⁴ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 15, pp. 73, 74 & vol. 16, Provincial Papers: Supply, and State Tax Lists ..., p. 174

¹ Lewis Summers, comp., Annals of Southwest Virginia, 1769-1800 (pub. 1929), pp. 1304, 1309 citing "Brief of Deeds"

² Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

⁵ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985; *Muhlenberg Journals* 3:414-15, 417, 640

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Gunnar, one year and nine months old, children of Moses Rambow and his wife Margreth. He is of Swedish descent, she of English Presbyterian background." Page 417 - 28 Apr - "Moses Rambow brought me the ages of his two baptized children, Susanna and Gunnar, and gave me 24 Cont[inental] dollars for recording the baptisms. Susanna was born on February 3, 1777, and Gunnar on July 21, 1779." Page 640 - 26 Dec - " In the afternoon I baptized the child of English parents, Mr. Moses Rambo and his wife Margretha. The child, born 22 Jul, a.c., was named Isaiah. The parents themselves stood as sponsors."] Ezekiel Howell of Charlestown, Pennsylvania provided \$16 per year for life to Margaret, widow of Moses Rambo according to his will of 1812. Moses and Margaret Rambo had five known children:

- 12611. SUSANNA RAMBO, b. 3 Feb 1777
- 12612. GUNNAR RAMBO, b. 21 Jul 1779
- 12613. ISAIAH RAMBO, b. 22 Jul 1784
- 12614. Daughter RAMBO, b. between 1785-1790
- 12615. Daughter RAMBO, b. between 1790-1800

1262. AARON RAMBO was born prior to 1768 as he was counted in 1786 as between the ages of 18-53 and capable of bearing arms in the Revolution. He was single on the tax list of 1779 for Limerick township, Montgomery Co., PA and lived in his parents household.¹ He also married an English wife, ANNA **BOLTON**, who was born about 1761, a daughter of Edward Boulton. Anna and their children were baptized by Rev. Muhlenberg.² [Page 591 - 9 May, Sunday - "At home I baptized (a) William, son of Aaron Rambo and his wife Anna, one year and nine months old; (b) Elisabeth, daughter of Henry Boulton and his wife Christina, five months old. Sponsors: the grandparents, Peter Becker and his wife." Page 615 - 26 Sep - "Aaron Rambo brought his twentythree-year-old English wife Anna (Bolton's daughter), who desired to be baptized. I first examined her in the most important rudiments, commended her in prayer to her Lord, who had brought her, had her recite the three articles of the Christian faith, the Lord's Prayer, and the [biblical] verses concerning Holy Baptism, and thereupon baptized her in the presence of several witnesses." Page 708 - 4 Jun, Pentcost - "I baptized two children at home: (a) Joseph, infant son of Aaron Rambo and his wife Anna, born August 30, 1785. The witnesses were the parents and Mr. Moses Rambo, who is of Swedish descent and lives five miles away."] In the Census of 1790, there were 2 males under 16, one male over 16 years of age, and two women in the household. By 1800 the family lived in Limerick Township, and there were five children at home, but Aaron's wife was not listed. His will was signed 25 Nov 1803 and proved 23 Dec 1803.

- 12621. WILLIAM RAMBO, baptized 9 May 1784 aged 1 yr. 9 mos.
- 12622. JOSEPH RAMBO, b. 30 Aug 1785, bapt. 4 Jun 1786 wit. Moses Rambo
- 12623. Son RAMBO, b. between 1785-1790
- 12624. Daughter RAMBO, b. between 1785-1790

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 3rd Series, vol. 15, Provincial Papers: Supply, and State Tax Lists ..., p. 74

² Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985; *Muhlenberg Journals* 3:591, 615, 708

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12625. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. ca 1793, m. Peter Tyson.¹

The will of Aaron Rambo of Providence Township was recorded in Montgomery Co. Will Book 2: pages 362. An abstract follows:²

November 25, 1803. December 23, 1803. 2.362

Farms to be rented to son William, farm bought of John Guardner subject to the payment of 125 pds. To son John, farm where testator lives, subject to the payment of 175 pds. Personalty to be sold. To daughter Elizabeth 300 pds. when 21. Rem. to be divided among 3 children. Execs: Brother Levi, Henry Pennebecker. Wit: Jacob Wismer, Jacob Carl.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Aaron Rambo of Montgomery Co., PA dated 1803, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS. Perhaps on LDS Family History microfilm #21547)

The will of Edward Boulton names his son-in-law Aaron Rambo:

BOULTON, EDWARD. Limerick.

July 10, 1785. July 30, 1785. 1.43

To wife Mary all things necessary. To son John Boulton, 50 acres of land. He to pay his sisters: Lydia Staut, Elizabeth Sower, Anna Rambo and Pheby Boulton the sum of 100 pds. equally divided. Rem. to my 3 sons: Aaron Boulton, Levy and Nathan Boulton equally divided. They to pay their 4 sisters the sum of 220 pds. Execs: John and Aaron Boulton, son in law Aaron Rambo. Wit: Gunne Rambo, Abraham Updegraff, Francis Hobson.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Edward Boulton of Limerick dated 1785, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

1263. **JOHN RAMBO** was born between 1755-1775. He may have been married and living with his aging parents in Limerick Township when enumerated in the 1800 Census.

1264. **ABRAHAM RAMBO** was born between 1755 and 1774. It is possible that he was the Abraham Rambo married to CATHERINE **TYSON**, the sister of Jacob Tyson, the miller who left property to his sisters in 1824. The 1800 Census listed Abraham in Limerick Township with a male and female between the ages of 26-45, one male between age 10-16, and a female under the age of 10. The Chester *Village Record* of 14 Dec 1852 reported: "Death Notice on the 4th instant, at her residence, in East Coventry township, Chester county, Mrs. CATHARINE RAMBO, aged 88 years and 19 days".³

12641. GEORGE RAMBO, b. 18 Nov 1787, d. 28 Aug 1867, m. Anne Fox 12642. Daughter RAMBO, b. between 1790-1800

¹ David Kriebel, e-mail of 6 Jan 2003 citing unspecified papers at Montgomery Co. Hist. Soc.

² Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, e-mail of 2 Sep 2002

³ Pennsylvania Genealogical Catalogue (Accessible Archives, c1993) CD-ROM no. 6. Chester Village Record

1265. **ELI RAMBO** was born 11 Dec 1773 and married MARGARET (?) who was born 9 Oct 1776. In 1800 the family lived in Limerick Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania with two young daughters. Eli died 10 Dec 1823, and Margaret died 28 Nov 1831. The family Bible was discovered by a book collector at an estate sale in the vicinity of Palmyra-Annville, PA; it records ten children:¹

- 12651. JOSEPH RAMBO, b. 11 Sep 1797
- 12652. MARY RAMBO, b. 5 Sep 1798, d. 2 Dec 1835, m. Henry Isett
- 12653. SUSANNA RAMBO, b. 7 Mar 1800, d. 11 Jan 1851, m. Israel Peterman
- 12654. ALICE RAMBO, b. 26 Mar 1802, d. 14 Nov 1882, m. John F. Shantz
- 12655. ABEL RAMBO, b. 30 Aug 1803
- 12656. JONAH RAMBO, b. 17 Feb 1807
- 12657. ELI RAMBO, b. 15 Aug 1811, d. 11 Mar 1847, m. Martha (?)
- 12658. HANNAH RAMBO, b. 17 Mar 1814
- 12659. MARGARET RAMBO, b. 29 Mar 1815
- 1265A. REUBEN RAMBO, b. 25 Apr 1818

The will of Eli Rambo was written 26 Nov 1823, probated 12 Jan 1824, and recorded in Montgomery Co. Will Book 6: page 187. It was filed as #5278 and is transcribed from that original as follows:

"Be it Remembered that I Eli Rambo of Limerick Township Montgomery County in the State of Pennsylvania. Being sick and weak in body. but of sound mind and memory do this twenty sixth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty three. Do make and publish this my last will and testament in writing in manner following - First It is my will that all my Just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of my estate by my Executors herein after named. Item I give and devise unto my beloved wife Margaret all my Messuage and plantation whereon I now live situate in Limerick Township (excepting two lots of land to be sold off if it should be wanting to pay my Just debts) to be held and enjoyed by my said wife for and during her life if she remains my widow and after the decease of my said wife my Executors shall sell the same at public or private sale and I do hereby authorise my Executors to execute and deliver unto the purcheser of my land a good and lawful deed as good as I could do in my lifetime and all the monies arising from such sail. I give the same to all my Children equally or to the surviver or survivers of them equally (excepting my daughter Mary I give her fifty pounds less) Item I also give and bequeath unto my said wife all my moveable or personal property to be held and enjoyed by her during her life if she remain my widow and after her decease my Executors shall sell the same and pay the money arising from such sale to all my Children equall or the survivers or survivers of them equal Item It is my will that my Executors is to sell my two lots of land situate in Limerick Township the one of them adjoining lands of Jacob Miller and the heirs of

¹ Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, e-mail of 18 Nov 2000, jpg files on web in pictures

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Moses Hobson containing five acres of land more or less. and the other lot adjoining lands of Daniel Haws and John Sower containing two acres of Land more or less they may sell the same at public or private sale and I do hereby authorise and impower my Executors to execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers of my said two lots of land as good deeds as I could have done in my lifetime and appropriate the monies arising from such sail to pay my Just Debts. Item It is my will if there should be money wanting to pay my Just debts. my will is that my Executors may sell one or two lots off my mansion plantation that is six or eight acres adjoining the lands of Abraham Rambo and Henry Stetler and also six or eight acres adjoining lands of Casper Hipple and I do hereby authorise and impower my Executors to execute and deliver unto the purchaser or purchasers of my said land a good and lawful deed or deeds as good as I could have done in my lifetime and appropriate the monies arising from such sale to the payment of my Just debts. Item I give and bequeath all my dividend of money arising from the sale of mv Brother John Rambos plantation in the hands of Daniel Miller I give the same to all my Children equally or the survivers of them equally Lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my beloved wife Margaret and my friend Joseph Royer and my soninlaw Henry Isett to be the Executors of this my last will and testament ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written. Eli Rambo (seal) Signed sealed published pronounced & declared by the said Eli Rambo as his last will and testament we who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses to the same Caspar Hipple, Samuel Evans" Proved 12 Jan 1824. The inventory of the estate was taken 7 Jan 1824 by Casper Hipple and Jonas Tyson and amounted to \$652.63 of furniture, livestock, farm implements and supplies. The accounting of the estate shows payments to 35 creditors, among them, George Rambo, Isaac Tysan, Barbara Tysan, Peter Tysan, Abraham Isett, John Dismant, and William Dismant.

"Norristown Weekly Register" of 28 Dec 1825

"ORPHAN'S COURT Public sale small farm late residence and property of Eli Rambo dec'd situated in Limerick 2 miles above Trappe bounded by lands of Conrad Hipple, Daniel Miller, and others containing about 59 acres of good propagation, of woodland and meadow, a constant stream of water running through same. The improvements are a 2 story frame dwelling partly new, a good barn, an apple orchard also a lot of 2 acres of woodland. Apply to Henry Isett living on premises.

Margaret Rambo [wife of the deceased], Henry Isett [Husband of Mary], Joseph Rayer, Executors".¹ Thanks to Robert Parvin for the transcription.

The children of [#152] Jacob and Anna (Rambo) Lincoln [daughter of Mons, Gunnar,

¹ Robert Parvin, e-mail of 22 Dec 2004 citing Rambo file at Montgomery County Historical Society, Norristown, PA

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Peter] were Abraham, Catarina, Anna, John, Rebecca, Moses, Mary and Jacob. See *The Cousin Connection and Genealogy of the Lincoln Cousins* by Jacob Merle Gwynne and *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.

1521. **ABRAHAM LINCOLN** was born between 1748 and 1750. He died before Jun 1811 when his children were baptized at Gloria Dei Church.¹ The minister wrote the name as LINKHORN, and made a note that Abraham was a brother of Jacob and that his mother was a daughter of Mons Rambo. Abraham's widow was named ELIZABETH **SHRUM**, a pious woman who was raised as a German Lutheran and a member of Gloria Dei Church. Her father went to war during the Revolution and never returned. She was born 17 Jan 1772 and died 14 Feb 1855. Both were buried at Gloria Dei Church in Kingsessing. They had the following children:

15211. JOHN LINCOLN, b. 18 Aug 1790, d. 20 Dec 1824, m. Martha Biddle Fimple

- 15212. CATHERINE LINCOLN, b. 5 Sep 1792, d. 23 Mar 1876, m. Henry Paschall
- 15213. ANN LINCOLN, b. 19 Apr 1795, m. Abraham Johnson Paschall
- 15214. ISAAC LINCOLN, b. 26 May 1797, m. 1) M. Smith, 2) E. Robertson
- 15215. MARY LINCOLN, b. 18 Jan 1799, d. 2 May 1872 unmarried
- 15216. ABRAHAM LINCOLN, b. 5 Sep 1802, d. 19 Sep 1892, m. Ruth Prater
- 15217. REBECCA LINCOLN, b. 11 Jan 1804, d. 7 Dec 1839, m. Isaac Carpenter
- 15218. SARAH NITZEL LINCOLN, b. 26 Jan 1810, m. Nathan Jones Lukens

Perhaps this is the Anna Elizabet Schram who was baptized 17 Jun 1773 at St. Michael's and Zion. 2

1523. **ANNA LINCOLN** was born 8 Aug 1753 and was baptized on 23 Sep 1753 at Gloria Dei Church. Sometime before 1787, she married a Mr. **BOWMAN** or Boughman. Ann Lincoln Bowman may have died by 1821 and most certainly by 1832 when her two children were named in her sister Rebecca's will:

15231. PETER BOWMAN

15232. ANN BOWMAN, m. Mr. Culin

1525. **REBECCA LINCOLN** was born 11 Dec 1757.³ She married EBENEZER **BRAVARD** on 16 May 1801 at the Third Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia. He probably died prior to 1821 when she was described as a widow. She died in the spring of 1834, and her will was proved 14 May 1834. She named her nieces and nephews of her deceased brother Abraham, her brother Moses, her sister Mary Evans, deceased sister Ann Bowman, deceased brother Jacob, and children of her deceased nephew John.

¹ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

² John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765* (pub. 1994), p. 456

³ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 305

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Rebecca Bravard proved 1834, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

1526. **MOSES LINCOLN** was born about 1759 and died 22 Feb. 1835 in Darby, Pennsylvania. He married BARBARA **KINCH** on 19 Mar 1795 at Gloria Dei Church.¹ She was born 1772 and died 28 Feb 1804. Moses and Barbara had the following children who were named in their Aunt Rebecca's will:

15261. JACOB LINCOLN, b. 1795, d. 18 Nov 1848, m. Eliza (?)

15262. GEORGE LINCOLN, b. 21 Sep 1798, m. Phoebe Speekman Hoofstitler

15263. MICHAEL LINCOLN, b. 1801, d. 16 October 1844, m. Rebecca (?)

Perhaps this is the Barbara Kiensch who was born 25 Nov 1766 and was baptized at St. Michael's and Zion, daughter of Joh. Caspar and Margaretha.

1527. **MARY LINCOLN** was born 17 Aug 1763,² and married BENJAMIN **EVANS** on 6 Jul 1786 at St. Micheal's and Zion Church in Philadelphia.³ Benjamin was born in 1751 and served under Gen. Washington in 1780 during the Revolution. He was a farmer and died 13 Jul 1834 at Ridley in Chester Co. Three of their daughters were baptized at Gloria Dei Church at the same time as her brother Abraham's children in 1811.⁴ However, one was named Elizabeth Evans Grover whose birthdate was written as 9 Apr 1786, before the parents were married, so she may have been some other relative. Benjamin and Mary Evans had these children:

- 15271. JOSEPH LINCOLN EVANS, b. 27 May 1787, m. Mary Aflick
- 15272. MARY EVANS, b. 10 Nov 1790, m. Alexander Geary
- 15273. ANN LINCOLN EVANS, b. 22 Jan 1792, m. Amos Bond
- 15274. BENJAMIN EVANS, b. 26 Jan 1795, d. before 1832 unmarried
- 15275. NATHAN EVANS, b. 25 Apr 1797, m. Emily Worrell
- 15276. PETER EVANS, b. 23 Apr 1799, m. Mary Davis
- 15277. JACOB EVANS, b. 7 Nov 1802, died young.

There were two Benjamin Evans born about the right time, one born 16d 9m 1751 son of Jonathan and Hannah, and the other, born about Nov 1752 son of Joseph and Mary, was baptized at Trinity Episcopal Church in Oxford Township, Philadelphia Co.⁵

1528. **JACOB LINCOLN** was born 1 Apr 1766.⁶ He married MARY **TAYLOR** on 11 Apr 1792 at Gloria Dei Church.⁷ (She was possibly born 13 Sep 1770, the daughter of

¹Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), pp. 444', 434'

² John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 306

³ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 408'. Recorded as Maria Linckhorn.

⁴ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

⁵ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1766-1780 (pub. 1995), vol 2, p. 143

⁶ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1766-1780 (pub. 1995), vol 2, p. 313

⁷ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), pp. 444', 542'

Samuel and Mary (Bankston) Taylor [#21344].)¹ They had children who were baptized at Gloria Dei Church. Mary apparently died before her husband; Jacob died before 1834 as his sister Rebecca, in her will, named Israel, William, and Mary Lincoln as children of her deceased brother Jacob. His will named these children:

- 15281. MOSES LINCOLN, d. by 1834
- 15282. JACOB LINCOLN, b. 19 Oct 1793, d. by 1832, m. Ms. Tage
- 15283. SAMUEL LINCOLN, d. by 1832
- 15284. MARY LINCOLN, b. 26 Oct 1803, d. after 1832, m. John Davis
- 15285. JOHN RUTTER LINCOLN, b. 17 Mar 1808
- 15286. CHARLES LINCOLN, d. after 1832, m. Eliza (?)
- 15287. ISRAEL LINCOLN, d. after 1835, m. Martha Ann (?)
- 15288. WILLIAM LINCOLN, d. after 1837

The will of Jacob Lincoln was signed 22 Mar 1822, proved 17 Sep 1822, and recorded in Philadelphia Will Book 7: page 534, #114. It is transcribed as follows:

"In the name of God Amen I Jacob Lincoln Senr of the Township of Kingsessing in Philadelphia County being of a weak state of body but of a sound and disposing mind memory and understanding praised be God for the same and considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and to the intent that I may be better prepared to leave this world whenever it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and declare this my last will and testament in manner following viz Imprimis I do order all my just debts and funeral expenses to be paid as soon as conveniently after my decease by my Executors hereinafter named ITEM I give unto my son Moses fifty dollars to be paid in equal payments of ten dollars a year the first payment to be made one year after my decease I give unto my son Jacob one hundred dollars to be paid in equal payments of ten dollars a year the first payment to be made one year after my decease Provided nevertheless if either of my said sons Moses or Jacob should bring any charges against my estate for any services whatever or if my son Jacob should bring any charge for repairs or buildings on the lot where he now resides, then these gifts to be void and of no effect as to the one who charges and the money to be equally divided amongst my four Youngest sons ITEM I give unto son Samuel a small lot of land which I purchased of William Hurlick adjoining & of equal dimensions with the lot hereinafter devised to my four youngest sons, to him his lawful his or assigns forever ITEM I give unto my daughter Mary a small house and lot of land situated on the Darby road adjoining land of Andrew Hansell, which I purchased of Joseph Leech (my son Jacob now resides on it) with the appurtenances unto her and her lawful heirs and assigns forever, I also give her one feather bed, bed steads and saccon bottom two pair of blankets, two pair of sheets one bolster two pillows and one coverlid, the best in my possession. ITEM I give and devise unto my four youngest sons viz: John, Charles, Israel, and William all my messuage and land where I now reside adjoining land of George Gesner and others supposed to be nine or ten acres more or less which I purchased of Stephen and Ann Paschall I also give them a piece of Marsh meadow land which I purchased of Thomas J Paschall supposed to be five acres more or less and I further devise unto them a small lot of land with and unfinished house on it situated on the Darby roads adjoining and of a equal dimensions with the lot devised to my son Samuel with the hereditaments and appurtenances to them and their lawful heirs or assigns forever to be equally divided amongst them share and share alike when the youngest arrives at the age of twenty one years And I give an devise unto them my said four youngest sons all the residue of my Estate of whatever name or whereever it may be found ..."

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1766-1780 (pub. 1995), vol 2, p. 504

The children of [#171] Matthias and Mary (Holstein) Rambo [son of Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter; and daughter of Brigitta (Rambo) Holstein, Gunnar, Peter].

1711. **GABRIEL RAMBO** was born about 1743. He married MARIA **KIENTSCH** at Gloria Dei Church on 20 Mar 1766.¹ She was born 24 Jan 1744 in Munhausen-an-des Enz, Germany, daughter of Johannes Kientsch. Her family immigrated when she was 10 years old. Gabriel died 6 Jun 1774 and is buried at Gloria Dei. Maria was still living in 1795. They had these children baptized at St. Michael's and Zion, Philadelphia:^{2,3}

- 17111. MARY RAMBO, b. 19 Sep 1768
- 17112. THEODOR WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 2 Aug 1771
- 17113. CATHARINA RAMBO, b. 25 Aug 1773

The children of [#171] Matthias and Jane (?) Rambo, his second wife.

1712. EZEKIEL RAMBO was born about 1746 in Upper Merion Township, according to the 1783 census of members of Christ Church (Old Swedes).⁴ Conflicting dates have been given for his birth as there were several Ezekiel Rambos alive at that time: born in 1738 and died in 1808 in many DAR records, see Martha Jenkins Prentice among others,⁵ and born in 1755 in records by Shearon and others.⁶ Mathias Rambo and his wife Jane conveyed land to their son Ezekiel by a land deed, dated 1 Jan 1773 and recorded in Norristown, Pennsylvania.⁷ The deed stated that Gunnar Rambo [#1], grandfather of Mathias, sold the land to his son Gabriel [#17], who was the father of said Mathias. In 1778, about the age of 23, Ezekiel married ELIZABETH MATSON, the daughter of Peter and Ann (Ely) Matson.⁸ She was born 18 Mar 1756 and had been raised as a Quaker. She took instructions and was baptized at Gloria Dei Church with four of their children on 28 Dec 1783.⁹ During the American Revolution in 1781, Ezekiel served as a private in Capt. Amos Sturge's Co. First Battalion, Philadelphia County Militia. He was also called out for duty in May and Oct of 1784 with his company from Upper Merion.¹⁰ The family moved to Radnor Township in Chester Co. about 1784, and Ezekiel was called out to serve in Capt. Mordecai Morgan's Co. during the spring of 1784.¹¹ The family moved from Radnor to Honeybrook, Chester Co. by 1800. Ezekiel was thought to have died in 1808, but he and his wife were listed on the 1810 Census living in Honeybrook, as was his son Jehu, with his sons Joseph and Nathan living nearby in the same county. Ezekiel and Elizabeth

² John T. Humphrey, *Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1766-1780* (pub 1995), vol. 2, p. 411

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), pp. 491 or 502'

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985, ref. Michael Kinch, Corvallis, OR

⁴ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 61, Appendix C census of 1783 aged 37, wife Elizab. Matson, English, 26.

⁵ Martha Jenkins Prentice, Daughters of the American Revolution, unpublished lineage for member #502713

⁶ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946, pp. 243-244

⁷ Montgomery County, PA (Norristown) Land Deeds Book 4, p. 202. Land deed of Mathias Rambo to Ezekiel Rambo ⁸ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), p. 105

⁹ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

¹⁰ Pennsylvania Archives, 6xth Series, ed. Montgomery, vol. 1, Muster Rolls ... Associators and Militia ... Philadelphia, p. 635

¹¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 5th Series, vol. 7, 6th Series, vols. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, Muster Rolls Relating to the Associators and Militia

(Matson) Rambo may have had ten children, but only these are known:¹

- 17121. JEHU RAMBO, b. 17 May 1778, d. 18 May 1861, m. Eleanor Robinson
- 17122. JOSEPH RAMBO, b. 21 July 1779, m. 1) Huldah Morris, 2) Elizabeth Statin
- 17123. NATHAN MATSON RAMBO, b. 23 Mar 1781, m. Elizabeth Ash
- 17124. ANNA RAMBO, b. 17 Feb 1783, d. 18 Mar 1864, m. James McClellan
- 17125. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 5 Feb 1785
- 17126. SARAH RAMBO, b. 30 July 1787, m. Evan T. Cooper
- 17127. EZEKIEL RAMBO Jr., b. 18 Mar 1788, d. Mar 1858, m. Margaret Griffith
- 17128. PETER RAMBO, b. 18 Mar 1789, d. after 1850, m. Phebe Murray

In Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.], on 1 Jan 1773, Mathias Rambo, yeoman, of Upper Merion & wife Jane deeded to Ezekial Rambo, their eldest son, cordwainer, land in Upper Merion. ... Gunnar Rambo granted 150As to son Gabriel, who died intestate w/ 3 sons & 2 daughters - Matthias, Gabriel & Andrew; Christian & Martha. Gabriel & Andrew both died intestate & w/o issue. as recorded 16 Dec 1788 in Deeds vol. 4, p. 202.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the deed described above - recorded 1788 in Deeds 4:202, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

Mrs. Elizabeth (Matson) Rambo received a bequest from each of her parents. See Philadelphia Wills of Peter Matson 16 Dec 1788 and of Ann Matson 22 Dec 1795.

1713. **BENJAMIN RAMBO** was born 28 Feb 1756 and served in Capt Amos Sturges Co., First Bn, Philadelphia Militia in 1781, and as Lieutenant in Capt Sturges Co, Fifth Regiment, Foot in 1784.² On 6 Mar 1804 at Gloria Dei Church in Philadelphia, he married MARTHA **SUPPLEE**.³ She was the daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Ball) Supplee, born 18 Dec 1763. Benjamin died 27 May 1811, Martha died 9 Sep 1815, and they were buried in the Christ Church (Old Swedes) graveyard.⁴ They lived in Norristown at the time their son was christened at Gloria Dei Church in Philadelphia.^{5,6}

17131. CHARLES RAMBO, b. 19 Dec 1804, d. 8 Dec 1828, m. Priscilla Fisher 17132. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 20 May 1807, d. 15 Apr 1836, m. Isaac H. Miller 17133. JANE RAMBO, d. before 1855.⁷

The book Ball Cousins by Margaret Kinsey examines all the descendants of Joseph Ball according to two estate distributions dated 1838 and 1857. Martha (Supplee) Rambo's

¹ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1766-1780 (pub. 1995), vol. 2, p. 411

² Pennsylvania Archives, 6th Series, ed. Montgomery, vol. 1, Muster Rolls ... Associators and Militia ... Philadelphia, p. 635

³ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms 1879-1927 -- Marriages 1750-1789*. LDS microfilm #511806

⁴ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard Inscriptions ...," *Publications of the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania*, vol. 14 (3), p. 264 ⁵ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

⁶ Charles Major, Montgomery County Church, Bible, ... Records, Hist. Soc. of Montgomery Co. LDS microfilm #21595 Item 2

⁷ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 287

The will of Benjamin Rambo of Norristown was recorded in Montgomery Co. Will Book 3: pages 301. An abstract follows:¹

February 28, 1811. April 15, 1811. 3.301

To wife Martha, all estate and farm, in Upper Merion, until son Charles is 21, and household. If she marries, she shall receive the sum of 10 pds. yearly. to daughters Jane and Elizabeth, 100 pds. Exrs. to make repairs to farm after repairs are made, Exrs. to put rem. of money in interest for use of son Charles. To son Charles, farm, he attains the age of 21 and rem. of estate subject to the privilege of mother.

Exec: Nathan Rambo. Wit: W. H. Holstein, Nathan Potts.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Benjamin Rambo of Montgomery Co., PA in 1811, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

The will of Martha Rambo of Upper Merion was recorded in Montgomery Co. Will Book 4: pages 154. An abstract follows:²

August 18, 1815. November 4, 1815. 4.154

To son Charles, 5 pds. To daughters Jane and Elizabeth, profits and rem. of residue. Personal estate to be sold. Exec: Brother John Supplee. Wit: Nathan Potts, and Ebenezer Rambo.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Martha Rambo of Montgomery Co., PA dated 1815, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

1714. **NATHAN RAMBO** was born about 1759 in Upper Merion Township, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania [now Montgomery Co.].³ He married HESTER **REES** (or REESE) before 1782. She was Welsh, Quaker, born about 1761 according to the 1783 census.⁴ Hester was dismissed from the Quaker Monthly Meeting on 7 Mar 1783 for marrying outside the faith.⁵ Nathan served in the Revolutionary War in Capt. Amos Sturges Co., First Bn., Philadelphia County Militia in 1781 and in the 5th Regt., Foot in 1784.⁶ Hester died 10 Apr 1796 at age 32, three months before the birth of her last child, according to the burial records of Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion.⁷ Nathan died on 27 Jul 1845 aged 86 and was buried beside his wife at Christ Church

⁶ Pennsylvania Archives, 5th Series, vol. 7, 6th Series, vols. 1:728, 3:1329, Muster Rolls Relating to the Associators and Militia

¹ Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, e-mail of 2 Sep 2002

² Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, e-mail of 2 Sep 2002

³ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 61, Appendix C census of 1783

⁵ Pennsylvania Quaker Monthly Meeting Records, LDS Family History Library, microfilm #2955. [Obsolete film number.]

⁷ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

Rambo Family Tree: Fifth Generation

(Old Swedes), Upper Merion.¹ Nathan and Hester had these children:

- 17141. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 30 Nov 1782, d. 25 Feb 1854, m. Grace Levering
- 17142. REES RAMBO, b. 1788, d. 3 Jan 1865, m. Nancy Huzard
- 17143. ABIGAIL RAMBO, b. 8 Jul 1790, d. 15 Dec 1874, m. Mordecai DeHaven
- 17144. MARY RAMBO, b. 1792, d. 29 Nov 1883, m. Aaron Rambo [#11253]
- 17145. ELI RAMBO, b. 15 Nov 1794, d. 1868, m. 1) Jane Powell, 2) Susan Fornwalt
- 17147. ANN RAMBO
- 17148. HANNAH RAMBO, m. Mr. Powell
- 17146. SUSAN RAMBO, b. 10 Jul 1796, d. 4 Jun 1887, m. Jacob Slough

Nathan Rambo's will was dated 24 May 1845, proved 11 Aug 1845, and is recorded in Montgomery Co., #5572. The inventory of his estate amounted to \$6,866.78. "Will of Nathan Rambo

I Nathan Rambo of Upper Merion Township, Montgomery County and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, being desirous while yet of sound and disposing mind and memory to direct such disposition of my worldly estate amongst my children as I deem just and proper, do declare the following as my last will and Testament to wit: First I order and direct that my Executors herein after named that as soon after my decease as they shall think best sell and dispose of all my real and personal property either at public or private sale, and shall collect in all my outstanding debts, and out of the proceeds shall in the first place pay my just debts and funeral expenses. Secondly, I give and bequeath to my son William Rambo the sum of Twenty five Dollars. Thirdly, All the rest and residue of my estate after the payment of my debts, funeral expenses, and the aforesaid legacy, I give, devise and bequeath equally to my other seven children to wit, to my sons Rees Rambo [#17142] and Eli Rambo [#17145] and to daughters Ann Rambo [#17147], Hannah Powel [#17148], Mary Rambo [#17144], Abigail Rambo Dehaven [#17143] and Susan Slough [#17146], share and share to them, their heirs, executors and administrators. Lastly, I nominate and appoint my son Rees Rambo [#17142], and my grandson Nathan Rambo, Junior to be the Executors of this my last will and Testament, giving them full power and authority to make and execute all deeds necessary for conveying my real estate and to do whatsoever else may be necessary for carrying this my will unto execution. In witness where of I have here unto set my hand and seal this Twenty fourth day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty five, (1845) Nathan Rambo (signed)

Signed, sealed, published and his last will and testament in the presence of us.

D. Wm. Corson, John Freedley" Thanks to Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine for the transcription.²

The will of Thomas Rees of Goshen was recorded in Chester Co. in 1807. An abstract

¹ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

² N. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H.Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, pp. 310-311

follows:¹

December 20, 1806: January 3, 1807.

To wife Esther half the rents and profits of plantation during life. To daughter Mary Ramsey £9 annually during life. To daughter Lydia Bates £3 annually during life. To sons and daughters Dina Willits, Isaac Rees, Hannah Green, William Rees, Thomas Rees, Benjamin and Jessey Rees equal shares of estate. To son Benjamin the place where he now lives, containing 23 acres 95 perches, paying £ 525 to my estate for the same. To grandchildren by daughter Esther Rambo £3 each. To Hannah and Abigail Ramsey a cow each. To daughter Lydia Bates an acre of ground during life.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Thomas Rees of Chester Co., PA recorded in 1807, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

These militia muster rolls are confusing; Nathan is shown:

- in early 1781- 5th class - West Whiteland Chester County, Capt Evan Anderson, (PA Archives, 5th Series, 5:629),

- 19 Sep 1781 - 8th class, ordered out - 3rd Battalion, Lower precinct Upper Merion, Capt. Amos Sturgis, (PA Archives, 6th Series, 1:729)

undated - 8th class, 3rd Battalion, 2nd Co., (PA Archives, 6th Series, 1:736)

- 19 Apr 1784 - muster roll, rank and file, Lower Company of Upper Merion, Capt Amos Sturgis, (PA Archives, 6th Series, 3:1329)

- 1786 - of age - Upper part of Upper Merion, Capt. Wm. George (PA Archives, 6th Series, 3:730)

"Burials by Rev. E. N. Lightner ... 1845 July 29 Rambo, Nathan, Sr., residence Upper Merion, buried Swedes Churchyard age 86".²

According to the Dehaven Bible record at Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA, Nathan died 10 Aug 1845, hardly likely if he was buried in July.^{3,4}

The children of [#191] Peter and Catherine (Supplee) Rambo [son of Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Andrew, Joseph, Peter and Jonathan.

1913. **PETER RAMBO** was born 17 Feb 1764 and was baptized at Gloria Dei in 3 Mar 1764 with sureties Jonas Rambo and the parents.(106),, p. 87),(101),, p. 185, earlier copy of Gloria Dei records)⁵ He died 20 Apr 1836 aged 72y 10m 6d, and is buried at Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion. He married MARY (?). In 1786-1798 he was elected vestryman at Christ Church. After the Revolution, a petition was presented to the

¹Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, e-mail of 2 Sep 2002

² LDS microfilm #21590 item #7 page 93, transcriptions of Christ Church records & tombstones (??rsb

³ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 227

⁴ Montgomery County Historical Society, Dehaven Bible record. LDS microfilm #21589

⁵ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 394

Pennsylvania Assembly to confirm and amend the charter of the United Swedish Congregations. The petition was signed by these representatives of Christ Church: Samuel Holstein [#1671], warden, and Andrew Longacre, Ezekiel Rambo, Peter Rambo and Lindsay Coates [#1674], vestrymen.¹

The tombstones in lot C-82 were recorded as follows: "Peter Rambo | who departed this life | September 20th, A. D. 1836 | aged 72 years 10 month & 6 days" and "Keziah Rambo | Daughter of Peter | and Mary [?] Rambo | who departed this life | January 29th 1816 | Aged 2 years | 10 months & 6 days" and "Ivins Rambo | Died June 10th 1838 | aged 27 years | and 3 months | Susan S. | wife of | Ivins Rambo | Died June 19th, 1890 | in the 74th year | of her age" and "Jonathan Cleaver Rambo | who departed this life | November 21st 1844 | aged 36 years 6 months and 19 days" and "Peter Rambo | who departed this life | November 21st 1844 | aged 36 years 6 months and 19 days" and "Peter Rambo | who departed this life | August 24th, 1843 | aged 32 [?] years 6 months | and 15 days" and "Rachel | wife of | Peter Rambo | Died | January 3rd, 1862 | aged 52 years 2 months | and 29 days" and "Mary Jane | daughter of Peter | & Rachel Rambo | who died on he | 16th of July 1835 [? last figure chipped] | aged 1 year | and 4 months" and "Infant | daughter of Peter | & Rachel Rambo" and "Johnathan R. | son of Peter & | Rachel Rambo | who died 23rd of | September, 1838 | aged 24 days".²

1914. **JONATHAN RAMBO** was born 27 Jul 1766,³ and married ELIZABETH **STURGES** on 29 March 1792 at Gloria Dei.⁴ She was born in 1766 and died 2 Oct 1800. After her death, Jonathan was married on 17 Mar 1801 in Philadelphia to RACHEL **DAVIS**. By Joseph Tursit (?), Min, according to the rites of the Protestant Episcopal Church.⁵ Rachel was born on 3 Apr 1777, a daughter of Thomas and Rachel (Evans) Davis.⁶ The Evans family was Welsh, and the progenitor of the family in this country, Owen Evans, was one of the four Evans brothers who were among the original settlers of Gwynedd, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania in 1698. Jonathan died 27 Nov 1810, Rachel died at age 95 on 25 Nov 1872, and they are buried in the churchyard of Christ Church (Old Swedes), Upper Merion with some of their children.^{7,8} Jonathan and Elizabeth had the following children who were listed in the family Bible:⁹

19141. CATHARINE J. RAMBO, b. 14 Feb 1793, d. 1 Apr 1863

- 19142. MARGARET S. RAMBO, b. 13 July 1794, d. 17 Feb 1837 aged 41y 5m
- 19143. JEHU J. RAMBO, b. 11 Nov 1796, d. 24 Oct 1799 aged 2y 11m 13d.¹⁰

¹ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 21

² Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 260-261 lot C-82

³ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1766-1780 (pub. 1995), vol. 2, p. 411

⁴ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), pp. 491, 527 ⁵ Duncan Ely, family research, showed copy of marriage certificate

⁶ Duncan Ely, family research, showed copy of marriage certificate of Thomas Davis to Rachel Evans

⁷ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms 1879-1927 -- Marriages 1750-1789*. LDS microfilm #511806

⁸ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms 1079-1927 - Marriages 1750-1769*. EDS interofilm #

⁹ Charles Major, *Montgomery County Church, Bible, ... Records*, Hist. Soc. of Montgomery Co. LDS microfilm #21595 Item 2

¹⁰ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

19144. JONATHAN E. RAMBO, b. 26 Dec 1799, d. 1 Mar 1818 age 18y 2m 5d Jonathan and Rachel had these children:

19145. MARK RAMBO, b. 30 Apr 1804, d. 1 Dec 1879 aged 75, unmarried

- 19146. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 28 Oct 1805, m. George Washington DeHaven
- 19147. JANE MOORE RAMBO, b. 1 Mar 1807, d. 1881, m. Alexander Supplee
- 19148. RICHARD ROBERTS RAMBO, b. 25 Mar 1809, m. Emily Y. Shainline
- 19149. DAVIS RAMBO (twin), b. 25 Mar 1809, d. 25 Jul 1822 aged 13y 4m
- 1914A. PETER RAMBO, b. 9 Feb 1811, d. 24 Aug 1843, m. Rachel Coates

The will of Jonathan Rambo of Upper Merion was dated 24 Nov 1810, proved 26 Dec 1810, recorded in Montgomery Co. Will Book 3: pages 273, filed as #5402. It transcribed from the original as follows:

"Be it Remembered that on the twenty fourth day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundrd and ten I Jonathan Rambo of the Township of Upper Merion in the County of Montgomery and State of Pennsylvania Husbandman being sick and weak of body but of sound mind and mory as at other times calling to mind the mortality of the body knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die have thought proper to make and ordain this my last Will and testament in manner following Viz^t First I Will and order all my Just debts and funeral expenses fully paid and discharged Item I give and bequeath to my dearly and well beloved Wife Rachel the whole use and profit of all my Plantation whereon I now do dwell together with all my household furniture for and during the term of ten years next after my decease also one horse two Cows four hogs and eight Sheep also one half of the Grain in the ground and Barracks all which I give unto her my said Wife toward the bring up and educating my six younger Children and the one which may be born after my decease whereof there is a probibility Item I Will and order that so much of my personal estate may be laid out and apropriated to the building of a small dwelling house on the lot of land adjoining mine (which belongs to my Mother during the term of her natural life) for the purpose of puting a tennant therein to farm the land for my said Wife during the aforesaid term of ten years Item I Will and order my Executors herein after named to sell my lot containing about four acres be the same more or less adjoining lands of John Hughes and others as soon as conveniently may be after my decease and the money arising from the sale thereof I give and bequeath to my two oldest Daughters to wit Catherine and Margaret and my Son Jonathan to be divided between them in equal shares and paid to them respectively when my said daughters attains the age of eighteen and my said Son twenty one years with the interest arising thereon together with the residue of my Stock & movables Item I give and bequeath to said two daughters a Case of drawers and Beauro which was their Mothers to wit the case of drawers to Catherine and the Beauro to Margaret And I further Will and order that my said two daughters shall have a home in my dwelling house with their Stepmother during the before mentioned term of ten years or as long as they remain single and unmarried but no longer Item I Will and order that after the expiration of the said term of ten years my said Plantation and real estate shall be sold and the money

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arising from the sale thereof I give and bequeath in the following manner that is to say one equal third part thereof to my beloved Wife Rachel as her dower therein and the remainder to be equally divided between all my Children part and share alike I also give & bequeath to my said Wife furniture Sufficient for one Chamber to be at her own disposal after the said term of ten years are expired. Item I make constitute and appoint my beloved Wife Rachel with my Brother Peter Rambo [#1913] and esteemed Friend Mathias Holstein to be my Executrix and Executors of this my last Will and Testament giving them or the survivor or survivors of them full power and authority to sell and convey my real estate at the time or times herein before appointed for the sale thereof and make execute and acknowledge good and lawful Deeds of conveyance for the same to any purchaser or purchasers and to their Heirs and Assigns forever Finally I revoke disanul and make void all former Wills Testaments Legacies and Executors by me at any time heretofore made ratifying and confirming this only to be my last Will and Testament In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date first above written. Jonathan Rambo (seal)

Signed sealed publised and declared by the said Jonathan Rambo in the presence of us the subscribers Benjamin Ramsey affd, Nathan Potts, affd"

The inventory of the estate was appraised at \$1556.39 on 20 Dec 1810 by John Jones and Benjⁿ Ramsey. The inventory listed livestock, farming items, supplies, and household furnishings.

According to Charles Barker in the 1920s the tombstone inscriptions read thusly: "Mark Rambo | Born | September 30, 1804 | Died | December 1, 1879 | Aged 75 years 2 mo. | and 1 day" and "Our Sister | Catharine J. Rambo | Born | February 14th, 1793 | Died | April 1st 1863 | aged 70 years 1 month | and 17 days" and "Margaret S. Rambo | who departed this life | February 17th A. D. 1837 | aged 44 years and 5 months" and "Our Mother | Rachel | wife of | Jonathan Rambo | Born April 3, 1777 | Died Nov. 25, 1872 | Aged 95 years, 7 mo. | and 22 days" and "Jonathan Rambo | who departed this life | November the 27th, A. D. 1810 | Aged 44 years & 4 months" and "Elizabeth Rambo | Wife of | Jonathan Rambo | who departed this Life | October 28th A. D. 1800 | Aged 40 Years" and "Jehu J. Rambo | son of Jonathan & | Elizabeth Rambo | who died | October 24th 1799 | Aged 2 years 11 m & 13" and "Jonathan Rambo | Son of Jonathan & | Elizabeth Rambo | who departed this life | March 1st 1818 | Aged 18 years | 2 months & 5 days" and "Davis Rambo | Son of Jonathan & | Rachel Rambo | Who died | July 25th 1822 | Aged 13 years | & 4 months".¹

Three different dates of death are given for Elizabeth Rambo:

"Rambo, Elizabeth, 1st wife Oct. 2, 1800 aged 40".²

VS.

"Elizabeth Rambo | Wife of | Jonathan Rambo | who departed this Life | October 28th A.

¹ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 15, pp. 70-71 lot C-31

² Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion, Appendix E tombstones

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D. 1800 | Aged 40 Years".¹ vs. "28 Feb 1800".²

The children of [#192] George and Mary (Rambo) Rambo [son of Elias, Gunnar, Peter; and daughter of Michael, John, Gunnar, Peter] were Jonas, Andres, Ann, Christina.

1921. **JONAS RAMBO** was born 13 Nov 1760 and married ANN **RAMBO** on 12 May 1808 at St. James P. E. Church, Perkiomen.^{3,4} Ann was a daughter of a private in the Revolutionary War.⁵ She may have been born 24 Oct 1784.⁶ The 1783 Census of Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion listed Jonas as aged 39 and living in Radnor.⁷ He was a life-long resident of Upper Merion Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, a farmer and stockman who owned large tracts of land underlaid with superior limestone; see the transcribed biographical sketch of Nathan Rambo Jr. [#192127]. Jonas Rambo died 19 Feb 1828 at the age of 67, and Ann died 9 Apr 1873, aged 89. His obituary in *Poulson's American Daily Advertser* reads, "One of the last of the whole blood Swedes. Lived on the land of his ancestors, it is truly said he is an honest man. ... leaves a widow and 2 children."⁸ Jonas and Ann and many of their children were buried in the Christ Church cemetery in Upper Merion Township.^{9,10} They had the following children whose baptismal records are at Gloria Dei Church in Philadelphia:¹¹

- 19211. MARY RAMBO, b. 17 Oct 1808, m. Benjamin Bartholomew Hughes
- 19212. NATHAN RAMBO, b. 27 Jun 1810, d. 1 Mar 1858, m. Ann Broades
- 19213. GEORGE RAMBO, b. 12 Dec 1812, d. 3 Oct 1824 aged 11y 9m
- 19214. JONAS RAMBO, b. 20 May 1816, d. 20 Mar 1819
- 19215. ANN RAMBO, b. 7 Oct 1821, d. 12 Oct 1824 aged 3y 7m.¹²

Jonas and Ann his wife granted 9 acres to William Holloway on 10 Aug 1826. William Holloway was taxed for the Jonas Rambo estate of 65 acres in 1828 and 1829.¹³

The will of Jonas Rambo was dated 3 Dec 1827, proved 28 Feb 1828, recorded in Montgomery Co. Wills Book 6: page 476, and filed as #5423 (but missing). It is

¹ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 15, p. 70 lot C-31

² Beverly Nelson Rambo, *The Rambo Family Tree* (pub. 1987), p. 82 citing family Bible

³ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 179'

⁴ Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

⁵ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 288

⁶ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church ... Upper Merion*, Appendix E "seems to be mother's date of birth"

⁷ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 61, Appendix C census of 1783

⁸ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 288

 ⁹ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," *Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania*, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98
 ¹⁰ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

¹¹ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

¹² Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

¹³ David Smith, e-mail of 9 Jun 2004

partially transcribed from the will book as follows:

"In the name of God amen - I Jonas Rambo of the township of Upper Merion in the County of Montgomery and Province of Pennsylvania being infirm ... Item- I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Nancy Rambo, one equal undivided third part of my real and personal estate of whatever kind forever Item I give devise and bequeath unto my daughter Molly Rambo one equal undivided third part of my Real and Personal estate of Item I give, devise and bequeath unto my Son Nathan Rambo One equal undivided third part of my Real and Personal Estate of whatever kind forever when he arrives at the age of Twenty one years ... Lastly I do nominate and appoint my wife Nancy Rambo and William Holstein my whole and sole Executors to this my last will and Testament revoking all former wills. Dated this third day of December Eighteen hundre and twenty seven. Jonas Rambo (seal) Geo W. Holstein, Wm Hollaway"

1924. **ANDREW RAMBO** was born Jun 1762 and may be the Andrew who died 11 Mar 1771 although the tombstone record reads: "age 37, son of first Peter".¹

The children of [#193] Jeremiah and Sarah (Rambo) Rambo [son of Elias, Gunnar, Peter and daughter of Michael, John, Gunnar, Peter] were John, Hannah, ?, Jeremiah and Sarah.

1931. **JOHN RAMBO** was born 11 Apr 1765 and was baptized at Gloria Dei.² He married ELIZABETH (?). John died about 1827, and Elizabeth lived past 1850. They had these children:³

- 19311. ANDREW RAMBO, b. 1797, d. 14 Apr 1877, m. Margaret (?)
- 19312. SAMUEL RAMBO, b. ca 1798, single in 1850
- 19313. RACHEL RAMBO, single in 1850
- 19314. DANIEL RAMBO, d. ca 1836, m. Mary (?)
- 19315. JOHN RAMBO, b. ca 1806, m. Elizbeth (?)
- 19316. HANNAH RAMBO, minor child in 1829

Montgomery County Deed Book 55, page 326 records an indenture which reads as follows.

23 Jan 1838 Andrew Rambo and wife Margaret, Samuel Rambo, Rachel Rambo, and John Rambo all of Upper Merion township sell to Hannah Rambo of said township. Whereas Sarah Rambo of said township (Grandmother of said Andrew, Samuel, Rachel, John and Hannah Rambo) by her will dated 24 Mar 1811 gave to the above named grandchildren 10 acres. They now quit claim their right to the land to their sister Hannah Rambo. Land is bounded by Andrew Keiger, Rachel Rambo, John Rambo, Samuel

¹ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church ... Upper Merion*, Appendix E "age 37, son of first Peter"

² Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

³ Howard Holland Rambo, manuscript (ten pages) dated 24 Mar 1983

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Coates of 1 acre, 2 rods and 26 perches being part of the 10 acres. recorded 17 Nov 1838.

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of this deed dated 23 Jan 1838, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

Other deeds of interest are in Books 49: page 486, 49:488, 54:297, 54:302, 63:425, and 76:534.¹

1932. **HANNAH RAMBO** was born 7 July 1770,² and married ROBERT **STEWART** (or Stuart) on 25 Jan 1794 at St. James Protestant Episcopal Church in Perkiomen.³ They had these three children mentioned in the will of their grandmother Sarah Rambo.

19321. JAMES STEWART

19322. ROBERT STEWART

19323. SARAH STEWART

The children of [#196] Gunnar and Eleonora (Peterson) Rambo [son of Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Jesse, Mary, Ann, Peter, Lawrence and Christina.

1961. **JESSE RAMBO** was born 7 Sep 1760 and christened at Gloria Dei Church.⁴ He served in the Revolutionary War as a private and married MARGARETA **KUENTCH** on 4 Dec 1788 at St. Michael's and Zion Church, Philadelphia.^{5,6} Jesse died after 1830. They had the following children who were baptized at Gloria Dei:⁷

- 19611. GEORGE RAMBO, b. 10 Sep 1792, m. Mary Higgins
- 19612. ANN RAMBO, b. 21 Apr 1795
- 19613. SARAH RAMBO, b. 11 May 1805

1963. **ANN RAMBO** was born 21 Jun 1765.⁸ This might be the Ann Rambo who married JACOB **WACHTER**.⁹ They appear in the 1783 census of Christ Church (Old Swedes). Jacob Wachter, German, 26; his wife, Ann Rambo, Swedish, 18.¹⁰

¹ Howard Holland Rambo, manuscript (ten pages) dated 24 Mar 1983, pp. 38-41

² John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1766-1780 (pub. 1995), vol. 2, p. 411

³ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 179'

⁴ John T. Humphrey, Pennsylvania Births, Philadelphia County, 1644-1765 (pub. 1994), p. 393

⁵ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 9, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages Prior to 1810, Volume 2 (1890), p. 414'

⁶ "Jesse Rambo's service," New Ancestor List, 1982 supplement, DAR Patriot Index (pub. 1982)

⁷ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

⁸ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878, page 136. LDS microfilm #511805. Thanks to Joan Rambo.

⁹Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 290

¹⁰ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 61, Appendix C census of 1783

CHAPTER 7: 6th Generation Descendents

Members of the sixth generation were born between the years of 1754-1820 as can best be determined from the available records. Some of the older men of this generation fought in the Revolution and the War of 1812. Families tended to be large and the home plantations and lands were willed to the older sons, leaving younger sons and daughters to look elsewhere for cheaper lands. The military service of the men made them eligible for bounty lands, often in those territories they had defended from the enemy. As a result, numerous families migrated from Pennsylvania and Virginia to new territories opening up on the western borders and to the south. Rambo families planted their roots firmly in lands that became the states of Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Tennessee, South Carolina, and Georgia.

The children of [#1211] George and Sophie (North)(Davis) McElheny, her second husband, [daughter of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Hannah, Ann, Lydia, Elizabeth and Sophie.

12112. **ROGER DAVIS** was born 2 Oct 1762 in Chester Co., Pennsylvania and married SARAH **JONES** on 10 May 1785. Roger died 20 Nov 1815.¹

12114. **HANNAH McELHENY** was unmarried at the time her mother's will was written in 1819.

12117. **ELIZABETH McELHENY** was born 21 Nov 1774 and married ELI **EVANS** in 1792.^{2,3,4} Eli was born 16 Mar 1764 in Uwchlan Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania,⁵ a son of Elihu and Mary (Pugh) Evans. They moved to Beaver Co., PA about 1799 where Eli built a mill. He built and commanded the first steamboat on the Western Rivers.⁶ Eli died in 1844 in Lawrence Co., PA, and Elizabeth died in 1857 at the age of 83 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania. They had the following children:⁷

- 121171. WILLIE ANN EVANS, b. 3 Jan 1793, d. 1853, m. Charles Sevier Reno
- 121172. ELIHU EVANS, b. ca 1795
- 121173. MARY ANN EVANS, b. ca 1795
- 121174. SOPHIA EVANS, b. 13 Mar 1796, d. Apr 1860, m. William Reno
- 121175. NORTH EVANS, b. ca 1798, d. ca 1868, m. Mary Ann Black
- 121176. JONATHAN EVANS, b. 1800, d. 1875, m. Christina King Ralston
- 121177. GEORGE THOMAS EVANS, b. 1 Jul 1802, m. Letitia Darragh Scott

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., *Lineage Book: National Society of Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931*, p. 154

³ Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., *Lineage Book: National Society of Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931*, p. 269

⁴ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946, p. 266

⁵ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," website on rootsweb (freepages) cited Gilbert Cope files on microfilm at LDS Family History Library

⁶ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," website on rootsweb cited J. Frase Richard's *History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania* (Warner, 1888)

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

- 121178. EVAN P. EVANS, b. ca 1804
- 121179. AMOS EVANS, b. ca 1805-1810
- 12117A. ELI D.EVANS, b. ca 1811
- 12117B. ANNA CHRISTINA EVANS, b. 2 Mar 1814, m. Thomas Reno
- 12117C. CHARLES EVANS, b. ca 1816

12118. **SOPHIE McELHENY** was born in 1778 and died in 1871 when she was 93 years old. She married JOSEPH **McCREARY** in 1810. He was born in 1779 and died in 1864. They lived in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania where Joseph was the postmaster of Fallston in 1850.¹ They had five children:²

- 121181. JAMES D. McCREARY, b. 1812, d. 1896
- 121182. HARRIET McCREARY, b. 1813, d. 1877
- 121183. JOSEPH N. McCREARY, b. 1813, d. 1886
- 121184. SAMUEL McCREARY, b. 1818 d. 1905, m. Ms. Robinson
- 121185. ALFRED GEORGE McCREARY, b. 1821, d. 1909, m. Lucy B. Todd

12119. **GEORGE McELHENY** married ESTHER **DAVIS** [#12293] and had these known children:

121191. ELIZA McELHENY, b. ca 1804, m. John Randolph [#121531]

121192. ANN McELHENY, b. ca 1800 in Mifflin Co., PA, m. William Randolph

The children of [#1212] Samuel and Barbara (Hagermood) North [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12121. **JOSEPH NORTH** was born 17 Sep 1771 in or near Philadelphia.³ He married his cousin CATHERINE **NORTH** [#12154], daughter of John North. Joseph died 15 Jul 1856. Catherine died 14 Aug 1857 and is buried in the Tontogany Cemetery in Wood Co., Ohio. They were the parents of five children:^{4,5}

- 121211. SAMUEL NORTH, b. 16 Mar 1797, d. 6 Mar 1818 unmarried
- 121212. WILLIAM NORTH, b. 1 Jul 1801, d. 4 Aug 1807
- 121213. ANNE NORTH, b. 30 Sep 1804, m. Alexander Brown
- 121214. WILLIAM L. NORTH, b. 27 Dec 1808, d. 29 Nov 1880
- 121215. SARAH ABIGAIL NORTH, b. 1817, m. Emilius Wood

12123. **ANN NORTH** was born 28 Mar 1773 and married SAMUEL **HARVEY** on 6 Apr 1795. He was born 16 Jun 1770 in Charleston, Chester Co., Pennsylvania, a son of Samuel and Martha (Martin) Harvey. Samuel Sr. was a soldier in the Revolution.

¹ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 150, 1919* (1936), p. 70

² W. D. McCreary, e-mails of 13 Jun 2007 & 7 Feb 2008

³ Susan N. Peterson, family research, e-mail of 2 Mar 2001

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 50. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

Samuel Jr. was a storekeeper in 1786 at Coventry Forge, PA, and in 1790 at Keeptryste Furnace, Virginia for his uncle George North. They removed to Germantown, Pennsylvania where Samuel was the first Burgess of the Borough, President of the Bank of Germantown from its organization in 1814 to the day of his death in 1848, President of the board of Trustees of the Germantown Collegiate Institute, and President of the Germantown and Perkiomen Turnpike. The source of the following quote is unknown, "In every position he exhibited the same untiring industry and devotion to his duties - the same disregard of self - another same determination to do right and not submit to nothing wrong.[sic]" Ann and Samuel were Methodists, lived in Germantown, and had seven children:^{1,2,3}

- 121231. GEORGE HARVEY, b. 13 Jan 1796
- 121232. MARTHA HARVEY, b. 22 Dec 1796, d. 12 Feb 1835
- 121233. SAMUEL HARVEY, b. 30 Nov 1799, m. Julia Goddard
- 121234. NATHAN HARVEY, b. 12 Oct 1802, d. 11 Feb 1807
- 121235. ANN HARVEY, b. 1805, m. John Thomas in 1825
- 121236. JOSEPH HARVEY, b. 3 Feb 1808, m. Lydia Elner
- 121237. SARAH NORTH HARVEY, b. 18 May 1810, d. 1871, m. James Nourse

The child of [#1213] Elisha and Sarah (North) Davis [daughter of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12131. **SARAH DAVIS** was born 25 Sep 1762. She married AMOS **JORDAN** 5 Feb 1784.⁴ He was born 5 Jan 1762, a son of Francis and Catherine (Kendall) Jordan. Amos fought in the Revolution serving in the 6th Co., Seventh Battalion of Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania.⁵ He owned a tanyard by 1795 in Perry Co., Pennsylvania and later in Lycoming Co. He died 5 Aug 1843 in Washington Township, Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania, and Sarah died there the following year on 5 Mar 1844. They are buried in Washington Presbyterian Cemetery, Brandy Township, Lycoming Co. Amos' will is recorded in Lycoming Co. Court Book A: page 377; children are listed in Perry Co. Orphan's Court Book C page 435. They had these children:⁶

- 121311. HANNAH JORDAN, b. ca 1784, m. William Waugh
- 121312. FRANCIS JORDAN, b. 29 May 1787, m. 1) Jemima Bull, 2) Sarah Bull
- 121313. RACHAEL JORDAN, b. ca 1788, d. 1872, m. James North [#12161]
- 121314. CATHERINE JORDAN, b. 1792, d. ca 1863, m. William Sanderson
- 121315. SARAH JORDAN, b. 30 Oct 1795, d. 27 Oct 1836, unmarried
- 121316. JEREMIAH JORDAN, b. 1805, d. 1884, m. Margaret Foresman

¹ Susan N. Peterson, family research, e-mail of 2 Mar 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North*, p. 12

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 50. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁴ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Weary, Ruth Jordan" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 524

⁵ Pennsylvania Archives, 6th Series, vol. 1, Muster Rolls ... Associators and Militia ... Philadelphia, pp. 895-907

⁶ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants,

121317. ELIZA JORDAN, b. 1802, m. Nathaniel Borrows 121318. REBECCA JORDAN, b. 14 Mar 1803, d. 4 Nov 1882, m. Charles Craft

The children of [#1214] George and Elizabeth (North) Evans [daughter of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Frederick, Lewis, Caleb and Lydia.

12141. **FREDERICK EVANS** was born 30 Mar 1776 in Mifflin, Pennsylvania and married his first cousin ANN **NORTH** [#12152] on 2 Oct 1791. She was born in Cumberland Co., PA on 27 Jan 1770, a daughter of John and Catherine (Borce) North. Frederick was a Captain in the War of 1812. He directed in the building of Fort McHenry, Maryland, and was in the Fort during the bombardment of 1814.¹ Ann died 19 May 1834 in Middleburg, PA, Frederick died there 14 Dec 1844, and they are buried in Middleburg Cemetery, now called Glendale Cemetery. Their only known child is:²

121411. CATHERINE EVANS, b. 13 May 1794, d. Sep 1880, m. George Kremer

12142. **LEWIS EVANS** was born 18 Dec 1778 in Juniata Valley, Pennsylvania. Lewis was a Brigade General in the 1st Pennsylvania Brigade during the War of 1812. He married AMELIA **GREATHOUSE** who was born about 1782, a daughter of William Greathouse. Lewis Evans contributed to the building fund for the First Lutheran Church in McAlisterville, PA.³ Lewis died 18 Aug 1852.⁴ They had these known children:⁵

121421. AMELIA EVANS, b. 2 Jan 1816, m. 1) James Mathers, 2) (?)

- 121422. JULIA ANN EVANS
- 121423. LYDIA EVANS
- 121424. MARY EVANS

The children of [#1215] John and Catherine (Boice) North [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Sophia, Ann, Elizabeth, Catherine, Euphemia, Sarah, Hannah, Abigail, Caleb and John.

12152. **ANN NORTH** was born in Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania on 27 Jan 1770 and married her first cousin **FREDERICK EVANS** [#12141] on 2 Oct 1791. He was born 30 Mar 1776 in Mifflin, Pennsylvania, a son of George and Elizabeth (North) Evans. Frederick was a Captain in the War of 1812. He directed in the building of Fort McHenry, Maryland, and was in the Fort during the bombardment of 1814.⁶ Ann died 19 May 1834 in Middleburg, PA, Frederick died there 14 Dec 1844, and they are buried

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 169. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁶ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 169. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

12153. **ELIZABETH NORTH** was born 25 Dec 1772 and married JOSEPH **RANDOLPH**. He was born in 1771, and died in Pennsylvania or Hocking Co., Ohio in 1815. Elizabeth (North) Randolph died 4 Apr 1862 in Hocking Co. They were the parents of eight children:^{2,3}

- 121531. JOHN RANDOLPH, m. Eliza McElheny [#121191]
- 121532. WILLIAM RANDOLPH, m. Ann McElheny [#121192]
- 121533. ISAIAH RANDOLPH, m. Mariah Ankrom
- 121534. ELIZABETH RANDOLPH
- 121535. JAMES RANDOLPH
- 121536. NANCY RANDOLPH
- 121537. REBECCA RANDOLPH
- 121538. SOPHIA RANDOLPH, b. 25 Oct 1803, d. 17 Aug 1849, m. John Brown

12154. **CATHERINE NORTH** was born 23 Jul 1775 in Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania and married her cousin JOSEPH **NORTH** [#12121], the son of Samuel North.⁴ Catherine died 14 Aug 1857 and is buried at Tontogany Cemetery in Wood Co., Ohio. They were the parents of five children:^{5,6,7}

- 121211. SAMUEL NORTH, b. 16 Mar 1797, d. 6 Mar 1818 unmarried
- 121212. WILLIAM NORTH, b. 1 Jul 1801, d. 4 Aug 1807
- 121213. ANNE NORTH, b. 30 Sep 1804, m. Alexander Brown
- 121214. WILLIAM L. NORTH, b. 27 Dec 1808, d. 29 Nov 1880
- 121215. SARAH ABIGAIL NORTH, b. 1817, m. Emilius Wood

12158. **ABIGAIL NORTH** was born 11 May 1786 and married Dr. JOHN BYERS **SMITH**, a son of John and Elizabeth (Byers)(Davis) Smith. Abigail died 11 Apr 1859. They had two children.⁸

12159. **CALEB NORTH** was born 18 Mar 1789 in Somerset Co., Pennsylvania and married SARAH **BLACK** on 12 Apr 1813 in Pennsylvania. She was born 18 Jan 1794 in Perry Co., Ohio. Sarah died 22 Nov 1865 in Wood Co., Ohio. Caleb died 28 Jan 1878 in Washington Township, Wood Co. and is buried there at Tontongany. Caleb and Sarah had these children:⁹

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

³ Dexter North, *The Caleb North Genealogy: Descendents of Caleb North, ...* (pub. 1930)

⁴ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 50. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁶ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁷ Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=I170

⁸ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁹ Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=I9

- 121591. EMMELINE NORTH, b. 24 Nov 1816, d. 27 Jan 1894
- 121592. ASBURY NORTH, b. 6 Mar 1814 in Ohio, d. 20 Sep 1814
- 121593. CALEB NORTH, b. 9 Nov 1819, d. 24 Oct 1864, m. Paulina Ketchum
- 121594. JOHN NORTH, b. 25 Mar 1822, d. 15 Apr 1824
- 121595. JOSEPH NORTH, b. 17 Feb 1825, d. 24 May 1829
- 121596. SAMUEL LLEWELLYN NORTH, b. 3 Jun 1827, d. 3 Aug 1894
- 121597. MARY CATHERINE NORTH, b. 20 Jun 1830, d. 9 May 1837 in Ohio
- 121598. REBECCA NORTH, b. 3 Nov 1834, d. 1892, m. Henry Francis Opperman

1215A. **JOHN NORTH** was born 15 Sep 1792 and married a woman named **JOHNSON**. He may have married SARAH **COLLINS**, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (McAlister) Collins. Sarah died 27 Apr 1871 in Logan, Ohio. John died 16 Jul 1874 in Logan, Ohio and is buried in the Logan Cemetery.^{1,2}

1215A1. WILLIAM RANDOLPH NORTH, b. 4 Oct 1825, m. Rebecca Randolph

1215A2. AMOS J. NORTH, b. 25 May 1818, m. Elizabeth Catherine Smith

1215A3. ELIZABETH NORTH, b. 9 Jan 1816, d. 25 Sep 1898 in Logan Co., OH

1215A4. JANE E. NORTH, b. 23 Nov 1822, d. 1 May 1855 in Logan Co., Ohio

The children of [#1216] Joshua and Rebecca (Cloyd) North [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were James, Caleb, Joshua, and Rebecca.

12161. **JAMES NORTH**, with his brothers Caleb and Joshua, established a tannery in Millerstown, Perry Co., Pennsylvania. James was born 5 Nov 1777 at McAllisterville, Pennsylvania.³ About 1800, James married EUPHEMA **DAVIS** who is said to be a granddaughter of Roger and Ann (Rambo) North. They moved to Juniata Co., PA where James operated a tannery in Thompsontown. Euphema died in Juniata Co. on 9 Sep 1804.⁴ James was justice of the peace for a number of years and a member of the Presbyterian church. He married RACHEL **JORDAN** [#121313] in Mifflin Co., PA on 19 Apr 1808. She was born 19 Dec 1789, a daughter of Francis Jordan, whose wife was James's first cousin. James North died 4 Feb 1828, and his widow lived with her son James in Mifflintown until her death in 1872.⁵ Roger and Euphema had two children:⁶

121611. THOMAS NORTH, b. 23 Jan 1801, d. 1862, m. Catherine Brennisholt

121612. LEWIS EVANS NORTH, b. 20 Jul 1803, m. Ellen McAlister James and Rachel had these children:

121613. CALEB NORTH, b. 26 May 1809, d. 24 Apr 1894, m. Miss Moyes

121614. SARAH MATILDA NORTH, b. 15 Aug 1811, d. 1894, m. John Postlewaite

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00078.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00412.htm

⁵ R. H. Schively, ed., *Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley* ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

⁶ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing Descendants of Caleb North by Dexter North, pp. 10, 14-15

121615. EUPHEMIA NORTH, b. 18 Oct 1813, m. Philip Strouse

- 121616. REBECCA DOTY NORTH, b. 12 Jun 1815, died young
 - 121617. HANNAH W. NORTH, b. 30 Oct 1817, d. 6 Oct 1883 unmarried
- 121618. JAMES NORTH, b. 6 Nov 1819, d. May 1899, m. Susanna Matilda Strouse
- 121619. AMOS J. NORTH, b. 7 Mar 1822, d. Apr 1894, m. 1) Janet Macklin, 2)?
- 12161A. REBECCA NORTH, b. 18 Oct 1824, m. Col. John Bryner
- 12161B. ELIZA B. NORTH, b. 11 Jan 1827, m. David Witherow

12162. **CALEB NORTH** was a partner with his brothers Joshua and James in the tannery they established in Millerstown, Perry Co., Pennsylvania. He married ABIGAIL **LEWIS** from Cumberland, PA and had three children.¹ These two are known:²

121621. WILLIAM NORTH, b. ca 1807

121622. REBECCA CLOYD NORTH, b. ca 1809, m. Philo Hamlin

12163. **JOSHUA NORTH** served in the War of 1812. He was part owner of the tannery in Millerstown, Pennsylvania with his brothers. He may have married MARGARET VAN CAMP and had a daughter who married and had a son.³

12164. **REBECCA NORTH** was born 25 May 1785 at Mifflintown, Pennsylvania,⁴ and married DANIEL **LEWIS** but had no children by him.⁵ Rebecca married second, at Mifflintown, Dr. EZRA **DOTY** of Juniata Co., Pennsylvania on 14 May 1811.^{6,7} Dr. Doty was born in Sharon, Connecticut, son of physician David Doty and great grandson of Mayflower pilgrim Edward Doty. Dr. Ezra Doty moved to Mifflintown in 1790, and in addition to his medical practice, was active in the Masonic fraternity and in politics.⁸ He was elected to the State Senate and died prior to 1850 when Rebecca was living with her daughter's family. The Dotys had these children:⁹

- 121641. ANN ELIZABETH DOTY, b. 26 Apr 1813, m. Andrew Parker
- 121642. EDMUND S. DOTY, b. 22 Aug 1815, d. 24 Dec 1884, m. Catherine Wilson
- 121643. Child DOTY, died young
- 121644. Child DOTY, died young

The children of [#1216] Joshua North by his second wife, Mary Murphy, were Frederick, Hannah, John, Hiel, and Roger.

¹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam02913.htm

³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001

⁴ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁶ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00078.htm

⁸ John M. Gresham & Co., ed., Biographical and Historical Cyclopedia of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania (1890), p. 84

⁹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

12166. HANNAH NORTH married JOHN HOWE. They had these children:¹

- 121661. JOHN HOWE, m. Priscilla Leeters
- 121662. JESSE HOWE, m. Lavina Fasich
- 121663. JOANNA HOWE, m. Daniel Trachler
- 121664. LYDIA HOWE, m. Simon Basom
- 121665. CAROLINE HOWE, m. Isaac Dysing
- 121666. ELIZA HOWE, m. Henry (or James) Goshen

12167. **JOHN NORTH** was a merchant in McAlisterville, Pennsylvania. He married JANE HOUSTON **McALISTER** in Juniata Co., PA, the daughter of Hugh and Catharine (Elliott) McAlister. Her ancestors include Maj. Hugh McAlister and Maj. John Elliot of the Revolution.² John and Jane North were the parents of these children:³

- 121671. CALVIN BLYTHE NORTH, b. 28 Mar 1824, m. Annie Richter
- 121672. HUGH McALISTER NORTH, b. 7 May 1826, m. Serena M. Franklin
- 121673. THOMAS ELLIOTT NORTH, b. 27 Aug 1828, married with issue
- 121674. AMELIA EVANS NORTH, b. 26 Jan 1831, married with issue
- 121675. CATHERINE NORTH, b. 19 Feb 1833, died young
- 121676. ADOLPHUS NORTH, b. 14 Nov 1834, married with issue
- 121677. SAMUEL EVANS NORTH, b. 5 May 1837, m. ?
- 121678. ELIZA JANE NORTH, b. 26 Nov 1839, m. ?, one known child
- 121679. EDMUND DOTY NORTH, b. 6 Mar 1842, never married
- 12167A. JOHN DALLAS NORTH, b. 7 Sep 1844
- 12167B. ALICE ELIZABETH NORTH, b. 16 Dec 1847

The children of [#1217] William and Catherine Elizabeth (Jordan) North [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Rachel, Abigail, Catherine, and Wilhelmina.

12171. **RACHEL NORTH** married WILLIAM **HUNTER** and removed to Kansas. They had one known child:⁴

121711. ANGELINE HUNTER married Mr. Irvine and removed to Iowa

12172. ABIGAIL NORTH was born 15 Jul 1783 and married JOHN GOSHEN THOMPSON (see John Thompson genealogy). They had six children:⁵

- 121721. JANE THOMPSON, m. 1) William Montgomery, 2) John Lukens
- 121722. RACHEL THOMPSON, b. 4 Aug 1801, m. William Sterrett
- 121723. MARTHA THOMPSON, m. Robert Jordan
- 121724. WILHELMINA THOMPSON, b. 16 Jan 1818, m. James Thompson

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 183. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Wilfred Jordan, ed., "Joseph B. Hutchinson" in *Colonial and Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania*, vol. 6, pp. 160-164, 160 ³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001

⁴ Dexter North, Descendants of Caleb North (1930), p. 9

⁵ Dexter North, Descendants of Caleb North (1930), p. 9

- 121725. WILLIAM THOMPSON, b. 4 Dec 1820, m. Margaret Gilfillen
- 121726. JOHN THOMPSON, m. Margaret Wright

12173. **CATHERINE NORTH** was born about 1795, married JACOB **BOLLINGER** of Millerstown, and had five children:¹

- 121731. WILLIAM BOLLINGER, b. 25 Dec 1819, m. Catherine Ann Sanderson
- 121732. NORTH EMANUEL BOLLINGER
- 121733. JAMES BOLLINGER
- 121734. LULU BOLLINGER
- 121735. ELIZBETH BOLLINGER, died unmarried

12174. WILHELMINA NORTH was born about 1800, and she married DANIEL BOLLINGER. They had four children:²

- 121741. WILLIAM NORTH BOLLINGER, m. Mary Holiday
- 121742. DAVID M. BOLLINGER, m. Iowa Holiday
- 121743. CATHERINE BOLLINGER, m. Jacob Meek
- 121744. MARY BOLLINGER, m. Samuel Gable

The children of [#1218] Roger and Elizabeth (Todd) North [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Thomas, Harriet, Eliza and Ann.

12184. **ANN NORTH** was born 12 Feb 1770 and married JACOB **HORNING** on 21 Jan 1791. He was born about 1761 and died in 1824. Ann died 16 Oct 1821. They lived in Skippack and had these children:³

- 121841. JESSE HORNING
- 121842. NATHAN HORNING
- 121843. CATHERINE HORNING
- 121844. JEREMIAH HORNING
- 121845. JOHN HORNING

The children of [#1219] John and Ann Nancy (North) Humphreys [daughter of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Hannah, David, George Washington, Roger North, John, Ann Rambo and Abigail North.

12191. HANNAH HUMPHREYS was born 28 May 1774 in Charlestown Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania and married JOSEPH LUCAS about 1792. He was born

¹ Dexter North, *Descendants of Caleb North* (1930), p. 9

² Dexter North, Descendants of Caleb North (1930), p. 9

³ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, *Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett*, p. 276, citing Deaths on the Skippack by Hannah Benner Roach

about 1771. They moved to Ohio. Joseph died 12 Aug 1808, and Hannah died on 8 Apr 1857 in Scioto Co., Ohio. They had these children:¹

- 121911. REBECCA LUCAS, b. 27 Jan 1796, m. Jacob Hibbs
- 121912. WILLIAM LUCAS, b. 20 Nov 1799, d. Mar 1854, m. Elizabeth Triggs
- 121913. LEVISA LUCAS, b. ca 1802, m. Joseph Brown in 1828
- 121914. JOSEPH LUCAS, b. ca 1804, m. Frances Brown in 1828
- 121915. SAMUEL LUCAS, b. ca 1807, m. Nancy K. Hitchcock on 17 Oct 1833
- 121916. ELIZABETH LUCAS, b. ca 1809, d. ca 1826

12192. **DAVID HUMPHREYS**, "one-armed David," was born in Jun 1775 and married CATHERINE **KEYES** as her second husband on 1 Aug 1797 in Martinsburg, West Virginia.² Catherine was born in 1778, the eighth child of Humphrey Keyes by his second wife, Sarah Hall. Catherine was also the younger sister of his aunt, the wife of his uncle Capt. George North [#121A]. (See #121A for Keyes family information.) During the War of 1812, David had the rank of Ensign. He served in a Company of Virginia Riflemen under Capt. George W. Humphries, his brother, and lost his right arm at the Battle of Bladensburg in 1814.³ He was the high sheriff of Jefferson Co., West Virginia for many years.⁴ Catherine died in 1844, and David died 24 Apr 1850 in Charles Town, West Virginia.⁵ They had these children:⁶

- 121921. JOHNSON HUMPHREYS, m. Miss Davis
- 121922. DAVID HUMPHREYS
- 121923. THOMAS HUMPHREYS, unmarried
- 121924. GEORGE HUMPHREYS, b. 1800, d. 1876, m. Janet Lingen Henderson
- 121925. SUSAN HUMPHREYS, b. 25 Apr 1815, m. John Richard Llewellyn
- 121926. SARAH HUMPHREYS, m. Enos B. Cordell

12193. **GEORGE WASHINGTON HUMPHREYS** was born 4 Jul 1778 at Charlestown, Pennsylvania and was a Capt. during the War of 1812. He never married. He represented his county in the state legislature, and his will distributed his considerable wealth to his sisters.^{7,8} He died 11 Aug 1846 at Charles Town, West Virginia.⁹

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of George Washington Humphreys dated about 1846 in West Virginia, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03979.htm

² Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 20 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North, etc

³ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Maltby, Martha Stanley Humphreys" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 375

⁴ Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), p. 61. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00402.htm

⁶ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 126. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁷ Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), p. 61. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

⁸ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 20 Jul 2001

⁹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00401.htm

12194. **ROGER NORTH HUMPHREYS** was born about 1780 at Charlestown, Pennsylvania and married HANNAH **WAGER** on 25 Jun 1807 in Virginia. She was born 3 Sep 1786. Roger died in 1824 in Berrysville, Clark Co., Virginia, and Hannah died there on 17 Aug 1849.¹ They had these children:^{2,3,4}

- 121941. JOHN HUMPHREYS, b. ca 1805
- 121942. ROBERT HARPER HUMPHREYS, b. ca 1807
- 121943. EMILY HUMPHREYS, b. ca 1809
- 121944. ANNA CATHERINE HUMPHREYS, b. 30 Jul 1811, d. 18 Mar 1835
- 121945. MARIA HUMPHREYS, b. ca 1812, d. 8 Feb 1890
- 121946. GEORGE WASHINGTON HUMPHREYS, b. 10 Jun 1814, d. Jan 1882

12195. **JOHN HUMPHREYS** was born in Charlestown Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania about 1772 and married SUSAN **ALLIBONE** in Philadelphia on 17 Jan 1811. She was the daughter of Col. Caleb North's good friend, Thos. Allibone. John Humphreys lived in Arkansas near his cousin George Caleb North but is said to have died young.⁵ After his death Susan is said to have married Professor Moorehead of Cincinnati and removed to Ireland where he had inherited an estate.⁶

12196. <u>ANNA RAMBO HUMPHREYS</u> was born 14 Jan 1785 in Charlestown Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania and married JONATHAN **KEARSLEY** in 1803. He was born 21 Nov 1778, a son of Judge John and Nancy (Morrow) Kearsley of Shepardstown, Virginia. Jonathan died 21 Dec 1852, Ann died 10 May 1858, and they are buried at Edge Hill Cemetery in Charlestown, West Virginia. See *A History of the Kearsley Family* by Elmer L. White. They had these children:⁷

- 121961. ANN MARGARET KEARSLEY, b. 7 May 1809, m. Isaac N. Carter
- 121962. JOHN KEARSLEY, b. 7 Aug 1813, m. Eliza Brice
- 121963. GEORGE WASHINGTON TATE KEARSLEY, b. 15 Jan 1819, m. ...
- 121964. SAMUEL CRAMER KEARSLEY, b. 11 Feb 1828, m. Leslie Thomson

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Anna Kearsley dated about 1858 in West Virginia, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS. It is transcribed in the Humphreys Genealogy on page 33.)

12197. ABIGAIL NORTH (Abby) HUMPHREYS was born 4 Jul 1787 in Charlestown, Pennsylvania,⁸ and she married WILLIAM TATE on 5 Feb 1807 in Jefferson Co., West Virginia. He was a member of the bar at Charlestown, West

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03978.htm

² Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), p. 12. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 303. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03978.htm

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 136, 154. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁶ Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), p. 32. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

⁷ Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), pp. 12, 32 w/ picture. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

⁸ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03982.htm

Virginia and was born 20 Jan 1776 at Belvidere, Virginia, a son of Magnus and Mary Riley (McCormack) Tate of Jefferson Co., Virginia. William was a lawyer and a trustee of Charlestown. He died 5 Jun 1818, Abigail died 15 Nov 1862 at Belvidere, and they are buried at Edge Hill Cemetery in Charlestown, West Virginia. They had these children:^{1,2}

- 121971. IRENE TATE, m. John Kearsley
- 121972. MARY TATE, m. Mr. Asquith
- 121973. MAGNUS TATE
- 121974. WILLIMINA TATE, m. Mr. Daugherty
- 121975. GEORGE TATE, lived at Belvidere, near Charlestown
- 121976. JOHN H. TATE, lived at Cincinnati

The children of [#121A] George and Sarah (Evans) North [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth, Ann Smith, Lydia Rambo, Sarah Evans and William Evans. See *Genealogy and History of the Related Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* by Millard Fillmore Stipes. (My thanks to Gloria Motter).

121A1. **ELIZABETH NORTH** was born in 1771 and died in 1822.³ She married THOMAS **POWER** in 1792. He was born in 1767 and died in 1800.^{4,5} Elizabeth then married WILLIAM **LEMON**.⁶ Elizabeth and Thomas had these children:

121A11. MARGARET POWER, b. 1793, d. 19 Sep 1840, m. David Robbins 121A12. MARY POWER, b. 15 May 1796, d. 1843, m. Alexander Speer

121A2. **ANN SMITH (Nancy) NORTH** was born 22 Nov 1788. She married SAMUEL HOPKINS **MARK** in 1808, and they made their home in Alexandria, Virginia.⁷ He was a double cousin of the philanthropist, Johns Hopkins of Baltimore, who endowed Johns Hopkins University and Johns Hopkins Hospital. Samuel Mark was born about 1785 at Fredricksburg, Virginia and died about 1831. Nancy died 18 Apr 1870.⁸ They had the following children:^{9,10}

121A21. LYDIA RAMBO MARK, b. 20 Feb 1808, d. 6 Sep 1892 unmarried

- 121A22. ELLEN LYLE MARK, b. 12 Aug 1809, d. 18 Apr 1870 unmarried
- 121A23. SARAH MARK, b. ca 1811

121A24. ELIZABETH RAMBO MARK, b. 1814, m. Samuel Hopkins Janney

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 126. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), pp. 33, 61. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

³ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

⁴ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 5, 1939, p. 36

⁵ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 129. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁶ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing e-query posted 11 Mar 2000 by PETE KEMP, BobbiKemp@AOL.COM

⁷ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 158, 1920* (1937), p. 264

⁸ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00415.htm

⁹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 65, letters 138-141, 144, 166. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

¹⁰ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Janney, Mahlon Hopkins" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, pp. 309-310

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- 121A25. SAMUEL RAMBO MARK Jr., b. ca 1816, m. Sally Martin 121A26. HORTENSIA HARMON MARK, b. 1818, d. 1880, m. Henry Cook
- 121A20. HORTENSIA HARMON MARK, b. 1818, d. 1880, m. Henry Cook 121A27. MARGARET MARK, b. Aug 1824, d. before 1910, m. Newton Carter
- 121A27. MARCIARET MARK, b. Aug 1824, d. before 1910, in: Newton Card 121A28. MARY SMITH MARK, b. ca 1825, d. 1884, m. Douglas L. Gregory

121A3. **LYDIA RAMBO NORTH** was born 29 May 1790. She married CHARLES **GIBBS** on 10 July 1807, just shortly after her 17th birthday.¹ Charles was born on 27 Sep 1786, son of James Sewen and Jane (Turley) Gibbs. Her father, Capt. North, greatly opposed this youthful marriage, so the couple eloped to Williamsport, Maryland. Charles received a bequest from his maternal grandfather, Col. Thomas Turley, who was a Revolutionary officer and a wealthy tobacco planter. "Among the slaves inherited by Charles Gibbs was an old mammy, Alcinda, who lingered until only a few years ago [1910], cared for and beloved by his grandchildren, and loyal to the last to "her people."² Charles died 8 Aug 1823. Two of the daughters, Susan Ann Bunn and Drusilla Lauretta Lee, made their home until marriage with their father's aunt, Aunty Bunn. Later in life until her death on 4 Apr 1854, Lydia made her home with daughter Sarah Jane Johnson at Charlestown, West Virginia. Charles and Lydia had these children:³

- 121A31. SARAH ELIZABETH JANE GIBBS, b. 20 Aug 1812, m. Thomas Johnson
- 121A32. SUSAN ANN MARIE BUNN GIBBS, b. 24 Mar 1814, m. James Reiley
- 121A33. GEORGE WILLIAM GIBBS, b. 6 Jun 1815, d. 1881, m. Susan Steel Elder
- 121A34. DRUSILLA LAURETTA LEE GIBBS, b. 30 Mar 1818, m. Jacob Starry
- 121A35. MARY ANN SNYDER GIBBS, b. 18 Mar 1821, d. 15 Sep 1826
- 121A36. CHARLES HANSON GIBBS, b. 20 Nov 1822, m. Ellen Louisa Elder

The children of [#121A] George and Elizabeth (Keyes) North, his second wife, [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Hall, Sarah Keyes, William Darke, Thomas Jefferson, Eliza Wayne, Arelia Wayne, Emily Eliza, Nathaniel Greene and George Caleb.

121A6. MARY HALL NORTH was born 16 Aug 1795 at the "Keep Tryst" Furnace in Jefferson Co., Virginia and married BENJAMIN GRIMES **THORNTON** on 21 Jan 1813. They lived in Alexandria, Virginia until relocating to Florida shortly after 1825. Mary Hall died in Florida 17 Feb 1832. They had these known children:⁴

- 121A61. MILDRED THORNTON
- 121A62. BENJAMIN GRIMES THORNTON
- 121A63. Son THORNTON, name not known

121A7. SARAH KEYES (Sallie) NORTH was born 4 May 1797 and married

¹ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 108. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 66-67, 81-82, letter 137-138. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 42, 121. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

SAMUEL DAVIS **HARPER** in Sep 1815. His father was William Harper who served in the American Army during the Revolution and was one of the guard of honor that escorted the body of George Washington to the tomb. Sarah was widowed, living in Wheeling, West Virginia in 1867, and died in Sep 1885. They located in Wheeling and had these children:¹

- 121A71. MARY ELIZA HARPER, m. Mr. Gardner
- 121A72. ANN HARPER, d. before 1894, m. Mr. Marsh
- 121A73. GEORGE WILLIAM HARPER, b. 8 Jan 1824, m. Anna Lilly Sims
- 121A74. MARGARET HARPER, d. in Philadelphia after 1894
- 121A75. SAMUEL HARPER (twin), d. in Wheeling, West Virginia
- 121A76. HENRY M. HARPER (twin), b. 28 Dec 1831, m. Marian C. Williams
- 121A77. JOHN HARPER
- 121A78. ELLEN HARPER, m. 1) Mr. Hubbard, 2) William McConnell

121A8. WILLIAM DARKE (Billy) NORTH was born 1 Apr 1799 and was named after his father's good friend and near neighbor, General William Darke. General Darke presented a young negro boy, Billy, to the young William Darke North to be his body servant throughout his life. William North married HANNAH E. GILL on 14 Apr 1829.² She was born on the 4th of July 1805, a granddaughter of William Patterson of Martinsburg, Virginia. In 1850 they lived in Jefferson Co., Virginia where William was a miller with property valued at \$8,000. The family lived near Harper's Ferry and was involved in the actions of John Brown's raid. At the outbreak of the Civil War, they lived in Berkeley County, Virginia, and in 1862, although sixty-three years of age, William Darke North connected himself with Stonewall Jackson's famous brigade and followed the fortunes of that intrepid commander through his memorable campaigns down to the Battle of Chancellorsville where Jackson was killed by his own command. William North remained in the same corps until the surrender at Appomattox. In Apr 1872 he died at Bunker Hill, Berkeley Co., Virginia [now West Virginia]. Hannah died in December of the same year. He and Hannah had these children:³

- 121A85. RICHARD PATTERSON NORTH, b. 9 Dec 1831, d. 4 Feb 1832
- 121A81. GEORGE WILLIAM NORTH, b. 21 Aug 1834, m. Nancy Payne
- 121A82. SALLIE ELLEN NORTH, b. 4 Oct 1840, d. 12 Apr 1854
- 121A83. ANN ELIZA NORTH, b. 20 Nov 1843, d. 1875, m. J. M. McKown
- 121A84. CHARLES SAMUEL NORTH, b. 19 Dec 1846, m. Johnnie Jenkins

121A9. **THOMAS JEFFERSON NORTH** was a millwright born 5 Jul 1801 in Jefferson Co., Virginia. The family spent four years in Fairfax, Virginia during which Thomas Jefferson and his brother William Darke witnessed the British fleet sailing up the Potomac and burning the nation's capital on 24 Aug 1814. Thomas Jefferson North

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 84, 135, 303-307, picture #299, letters 143-145, 160

² Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 141, 1918* (1934), p. 128

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 42, 88-91. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

served an apprenticeship with a noted millwright named Ball for three years. Afterwards he went into business for himself in Pendleton and Hardy counties, where he met <u>ELIZABETH HINKLE</u>, to whom he was married on 15 Jan 1823. Elizabeth was born 28 Oct 1805 in Upper Tract, Pendleton Co., Virginia,¹ a daughter of Jesse Henkle, a Methodist minister, and his wife, Margaret Mosier.² About 1836 Thomas Jefferson North built a mill at Upper Tract, Virginia on the West side of the South Branch of the Potomac River. He ground wheat and corn, sawed lumber, and carded wool. In August of 1844 the community was struck by diphtheria, and four of his children died. He and his wife loved to hunt and fish in the mountains but moved in 1870 to Yates City, Knox County, Illinois to be near their children. He died 5 Dec 1891, and his wife died in Yates City on 24 Nov 1905, after living more than 100 years. See the *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* by Millard F. Stipes for interesting biographies of the couple. They had fifteen children:³

- 121A91. WILLIAM DARKE NORTH, b. 1 Apr 1824, m. Elvira Jane Stillings
- 121A92. EMILY ELIZA NORTH, b. 6 May 1826, d. Nov 1903, m. Edmund Rogers
- 121A93. MARTHA HENKLE NORTH, b. 29 Oct 1827, m. Robert F. Anderson
- 121A94. RUHAMA CHAPMAN NORTH, b. 7 Mar 1829, d. Aug 1844
- 121A95. BARBARA ANN NORTH, b. 24 Nov 1830, d. 25 Nov 1830
- 121A96. SUSAN DORCUS NORTH, b. 30 Nov 1831, d. Sep 1844
- 121A97. Daughter NORTH (twin), b. & d. 31 Mar 1834
- 121A98. Daughter NORTH (twin), b. & d. 31 Mar 1834
- 121A99. GEORGE CALEB NORTH, b. 5 Oct 1835, d. Aug 1844
- 121A9A. SARAH KEYES NORTH, b. 23 Nov 1837, m. Robert Ferguson Anderson
- 121A9B. Son NORTH (twin), b. & d. 1 Mar 1840
- 121A9C. Daughter NORTH (twin), b. & d. 1 Mar 1840
- 121A9D. NATHANIEL GREENE NORTH, b. 8 Aug 1841, d. Aug 1844
- 121A9E. THOMAS JEFFERSON NORTH, b. 7 Sep 1843
- 121A9F. CHARLES DAVID NORTH, b. 8 Oct 1845, m. Mary Sophia Nicholson

121AB. **ARELIA WAYNE NORTH** was born 12 Sep 1805^{4,5} at Mt. Jefferson in Jefferson County, Virginia. The family lived in Alexandria during the War of 1812. In 1814 when Washington, D.C. was captured by the British, they could see the smoke of the burning Capitol and White House. Arelia married RICHARD RICHARDSON **CRUZEN** on 8 Dec 1825. The aristocratic parents of Arelia did not approve of the union, so the young couple eloped. Richard was born 17 Apr 1803, the son of Richard R. and Elizabeth (Ashfield) Cruzen of Loudon Co., Virginia. Richard R. Sr. had brought an old chest from Germany.⁶ Richard R. Jr. worked in the U. S. armory at Harpers Ferry

¹ Mary Cull, family research, e-mail of 31 Jan 2001

² Newton Bateman and Paul Selby, eds., *Historical Encyclopedia of Illinois and Knox County* (1899), p. 961

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 100-105, 204, letters 145-147, 307-308

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 239. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Beverly Nelson Rambo, *The Rambo Family Tree* (pub. 1987), p. 126

⁶ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 302. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

for many years until he took his family to Greenville, Missouri [now Miami] in the spring of 1839. He purchased government land, a 360 acre farm in Saline Co., Missouri, five miles east of Miami. Two of their children died there within eighteen days, so they returned to Harpers Ferry. Ten years later, they followed their eldest son Nathaniel to Saline Co. and lived there the remainder of their lives. Richard Cruzen died 8 Oct 1891, Arelia died at the age of 92 on 5 May 1898, and their bodies await the resurrection day in the Baptist cemetery at Miami. For more information about the family, see pages 43 and 233-245 and pictures #95, etc. in the *Genealogy and History of the Related Keyes, North, and Cruzen Families* by Millard Fillmore Stipes. The Cruzens had 12 children:

- 121AB1. NATHANIEL GREENE NORTH CRUZEN, b. 4 Oct 1826, m. 1) ..., 2)...
- 121AB2. MARY ELIZABETH CRUZEN, b. 4 Jan 1829, m. James Archibald Steele
- 121AB3. SARAH ARELIA CRUZEN, b. 2 Jan 1831, d. 11 Sep 1939
- 121AB4. HANNAH EMILY CRUZEN, b. 12 Jan 1833, m. Ezekiel Henry Stipes
- 121AB5. MILDRED LAURETTA CRUZEN, b. 20 Nov 1834, m. Thomas Steele
- 121AB6. MARGARET KEYES CRUZEN, b. 25 Nov 1836, m. 1) Winning, 2) ...
- 121AB7. WILELMER RICHARDSON CRUZEN, b. 21 Dec 1838, d. 29 Sep 1839
- 121AB8. ISAAC CHAPLAIN CRUZEN, b. 9 Dec 1840, m. 1) Hill, 2) Wolverton
- 121AB9. ELIZA NORTH CRUZEN, b. 27 Oct 1842, m. Hiram Ferril
- 121ABA. GEORGE RICHARDSON CRUZEN, b. 30 Nov 1844, m. Lucinda Elder
 - 121ABB. Son CRUZEN, b. & d. 23 Dec 1846
 - 121ABC. WINFIELD THORNTON CRUZEN, b. 4 Jun 1848, d. 27 Oct 1850

121AC. **EMILY ELIZA NORTH** was born 12 Mar 1808 and died 28 Dec 1831 while on a visit to her brother Thomas Jefferson North in Pendleton Co., Virginia.¹

121AD. **NATHANIEL** <u>GREENE</u> NORTH was born 12 May 1810 in Jefferson Co., Virginia. His father named his son for General Nathaniel Greene under whom he had served in the Revolution and for whom he had a profound esteem. Rev. Nathaniel Greene North married MARY MORROW **WORTHINGTON** near Charlestown, VA on 30 Apr 1835. He spent the greater part of his life in Virginia although he was a printer and Presbyterian minister in Virginia, Mississippi, Louisiana, West Virginia, Maryland, and Arkansas. In the early 1840s he operated *the Southwestern Farmer* newspaper in Raymond, Mississippi and was associated with several New Orleans papers. During the Civil War, while he was ministering to the wounded on the field of battle near Harpers Ferry, a Federal Colonel arrested him and held him for several months. His home, the Worthington house, was destroyed. His wife, Mary, died 4 Jan 1867, and he died 19 Nov 1875 at Mount Holly, Union Co., Arkansas. They had the following children:²

121AD1. SARAH MORROW NORTH, b. 7 Feb 1836, d. 15 Feb 1842

121AD2. ROBERT WORTHINGTON NORTH, b. 15 Jan 1841, m. Mary A. Martin

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 43. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 43, 113-116, 119-121, letters 141-143, 147-149, 158-161, poetry 207-211. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121AE. GEORGE CALEB NORTH was a millwright born 15 Jun 1815 at Alexandria, Virginia more than five months after the death of his father. He married SARAH BRAGG in Jefferson Co., Virginia. She was born 22 Aug 1815, a daughter of Charles Nelson Bragg.¹ Sarah was a dressmaker and purchased a small colored girl whom she took to Arkansas when the family moved there in 1847. George Caleb built several noteworthy steam saw mills and steam grist mills. They lived in Fayetteville, Arkansas although George Caleb left in 1849 to spend two years in California and three in Mexico accumulating considerable money. When the Union armies invaded northern Arkansas, George Caleb took his family south where he died in 1863 near Ft. Smith, Arkansas. Mrs. North spent the remainder of her life in Fayetteville until she died 20 Aug 1899.² They had these children:³

121AE1. GEORGE WARREN NORTH, b. 19 Sep 1844, m. ?

121AE2. NATALIE KEYES NORTH, b. 6 Mar 1847, m. James Hamilton Cooper

121AE3. EMMA JANE NORTH, b. 8 Mar 1849, d. ca 1891, m. Elias B. Moore

The child of [#121B] Caleb and Abigail (Hockley) North [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121B1. **FRANCIS ASBURY NORTH** was born in 1792 and married MARIA (?). He died before his father's will was written in 1837. After Francis died, Maria married a Mr. Perfect. Caleb North bequeathed daughter-in-law Maria and granddaughter Louisa a tract of four hundred and fifty acres in Ohio, Donation Lands No 7 in the third Quarter of the fifth Township in the sixteenth Range. Francis and Maria had one known child:

121B11. LOUISA NORTH

The children of [#121B] Caleb and Lydia (Lewis) North, his second wife, were Ann, Sarah, Caleb, Emmeline, George Washington, Maria, Edwin, Harriet, Louisa and Ella H.

121B2. **ANN NORTH** was born in Coventry, Pennsylvania on 9 Mar 1796, and on 10 Apr 1818 married JOHN MARTIN GROOME **EMORY** of Easton, Maryland as his second wife. He had married Harriet Downs first in 1812, but she died in 1814. John was born in Caroline Co., Maryland in 1784, a son of Charles "Younger" and Frances (Bishop) Emory. John Emory died intestate at Easton on 17 Dec 1836 and was buried in Spring Hill Cemetery. Ann North Emory moved to Philadelphia, died there 26 Jul 1861, and is buried in Easton, Maryland. John and Ann Emory had these children:⁴

121B21. CHARLES EMORY, b. 24 Feb 1819, d. Nov 1898, m. Caroline Tolbert

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 122. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 143, 1918-1919 (1935), p. 276

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 122-123, letter 154. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 7 Jun 2000

- 121B22. CALEB NORTH EMORY, d. 25 May 1863, m. Sarah B. D. Martin in 1849
- 121B23. SARAH N. EMORY, m. John Cheezum in 1844
- 121B24. JOHN McC EMORY, m. Emily Anderson in 1853
- 121B25. ELLEN H. EMORY, b. 20 May 1826, d. 17 Sep 1890
- 121B26. GEORGE W. EMORY, m. Susan E. Searling in 1860
- 121B27. LOUIS EMORY, m. Ella Bicking in 1859
- 121B28. THEODORE D. EMORY, b. 23 Dec 1832, d. 6 Jun 1886
- 121B29. FRANCIS A. EMORY, m. Theodosia Garnett on 22 Oct 1864

121B3. **SARAH NORTH** was born 9 Apr 1798 in Philadelphia. She married ALEXANDER **BENSON** on 27 Apr 1824 as reported in *Poulson's American Daily Advertiser* the next day. He was born 21 Nov 1794 in Baltimore, Maryland. Sarah Benson died 16 Apr 1859 in Philadelphia, and Alexander died on 13 May 1870. They were the parents of these children:^{1,2}

- 121B31. EMILY NORTH BENSON, b. 29 Mar 1825, d. 1 Dec 1830
- 121B32. MARY LOUISA BENSON, b. 27 Jan 1827, d. 8 Dec 1830
- 121B33. HARRIET SMITH BENSON, b. 19 Dec 1828
- 121B34. ALEXANDER BENSON Jr., b. 3 Mar 1831, d. 5 Aug 1870
- 121B35. THEODORE BENSON, b. 15 Jan 1833, d. 17 Dec 1833
- 121B36. ROSALIE BENSON, b. 21 Nov 1835, d. 11 Jun 1879
- 121B37. WASHINGTON BENSON, b. 26 Jun 1838, d. 28 Aug 1838
- 121B38. EDWIN NORTH BENSON, b. 16 Jan 1840, m. Ida Virginia Wray

121B4. **CALEB NORTH Jr.** was born 9 Feb 1800 and lived in the 8th Ward, Philadelphia with his unmarried brother and sisters in 1850 according to the census. In 1870 he had real property worth \$9,000 and was retired. He died unmarried 27 Nov 1872.³

121B5. **EMMELINE NORTH** was born 3 Feb 1801, and in 1850 she lived with her unmarried brothers and sisters in Philadelphia. In 1870 her interest in real property was valued at \$9,000. She died unmarried 17 Jan 1883.⁴

121B6. **GEORGE WASHINGTON NORTH** was born 24 Aug 1803 in Philadelphia.⁵ He married CATHERINE MARGARET **CLEMSON** on 3 Jun 1835 in Pennsylvania. George died in Philadelphia on 29 Jun 1877, and Catherine died 20 Oct 1888. They had eight children:^{6,7,8}

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 51. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001 mentions Benson Bible at Gen. Soc. of PA

³ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

⁴ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

⁵ Frank Munsell, ed., American Ancestry: Giving Name and Descent ..., vol. 6 (pub. 1891), p. 19

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00390.htm

⁷ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

⁸ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

121B61. HENRY MARTIN NORTH, b. 12 Jul 1836, d. 5 Jan 1844
121B62. THOMAS CLEMSON NORTH, b. 18 Dec 1838, m. Harriet Belford
121B63. GEORGE HUMPHRIES NORTH, b. 17 Jun 1841, m. Harriet J. Robbins
121B64. WILLIAM FREDERICK NORTH, b. 10 Jun 1844, m. Fannie Delleker
121B65. WALTER NORTH, b. 16 Oct 1846, m. 1) E. Clinton, 2) H. Foote
121B66. ELIZABETH CLEMSON NORTH, b. 31 Oct 1848, never married
121B67. CLARENCE A. NORTH, b. 15 Dec 1850, m. Mary Hardie
121B68. HERBERT ALLIBONE NORTH, b. 31 Mar 1856

21B7 MARIA NORTH was born in 1808 and lived in Philadelphi

121B7. **MARIA NORTH** was born in 1808 and lived in Philadelphia with her unmarried brothers and sisters. In the 1870 Census, her interest in real property was valued at \$9,000. She died unmarried 14 Aug 1876.¹

121B8. **EDWIN NORTH** was born 12 Jan 1811 and lived in the family home in Philadelphia. He was retired in 1870 and died unmarried 19 Jan 1883, two days after his sister Emmeline.²

121BA. **ELLA HARRIET NORTH** was born in 1817 and lived in the family home in Philadelphia. In 1870 she had an interest in real property valued at \$9,000, the same as held by her brother Caleb and sisters Emmeline and Maria. She died unmarried 14 Apr 1872.³

The children of [#121C] Thomas and Naomi (Davis) North [son of Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary, Joshua, Eliza, Jemiah, Joseph Exener and Roger Davis.

121C1. **JOSHUA NORTH** was born 1 May 1786 in Pennsylvania and married JEMIMA **HEDDEN** on 5 Jan 1808.⁴ She was born 24 Sep 1789, the daughter of Aaron and Martha (Lampson) Hedden. Shortly after their marriage they moved to a farm in Tompkins Co., New York. Mrs. Jemima North died 2 May 1840, and Joshua North died 6 May 1865 in Lansing, New York. They were the parents of these children:

121C11. HANNAH NORTH, b. 9 Feb 1809, d. 4 Feb 1852, m. Nelson F. Benson

- 121C12. JANE L. NORTH, b. 1 Feb 1811, d. 13 Sep 1849, m. Orson Woodford
- 121C13. THOMAS JEFFERSON NORTH, b. 15 Apr 1813, m. Jane A. Townley
- 121C14. SUSAN E. NORTH, b. 26 Mar 1815, m. 1) S. H. Benson, 2) J. Halladay
- 121C15. MARTHA NAOMI NORTH, b. 17 May 1817, m. Frederick Sears
- 121C16. JOHN CALVIN NORTH, b. 5 Jan 1820, d. 1879, m. Abby Jane Gregory
- 121C17. MERCY A. NORTH, b. 22 Feb 1822, d. 12 May 1860, m. Dr. Lampkins

¹ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

² Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

³ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 2 Jan 2001

⁴ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

121C18. AARON NORTH, b. 11 Jul 1824, d. 22 Nov 1908, m. Mary Jane Hedden 121C19. SARAH W. NORTH, b. 23 Sep 1826, d. 23 Sep 1864, m. Levi B. Wilson 121C1A. CALEB HOWELL NORTH, b. 5 Mar 1829, m. Mary Amelia Harvey 121C1B. MARY F. NORTH, b. 27 Aug 1831, m. Alex Lewis

" The following is from a letter written by Joshua North, of Tompkins County, New York, to John North, of McAllesterville, Juanita County, Pennsylvania, and forwarded to William Darke North, of Berkeley County, Virginia, May 5th, 1857.

'Before me is a receipt for the payment of thirty-eight guineas, to Caleb North, for himself and his family, eleven in number, for passage to America, dated Cork, Ireland, May 1st, 1729, and a memorandum of their landing in Philadelphia on the 20th of July following.

'Roger, the oldest son, married Ann Rambo on October 13th, 1733, and settled at the mouth of Mingo Creek, Providence Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. They had eight sons and five daughters, as follows: Sophia, Sarah, Samuel, John, Betsy, William, Roger, Nancy, Caleb, George, Thomas, Joshua, and Hannah.

'Sophia died in Charlestown, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

'Nancy, John, Joshua, Betsy, and William emigrated to Juanita County, Pennsylvania. 'Samuel died in North Carolina. It is said that he started the first plow in that state.

'Nancy and George died in Virginia.

'Roger and Caleb died near Philadelphia.

'Hannah, the youngest died in Kentucky, aged 24'."¹

121C2. ELIZA NORTH was born about 16 Feb 1789 (sic) and is believed to be a child of Thomas and Naomi North.² She was called Eliza Hedden so may have married Mr. HEDDEN or been given her mother's maiden name as her second name. She died 3 Mar 1849 at the age of 60 years and 15 days.

121C3. **JOSEPH EXENER NORTH** was born 16 Sep 1791 at East Cumberland, Pennsylvania and married CHRISTIANA **TEETER** on 13 Dec 1813 in New York. She was born 11 Jan 1789 and died 11 Aug 1854. Joseph died 5 Nov 1862 in Lansing, Michigan. They had these children:³

121C32. JOSEPH EXENER NORTH, b. ca 1814, d. 19 Dec 1851, m. Emily Rolfe

121C31. HENRY HARRISON NORTH, b. 18 Jan 1816, d. 1885, m Almira Buck

121C33. JOSHUA NORTH, b. 21 Mar 1817, d. 13 Jul 1881, m. Louisa Buck

121C34. JOHN R. NORTH, b. 17 Jul 1818, d. 23 Feb 1874, m. Elizabeth Skinner

121C35. THOMAS E. NORTH, b. ca 1820

121C36. ELIZA ANN NORTH, b. ca 1822, m. Russell P. Everett

121C37. SETH EUGENE NORTH, b. 12 May 1823, d. 1866, m. Elizabeth Everett

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 41. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00394.htm

121C38. NANCY JANE NORTH, b. ca 1825, m. Samuel T. Cranston

121C39. MANNING K. NORTH, b. ca 1826, d. 13 Apr 1902, m. Mary Lobdell

121C3A. JESSE DAVIS NORTH, b. 28 Oct 1828, d. 1900, m. Edna Marie Badgley

121C3B. MAGDALENE NORTH, b. 3 Oct 1830, d. 19 Nov 1831

121C3C. JEROME NORTH, b. 12 May 1836, d. 14 Apr 1838

121C4. **RODGER DAVIS NORTH** was born about 1788 in Juanita Co., Pennsylvania, married SARAH **WILSON**, and moved to Richland Co., Ohio at an early day.¹ Sarah was born about 1798 and died 10 Jan 1826 in Thompkins Co., New York. They had these children:²

121C41. GUY NORTH, b. ca 1810

121C42. YANCY NORTH, b. ca 1812 in Thompkins Co., New York

121C43. DELLON NORTH, b. ca 1815

121C44. LINA NORTH, b. ca 1817

121C45. NAOMI NORTH, b. ca 1820

The children of [#1222] Matthias and (?) Koplin, his first wife, [son of Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Matthias and Betsy.

12221. MATTHIAS KOPLIN "was born in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania by 1775, to his father's first wife, name unknown. He went with his father to Frederick Co., Maryland about 1778 and married MARGARET, thought to be Margaret **KIEFFER**, daughter of a neighbor, by 1796 when their first child was born. Margaret Keiffer was born 1 Nov 1771, a daughter of Ludewig and Anna Margaret (Sprenckel) Kieffer.³ Matthias was taxed in Cumberland Township, York Co., Pennsylvania [now Adams Co.] in 1795 as Matthias Jr. He appears in Bedford Co., PA tax records between 1801 and 1807, then in Huntingdon Co., PA, first in Union Township, later in Henderson Township, where he was a road supervisor and constable. In the spring of 1825, Matthias and Margaret, his wife, sold their 225 acres of land (with a distillery) and moved with their unmarried children to still wild Chippewa Township, Wayne Co., Ohio. The two married sons came west a little later, but there are marriage records for the rest of the children in Ohio. Three of these children married three children of neighbors Lawrence and Anna Maria (Kreutz) Baughman who had migrated from Lowhill Township, Northampton Co., PA [now Lehigh Co.] to Trumbull Co., Ohio sometime between 8 Jan 1804 and 21 Dec 1805 (children's births). On 16 Feb 1815, Lorantz Bauchman paid \$351.00 for 117 acres in Portage Co., Ohio [now Medina Co.] just across the county line from Wayne Co., Ohio where the Koplins settled in 1825. The Koplins and the Baughmans were active Reformed members of the nearby Emmanuel Church, a

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 131. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00397.htm

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, Ludewig Kieffer Bible record

German Lutheran and Reformed union church, sometimes called Waltz Church, sometimes High Church. Matthias was elected as a Vorsteher (deacon) just a year after he left PA, and Lawrence had been elected an elder in 1817. Matthias and Margaret are not buried in the Emanuel Church cemetery, however. Margaret is on the list of burials at a Doylestown cemetery, a few miles away, and no doubt Matthias is buried there, too." She died 30 Apr 1840, aged 68. "There is no receipt from daughter Rachel and her husband for her inheritance, altho she was still alive but living in a different county. Matthias died in 1847." "Reunions of descendants of Matthias and Margaret Koplin were held near Akron, Ohio from 1894 to 1915, and the original minutes are held by a third great grandaughter. Western Reserve Historical Society in Cleveland, Ohio also has an original manuscript about the reunions which also lists children and grandchildren, many with addresses to the early 1900's."¹ They had these children:

122211. WILLIAM KOPLIN, b. 19 Dec 1796, d. 7 Dec 1868, m. Mary Simpson
122212. MARY MARGARET KOPLIN, b. 19 Jan 1799, d. 1879, m. Thomas Richey
122213. CHRISTIAN KOPLIN, b. 5 Apr 1803, d. 1834, m. Magdalena Baughman
122214. MATTHIAS KOPLIN, b. 28 Jan 1801, m. 1) M. Stambaugh, 2) C. Janney
122215. ABRAHAM KOPLIN, b. ca 1804, m. 1) Rachel Baughman, 2) R. Weary
122216. RACHEL KOPLIN, b. 1806, d. 24 Nov 1890, m. Lawrence Baughman
122217. CATHARINE KOPLIN, b. 4 Oct 1808, d. 1886, m. Joseph Whitmore
122218. BARBARA KOPLIN, b. ca 1810, d. 9 Dec 1893, m. John Reuben Long
122219. DAVID KOPLIN, b. 7 (or 12) Jun 1812, d. 1901, m. Catharine Everhard
12221A. GEORGE KOPLIN, b. ca 1810, d. by 8 Oct 1849, m. Margaret Essig

His heirs signed receipts for "one hundred and Ninety three Dollars and thirty three Cents and a half in full of my proportion of the sale of the estate"

Abraham Koplin on 8 Oct 1849; William Koplin on 22 Aug 1849; Thomas Richey [his mark] and Margraeta Richey on 8 Oct 1849; Cathrine Whitm__ [hir mark] on 24 Sep 1849; Abraham Koplin as guardian for Solomon Koplin, David Koplin and Anamaria Koplin, minor heirs of Christian Koplin, deceased on 8 Oct 1849; David Koplin on 1 Oct 1849; Matthias Koplin on 24 Sep 1849; John Long and Barbara Long [hir mark] on 1 Oct 1849; Christian Shank as guardian for Hariet Koplin, Phebe Koplin, Mary Koplin, Christian Koplin, William Koplin and Simon Koplin, Minor heirs of George Koplin, deceased, on 8 Oct 1849.²

The children of [#1222] Matthias and Catherine (?) Koplin, his second wife, were Catherine, Abraham, Polly, Frederick, Rachel, Nancy, Suffia and David.

12223. CATHERINE KOPLIN was born about 1778 in Maryland and married PETER **KEFAUVER** in Adams Co., Pennsylvania by 1800. They had a number of children and stayed in Adams or York Co., PA when the rest of the family moved to Mifflin Co., PA.

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letters of 20 Feb 2001, 11 Oct 2002, edited

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, copies of receipts

There was no mention of Catherine when Peter Kefauver died in 1837.¹

12224. **ABRAHAM KOPLIN** was born about 1780 and married SYBIL **DULL**. In 1820 the census showed Abraham and Sybil with three daughters under 10. In 1830 the census shows Abraham and the three girls but not Sybil. Abraham owned land close to his father's, and was taxed on 398 or 400 acres of land and a sawmill several times. Abraham died in 1833.²

12225. **POLLY (Mary) KOPLIN** was born about 1782 and probably died before 1860. She married JACOB **NOSS** by 1810. According to his biography, Polly and her husband started for Illinois about 1818 but stopped in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania for the winter and decided to stay. Records show four children and possibly six others.³

12226. **FREDERICK KOPLIN** was born in the 1790s and was taxed as a single freeman in 1812. He was married and taxed for one cow in 1816. He and his wife MARY (?) had four sons and a daughter by 1825. Mary was head of the household with five children in 1830. The obituary for the youngest son says that in 1829 he traveled with his widowed mother in a caravan from Newton Hamilton, Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania to Johnstown, Pennsylvania. Mary and three of the children are buried in Johnstown.⁴

12227. **RACHEL KOPLIN** was born about 1792 and married SAMUEL **NEICE** by 1 Jan 1815. Samuel and Rachel may have had four or more children. Rachel signed the deed when the sheriff sold their sawmill in 1845, but she was missing from the 1850 census.⁵

12228. NANCY KOPLIN was born about 1796 and married JACOB D. SHOOP on 3 Feb 1812. Jacob was born 18 Mar 1787 in Pennsylvania, a son of Philip Frederick and Irma Elizabeth (Noss) Shoop. Jacob Shoop rented his father-in-law's property near Newton Hamilton on the Juniata River in Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania. Jacob and Nancy later moved to Huntingdon Co., Pennsylvania. Nancy died there 12 Jan 1861, Jacob died 10 May 1877, and they are buried in the Old Gap Cemetery [Possumtown] close to her sister Sophia and husband, William Roddy. (Beware of biting ants in the cemetery).⁶ Nancy and Jacob Shoop had ten children:⁷

122281. CATHARINE SHOOP, b. 23 Oct 1812, m. 1) Thomas Roddy, 2) C. King

122282. OLIVER JACKSON SHOOP, b. 12 Feb 1815, d. before 1898

122283. AARON McCONNELL SHOOP, b. 28 Sep 1816, m. 1) Goshorn, 2) ...

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁵ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁶ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁷ Terry Strobaugh, e-mail of 14 Jan 2008

122284. MATHIAS FREDERICK SHOOP, b. ca 1819, d. 1907, m. Sarah Carl
122285. PHEBE ANN SHOOP, b. 2 May 1822, d. 22 Nov 1897, m. Joshua Edgein
122286. JOHN WESLEY SHOOP, b. 6 Oct 1825, m. Elizabeth Ellen Brandt
122287. SARAH JANE SHOOP, b. ca 1829, m. 1) Mr. Thompson, 2) Mr. Hoy
122288. MARY CRESSWELL SHOOP, b. 16 Jul 1832, m. 1) James, 2) Thompson
122289. SIDNEY ELIZABETH SHOOP, b. 28 Feb 1835, m. William H. Stahlman
12228A. DANIEL P. SHOOP, b. ca 1838, m. Isabella Margaret Love

12229. **SUFFIA (Sophia) KOPLIN** was born about 1796 and married WILLIAM **RODDY**, probably after 1825. Sophia and William had seven children, some born in Newton Hamilton, Pennsylvania, and some born after the family moved to Shade Gap, Huntington Co., Pennsylvania around 1838. Three of the children married and moved to Kansas. Sophia died 3 May 1874. She and William are buried in the Old Shade Gap Cemetery (also known as the Possum Town Cemetery).¹

1222A. **DAVID KOPLIN** was born in 1800 and was to "fall in his mother's place" as executor of his father's will when he became of age. (He was a minor in 1816). He married ELIZABETH (?) by 1828 and owned property in Newton Hamilton, Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania. He married ELIZABETH **HILLSBURY** second, in the early 1840s. He and Elizabeth (Hillsbury) Koplin are buried in the Newton Hamilton Methodist Cemetery. There were four children, probably two to each wife.²

The children of [#1224] Michael and Alice (Koplin) Ickes [daughter of Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12241. **NICHOLAS ICKES** was born 1 Oct 1764³ in Limerick Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania and was baptized on 9 Dec 1764 at the New Hanover Church.⁴ He served during the Revolutionary War and applied for a pension, "Nicholas Ickes, a resident of Limerick Township, Philadelphia County [now Montgomery Co.], served as a substitute for George Evans under Colonel Anthony Bitting, Captain John Missimer [4th Battalion Philadelphia County Militia]. He entered the service about September 1781 [age 17 on 1 October 1781] and was discharged about two months later, the British having withdrawn their forces [Siege of Yorktown was September and October 1781]. He marched with his company from Kreps Tavern [New Hanover Township in present-day Montgomery County] to Uniontown, Bucks County, PA where he performed the duties of a soldier. Nicholas applied for a pension under the Pension Act of June 7, 1832, but his application was rejected because he had not served six months."^{5,1} In 1785 he

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 2, p. 210

⁴ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁵ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, Wentz, Barbara. e-mail of 12 Apr 2003

married MARY MAGDALENA CHRISTMAN.² When his father died, Nicholas, as eldest son, received a double share of the inheritance. He bought the family farm where he had been born and where four of his children were born. In 1795 Nicholas left Montgomery Co. to settle in Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania [now Perry Co.] in Sherman's Valley. On 11 Feb 1796 he bought 218 acres of land from Robert Robinson.³ Magdalena died in childbirth in 1797. Nicolas Ickes then married the widow, SUSANNA (LOY) BARNHEISEL. She was born 9 Jun 1782 in Pennsylvania, a daughter of Michael and Maria (Lambert) Loy. Her first husband, Jacob Bernheisel, was killed by a fall from his horse on 10 Oct 1796 in Cumberland Co., PA and was buried there in Buffalo Cemetery near Buffalo Mill [now Saville].⁴ Nicholas bought land parcels from John Robinson, Dr. Maley and George Sanderson. On the land of the latter, he established his residence, and in 1816 he founded Ickesburg, prior to the formation of Perry Co., Pennsylvania in 1820. By 1820, Nicholas was running a distillery, and he erected a grist mill and a saw mill in 1821.⁵ Susanna died 9 Sep 1846 in Ickesburg aged 64y 3m; Nicholas died there 25 Mar 1849 aged 85y 5m 9d.⁶ He is buried close to his brother Samuel in Buffalo Cemetery (Emanuel Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery at Buffalo Mills in Saville Township). Nicholas and Magdalena had these children:^{7,8}

- 122411. ELIZABETH ICKES, b. 5 Oct 1787, d. 2 Aug 1859, m. Peter Hench
- 122413. SAMUEL ICKES, b. 29 Mar 1789, d. 3 Nov 1857, m. Katie Shoemaker
- 122414. SUSANNA ICKES, b. 11 Feb 1791, d. 1795
- 122412. JONAS ICKES, b. 3 Feb 1793, d. 28 Mar 1889, m. Mary Duncan
- 122415. CATHARINE ICKES, b. 31 Dec 1795, m. Paul Schreffler
- 122416. NICHOLAS ICKES, b. & d. 1797

Nicholas and Susanna had a these children:

- 122417. MARGARET ICKES, b. 4 Apr 1798, m. John Rice
- 122418. MARY MAGDALENA ICKES, b. 3 Jul 1799, d. 1862, m. George Rice
- 122419. MICHAEL ICKES, b. 27 Mar 1801, d. 29 Sep 1862, m. Sarah Rice
- 12241A. JACOB ICKES, b. 26 Mar 1803, d. 1848, m. Jane Elliot Baker
- 12241B. JOHN LOY ICKES, b. 3 Jun 1805, m. 1) Strode, 2) McCamant, 3) Rice
- 12241C. SUSANNA ICKES, b. 27 May 1807, d. 30 Jan 1881, m. Samuel Heim
- 12241D. ESTER ICKES, b. 19 Jul 1809, d. Jul 1844, m. George Wollett
- 12241E. NICHOLAS ICKES, b. 8 Jul 1811, d. before 1815
- 12241F. GEORGE LOY ICKES, b. 13 Apr 1813, m. 1) C. Shuhmann, 2) E. Kell
- 12241G. NICHOLAS ICKES, b. 13 Oct 1815, d. 27 Jun 1844, m. Ann Millikin
- 12241H. MARY ANN ICKES, b. 30 Sep 1817, d. 26 Jun 1892, m. Henry Smith
- citing National Archives

¹ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

² Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Gardiner, Margaret Eleanor Hench" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 4, p. 198

³ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of Apr 2003 with description citing Cumberland Co., PA Deeds vol. 1, book M, p. 94

⁴ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁵ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 2003 citing Franklin Ellis, ed., *History of that part of the Susquehanna* ... (1886)

⁶ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mails of 16 Apr 2003 & 16 Aug 2003 with picture of tombstone

⁷ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁸ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

12241I. SARAH ICKES, b. 2 Aug 1819, d. 3 Jul 1894, m. Johnson Sarvis 12241J. ELSA ELNORA ICKES, b. 21 Jul 1823, d. 1909, m. David Zimmerman 12241K. SOPHIA ICKES, b. 1 Sep 1826, m. Levi Weibley

12242. **SAMUEL ICKES** was born 17 Feb 1766 and married SUSANNAH (?). He died in Perry Co., Pennsylvania in 21 Jan 1858 aged 90y 3m 2d and is buried there in Buffalo Cemetery, Saville Township, close to his brother Nicholas.¹

The children of [#1225] John and Susann (Cressman) Koplin [son of Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Esther, Isaac, Benjamin, Susanna, Ann Mary, John and Samuel.

12251. ESTHER KOPLIN was mute by the time of her mother's death in 1833.²

12252. **ISAAC KOPLIN** married ANN **AMOLE** by 1825 but died by 1833 as he is not mentioned in his mother's will. Isaac and Ann lived in East Nantmeal, Chester Co., Pennsylvania and had two known children. Ann died much later than Isaac and is buried in the Shenkel Burying Ground in Chester Co.³

12254. **SUSANNA KOPLIN** was born in Apr 1793 and married JACOB **MILLER** on 23 May 1813 at New Hanover, Pennsylvania.⁴ Jacob Miller's biography says he lived and farmed all his life in Robeson Township, Berks Co., Pennsylvania, so it is likely that their six children were born there although Jacob did live in Nantmeal Township, Chester Co. at some point. Susanna died 1 Jul 1841 and is buried with Jacob in the cemetery at St. Peter's Reformed in Knauertown, Chester Co., Pennsylvania.⁵

12255. **ANNA MARY KOPLIN** was born 15 Jul 1782 and married HENRY **SHICK** on 27 May 1800. Four of their children were baptized at New Hanover Lutheran Church in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania before the family moved to Chester Co. Anna Maria died 3 Aug 1857.⁶

1225X. **JOHN KOPLIN** was born about 1784 and married MARY **UNSTEAD** on 3 May 1812. He left five minor children when he died about 1821 at age 37y 1m 9d. Isaac Koplin was administrator of his estate. John and Mary are buried at St. Gabriels in Douglasville, Pennsylvania in Berks County, just across the county line from his

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Pennsylvania German Society, *Pennsylvania German Church Records* (pub. 1983), vol. 2, p. 353

⁵ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁶ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

property at Pottsgrove in Montgomery County.¹

1225X. **SAMUEL KOPLIN** was a carpenter and a millwright born 3 Apr 1787. He married ELISABETH (?) about 1813 and had eight children, two born in Berks Co, five in Chester Co., and one in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. Samuel married a second time and died by 1870.²

The children of [#1226] Christian and Margaret (?) Koplin [son of Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12261. AGNES KOPLIN was born 9 Apr 1782 and married THOMAS HENDERSON by 1814. Agnes died after 1817, and Thomas drowned 1 Mar 1825. No children are known.³

12262. WILLIAM KOPLIN was born 1 Jan 1785 and is said to have gone to Ohio with his brother Caleb as early as 1805. He married MARY (Polly) MANS (or Means) in Ohio on 15 Oct 1807 and had four or more children, but they divorced. He lived in several other states and died by 1860.⁴

12263. **ESTHER (Hetty) KOPLIN** was born 29 Apr 1787 and married JAMES **EDMISTON** by 1811. They may have had as many as five children. She was still alive in 1827 when she and her sister each sold their 1/5 interest in their father's land. Their siblings were not mentioned in the deed.⁵

12264. **MARGARET KOPLIN** was born 17 Apr 1789 and married WILLIAM **STEWART** by 1814. They are thought to have had eleven children before William died in 1833. They are buried in the Old Churchill Cemetery in Turbett Township, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania. Margaret died 1 Apr 1881.⁶

12265. CALEB KOPLIN was born 10 Oct 1790, served in the War of 1812, and later received a pension for his military service. He married ELEANOR HENDERSON on 23 Dec 1817, REBECCA MCELHENY in Apr 1825, MARGARET JONES about 1840 and ELEANOR MOREHEAD on 28 Sep 1843. He fathered at least twenty children by his four wives, and seventeen were still alive when he died on 12 Jul 1862. Each one inherited \$70.03 according to the estate papers. He and all of his wives are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Rushville, Ohio. His house remains on "Gunbarrel Road" in

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

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12266. **MARY KOPLIN** married JOHN **MARK** by 1813. John Mark consistantly appeared on the tax lists in Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania from 1813 to 1822 with two cows and two horses, although in various townships. Mary was listed as a widow and head of household on the 1823 tax list in Turbett Township, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania, and three of the children were listed on the poor children tax list.²

The children of [#1228] Benjamin and Esther (Koplin) Dismant [daughter of Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12281. **HENRY DISMANT** apparently married and moved to Chester Co., Pennsylvania. His father's will names him but leaves him only one dollar. Henry is included in the Pension Roll of 1835, which gives his date of death as 21 Aug 1814 and lists six heirs.³

(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the penison papers for Henry Dismant, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS)

12282. WILLIAM DISMANT was named executor of his father's will and received the major part of the estate. Two grandsons and a granddaughter were also named as heirs.⁴

The children of [#1229] Isaiah and Sophia (Koplin) Davis [daughter of Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ann, Rebecca, Esther, Mary, Richard, Isaac, Thomas and Amos.

12291. **ANN DAVIS** was born 10 Aug 1781 and married BENJAMIN **CASTELBERRY** on 26 Mar 1799. They had six children and possibly another that died young. Her father's will, dated 1 Mar 1823, says in part, "I hereby bar and prohibit her present husband from all right or Interest in the said bequest." Ann died 24 Feb $1825.^{5}$

12292. **REBECCA DAVIS** was born 15 Jan 1783 and had a twin sister, Esther. On 5 Oct 1802, Rebecca married JACOB **CASTELBERRY**, whose brother Benjamin married Rebecca's older sister Ann. Rebecca probably died 20 Nov 1820, and certainly died

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² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁵ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

before her father, who left her share of his estate to her three children.¹

12293. **ESTHER DAVIS** was Rebecca's twin sister, born 15 Jan 1783. She married GEORGE **McELHENY** [#12293] before 1823 and probably by 1810. She died 20 Aug 1823 or 1826. Little is known about her.² See his information.

12294. **MARY DAVIS** was born 27 Sep 1790 and was still unmarried when her parents died. She married CHRISTIAN **HATFIELD** on 18 Nov 1823 but died 9 Nov 1824, about two weeks after giving birth to a son. Descendants of the son are given in a DAR application based on her father's service.³

12297. **THOMAS DAVIS** was born 3 May 1793 and was the only son of Isaiah and Sophia to survive to adulthood. He is named in his father's will and signed a receipt in 1823. Nothing else is known about him although his wife was possibly named HANNAH.⁴

The children of [#1232] William and Ann (Rambo) Todd [daughter of John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12321. **MARY TODD** was born about Aug 1767 and married JOSEPH **BALDRIDGE**, Esq. of Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania. On 28 Apr 1797, her father, William Todd, Esq. sold 126 acres of land in Unity Township, situated on both sides of the state road leading from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh, to his son-in-law Joseph Baldridge.⁵ When Mary (Todd) Baldridge's mother died in 1817, she was bequeathed a bed, bed stead, bed clothes, and trunk. Mary Baldridge died 15 Mar 1835.⁶ Her husband Joseph died before 16 Apr 1841 when his executors, John and William T. Baldridge, brought suit regarding more than 227 acres of land in Derry Township.⁷ Joseph and Mary Baldridge were probably the parents of these children:

- 123211. JOHN BALDRIDGE, m. ?
- 123212. WILLIAM TODD BALDRIDGE
- 123213. THOMAS BALDRIDGE, b. 1795, d. after 1850, m. Mary (?)
- 123214. JOSEPH BALDRIDGE Jr., b. ca 1802, d. after 1850, m. Elizabeth Niccolls
- 123215. DAVID BALDRIDGE, b. 1806, d. 1857, m. 1) Phoebe, 2) Anne Jane (?)

12322. Daughter TODD married a Mr. MATHEWS. She died before 1817 and left the

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² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁵ William L. Iscrupe, ed., *Old Westmoreland* (pub. 1980-1982), vol. 2 (2), p. 5 (Nov 1981)

⁶ Della Reagan Fischer, Marriage and Death Notices from Weekly Newspapers. LDS microfilm #844896 Item 2

⁷ William L. Iscrupe, ed., *Old Westmoreland* (pub. 1980-1982), vol. 1 (2), p. 25 (Nov 1980)

following minor children who were named in their grandmother Ann Rambo Todd's will.

- 123221. GEORGE MATHEWS, b. after 1796
- 123222. WILLIAM MATHEWS
- 123223. DAVID MATHEWS
- 123224. JAMES MATHEWS
- 123225. ANN MATHEWS
- 123226. ISABELLA MATHEWS

12323. NANCY ANN TODD was born 27 Dec 1771 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, and on 10 May 1792, she married JOSEPH CLARK, who was born 10 Jan 1776, the son of James and Barbara (Sanderson) Clark.¹ His father, James Clark (1742-1824) was a commander of a group of volunteers from Armstrong Co., PA during the Revolution. Joseph died 19 Dec 1823, and Nancy Todd Clark died on 22 Sep 1870 at the age of ninety-eight. They lived in Plumb Creek Township, Armstrong Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

- 123231. BARBARA CLARK, m. James Kirkpatrick
- 123232. ANN CLARK, m. William Richards
- 123233. ALEXANDER CLARK, b. 1795-1802, d. after 1850, m. Jane Armstrong
- 123234. WILLIAM TODD CLARK, b. 1805-1810, m. Jane Cummings
- 123235. LOIS CLARK, b. 1795-1805, d. before 1850, m. John Weamer
- 123236. ELIZABETH TODD CLARK, b. 13 Feb 1806, d. 1863, m. Philip Gallaher
- 123237. MARGARET CLARK, b. 1805-1810, m. William Bell
- 123238. MARY CLARK, b. 1810-1820, m. Jonathan Agey

12324. **DAVID TODD** married and died before his mother wrote her will in 1817, as she left an eighth part of her estate to her grandson:²

- 123241. WILLIAM TODD, b. before 1817
- 123242. BARBARA TODD, b. before 1817, m. Jesse Martin
- 123243. ELIZABETH TODD, b. before 1817, m. David Shields
- 123244. SARAH TODD, b. before 1817, m. John Thrush

"James Armstrong's wife, an heir of William Todd, instituted proceedings in partition to No. 8, [Ed. note: Lot No. 8 in Freeport] of September term, 1817, in the common pleas of this county. After the issuing and service of the summons to William Todd and the other children and heirs of David Todd, deceased, George Armstrong appeared as attorney for all the defendants Thus James Armstrong the plaintiff became vested with a large portion of the land in and around Freeport In that parition, (lots) were allotted to William Todd and his sisters, Barbara, afterward intermarried with Jesse Martin, Elizabeth, with David Shields and Sarah, with John Thrush. They, with their husbands, released their interests in these lots, except No 41, to their brother William,

¹ Daughters of the American Revolution. *Lineage Book: Vol. 54, 1905* (1919) & Vol. 75, 1909 (1925), p. 97

² Richard McMurtry, e-mail of 18 Sep 2004 citing *History of Armstrong County* (1883), p. 411 by Robert Walter Smith. Also see http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~mcmurtriecfr/richard/todd/toddentrance.htm

Note that the estate settlement of William Todd in 1810 by Joseph Baldridge and Joseph Clark included a reference to "Cas from James Matthews by George Armstrong." This James Matthews may be the husband of William Todd's daughter, just as Joseph Baldridge, Joseph Clark and George Armstrong are. This James Matthews is undoubtedly the one who took the case to court.

From the Freeport, Armstrong Co., PA census, 1850 (p 116) and 1860 census: William Todd born ca 1808/1809 Chairmaker, wife Margaret 1814/1816, children: Anne E. b 1834/1838; David 1836/1839, William 1838/1841 and Francis 1840/1843.²

12325. **REBECCA TODD** was born about 1773 and married JAMES **SLOAN** of Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania. He may have been the James Sloan Sr. who died 2 Sep 1854 at age 80.³ One of their children was:⁴

123251. JOHN SLOAN, m. Nancy Walkinshaw

12326. RACHEL TODD was born about 1775 and married a Mr. LATTA before 1817.

12327. LOIS TODD was born about 1779 and married a GEORGE A. ARMSTRONG before 1817.

12328. **Daughter TODD** married (either Smith, or Carnahan) and died before 1817. She left two daughters who were named in their grandmother Todd's will; one of the daughters may have been married.

123281. NANCY CARNAHAN 123282. MARY SMITH

The children of [#1234] Edward and Alice (Rambo) Roberts [daughter of John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Samuel, Jemima, John, Elizabeth, Jesse, William, Jonathan, Edward and Alice.

12341. **SAMUEL ROBERTS** was born in 1769, the year following his parents marriage. He inherited the family property when his father died.⁵ He married BARBARA (?), whose last name is not known, and they sold the land in Perkiomen to Peter Saylor sometime after 1810.

¹ Richard.McMurtry, e-mail of 18 Sep 2004 citing *History of Armstrong County* by Robert W. Smith, p. 411

² Richard.McMurtry, e-mail of 18 Sep 2004

³ Della Reagan Fischer, Marriage and Death Notices from Weekly Newspapers. LDS microfilm #844896 Item 2

⁴ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book: Vol. 154, 1920* (1937) & Vol. 145, 1919 (1935), p. 158

⁵ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

12342. **JEMIMA ROBERTS** was born about 1771 and married BENJAMIN **DAVIS** on 4 Nov 1792 in Lower Providence, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania. The marriage is recorded at the German Reformed Church in Philadelphia.¹ She died in 1847. They had one known child:^{2,3}

123421. ANN DAVIS, b. 15 May 1799, d. 30 Mar 1873, m. Joseph Abraham

12344. **ELIZABETH ROBERTS** was born in 1778 and married JOSEPH **JOHNSON**.⁴ Joseph was born 1762 and died in 1834. Elizabeth died in 1863. Among their children was a son:

123441. DAVID JOHNSON, b. 1808, d. 1871, m. Margaret Van Fossen

12346. WILLIAM ROBERTS was born in 1783 in Lower Providence and died 27 Jun 1849 in Shavers Creek, Huntington Co., Pennsylvania.⁵

12349. ALICE ROBERTS married ALEXANDER PHILLIPS.⁶

The children of [#1235] Peter and Nancy Ann (James) Rambo [son of John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12351. **JOHN RAMBO** was born 25 Sep 1775 and married ESTHER (?) who was born about 1777.⁷ John died 2 Oct 1850 and Esther on 8 Nov 1858. Both were buried in the Coolspring Presbyterian Cemetery, Mercer Co., Pennsylvania.⁸ They had these children listed on the 1820 Census:

123511. Son RAMBO, b. about 1795-1800

123512. Daughter RAMBO, b. about 1795-1800

123513. Daughter RAMBO, b. 1815-1820

12352. **THOMAS RAMBO** was born 30 Sep 1777 and married ELIZABETH (?) in 1801. They lived in Cool Spring, Mercer Co. in 1810, but in 1813, Thomas Rambo was one of the pioneers in Highland Township, located in Muskingum Co., Ohio.⁹ He was a Sgt. in the Volunteer Riflemen, 5th Bn, 2nd Detachment in the War of 1812.¹⁰ He bought Congressional lands in Muskingum Co. on 15 Sep 1815 (SW 1/4 of Range 5

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), p. 720'

² Barbee Hodgkins, family research

³ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

⁴ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, *Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country* (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104 ⁵ Barbee Hodgkins, family research

⁶ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

⁷ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 2 (Nov 1983), p. 31 by Pat Montgomery

⁸ "Old Cool Spring Church Cemetery," Mercer Co. PA Tombstone Inscriptions, D.A.R. Library, Washington, D.C.

⁹ J. F. Everhart, pub., *History of Muskingum County, Ohio* (pub. 1882; reprint, 1974), p. 451

¹⁰ United States Veterans Administration, Index to War of 1812 Pension Application files, National Archives microfilm M-313

Township 2 Section 19). He bought land in Muskingum Co. from William Bond in 1831 and from William Caughey in Jun 1835.¹ He sold land to Samuel Cunningham on 22 Jun 1837, and to David McNary on 1 Jul 1837. He paid taxes on 160 acres of land in Highland Township from 1826 through 1836. Thomas Rambo signed his will on 18 Mar 1843 and died prior to 11 Oct 1848 when it was presented for probate in Logan Co., Ohio. His three oldest sons William, David and Thomas had already received farms as their shares of the estate. Land he owned in Hardin Co. was to be divided between his sons John and Hamilton Rambo. Four of his daughters had also received their portion of his estate earlier. Executors were his son William Rambo and son-in-law Robert Mackey. The 1850 census showed Elizabeth Rambo, aged 66, born in Pennsylvania, living with her son Hamilton in Logan Co. See *The Rambo Family Tree* by Kay Cook, published in 1987, for more about this family. Thomas and Elizabeth Rambo had these children:

123521. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 19 Mar 1809, d. 16 Aug 1892, m. Mary Jamison

- 123522. DAVID RAMBO, b. 1810-1820, m. Jane May
- 123527. THOMAS E. RAMBO Jr., b. 11 Nov 1819, m. 1) M. Houge, 2) Ashing
- 123523. RUTH RAMBO, d. by 1847, m. Robert Mackey
- 123524. NANCY RAMBO, b. ca 1800, d. 22 May 1875, m. Hugh Selders
- 123525. MARY ANN RAMBO, d. before 1843, maybe m. Joseph Robb
- 123526. ESTHER RAMBO, d. before 1843, m. ?
- 123528. JOHN RAMBO, d. after 1843
- 123529. HAMILTON RAMBO, b. ca 1824, d. by 1900, m. 1) Hannah, 2) Mary J.
- 12352A. ELIZABETH RAMBO, d. after 1843

The will of Thomas Rambo was dated 18 Mar 1843, proved 11 Oct 1848 in Logan Co., Ohio Court of Common Pleas, and recorded in 1848 Vol. F: pp. 10-12. Thanks to Iris Grimmett for the copy and transcription.

"Thomas Rambo, Deceased

At a court of Common Pleas begun and held at the court house in the town of _____lefoutaine, within and for the county of Logan in the State of Ohio, on the eleventh

______ of October Anno Domini One thousand eight hundred and forty eight, Pres____ Hon. James L Torbert President Judge and Noah __ McColloch, William __ Kinnon and Peter Kelley Associate Judges, John Underwood Jr Sheriff and _omas M. Robb Clerk. The last Will and Testament of Thomas Rambo late of Logan county, deceased, was this day brought before the court, and was ____ed by the oaths of Lot Gamood and David L. Gamood two of the subscri_ng witnesses thereto, whose examinations were reduced to writing, and it __pearing to the satisfaction of the court that the said Thomas Rambo at the __e of executing said will was of full age and of sound mind and memory an___, any restraint, it is Ordered that said will and the proof so reduced to ___iting be recorded.

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 3 (Nov 1984), pages 5 & 8, thanks to Marshall McCoy

And thereupon on motion of William Rambo and Robert Mackey _____ executors in said will named, it is ordered that letters testamentary be granted ______ the said William Rambo and Robert Mackey who thereupon ?gave land with _ohn D. ______ in and William G. Kennedy securities to the acceptance of the court ______ the penal sum of eight hundred dollars conditioned according to law: Whe______ pen it is ordered that Joseph Robb, Joseph McCormick and Lot Gamood Appraise the personal property of said estate. And the will and proof so reduced _______ riting is now here recorded, in the words and figures following, viz:-

I Thomas Rambo of the county of Logan and State of Ohio, do make and _ublish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say,

First. It is my will that my funeral expenses and all my just debts be fully paid. Second. I give, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Rambo in lieu of her dower the plantation on which we now reside; situated _____ the county of Logan, containing about sixty three acres, during her natural life; also all the live stock, household furniture goods, chattles, monies, ______ except so much as is herein otherwise disposed of. To have and to hold the same ______ her natural life, and at her death, if there is any thing remaining to will it amongst my daughters and daughters children _____ any of them as she may think best. Third _____ I have already given and made over in fee simple a farm or lot of land to each of my ______ lder sons William Rambo, David Rambo and Thomas Rambo, it is my will that they be therewith content and get no more. Fourth I give and devise to my son John Rambo, three fourths of the lot of land now

in Harding county containing 200 acres, to be divided east and west so that he may have the improved part to him the said John Rambo his heirs and assigns forever. Fifth I give and devise to my son Hamilton Rambo the other fourth of the land in Harding county and at the death of my wife the farm on which we now reside to him the said Hamilton Rambo his heirs and assigns forever. Also my two sons John and Hamilton Rambo are each of them to have the liberty of raising them a horse [house ?] on the farm and get a saddle and such bed and bedding as their mother may think fit. Sixth - I will that my daughters Ruth Mackey and Nancy Selders, and the heirs of my deceased daughters Mary Ann and Esther be satisfied with the portions already given them. Seventh. I will and devise to my daughter Elizabeth Rambo a horse saddle and Bridle, a bureau, table bed and bedding, a cow and heifer, five sheep and seventy dollars in cash to make her equal with the others. And lastly I hereby constitute my son William Rambo and Robert Mackey to be the executors for this my last will and testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me made and ratifying this and no other. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of March eighteen hundred and forty three. Thomas Rambo. Signed published and declared by the above named Thomas Rambo as and for his last will and testament in presence of us who, at his request have signed as witnesses the same. Lot Gawood, David L Gawood

The State of Ohio Logan County, _

Personally appeared in open court, Lot Gawood and David L. Gawood, witnesses to the last will and testament of Thomas Rambo deceased, who being first duly sworn, declare

that the said Thomas Rambo at the time of making said will, was of full age, of sound mind and memory and not under any restraint; and that said will was duly executed in their presence, and signed by them as witnesses at his request. Lot Garwood David L. Garwood. Sworn to and subscribed in open court this 14th day of Oct. 1848. Thos M. Robb Clk

And afterwards to wit on the twentieth day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty nine, came the executors aforesaid and filed in the office of the Clerk of the court of Common Pleas his report of the Inventory of the personal property of said estate, which is in the words and figures following to wit."^{1,2}

The following Muskingum Co. marriages might have involved Thomas Rambo's family: 21 Dec 1820 John Rambo to Elizabeth Spring,

30 Aug 1821 Mary Rambo to Jehu Barnet,

9 Sep 1821 Elizabeth Rambo to Henry Carrel,

27 Sep 1829 Elizabeth Rambo to Henry France; Elizabeth (Rambo) France died in Washington Co., Ohio on 26 Jun 1870.³

12353. **MARY (Polly) RAMBO** was born 20 Mar 1781. She married DAVID WILLIAM **FINDLEY** of Mercer Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of the Honorable William Findley of Unity Township, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania who was born in Ireland about 1741. William Findley taught school in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, served as a Captain in the Continental Army during the Revolution, was a popular anti-federalist Congressman from 1791 to 1815, and was a principal in the Whiskey Rebellion of 1794. William Findley was a neighbor, colleague, and friend of William Todd whose wife was Polly's aunt, Ann Rambo Todd [#1232]. David Findley left Westmoreland Co. about 1796 for Mercer Co. where he was a merchant who held a number of local offices. He studied law, was admitted to the bar to practice law, and was known as Judge Findley. He served in the War of 1812 and died at Fort Adams, Mississippi. William and Polly had these children:⁴

- 123531. NANCY FINDLEY, b. 25 Sep 1802, d. 2 Sep 1834, m. David T. Porter
- 123532. MARY FINDLEY, b. ca 1801, d. after 1850, never married
- 123533. JOHN FINDLEY, b. ca 1805, d. after 1850, m. Sarah (?)
- 123534. WILLIAM FINDLEY
- 123535. DAVID W. FINDLEY, b. 3 Jan 1810, d. 30 Dec 1887, m. 1) ?, 2) Grace (?)

12354. **PETER RAMBO** was born 26 Dec 1784. He also served as a private in the Volunteer Riflemen, 5th Bn, 2nd Detachment in the War of 1812.⁵ Peter went to Ohio along with his brother Thomas, and by 1820 he was settled in part of Muskingum County that became Linton Township, Coshocton Co., Ohio. He married ELIZABETH (?)

¹ Logan Co., Ohio Court of Common Pleas, 1848, Vol. F, pp. 10-12

² Mrs Iris Grimmett, family research, letter of 26 Jan 1997. Thanks for the copy of the will.

³ Michael Fromholt, e-mail of 22 Sep 2002

⁴ William S. Garvin, *History of Mercer County, Pennsylvania* (Chicago: Brown, Runk & Co., Publishers, 1889), p. 662

⁵ United States Veterans Administration, Index to War of 1812 Pension Application files, National Archives microfilm M-313

whose last name is not known. Conrad Powelson was appointed administrator for Peter's estate in Coshocton Co. 15 Nov 1830.^{1,2} Elizabeth and her three daughters were recorded as living in Cool Spring, Mercer Co., Pennsylvania in the 1840 census. She died in 1860 at the age of 69 and was buried in a cemetery north of Plainfield, Coshocton Co., Ohio.³ They had at least 3 daughters and 1 son:

- 123541. Daughter RAMBO, b. 1815-1820
- 123542. MARY J. RAMBO, b. 1815-1820, m. James Donaldson
- 123543. Son RAMBO, b. 1820-1825
- 123544. NANCY RAMBO, b. 1820-1825, m. James Love

12355. NANCY RAMBO was born 13 Dec 1786 in Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania and married JAMES YOUNG on 3 Dec 1807 in Mercer Co., Pennsylvania.⁴ He was born 9 July 1781 near Philadelphia. Nancy died 9 Jan 1835 in Ashland Co., Ohio and is buried in Savannah Cemetery, Ashland. James died 9 Jan 1853 in Marion Co., Iowa and is buried there in DeWitt Cemetery. They had one known child:⁵

123551. DAVID FINLEY YOUNG, b. 2 Oct 1810, m. 1) ?, 2) Eleanor McMeeken

12356. **JAMES RAMBO** was born 12 Apr 1789 in Pennsylvania and was a Sgt. in Capt. John Junkins Co., known as the "Mercer Blues," in the War of 1812. His brothers Thomas and Peter Rambo were in the same battalion, and they marched through Ohio to join forces with Gen. Harrison against the British at Fort Meigs in 1812.⁶ In the 1830 Census, James Rambo was head of a household in Cool Spring, Mercer Co., Pennsylvania with a male and a female between the ages of 40-50. If he was married, the name of his wife is not known. James died 19 Oct 1862 at the age of 73y 6m 17d.⁷

12357. **SARAH (Sally) RAMBO** was born 3 Jun 1792 in Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania and married JOSEPH **JUNKIN** at age 18.⁸ He was born in 1788, a son of Joseph, II, and Elinor (Cochran) Junkin.⁹ She survived her husband by nearly 8 years and died 27 Apr 1865 in Jefferson Co., Iowa.¹⁰ They had at least this one child: ¹¹ 123571. ELINOR JUNKIN, m. Walter Oliver

12358. ELIZABETH RAMBO was born 31 Dec 1794 and married Mr. WILSON.¹²

¹ Ohio Vital Records #1 1790s to 1870s, Family Tree Maker CD-ROM series 9 #175

² Ruth Bowers and Anita Short, comps., Gateway to the West, vol. 1, p. 315 citing Coshocton Co. Common Pleas Journal 4:85

³ Esther Weygandt Powell, Ohio, The "Putnam Co.," of Our Nation, Records and Pioneer Families, vol. 8 (2), p. 78

⁴ Pat Montgomery, family records, Newton, IA 50208

⁵ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 2 (Nov 1983), p. 32 by Pat Montgomery

⁶ William S. Garvin, *History of Mercer County, Pennsylvania* (Chicago: Brown, Runk & Co., Publishers, 1889), pp. 299-300

⁷ "Old Cool Spring Church Cemetery," Mercer Co. PA Tombstone Inscriptions, D.A.R. Library, Washington, D.C.

⁸ Pat Montgomery, family records, Newton, IA 50208

⁹ Michael I. Shoop, The Genealogies of the Jackson, Junkin & Morrison Families (1981), plate 95

¹⁰ Judy Dye material from Bonnie Bartlett, newspaper obituary

¹¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 7 (Sep 1986), p. 3, citing Combined Atlas of ... Mercer Co. (1873), p. 35

¹² Pat Montgomery, family records, Newton, IA 50208

12359. **WILLIAM TODD RAMBO** was born 3 Jun 1796 and named for his uncle, William Todd. He died 21 Apr 1815 aged 18y 10m 18d and was buried in the Cool Spring Presbyterian Cemetery, Mercer Co., Pennsylvania.¹

1235A. **DAVID RAMBO** was born 25 Apr 1798 and married SARAH **MOORE** in 1838. Sarah was born in 1810. David died in 1866 and Sarah in 1888 at age 78; both were buried in the Cool Spring Presbyterian Church Cemetery.^{2,3} They had the following children:

1235A1. NANCY RAMBO, b. about 1839

1235A2. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 1841

1235A3. MARGARET JANE RAMBO, b. 30 Nov 1845, m. 1) G. Zahniser, 2)?

The children of [#1242] Ezekiel and Elizabeth (?) Rambo [son of Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12421. **NANCY RAMBO** was born about Oct 1779, if the information on her gravestone was correct.⁴ She married SAMUEL THOMAS **McCALL** in Washington Co., Virginia on 12 Feb 1818.⁵ They lived in Washington County where Thomas McCall died 12 Apr 1848 aged 64y 21d, Nancy McCall died 31 Mar 1853, aged 73y 6m 3d, and they were buried in the Rock Spring Cemetery. The inventory of his estate was recorded in Washington Co. Will Book 11:30 and lists 2 horses, 3 mares, a bull, cattle, calves, sheep, etc. Thomas and Nancy McCall may have had only one child if Nancy married at age thirty-nine. She lived with her son and his family in 1850.

124211. JAMES McCALL, b. 14 Aug 1819, m. 1) Mary Larimore, 2) C. M. West

12422. **ELIAS RAMBO** was born in Feb 1782 in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania,⁶ and was married to ELIZABETH **KINCANNON** on 10 Nov 1803 in Washington Co., Virginia by Charles Hardy, a Methodist minister.^{7,8} She was born about 1784 in Virginia, the daughter of Francis Jr. and Martha (Snodgrass) Kincannon, and died by 1838.⁹ Elias saw service in the War of 1812 as a private in Capt. James Carother's Co., Tennessee Militia.¹⁰ He settled in Bedford Co., Tennessee where his name appeared on a tax list of 1812. By 1820 he had purchased land in Marshall Co. south of Lewisburg on the Elk Ridge between the Yell Road and the Spring Palace Road. He was issued

¹ "Old Cool Spring Church Cemetery," *Mercer Co. PA Tombstone Inscriptions*, D.A.R. Library, Washington, D.C.

² "Old Cool Spring Church Cemetery," *Mercer Co. PA Tombstone Inscriptions*, D.A.R. Library, Washington, D.C.

³ Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 155, 1920 (1937), p. 8

⁴ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," *High on a Windy Hill* (pub. 1968), p. 208

⁵ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages D-M through 1902, p. 295

⁶ L. Len Clardy, Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills (1992), Rambo traveling papers 2003

⁷ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 383

⁸ L. Len Clardy, *Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills* (1992), certified copy of Marriage Register #2 ⁹ Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 105

¹⁰ United States Veterans Administration, Index to War of 1812 Pension Application files, National Archives microfilm M-313

Tennessee military grant #20962 of six acres adjoining his other property on 13 Nov 1849.¹ Elias remarried MARY (?) by 1850. In the 1860 census, her age was 68, and she died in 1862. In the census of 1870 Elias was listed as 91 years old. At that time Elizabeth Welch, age 60, was keeping house for him, and her 15-year-old son G. W. Welch also lived in the household. Elias died at the residence of Murdock M. Malone in Pulaski, Giles Co., Tennessee on 9 Jun 1872. The depositions taken pursuant to settling his estate established that he had converted most of his assets to notes and monies although he still owned about 220 acres of "broken" land, badly worn, none of it level, but with good water. Elias had these children, the first six being heirs of his estate:²

124221. FRANCIS KINCANNON RAMBO, b. 26 Nov 1805, m. Mary B. Harden

- 124222. MARTHA RAMBO, b. 1808, m. Murdock McKenzie Malone
- 124223. ELIZABETH H. RAMBO, b. 17 Sep 1811, m. Harvey Birch Welch
- 124224. MARGARET E. RAMBO, b. ca 1815, d. after 1869, m. James E. Sansom
- 124225. MARY ANN RAMBO, b. 22 Dec 1818, d. 1844, m. Richard Daugherty
- 124226. ELIAS RAMBO Jr., b. ca 1820, d. before 1870, m. Mary T. Harden
- 124227. THOMAS RAMBO, b. between 1810-1820, d. before 1872

Tennessee State Library and Archives. 20th Civil District, File Box VII, Filed October 17, 1871.³

Petition - F. K. Rambo & Others vs. Elias Rambo

F. K. Rambo, Mary E. wife of Monroe Cook, Davy Rambo, Martin Rambo, William Rambo and Martha Rambo. George, Lucy and Mary Ann Rambo who were minors sued by their brother David Rambo all of Marshall County, Tennessee. Turner Sanders ??? and wife Peggy of Dyer County, Tennessee and Murdock M. Malone and wife Martha of Giles County, Tennessee.

Complainants would represent to the Court that they are the children and grandchildren of Elias Rambo who was a resident of Giles County and had been for about twelve months. Complainants stated that Mr. Rambo was about one hundred years of age. They represented that Elias Rambo was feeble and helpless, incapable of caring for himself or his property. Mr. Rambo was the owner of about two hundred acres of land situated in Marshall County, Tennessee, about four miles from the town of Lewisburg. He also owned a small tract in Giles County on the waters of Lynn Creek.

The Complainants in this Cause was asking the Court that a Writ of Lunacy be issued to find the facts in the Case. They wanted a Guardian appointed to take charge of the person and the property. The Court appointed Murdock M. Malone, Guardian of Elias Rambo.

These Rambo marriages occurred in Marshall Co., TN, but we are unable to determine their Rambo parentage:

Blanchy Ann Rambo married Sumner W. Bond in Marshall Co., TN on 7 Feb 1847,

¹L. Len Clardy, Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills (1992), copy in Rambo traveling papers 2003

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 20

³ Peggy Sides, e-mail of 9 Dec 2000

Lydia Rambo married William Johnson there on 29 Jul 1846, Alse Jane Rambo married Joseph Johnson there on 14 Feb 1849, and Eliza Rambo married William Patterson there on 9 Mar 1848.¹

There appears to be an older Elias Rambo in Washington Co., VA. The estate of Elias Rambo, deceased, was administered by David Rambo Jr., inventoried in Wash. Co., VA on 9 Mar 1849, and sold Mar 1849: carpenter tools, 23 books, horse, hogs, saddles, corn, oats, wheat, but not a huge inventory of farm stuffs. In the sale, the books were individually sold and listed. (I.e. David Rambo bought a Dictionary for 11 cents and Thompsonian Practice for \$1.55.) Other purchasers were John, John Jr., David, and David Jr. Rambo; Isaac Owen, N. J. M. Beat, Robert Wright, I A McQuown, John Debush, Robert Keys, Isaac McQuown, Peter Smith, Furney Jones, Thomas Preston, Nelson Widener, James Neely, James Glenn, and Peter Mock. The notes collected were from James Hand, James ?Speer?, William Larrimore, John L. Caldwell, William Debush, Robert Edmondson, and John Wright.(Washington Co., VA wills 11:162 & 12:161)

In 1800, when Elias [#12422] above was only 18 years old, an Elias Rambo, assignee of Bartholomew Neal, was granted 40 acres of land in Washington Co., VA. In 1808, another tract of 60 acres was granted to Elias Rambo. His lands were adjacent to Bartholomew Neal and Ezekiel Rambo. [RSB My guess is that this "unknown" Elias is a brother to Ezekiel [#1242] and threfore an uncle of John.]

"James Monroe Esquire Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia To all To whom these presents shall Come Greeting Know ye that by Virtue of an Exchanged Land Office Treasury warrant number six hundred & ninety two, issued the tenth day of September one thousand seven hundred and ninety six. There is Granted by the said Commonwealth unto Elias Rambo assignee of Bartholomew Neal a Certain tract or parcel of land Containing forty acres by survey bearing date the fourth day of may one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, lying and being in the County of Washington on the north side of the south fork of Holstein river and bounded as followeth "to wit" Beginning at a white oak Corner to Ezekiel Rambo's land and with his line south eighty two degrees East one hundred and sixty poles to a lynn on the south bank of the River & thence up the River north thirty seven degrees East forty poles to a white Oak at the mouth of a small branch on the north bank of the river north fifty three degrees west forty poles to a red oak and Gum north eighty seven degrees West one hundred and twenty eight poles stricking a line of said Rambo and with the same south thirty degrees west forty five poles to the beginning with its appurtenances to have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land with its Appurtenances to the said Elias Rambo and his heirs forever. In witness whereof the said James Monroe Esquire Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia hath hereunto set his hand and caused the lesser seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed at Richmond On the third day of October in the year of

¹ Automated Archives CD 229 (GRS, 1994)

our lord one thousand eight hundred and of the Commonwealth the Twenty fifth. [signed] James Monroe."¹

"William H. Cabell Esquire, Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting: Know ye, That by virtue of an Exchanged Treasury Warrant number One thousand four hundred and Sixty four, issued the twentysecond day of July, one thousand eight hundred and three, there is granted by the said Commonwealth, unto Elias Rambo A certain Tract or Parcel of Land, containing Sixty six Acres, by survey bearing date the thirteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and four, lying and being in the county of Washington, on the waters of the south fork of Holstein river, and bounded as followeth, to wit: Beginning at a Chestnut on a ridge corner to Bartholomew Neils land, thence with his lines, South fifty four and a half degrees east eighty two poles, to three white oaks, South eighty nine Degrees East, thirty eight Poles to a white oak hickory, and chestnut, north thirty four degrees east sixty four poles to a white oak, south eighty eight degrees east twenty two poles to a stake in a line of Bartholomew Neils land, north forty one degrees west eighty poles to a white oak in a line of Ezekiel Rambo's land, thence with his line, South eighty degrees west one hundred and thirty six Poles to a white oak and thence South sixty three degrees west eighty eight poles to the beginning; with its appurtenances; To have and to hold the said Tract or Parcel of Land with its appurtenances, to the said Elias Rambo and heirs for ever. - In witness whereof the said William H. Cabell esquire, governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, hath hereunto set his hand and caused the lesser Seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed at Richmond, on the tenth Day of November, in the Year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eight and of the Commonwealth the thirty-third [signed] WM H. Cabell"²

12423. MARY (Polly) RAMBO married JOHN RUDY.

12424. **JOHN RAMBO** was born 12 Mar 1786 and was baptized 14 May 1788 in the Swatara Reformed Congregation, Jonestown, Lebanon Co., Pennsylvania. On 8 Aug 1811 in Washington Co., Virginia, a Presbyterian minister, Edward Crawford, married John Rambo and DORCAS **DAVIS**, who was born in Virginia about 1790.³ They were the parents of seven children, according to the 1830 census, and two more born after that time. He was administrator of his father's will in 1837, along with his youngest brother, David. John died 8 Sep 1865 of diarhea, aged 82y 4m.⁴ Dorcas died shortly afterwards as her estate was inventoried and sold 9 Mar 1866. They had these known children:

124241. JOHN RAMBO Jr., b. ca 1818, m. Isabella Neal

124242. DAVID RAMBO, b. 11 Oct 1822, d. 1871, m. 1) ?, 2) Rebecca Jane Mock

¹ Land Office Grants #47, 1800-1801, p. 204 (reel 113); Library of Virginia website: http://ajax.lva.lib.va.us

² Land Office Grants #56, 1806-1808, pp. 520-521 (reel 122); Library of Virginia website: http://ajax.lva.lib.va.us

³ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 384

⁴ D. E. Brown, The Unfiled Death Records of Washington County, Virginia 1865-1896 (1999), #1980-1982.

124243. WILLIAM DAVIS RAMBO, b. 24 Sep 1828, m. 1) Wright, 2) Widener 124244. EZEKIEL RAMBO, b. ca 1831, m. Sophia Ann Neal 124245. SAMUEL RAMBO, b. ca 1834, m. Martha E. (?)

"David Campbell, Esquire, Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia: To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting: Know Ye, That in conformity with a Survey, made on the 6th day of November, 1836 by virtue of Land office treasury warrant, Nº 2698 there is granted by the said Commonwealth, unto John Rambo for one moiety V are ap^{eel} and of David Rambo [#12428] for the other moiety A certain Tract or Parcel of Land, containing six & one fourth acres, situate in the Washington County, on both sides of the fork, of the South fork of Holstein river, bounded as follows s, Beginning at a buckeye on the North side of said fork, thence with a line of John Rambo S 54 W 80 poles crossing the river to a Mark oak & fallen Mark oak so as pointers N 6 E 32 poles, with John Wilson's line crossing the river to ash stump on up the river with Stephen Boulie's line N 77 E 66 poles to the beginning with its appurtenances To have and to hold the said Tract or Parcel of Land, with its appurtenances, to the said John Rambo and his heirs forever. In witness whereof, the said David Campbell, Esquire, Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, hath hereunto set his Hand, and caused the Lesser Seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed, at Richmond, on the 30 day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty 8 and of the Commonwealth the 63^d [signed] David Campbell" [very difficult to read].¹

The inventory of his estate was recorded 5 Dec 1865, and listed typical farmers assests like a windmill, doubletrees and singletrees, blacksmith tools, 2 plogs and frow, 17 bee stands, 6 cattle, 8 sheep, 30 pigs, and 3 horses. Most of the estate was bought by the heirs: the widow, David Rambo, and Wm. D. Rambo. Other purchasers of the estate were A.K. Wright, Samuel H. Wright, Robert Wright, Thomas Wright, Peter Mock, Henry Mock, Henry M. Mock, Isaac E. Debusk, James Ramsey, Nelson James, John W. Rhea, John Lamberson, Wm. M. Barrow, Jesse H. Caldwell, John Roe Sr., Jacob Rosenbalm, and George W. Rosenbalm.(Washington Co. Wills Book 16:327)

The estate of Dorcas Rambo was recorded 9 Mar 1866. In the inventory, her name was written Dorcas Debusk, but Debusk was crossed out and Rambo written over it. Other purchasers of the estate were Isaac C. Rambo, R. J. Rambo, Thomas Hand, Sally Hand, E. H. Beatie, J. W. Mock, Henry Mock Sr., John W. Mock, Peter Mock, Andrew D. Rosenbalm, David Rosenbalm, Mrs. Sarah A. Vestal, Lewis Estep, Samson Speer, Micall Rutledge, Reuben Widener, Calep Neel, Edward Thomas, and Sam O. Edmondson.(Washington Co. Wills Book 16:382)

WHO was R. J. Rambo above? Conspicuous by their absence from both sales were sons Ezekiel, Samuel, and John.

12425. **MOSES RAMBO** was born in 1790 in Pennsylvania. Shortly after 1822, he obtained a land grant of 160 acres in Kentucky, west of the Tennessee River.² He

¹ Virginia Land Office Grants #88, 1838, p. 351 (reel 154); Library of Virginia website: http://ajax.lva.lib.va.us

² Willard Gulson, Kentucky Land Grants, Pt. 1 (1971), p. 862. Grant for Moses Rambo

married NANCY **BURGESS**, the daughter of Rev. Thomas and Elizabeth (?) Burgess, of Pittsylvania Co., Virginia.¹ Nancy's father, Thomas Burgess, was a Primitive Baptist minister of the gospel and the son of Thomas and Mary (Warren) Burgess of Orange Co. The younger Tom Burgess was a large landowner in Warren Co., Tennessee when he died about 1829. Moses Rambo, acting for his wife, and other Burgess heirs in Hickman Co., Kentucky gave power-of-attorney to John Cooksey to represent their interests in the settlement of the estate. Moses and Nancy Rambo lived in Tennessee where several of their children were born before they settled in Hickman Co., Kentucky. Nancy died before 1830. On 5 Jan 1832, in Hickman Co., Moses married JULIA **GHOLSON** who died before 1850.² There were four Gholson families living in Hickman Co. listed Moses as age 60, born in Pennsylvania, with property valued at \$600, and living with his children Mary and David. He died sometime before 1860. Moses and Nancy had six small children at the time of her death:

124251. THOMAS H. RAMBO, b. ca 1816-18, d. 31 Jul 1866, m. Sarah C. Briney

124252. EZEKIEL RAMBO, b. 29 Oct 1818, d. 12 Feb 1879, m. Louisa Jones

124253. ELIAS RAMBO, b. ca 1821, d. 1877, m. Margaret Frett Hickerson

124254. MARY RAMBO, b. ca 1825, m. William Barlow

124255. DAVID RAMBO, b. ca 1827, d. by 1880, m. Eda Ellen House

124256. Daughter RAMBO, b. ?

Moses and Julia may have been the parents of a daughter:

124257. ANN RAMBO, m. 1) William H. Johnson, 2) Harvey Benjamin Hughes

12426. **ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born in Virginia 31 Dec 1794.⁴ She was married to JOHN **LINDSEY** on 2 Sep 1813 in Washington Co., Virginia by John Jones, Jun^{r.5} John Lindsey died 7 Oct 1814 in Norfolk, Virginia while serving in the War of 1812.^{6,7} Elizabeth Lindsay married JOHN **WILSON** Jr. on 14 Nov 1819 in Washington County.⁸ He was born about 1755 in Amelia Co., Virginia, had served on the North Carolina Line in the Revolutionary War, and had been married previously as he had a daughter Mary Wilson who married Absalom Loyd in 1816; daughter Mary was deceased in 1836 when John wrote his will. John Wilson died 3 Sep 1837 at Jonesboro, Tennessee. The 1860 census shows Elizabeth living near her sons John M., David, and Hezekiah. In 1870 she was living at Mock's Mills in Washington Co. Elizabeth and John Lindsey were the parents of one child:⁹

124261. MARY LINDSEY, b. 18 Mar 1819 Elizabeth and John Wilson Jr. had these children mentioned in his will:

¹ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

² Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

³ James M. Black, Families and Descendants in America of Golsan, Golson, Gholson, Gholston (pub.1959)

⁴ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002

⁵ William R. Wheeler, Minister's Returns 1785-1832; Washington County, Virginia, Vol 1a (2001), p. 98

⁶ Virgil D. White, Genealogical Abstracts of Revolutionary War Pension Files, vol. 3 (1992), p. 3891

⁷ Virgil D. White, transcriber, Index to War of 1812 Pension Files, vol. 2 (1992), p. 1183

⁸ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 497

⁹ Nona Nunnelly, Muncie, IN 47304, family records

- 124262. HEZEKIAH WILSON, b. ca 1822-26, m. M. Jane Rudy
- 124263. DAVID RAMBO WILSON, b. 18 Sep 1827, m. Nancy Susannah Wright
 - 124264. JOHN M. WILSON, b. 3 Feb 1834, d. 8 Jul 1903, m. Mary E. Neely
 - 124265. NANCY WILSON, b. ca 1826, d. after 1892, m. Isaac Allen Grant
 - 124266. ELIZABETH WILSON, b. ca 1831, d. 1893, m. Leonard Napolean Speer
 - 124267. SARAH MELINDA WILSON, b. 15 Mar 1836

The will of John Wilson was dated 24 Apr 1836, proved 25 Sep 1837, and recorded in Washington County, VA will book 7: page 236 as follows:

"In the Name of God Amen, I John Willson of the County of Washington and State of Virginia being of sound and perfect mind and memory do make and publish this my last Will and testament in the manner and form following that is to say, I desire that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of my personal property which it has pleased God to bless me with, FIRST I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Willson my yellow boy Henry to work for her and the children twenty years, and then for him to bee freed, one bay mare, one cow & calf all my hogs house hold and kitchen furniture and Sheepe

SECONDLY, I give and bequeath to Hezekiah, David R and John all Willson the whole of my land to be equally divided between them agreeable to quantity and quality at the death of there mother, and Hezekiah one white colt THIRDLY, I give and bequeath to my three daughters, Nancy Elizabeth and Melinda Willson, each of them one Cow calf bed and furniture to be received when they arrive to the age of Eighteen years, FOURTHLY, I give and bequeath to my step daughter Mary Lindsey one cow bed furniture FIFTHLY, I give and bequeath to my oldest daughter who married Absalom Loyd and now deceased, one dollar in full of hir legacy, if these should be my thin more than will make aforesaid sums mentioned to be paid to my wife Elizabeth Willson & my six youngest children, I direct my executors to sell the same and the money arising therefrom to be equally divided between my six youngest children

Lastly, I constitute and appoint my beloved wife Elizabeth Willson and David Rambo sen.r, Executors of this the Last Will and testament hereby revoking all former Will by me made, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this day of April the twenty fourth in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and thirty six. John Wilson

signed sealed published & declared by the above named John Willson to be this last Will & Testament in the presents of us who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses on the presence of the testator

James Keys, John K Gillilland, Arthur Speer"

12427. **RACHEL RAMBO** married Mr. **WOODBY**, possibly David, who was enumerated in the 1820 census of Washington Co., Virginia. Rachel was named in her father's will written in 1834.

12428. **DAVID RAMBO** was born about 1800 in Washington Co., Virginia and inherited his father's land on the Holston River. He served as a Captain in the state militia. On 9 Jun 1829 in Washington County, he married MATILDA **KELLEY** who was born in 1810.¹ She was a daughter of Samuel and Jemima (Childs) Kelly whose estate David Rambo administrated early in 1841.(Washington Co. wills 9:107) David died 9 July 1866 aged 66. The inventory of his estate showed blacksmith tools, 11 cows, 40 hogs, 20 sheep, and a "Lot of Books \$2," etc. His widow died 8 May 1894, at the age of 84.² They were buried in the Zion Methodist Cemetery near Damascus in Washington Co. They had the following children, according to Census records:

- 124281. CATHERINE RAMBO, b. ca 1829
- 124282. JAMES KELLY RAMBO, b. ca 1830, m. Virginia Eleanor Edmondson
- 124283. JENNIE (Jane) M. RAMBO, b. 15 Oct 1831, d. 4 Mar 1872, buried Zion
- 124284. MARTHA (Patsy) J. RAMBO, b. 1833, not mentioned in will of 1866
- 124285. JEMIMAH (Minna) RAMBO, b. ca 1835, m. Joseph Cole
- 124286. SAMUEL KELLY RAMBO, b. 19 Jan 1838, m. Sarah Jane Edmondson
- 124287. ISAAC C. RAMBO, b. 18 Mar 1841, d. 1910, m. Francis Virginia Grant
- 124288. ANDREW T. RAMBO, b. 5 Jul 1843, m. 1) Sarah Scott, 2) S. Caldwell
- 124289. ANN S. RAMBO, b. 28 Jul 1845, d. 27 Feb 1882 unmarried
- 12428A. MARY M. RAMBO, b. Nov 1848, d. 1932 unmarried
- 12428B. FLORENCE NANCY RAMBO, b. Aug 1850, d. 1934 unmarried
- 12428C. WILLIAM E. RAMBO, b. 20 May 1856, d. 6 Dec 1881

"James Pleasants Jun^r Esq^r Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia: To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting: know ye, That in conformity with a Survey made on the eighth day of March, 1822, by virtue of an Land Office Treasury warrant, N^o 6596, issued the 8th of March, 1819, there is granted by the said Commonwealth, unto David Rambo A certain Tract or Parcel of Land, containing Fifty acres, situate in the County of Washington, on the west side of the Beaverdam fork of Holstein river, and bounded as followeth to wit, Beginning at a stake corner to John Rambo [#1] thence with his line S 80 W 255 poles to a white oak thence leaving said Ramboes line and with Hugh Oneal's

S 23 E 33 poles thence N 30 E 248 poles along the side of the mountain to a stake and thence N 14 W 32 poles to the beginning To have and to hold the said Tract or Parcel of Land with its appurtenances, to the said David Rambo and his heirs forever. In witness whereof, the said James Pleasants Jun^r Esq^r, Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, hath hereunto set his Hand, and caused the lesser Seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed, at Richmond, on the Nineteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty three and of the Commonwealth the Forty eighth [signed] James Pleasants J^r.³

¹ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 387

² Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 256

³ Virginia Land Office Grants #72, 1822-1826, p. 401 (reel 138); Library of Virginia website: http://ajax.lva.lib.va.us

"John Rutherford Esquire, Lieutenant Governor acting as Esquire, Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia: To all to whom these Presents shall come - Greeting: Know Ye, That in conformity with a survey made on the 5th day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty three: by virtue of Land Office Treasury Warrant, Nº 12912 there is granted by the said Commonwealth, unto David Rambo and John Oneal a certain Tract or Parcel of Land, containing six and a half acres, lying and being in Washington County, on the South side of the South fork of Holston River, and bounded as follows, Viz: Beginning at a white oak stump by a white oak marked as pointer thence with a line of Robert Farris' Survey. S 61 W 86 poles to a chestnut stump. Then with the lines of a Survey made for Elias Rambo N 65 E 89 poles to a white oak between pointers on the side of a Steep bank. N 871/2 E 142 poles to a fallen white oak between a white oak and dogwood pointers N 41 E 8¹/₂ poles to a buckeye and beech on the line established as the original line of the aforesaid Farris's Survey and with the same S 871/2 W 154 poles to the beginning with its appurtenances To have and to hold the said Tract or Parcel of Land, with its appurtenances, to the said David Rambo and John Oneal and their heirs forever. In witness whereof, the said John Rutherford Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, hath hereunto set his hand, and caused the Lesser Seal of the said Commonwealth to be affixed, at Richmond, on the thirty first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four and of the Commonwealth the Sixty ninth [signed] J Rutherford".¹

The will of David Rambo was dated 2 Jul 1866, proved 23 Jul 1866, and is recorded in Washington Co., Virginia will book 17, page 17; the inventory is on page 64.

"I David Rambo of the County of Washington and state of Virginia - Do make this my last will and Testament in the manner and form following. I direct that my just debts and funeral Expenses be paid. After my just debts and my funeral Expenses are paid I do will and bequeath to my three boys, Isaac, Andrew and William all the land and mills on the South fork of holston river with all their appertanences to them and their heirs forever. I do direct that my wife Matilda shall have her support off of said mills during her natural life. At my wife's death all my land on the north side of the south fork of holston Embracing the Old Home stead and Personal Property to be sold by my Executor hereafter mentioned and Equally divided between the remaining heirs James K. Rambo, Jane, Ann, Mary, Florranes, Jemima Cole & Samuel K. Rambo. I do direct that Jane shall have twenty-five dollars more than the other heirs. I do constitute and appoint my son Samuel K. Rambo m Executor. Given under my hand and seal this 2 day of Jul 1866. David Rambo (his mark)

Attest, John Oneal, H. L. Robinson, Daniel Rosenbalm"

The will of Matilda Rambo was dated 28 Jun 1885, proved 15 Apr 1895, and recorded in will book 25, page 205 as follows:

¹ Virginia Land Office Grants #95, 1843-1844, p. 630 (reel 161); Library of Virginia website: http://ajax.lva.lib.va.us

"This is my last dying will and testament made the 28th day of June, 1885. It is my will and desire that Mary & Florence Rambo my two daughters, have all of my household goods such as Beds & beding etc. and also one horse each and as to the other Stock Samuel K. Rambo is to have one half of the horses and J. K. Rambo the other half.

Whatever money there may be on hand and in notes I will and bequest to J. K. & S. K. Rambo to be equally divided between them after paing my burial expenses and all of my just debts. Witness my hand and seal the year & date above written. Matilda Rambo (her mark)

Witness J. K. Rambo, A. F. Rambo"

The children of [#1262] Aaron and Anna (Bolton) Rambo [son of Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William, Joseph, Elizabeth, and at least two unknown children.

12625. ELIZABETH RAMBO is believed to be a child of Aaron, was born about 1793, and married PETER TYSON. They had one known child:¹ 126251. JOSIAH RAMBO TYSON

The children of [#1264] Abraham and Catherine (Tyson) Rambo [son of Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were George and a daughter.

12641. **GEORGE RAMBO** was born 18 Nov 1787 in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania,² son of Abraham [#1264]. He married ANNE **FOX**, and they lived in Trappe, PA.³ George died 28 Aug 1867, and his wife Anne died 11 Dec 1852. They and several of their children were buried in the Augustus Lutheran Church Cemetery in Trappe. They had children, although two of these are apparently first cousins:⁴

- 126411. EMANUEL RAMBO, b. 21 Jan 1817, d. 24 Feb 1881, m. Sarah (?)
- 126412. ABRAHAM RAMBO, b. 2 May 1819, m. Julia Ann (?)
- 126413. ABEL RAMBO, b. 19 Mar 1821, d. 10 Mar 1887, m. Jane Gross
- 126414. JAMES F. RAMBO

The children of [#1265] Eli and Margaret (?) Rambo [son of Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Joseph, Mary, Susanna, Alice, Abed, Jonah, Eli, Hannah, Margaret and Reuben.

12652. MARY RAMBO was born 5 Sep 1798 and married HENRY ISETT on 12 Dec

¹ David Kriebel, e-mail of 6 Jan 2003 citing unspecified papers at Montgomery Co. Hist. Soc.

² Montgomery County, PA, "Trappe Cemetery Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm #8538

³ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), p. 879

⁴ Cynthia Christensen, e-mail of 11 Feb 2005

1816 at the Lutheran Church in New Hanover, Pennsylvania. Mary died 2 Dec 1835 aged 37y 2m 27d and Henry married second, Mary Dismant who was born 20 Nov 1803 and died 28 Nov 1842. Both wives are buried in the churchyard of Augustus Lutheran Church in Trappe, Pennsylvania as are his parents, Jacob and Margaret Isett. In Aug 1860, following the death of his daughter Abigail, Henry petitioned the court for appointment as guardian of his grandchildren. In 1870 he appears in the census at Chester Spring, Pennsylvania aged 74 living with his son Eli R. Isett Henry and Mary (Rambo) Isett had these known children:¹

126522. MARGARET ISETT, b. ca 1818

- 126521. ABIGAIL ISETT, b. 14 Feb 1821, m. 1) John Knox, 2) Henry Keyser
- 126523. ALICE ISETT, b. 12 Apr 1824
- 126524. HENRY ISETT, b. 1828, d. 1901
- 126525. JEHU ISETT

126526. ELI RAMBO ISETT, b. 3 Sep 1835, d. 1903, m. Mary A. (?)

12653. **SUSANNA RAMBO** was born 7 Mar 1800 and married ISRAEL **PETERMAN**. He was born 1 Feb 1803 in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, a son of Johannes and Susannah (Brant) Peterman, and a great grandson of Christian Ludwig Peterman (Biderman) from Germany and Mary Margaretta Zimmerman. Israel and Susanna lived in Perkiomen, PA where Israel was a shoemaker in 1850. Susanna (Rambo) Peterman died 11 Jan 1851, Israel died 29 Apr 1879, and they are buried in the Augustus Lutheran Church cemetery at Trappe, Pennsylvania. They had these children:²

- 126531. FREDERICK PETERMAN, b. ca 1831, m. Elizabeth Rile
- 126532. JOHN PETERMAN, b. 29 Jul 1833, d. 20 Sep 1854
- 126533. MARY PETERMAN, b. ca 1834, d. after 1880, m. Jefferson Walters
- 126534. MORRIS RAMBO PETERMAN, b. 1 Apr 1835, m. Hannah Sassaman
- 126535. MARGARET PETERMAN, b. 11 Mar 1837, m. Mathias Fulmer Force
- 126536. SARAH S. PETERMAN, b. ca 1839, m. Joseph P. Mitchell
- 126537. SUSANNAH PETERMAN, b. 24 Aug 1842, m. William Umpleby McCoy
- 126538. HANNAH PETERMAN, b. ca 1845, m. Christian Brown

12654. **ALICE RAMBO** was born 26 Mar 1802 and married JOHN F. **SHANTZ** on 20 Jul 1823 at Augustus Lutheran Church at Trappe, Pennsylvania. She died 14 Nov 1882 in Pennsylvania and is buried at Augustus Lutheran Church.³

12657. **ELI RAMBO** was born 15 Aug 1811 and married MARTHA (?). Eli died on 11 Mar 1847 and is buried with his children at St. James's in Perkiomen.⁴ They had two known children baptized at St. James Church in Perkiomen:⁵

¹ Robert Parvin, e-mails of 14 Feb 2003 & 22 Apr 2004 & 14 Nov 2004 & 22 Dec 2004

² Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 26 Apr 2004

³ Gary Shontz, e-mail of 24 Dec 2003

⁴ Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine, vol. 8, p. 40

⁵ Pennsylvania Vital Records 1700s-1800s, Family Tree Maker CD-ROM series 9 #172

126571. WARREN M. RAMBO, b. 1836 (calc), d. 3 Jun 1848 aged 11y 8m 13d 126572. ELI A. O. RAMBO, b. 1847 (calculated), d. 1 May 1848 aged 7m 14d

The children of [#1521] Abraham and Elizabeth (Shrum) Lincoln [son of Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Lincoln Genealogy*.¹

15211. JOHN LINCOLN was born 18 Aug 1790. In Jun 1811, he was baptized at Gloria Dei Church with his brothers and sisters. He married MARTHA BIDDLE **FIMPLE** of Haverford, PA and died 20 Dec 1824 in Philadelphia. His widow, Martha Lincoln, was granted administration of his estate which was valued at \$800. His aunt Rebecca Bravard died in 1834, and directed in her will that his children's grandmother, Elizabeth Lincoln, be appointed their guardian. John and Martha had two children:

152111. ANN LINCOLN, m. Mr. Dylks

152112. SARAH NITZEL LINCOLN, b. 4 Sep 1820, m. Anning Asbury Ogden

15212. CATHERINE LINCOLN was born 5 Sep 1792. She married HENRY PASCHALL on 21 Oct 1821 at the First Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia. He was born 28 Aug 1746, the son of John and Frances (Hodge) Paschall of Blockley. Henry was a widower with 11 children from his first marriage. They lived in what later became the parsonage for Gloria Dei Church (Old Swedes) in Kingsessing. He died 13 May 1835, and Catherine died 23 Mar 1876 in Concord, Pennsylvania. *Poulson's American Daily Advertiser* reported that Henry died in the 88th year of his age in Paschalville, Kingsessing. They had two children:

152121. JOSEPH PASCHALL, b. 23 Mar 1823, d. 8 Jul 1894, m. Eliza Lincoln 152122. HENRY LINCOLN PASCHALL, b. 18 Apr 1829, m. Anna T. Pancoast

15213. **ANN LINCOLN** was born 19 Apr 1795. She married ABRAHAM JOHNSON **PASCHALL** about 1816. He was the son of Benjamin and Martha (Johnson) Paschall, who were issued a Quaker certificate for removal from Philadelphia to the Southern District Monthly Meeting at Pine and Orange streets 23 Feb 1798.² The family lived in Upper Darby where Abraham worked as a blacksmith. They had these children who were born at Upper Darby:

152131. BENJAMIN PASCHALL, b. 29 Jan 1817, m. Elizabeth Smedley

152132. ELIZABETH PASCHALL, b. 25 Jun 1819, m. Levi Malin

152133. JESSE PASCHALL, b. 10 Jan 1822, m. Harriet Rogers

152134. MARY PASCHALL, b. 28 Oct 1824

152135. ABRAHAM PASCHALL, b. 20 Mar 1827, m. Caroline Horton

152136. MARTHA PASCHALL, b. 13 Dec 1829

152137. ANN PASCHALL, b. 8 Mar 1833

¹ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Anna M. Watring, Early Quaker Records of Philadelphia Pennsylvania, vol. 2, p. 101

152138. ISAAC PASCHALL, b. 10 May 1836, m. Mary Amelia Acker

15214. **ISAAC LINCOLN** was born 26 May 1797 and married MARGARET **SMITH** on 12 Sep 1821 in the First Reformed Church of Philadelphia.¹ He was a farmer who moved from Darby, PA to Cincinnati, Ohio where his first two children were born. He then moved to Waynesville, Ohio in 1828 where he cleared land for his farm. Margaret died the following year on 24 Mar 1829. Isaac Lincoln then married ELIZA **ROBERTSON** on 27 May 1830. She was the daughter of John Robertson who was born 7 Sep 1791 and died 3 Aug 1849 at Waynesville. Isaac and Margaret had these children:

152141. ELIZABETH LINCOLN, b. 2 Sep 1822, d. Jun 1889, m. John Chenoweth

152142. JANE LINCOLN, b. 7 Mar 1826, d. 4 Jan 1888 unmarried

Isaac and Eliza had one son:

152143. JOHN ROBERTSON LINCOLN, b. 10 Jun 1831, m. Harriet Ann Zell

15215. MARY LINCOLN was born 18 Jan 1799, and died unmarried on 2 May (or Jun) 1872. Her will was filed in Philadelphia and named her nieces and nephews, the children of her sisters, Ann Paschall and Rebecca Carpenter.

15216. **ABRAHAM LINCOLN** was born 5 Sep 1802 in Kingsessing, which is now part of Philadelphia. He learned the wagonmaker's trade as a young man but moved to Waynesville, Ohio in 1824 where he turned to farming. He married RUTH **PRATER** of Waynesville on 15 Nov 1834. She was born 17 Aug 1816, the daughter of Zachariah and Elizabeth (O'Neal) Prater. Ruth died on 19 Apr 1893; Isaac died 19 Sep 1892 at Waynesville, where his children were born:

152161. JOSEPH LINCOLN, b. 17 Jan 1836, d. 20 Feb 1867 unmarried

152162. ELIZABETH LINCOLN, b. 17 Jun 1838, m. Albert Warwick

152163. BENJAMIN LINCOLN, b. 8 Mar 1844, m. Frances Ann Brown

15217. **REBECCA LINCOLN** was born 11 Jan 1804 and married ISAAC **CARPENTER**, a widower, on 5 Jan 1826 as reported in *Poulson's American Daily Advertiser* of the 7th. He had four sons by his first wife as shown by a deed conveying a three-story brick house on Spruce Street, Philadelphia to James Mitchell in 1839. Rebecca Lincoln Carpenter died 7 Dec 1839, just a month from her 35th birthday, leaving these children:

- 152171. JOHN LINCOLN CARPENTER, m. ?
- 152172. SARAH ANN CARPENTER
- 152173. EDMUND CARPENTER
- 152174. JOSEPH CARPENTER, d. 1862, m. ?
- 152175. FRANK LINCOLN CARPENTER

¹ Donna R. Irish, comp., Pennsylvania German Marriages (Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 1982), p. 361 - Mary

15218. **SARAH NITSEL LINCOLN** was born 26 Jan 1810 and married NATHAN JONES **LUKENS** in 1833. He was was born 27 Nov 1791, the son of Levi and Mary (Jones) Lukens of Upper Darby. He was a farmer in Upper Darby, where he died 31 Jul 1868, and Sarah died 14 Dec 1881. Their children were:

152181. LEVI LUKENS, b. 31 Aug 1835, d. after 1900, m. Mary Elizabeth Shaffner 152182. ELIZABETH LINCOLN LUKENS, b. 9 May 1837

The children of [#1523] Mr. (?) and Anna (Lincoln) Bowman [daughter of Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.¹

15231. **PETER BOWMAN** was living in 1834 and was named by his Aunt Rebecca in her will. In 1850 a Peter Bowman, born about 1805, lived in Worcester township, and a Peter Bowman, born about 1815, lived in Upper Salford township, Montgomery Co., PA.

15232. **ANNE BOWMAN** was married to Mr. **CULIN** by 1834 when she was named in her Aunt Rebecca's will. This is likely the Ann Boughman who married SAMUEL **CULIN** at Gloria Dei on 7 Jul 1816. The children of Anne and Samuel were:²

- 152321. GEORGE CULIN, b. 23 Apr 1817
- 152322. AARON B. CULIN, b. 19 Aug 1819
- 152323. ANN CULIN, b. 16 Nov 1821
- 152324. GARRETT BOON CULIN, b. 12 Apr 1824
- 152325. JOHN D. CULIN, b. 10 Feb 1827
- 152326. PRISCILLA CULIN, b. 18 Mar 1830

The children of [#1526] Moses and Barbara (Kinch) Lincoln [son of Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.

15261. **JACOB LINCOLN** was born in 1795 and his wife's name was ELIZA (?). Jacob was a stone-mason in Darby, Pennsylvania where he died 18 Nov 1848 at age 53. In his will, he bequeathed 21 acres in Upper Darby and 18 acres in Darby to his son William, leaving the home plantation of 24 acres in Darby to his wife during her life. He was buried in the cemetery of Gloria Dei Church (Old Swedes). After his death, Eliza married Anthony J. Jordon. Jacob and Eliza Lincoln had a son:

152611. WILLIAM LINCOLN, b. ca 1825, d. by 1857, m. Elizabeth Phipps

15262. **GEORGE LINCOLN** was born 21 Sep 1798 and married PHOEBE SPEEKMAN **HOOFSTITLER** on 9 Nov 1820 at Upper Darby, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. She was born 20 Aug 1800, the daughter of Henry and Margaret

¹Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Warren von Uffel e-mail of 5 Jul 2002

Hoofstitler. George was a farmer and served as supervisor of roads for most of his life. He died 20 Aug 1877, Phoebe died 31 May 1888, and both were buried in Mt. Zion cemetery, in Darby. They had these children:

- 152621. JOHN LINCOLN, b. 9 Sep 1821, m. Maria Brandt [#16C354]
- 152622. HENRY LINCOLN, b. 7 Dec 1822, d. 7 Oct 1825
- 152623. JAMES LINCOLN, b. 26 Nov 1824, d. 13 Nov 1826
- 152624. ELIZA LINCOLN, b. 6 Nov 1826, d. 22 Jun 1899, m. Joseph Paschall
- 152625. MOSES LINCOLN, b. 24 Oct 1828, d. 14 Jul 1879, m. Amanda Ogden
- 152626. JACOB LINCOLN, b. 13 Dec 1830, d. 26 Oct 1832
- 152627. GEORGE LINCOLN, b. 31 May 1834, d. 3 Apr 1835
- 152628. WILLIAM LINCOLN, b. 28 May 1836, d. 20 Feb 1838

152629. PHOEBE LINCOLN, b. 16 Jul 1838, m. George Frederick Gilbert

15263. **MICHAEL LINCOLN** was born 1801 and his wife's name was REBECCA (?). He died 16 Oct 1844 at the age of 43, leaving his widow and five children. He was buried in the cemetery at Gloria Dei Church. Rebecca was born in 1801 and died 14 Jun 1865, but she was buried in the old burying ground at Darby. Michael and his wife had these children:

- 152631. ISAAC R. LINCOLN, b. ca 1823, m. Elizabeth Noble
- 152632. JACOB LINCOLN, b. ca 1824, m. Mary (?)
- 152633. ANN ELIZABETH LINCOLN, m. Daniel Trites
- 152634. REBECCA LINCOLN, d. 21 Feb 1879, m. James Hutchinson
- 152635. ELIZABETH LINCOLN, b. ca 1843, m. Benjamin Worrell

The children of [#1527] Benjamin and Mary (Lincoln) Evans [daughter of Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.

15271. JOSEPH LINCOLN EVANS was born 27 May 1787. He married MARY AFLICK.

15272. **MARY EVANS** was born 10 Nov 1790 and was baptized at Gloria Dei Church in 1811.¹ She married ALEXANDER **GEARY**. In 1850 Alexander Geary, age 56, lived with the family of Mark and Eliza Jones in Whitemarsh, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania.

15273. ANN LINCOLN EVANS was born 22 Jan 1792 and was baptized with her sisters in 1811.² She married AMOS **BOND**.

15274. BENJAMIN EVANS was born 26 Jan 1795 and died unmarried before 1832.

¹ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

² Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

15275. **NATHAN EVANS** was born 25 Apr 1797 and married EMILY **WORRELL** who was born about 1808. They lived in Upper Providence, Delaware Co., Pennsylvania where Nathan was a farmer. They had these children:

152751. WILLIAM EVANS, b. ca 1845

152752. REES EVANS, b. ca 1848

15276. **PETER EVANS** was born 23 Apr 1799 and married MARY **DAVIS**. She was born about 1811. Peter was a farmer, and the family lived in West Pikeland, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. They had these children:

- 152761. RICHARD EVANS, b. ca 1833
- 152762. BENJAMIN EVANS, b. ca 1836
- 152763. MARY ANN EVANS, b. ca 1841
- 152764. CATHERINE EVANS, b. ca 1843
- 152765. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON EVANS, b. ca 1846
- 152766. EMILY EVANS, b. ca 1848
- 152767. JOHN F. EVANS, b. ca Feb 1850

15277. JACOB EVANS was born 7 Nov 1802 and died young.

The children of [#1528] Jacob and Mary (Taylor) Lincoln [son of Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See the *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.¹

15281. **MOSES LINCOLN** was named in his father's will of 1822, but he apparently died before 1834 as he was not named in his Aunt Rebecca Bravard's will.

15282. JACOB LINCOLN was born 19 Oct 1793 in Kingsessing. He died before 1832 when his Aunt Rebecca Bravard wrote her will. Jacob married a daughter of Benjamin TAGE because Mrs. Bravard's will appointed the grandfather, Benjamin Tage, as guardian for Jacob's children.

- 152821. MARY LINCOLN, b. prior to 1832
- 152822. SAMUEL LINCOLN, b. prior to 1832
- 152823. ELIZABETH LINCOLN, b. prior to 1832

15283. **SAMUEL LINCOLN** was an unmarried "Trader" living in Kingsessing in 1824 when he sold a small lot of land that had been left to him in his father's will. He died before 1832, the date of his aunt's will.

15284. **MARY LINCOLN** was born 26 Oct 1803. She married JOHN **DAVIS** on 17 Oct 1825 in the First Reformed Protestant Dutch Church. She was living in 1832 and

¹ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

was named in her aunt's will.

15285. **JOHN RUTTER LINCOLN** was born 17 Mar 1808. He was a cordwainer (shoemaker) living in the Southwark district of Philadelphia in 1829. At that time he sold to his Aunt Rebecca his one-fourth interest in the lot that his father had bequeathed to him and his brothers.

15286. CHARLES LINCOLN was living in 1832 when he and his wife conveyed onefourth interest in land his father had left him. His wife's name was ELIZA (?). He was not named in his aunt's will written later that year, so he may have died.

15287. **ISRAEL LINCOLN** was a cordwainer (shoemakeer) living in Philadelphia in 1835. At that time, he sold his one-fourth interest in the lot left to him and his brothers by his father's will. He was married to MARTHA ANN (?).

15288. WILLIAM LINCOLN was living on 28 Apr 1837 when he sold for \$525 his one-fourth interest in the lot inherited from his father. He was unmarried.

The children of [#1712] Ezekiel and Elizabeth (Matson) Rambo [son of Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were John, Joseph, Nathan Matson, Ann, Elizabeth, Sarah, Ezekiel and Peter.

17121. JOHN (or JOSHUA or JEHU) RAMBO was born 17 May 1778.¹ He married ELEANOR ROBINSON about 1804. Eleanor was born 17 Oct 1783, the daughter of John and Margaret (Grad) Robinson.^{2,3} In the biography, John's name was printed as "Joshua". For many years, John was a miller and farmer, as well as a justice of the peace in Salisbury Township, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. He was killed in a train accident on 18 May 1861, at the age of 83 years and 1 day. Eleanor died 5 Jan 1862, at the age of 78. John and Eleanor were Presbyterian, and the parents of eight children:

- 171211. JANE RAMBO, b. 20 Apr 1805
- 171212. ELIZA RAMBO, b. 21 Sep 1806
- 171213. MARGARETTA RAMBO, b. 30 Jan 1808, m. Isaac Criswell Thomson
- 171214. NATHAN RAMBO, b. 4 Nov 1809, d. Feb 1879, m. Martha Robinson
- 171215. HUGH RAMBO, b. 12 Feb 1812
- 171216. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 3 Jan 1814
- 171217. DAVID RAMBO, b. 10 Jan 1816, d. 25 Mar 1896, m. Rachel (?)
- 171218. JOHN W. RAMBO, b. 23 Sep 1820, d. 1904, m. Elizabeth Colbreth Pine

¹ Charles R. Hildeburn, "Records of Christ Church ...," Pennsylvania Magazine of His. and Bio., vol. 15 (4), p. 488.

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 1 (Jan 1983), p. 2

³ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 1096

The Chester *Village Record* (on CD) carried this notice: "Killed on the Railroad. A sad accident occurred on the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Penningtonville, Chester county, on Saturday last. An old man named Rambo, a resident of the village, who was somewhat deaf, was walking along a path close to the railroad track, when the fast freight approached. The engineer saw the old man and whistled down brakes, which he is supposed to have heard as he apparently stepped off from the track, but did not get aside far enough, the locomotive struck him as it came up, breaking his back and injuring him so severely that he died in a few minutes. He was aged about 81 years. No blame attached to the engineer."

17122. **JOSEPH RAMBO** was a blacksmith born in Upper Merion, Pennsylvania on 21 Jul 1779.¹ He was baptized at Gloria Dei 28 Dec 1783. His first marriage was to HULDAH **MORRIS**; she was born about 1783, a daughter of William and Anne (Griffith) Morris.² Joseph and Hulda resided in Honeybrook, Chester Co., Pennsylvania in 1800 and bought 1/2 acre of land on 5 Mar 1806. Huldah died in 1815 at the age of 32, probably following the birth of her daughter who was named after her. Joseph then married ELIZABETH **STATIN** of Schuylkill Co. on 16 Aug 1818 at the First Reformed Church of Berkshire Co.³ Elizabeth was born about 1799. All of their children were born in Orwigsburg except for George who was born after the family moved to Reading, Pennsylvania in 1834. Joseph died of apoplexy on 15 Jul 1850 in Reading and is buried in an unmarked grave in the family plot in Charles Evans Cemetery in Reading.⁴ Elizabeth died in 1860 while visiting relatives in Chester Co. The family Bible listed children of Joseph and Hulda as follows:⁵

- 171221. ELIZABETH ANN RAMBO, b. 15 Feb 1808, d. before 1813
- 171222. MORRIS RAMBO, b. 14 Dec 1809, d. 1894, m. Barbara Ann Wunder
- 171223. WILLIAM G. RAMBO, b. 22 Aug 1811, d. 1864 Hampton, Virginia
- 171224. ELIZABETH ANN RAMBO, b. 26 Feb 1813, d. 1846, m. Robert Jenkins
- 171225. HULDAH RAMBO, b. 14 Feb 1815

Joseph and Elizabeth had these children:

- 171226. SARAH ANN RAMBO, b. 11 Aug 1819, m. William James McKim
- 171227. THOMAS J. RAMBO, b. 1 Oct 1820, m. 1) E. Richards, 2) E. Englehart
- 171228. JOSEPH RAMBO, b. 19 Jun 1822, d. 11 Jul 1872, m. Mary Ann Young
- 171229. MORGIN L. RAMBO, b. 21 Aug 1824
- 17122A. ISAIAH RAMBO, b. 4 Jan 1827, d. 16 Apr 1829
- 17122B. ISAIAH RAMBO, b. 6 Apr 1829, d. 3 Mar 1903, m. Ebezeniah Sands
- 17122C. FRANCIS RAMBO, b. 10 Apr 1833, d. 14 Mar 1902, m. Louisa Koch
- 17122D. GEORGE WASHINGTON RAMBO, b. 21 Aug 1838, m. Adeline A. Kirby

¹ Charles R. Hildeburn, "Records of Christ Church ...," *Pennsylvania Magazine of His. and Bio.*, vol. 15 (4), p. 488.

² Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book: Vol. 118, 1915* (1931), p. 62 & Vol. 100, 1913 (1928), p. 65

³ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 26 by Katherine B. Rambo

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing death notices in *Reading Eagle, Reading Adler* of 23 Jul, & Berks Sch Jnl of 20 Jul

⁵ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

17123. **NATHAN MATSON RAMBO** was a blacksmith born 23 Mar 1781 and married to ELIZABETH **ASH**, the eldest child of William and Ann (Fisher) Ash, on 3 Aug 1808. Elizabeth was born on 11 Apr 1791 and died 29 Aug 1849 in Indiana. They were Quakers who migrated to Wayne Co., Indiana, where they joined the Whitewater Monthly Meeting. "Their house was a substantial brick dwelling above the average; they lived in excellent style & moved in the best of circle of society. Nathan was 6' tall, straight, spare, muscular, energetic, a little careless of his personal appearance & quaint in his apparel, strictly upright in his business dealings, but knew the value of money, & [had] a shrewd eye for making it."¹ They had the following children:²

- 171231. ANN RAMBO, b. 3 Jul 1809, d. 2 Aug 1891, m. Robert Moore
- 171232. WILLIAM ASH RAMBO, b. 26 Jul 1811, m. 1) Sarah Moore, 2) M. Coffin
- 171233. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 31 Jan 1814, m. Richard H. Swain
- 171234. NATHAN MATSON RAMBO, b. ca 1816, d. 1879, m. Elizabeth Harman
- 171235. RACHEL LUNETTA RAMBO, b. 17 Feb 1823, m. Warner Shearon
- 171236. SARAH JANE RAMBO, b. 1825, d. 1898, m. William Thomas Shearon
- 171237. SAMUEL ASH RAMBO, m. Lucinda Twogood
- 171238. JAMES RANKIN RAMBO, d. 27 Sep 1830 in Lancaster Co.
- 171239. MARY ELEANOR RAMBO, d. 20 Feb 1904, m. Edmund Caviler Page

17124. **ANN RAMBO** was born 17 Feb 1783 and was baptized at Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia. She married JAMES **McCLELLAN** who was born 31 Oct 1782, the son of James and Jane McClellan.³ Ann Rambo McClellan died 18 Mar 1864. They had one known child and may have had others:

171241. ELIZA McCLELLAN, b. 15 Sep 1808, d. 1884, m. Peter Rankin

17126. **SARAH RAMBO** was born 30 July 1787. The Chester *Village Record* of 26 Jan 1820 carried this notice, "Marriage on Tuesday evening the 18th instant, by Samuel Wilson, Mr. EVAN T. **COOPER**, son of George Cooper, to Miss Sarah Rambo, daughter of Ezekiel Rambo, all of Sadsbury township, Chester county".⁴

17127. **EZEKIEL RAMBO** Jr. was born 18 Mar 1788. He married MARGARET **GRIFFITH** on 8 Jan 1818. She was about 18 years of age, born about 1800. They lived in Sadsbury Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania in 1850 and in the census, he was listed as a farmer with property valued at \$6,000. A child, Mary Blank age 4, and a negro, Emly John age 25, also lived with the family at that time. Ezekiel died 21 Mar 1858 aged 70, a resident of Valley township.^{5,6} Margaret died at her daughter's residence

⁵ Pennsylvania Genealogical Catalogue (Accessible Archives, c1993) CD-ROM no. 6. Chester Village Record newspaper

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 27 by Katherine B. Rambo

² Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 270, 276, 296

³ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

⁴ Pennsylvania Genealogical Catalogue (Accessible Archives, c1993) CD-ROM no. 6. Chester Village Record newspaper

⁶ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

in Philadelphia 25 Nov 1881 and was buried in Hephzibah Cemetery. Ezekiel and Margaret had these children:¹

- 171271. AARON RAMBO, b. 26 Jan 1819, m. Catherine Gicker
- 171272. MOSES RAMBO, b. ca 1821, d. ca 12 Apr 1907, m. Elizabeth Jane Graham
- 171273. SILAS RAMBO, b. ca 1825, m. Hester J. (?)
- 171274. PAUL RAMBO, b. ca 1825, m. 1) Elizabeth Jane Steen, 2) Rebecca H. (?)
- 171275. ANDREW RAMBO, b. ca 1829
- 171276. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. ca 1833, m. Alice (?)
- 171277. EZEKIEL RAMBO Jr., d. 24 Mar 1862, m. Sarah Ann Parke
- 171276. THOMAS H. RAMBO, b. May 1839, m. Esther (?)
- 171279. JANE RAMBO, m. Henry Clark

The will of Ezekiel Rambo was written 30 Apr 1858, proved the same day!, and filed in Chester Co., Pennsylvania. It is transcribed as follows: "Be it remembered that I Ezekiel Rambo of Valley Township in the County of Chester have thought proper to make and truly do make and publish my Last Will and Testament in the form and manner following; that is to say [Item I] I will and direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses shall be paid and fully satisfied as early after my decease as may be practicable and convenient - for which and the other purposes of my Will hereinafter expressed and contained I appoint my two sons Aaron and Moses to be my Executors [Item II] I give and bequeath to my wife Margaret the whole of my real estate for her benefit and use during her natural life in Trust nevertheless at her decease to be equally divided between my nine children to wit Aaron, Moses, Paul, Silas, Andrew, William, Ezekiel Jr., Thomas and Jane intermarried with Henry Clark [Item III] I give and bequeath to my said wife Margaret all my Personal property appertaining to my real estate except the Contents of the Grist Mill for her sole use and benefit [Item IV] I give and bequeath to my son William the sum of One hundred dollars in Trust nevertheless the same to Keep safely invested at interest and to collect get in and receive the interest and income thereof and pay the same out annually to my granddaughter Mary Clark daughter of Henry Clark unto her own hands and at her decease the said principal sum of One hundred dollars shall be divided equally among my surviving children provided always that if she reach the age of twenty-one years, the whole of the principal shall be paid over to her for her sole use and benefit [Item V] The remainder of my Personal property consisting of the contents of the Grist Mill and Bonds, Notes and Book accounts I will and direct to be divided into nine equal portions of which I give and bequeath to my aforesaid children Aaron, Moses, Paul, Silas, Andrew, William and Ezekiel Jr to each one portion for their separate use and benefit. To my son William I also give one portion in Trust nevertheless for the benefit of my son Thomas until he arrives at the age of twenty-one years. And my said son William shall have authority to pay an of his brother Thomas any portion of the interest on his share that may be necessary for his maintenance and support & When he my said son Thomas shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years his brother William shall pay over to him the whole of the principal sum with any interest that may remain umpaid upon it. I likewise give and bequeath to my said son William the one remaining portion in Trust nevertheless to Keep safely invested at interest and to collect get in and receive the interest & income thereof and pay the same out annually to my daughter Jane Clark, provided nevertheless shall

_____ a part or the whole of the principal sum for her maintenance and support, it shall be paid to her in such amounts as she shall require and at her decease, the whole of the principal then remaining shall be equally divided between her children And lastly I revolke all and every Will and Wills by me heretofore made and declare this to be and contain my last Will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 3 (Nov 1984), p. 23 by Nancy E. Schanes

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set my hand and seal this thirtieth day of Fourth month A.D. 1858 Ezekiel Rambo

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Ezekiel Rambo as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names hereto as witnesses W. Wilson, Chr^s Newton

West Chester April 30th 1858 then personally appeared Wm Wilson & Charles Newton who on their solemn affirmation did declare and say that they were personally present and did see and hear Ezekiel Rambo the testator in the foregoing instrument of writing named sign seal publish pronounce and declare the same as and for his Last will and testament, and that at the time of so doing he was of a sound and well disposing mind and memory to the best of their knowledge and belief. Affirmed before me e& Strieklands Register" Thanks to Judy Dye for sending me a copy.

17128. **PETER RAMBO** was born 18 Mar 1789. On 25 Feb 1823, he married PHEBE **MURRAY** who was born about 1803. Peter served as a Pvt. in Capt. John Wright's Co., Pennsylvania Militia during the War of 1812, and his widow Phebe applied for a pension after his death.¹ The family lived in Sadsbury Township, Chester Co. in 1850 where Peter and his son William were blacksmiths. Phebe died 31 Mar 1895 in her 92nd year in Cochranville at the home of her son-in-law, Abner W. Williams, and was buried in the Sadsbury Friends Burying Ground.² Peter and Phebe had these children:

171281. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. ca 1824

- 171282. SARA J. RAMBO, b. ca 1833
- 171283. HANNAH RAMBO, b. ca 1835
- 171284. MARY A. RAMBO, b. ca 1837, m. Abner U. Williams
- 171285. RACHEL RAMBO, b. ca 1840
- 171286. MARGARET RAMBO, b. ca 1843

The children of [#1713] Benjamin and Martha (Supplee) Rambo [son of Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter]. They resided in Upper Merion, Pennsylvania.

17131. **CHARLES RAMBO** was born 19 Dec 1804 in Norristown. Both of his parents were dead by 1811.³ Charles married PRISCILLA **FISHER** about 1827. Priscilla was born 16 Sep 1802, a daughter of Jacob and Amelia Fisher.⁴ Charles died 8 Dec 1828, just before his 24th birthday, and six months before his son was born. He and his son are buried at Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion. After Charles' death, Mrs. Priscilla Rambo married Lindsey Coates [#112323], and she died 12 Sep 1886 with burial at Christ Church in Upper Merion.⁵ Charles and Priscilla Rambo had two sons who both died young.

171311. Son RAMBO, b. 19 Jan 1828, died in infancy

171312. CHARLES RAMBO, b. Jul 1829, d. 30 Nov 1833

¹ United States Veterans Administration, Index to War of 1812 Pension Application files, National Archives microfilm M-313

² "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

³ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

⁴ David Smith, e-mail of 9 Jun 2004 citing unspecified files at the Montgomery Co., Historical Society

⁵ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

ELIZABETH RAMBO was born 20 May 1807 and married ISAAC H. 17132. MILLER about 1829.¹ He was born 21 Apr 1806, the son of John and Catherine Miller. Isaac was a fine carriage manufacturer at LaFayette and Green Streets, Norristown, Pennsylvania.² Eliza and Isaac had four children before she died on 15 Apr 1836.

171321. CATHERINE MILLER, b. 29 Jun 1830

171322. CHARLES THOMAS MILLER, b. 22 Jan 1832, m. Lydia Supplee

171323. JANE MILLER, b. 21 Apr 1834, d. 1855-1857

171324. ELIZA MILLER, b. 15 Nov 1835, d. before 1838

The children of [#1714] Nathan and Hester (Rees) Rambo [son of Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17141. WILLIAM RAMBO was born 30 Nov 1782 in Upper Merion, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania He married GRACE LEVERING on 9 Feb 1813.³ They moved to Knox Co., Ohio in spring of 1813 with her family. They drove five-horse teams and four head of cattle on the old wagon road from Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, starting one hundred miles west of Baltimore. Grace was born 15 Mar 1789, a daughter of Daniel and Mary (Karney) Levering.⁴ Grace died 18 Jan 1853 aged 63y 9m 24d, and William died 25 Feb 1854 aged 72y in Knox Co., Ohio. See the transcribed biographical sketches of Lamech Rambo [#171415] and Garrett Selover [#171418]. William and Grace Rambo had these children:⁵

- 171411. REECE LEVERING RAMBO, b. 21 May 1814, d. 10 Jul 1842 aged 28
- 171412. MARY RAMBO, b. 4 Jan 1816, d. 3 Dec 1839
- 171413. DANIEL RAMBO, b. 20 May 1817, d. 8 Jan 1841
- 171414. NATHAN RAMBO, b. 26 May 1819, d. 1850, m. Sarah Jane Thompson
- 171415. LAMECH RAMBO, b. 6 Aug 1821, m. Sarah Ann Walker
- 171416. TABITHA RAMBO, b. 8 Jun 1823, m. Welcome Herrendean
- 171417. ELI RAMBO, b. 6 Feb 1825, d. 11 May 1864, m. Margaret Grise
- 171418. ESTHER RAMBO, b. 28 Jun 1826, m. Garrett Selover
- 171419. NOAH RAMBO, b. 16 Jun 1828, d. 20 Jul 1828 aged 1m 4d
- 17141A. SUSAN RAMBO, b. 9 Sep 1830, d. 12 Mar 1831
- 17141B. MORGAN RAMBO, b. 7 Jul 1833, d. 16 Aug 1833 aged 1m 8d

The will of William Rambo was written 31 Oct 1853 and recorded in Knox Co., Ohio Will Book C: pages 339. It is transcribed as follows:⁶

¹ Charles Major, Montgomery County Church, Bible, ... Records, Hist. Soc. of Montgomery Co. LDS microfilm #21595 Item 2

² Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 287

³ James Biser Whisker, ed., Bedford County Archives, vol. 2 (1985), p. 98 citing Presbyterian Church Records, Mercersburg ⁴ Horatio Gates Jones, *The Levering Family* (Philadelphia, PA: King & Baird, 1858), pp. 156, 162, 170

⁵ W. H. Perrin and J. H. Battle, *History of Morrow County and Ohio* (O.L. Baskin & Co., Historical Publishers, 1880), p. 795

⁶ Mrs. Louise Howison, Richwood, OH 43344, family records, letter of 11 Feb 1991 copy

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"I William Rambo, of the County of Knox and State of Ohio being weak in body, but of sound mind and memory, considering the uncertainty of life, do make this my last Will, and Testament, in manner and form following, that is to say-- 1st My Will is, that the expences of my last sickness & funeral be first paid. 2nd All just debts by me owing at the time of my decease; 3rd I Bequeath to my Daughter Tabitha the sum of twenty dollars, for the purpose of purchasing for herself a burau and Table -- 4th I Bequeath to my daughter Esther, my carriage, my ik horse and spring cart -- 5th The balance of my personal property to be sold at public sale and the proceeds thereof equally divided between my four children Lamach, Eli, Tabitha, and Esther -- 6th That my sawmill with the land thereunto attatched supposed to be twelve acres and a half be sold, and the proceeds divided as follows, one half to my son Lamach, and the other half equally between my two daughters Tabitha & Esther --- 7th That the farm or plantation on which I now reside be sold & conveyed by my Executors, either at private or public sale, and out of the proceeds thereof. I bequeath to the Bord of foreign Mission of the Presbyterian Curch, in the united States of America, the sum of Seven Hundred dollars, and also the sum of thirty dollars, to constitute my Grand Daughter Elmira Rambo a life member of said Board, and the remainder to be Equally divided between my four Children as above named, 8th Lastly I do constitute and appoint Lamach Rambo, of Muskingum County, and Nathan Levering of Morrow County, and State of Ohio, to be Executors of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me made; ratifying and confirming this -- In Testamony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this thirty first day of October in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand Eight hundred and fifty three -- William Rambo (seal)

signed sealed published and declared by William Rambo the above named Testator, as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto -- William Frillen, John Blair"

The will of Daniel Lavering in Knox Co., Ohio 5 Jun 1821 mentions wife Mary, daughter Grace & son-in-law William Rambo.¹

"Daniel Levering, grandfather of our subject, came on horseback in 1812, and entered a half section of land, near the present site of Waterford, O.; he then went back to Pennsylvania. In the spring of 1813, he and a family of seven children, together with William Rambo, who married his daughter Grace, in Pennsylvania ... they drove five-horse teams and four head of cattle, on the old wagon road from Bedford Co. Pa., one hundred miles this side of Baltimore."²

Sixth generation #L-1727 Grace Levering born 15 Mar 1789 daughter of Daniel & Mary (Karney) Levering married 9 Feb 1813 William Rambo, born 30 Nov 1782 in Montg. Co., Pa. He died 24 Feb 1854 aged 72; Mrs. Rambo died Feb 1853. They resided Knox

¹ Ohio Vital Records #1 1790s to 1870s, Family Tree Maker CD series 9 #175 citing Knox Co. Will Abstracts

² Perrin and Battle, *History of Morrow County and Ohio* (1880), p. 819 citing Horatio Gates Jones, *The Levering Family* (1858)

Co., Ohio.

Fifth generation #L-1704 Daniel Levering born 3 Feb 1764 in New Jersey. In 1813 and 1816 he and his brothers, William and John, moved from Bedford Co., Pa. to Knox Co., Ohio. He married Mary Karney

Fourth generation #L-1690 Henry born in Whitpain 10 Jun 1738, blacksmith, after marriage to New Jersey. In 1785 he went to Belfast Township, Bedford Co., Pa. where he died 26 Aug 1810.¹

Cemetery records of Knox Co., Ohio:

Rambo, William d. 25 Feb 1853 age 70y 2m 25d =>b. 1 Jan 1783

Rambo, Grace w/o Wm. d. 18 Jan 1853 age 63y 9m 24d

Rambo, Nathan stone broken & missing

Rambo, Morgan s/o Wm. & Grace d. 16 Aug 1833 age 1m 8d

Rambo, Susan d/o Wm. stone broken

Rambo, Noah s/o Wm. & Grace d. 20 Jul 1828 age 1m 4d

17142. **REES RAMBO** was born in 1788 in Montgomery Co., PA, and on 7 Mar 1811 he married NANCY **HUZARD** in Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia.² He was 23, living in Delaware Co., and she was 24, the daughter of Jacob and Susannah Huzard of Chester Co. Rees Rambo was a blacksmith and served as vestryman of St. Davids Church in Radnor from 1834 to 1837.³ He was also an Evangelical pastor and performed weddings.⁴ According to the 1850 census, Rees and his family lived in New Town Township, Chester Co., and his property was valued at \$6,000. Rees Rambo died 3 Jan 1865 at age 77, and Nancy died 6 Feb 1872. Among their seven or more children were these:

- 171421. SARAH RAMBO, b. 1815
- 171422. JONATHAN RAMBO, b. 15 Sep 1819
- 171423. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 1822
- 171424. ELIZA RAMBO, b. 1826

The will of Jacob Huzzard of Tredyffrin was recorded in Chester Co. in 1819. An abstract follows:⁵

July 1, 1819. September 27, 1819.

Exrs. to sell all real estate. Provides for wife Rose. To son John \$100 when of age. To dau. Mary Douglass \$150. Remainder equally divided between children, Nancy Rambo, Elizabeth Mullin and Sarah Huzzard and son John. To gr.dau. Sarah Rambo and gr.son Jacob Mullin \$25 each. Executors: Kinsman Rees Rambo and Edward Siter. Wits: Frederick Landen, Joseph Landen.

¹Horatio Gates Jones, *The Levering Family* (Philadelphia, PA: King & Baird, 1858), pp. 156, 162, 170

² Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms 1879-1927 -- Marriages 1750-1789. LDS microfilm #511806

³ Historical Society of Delaware County, PA, *History of Old St. David's Church, Radnor* (pub. 1907), p. 152

⁴ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 284

⁵ Mrs. Lorene Rambo, family research, e-mail of 2 Sep 2002

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(PLEASE. If you have a copy of the will of Jacob Huzzard of Chester Co., PA proved in 1819, please send a copy for inclusion on this CD. rsbeatty@gmail.com THANKS. It is abstracted in Chester Co. Will Abstracts vol 4: p. 473.)

ABIGAIL RAMBO was born 8 Jul 1790 and married MORDECAI 17143. **DEHAVEN** on 5 Jan 1809 at Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia.¹ Mordecai was 22 when they married. He was born 20 Feb 1786, the son of Andrew and Elizabeth (McGlathery) DeHaven of Plymouth Township. Mordecai's father died when he was only two years old. The DeHaven family was descended from Evert Inden Hoffe and his wife. Elizabeth Schipbower. who left Europe in 1698 and settled in Whitpain Twp., Montgomery Co., PA with their three sons.² The DeHavens came from Mullheim-an-der-Ruhr, Palatine [now Germany].³ Mordecai apprenticed to be a tailor and was taxed in Plymouth Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania as a tailor from 1813-1820. From 1823-1831 he was taxed as a poor tenant farmer, but later owned his own farm and became a lime dealer. The years of 1780 to 1810 were very difficult in Montgomery Co. as they were recovery years after three wars during which homes had been destroyed, barns burned, and the land defiled. Fathers had died, the economy was nil, and it took years to recover. Mordecai was an active member of the Old Swedes church of Upper Merion Township. He was a member of the prestigious Second Troop, Montgomery County Calvary. According to the 1850 census, he lived in Plymouth Township on two acres of property valued at \$1,000 between Norristown and Hickorytown. Their daughter Abigail Cleaver and family lived next door. Mordecai died 5 Apr 1852 aged 66, and Abigail died on 15 Dec 1874 at the age of 84. See the transcribed biographical sketch of grandson J. Rambo DeHaven [#1714331]. They and several of their children are buried in the churchyard of Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion.⁴ The Mordecai Dehaven family Bible was given to the Montgomery County Historical Society at Norristown and is transcribed in their bulletin in 1939, vol. 1, #6, pp. 328-330. Mordecai and Abigail had these children:^{5,6}

171431. ANNA MARIE DEHAVEN, b. 7 Sep 1809, d. 1886, m. Phillip Holland

- 171432. WILLIAM DEHAVEN, b. 15 Jan 1811, possibly m. Rachel Jane Woods
- 171433. MARK DEHAVEN, b. 10 Dec 1813, d. 9 Sep 1889, m. Hannah Rambo
- 171434. CHARLES DEHAVEN, b. 13 Mar 1816, died in infancy
- 171435. CHARLES DEHAVEN, b. 9 May 1817, living in County Home in 1900
- 171436. MORDECAI DEHAVEN Jr., b. 20 Sep 1819, m. Elizabeth C. Smith
- 171437. NATHAN DEHAVEN, b. 30 Aug 1821, d. 24 Jan 1908, m. Susan Miller
- 171438. ALLEN DEHAVEN, b. 18 Sep 1823, d. 20 Dec 1911 unmarried

⁵ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, *Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett*, pp. 162-163, Bible transcription

¹ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms 1879-1927 -- Marriages 1750-1789. LDS microfilm #511806

² Anna M. Holstein, Swedish Holsteins in America from 1644-1892 (pub. 1892)

³ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, Denton, TX 76205, family research, letter of 30 Jan 2003

⁴ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

⁶ Dehaven Bible record at Historical Society of Montgomery Co., Norristown, PA. LDS microfilm #21589

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171439. ESTHER DEHAVEN, b. 31 Jul 1825, prob. d. before 1872 17143A. ABIGAIL DEHAVEN, b. 26 Aug 1826, m. 1) John Cleaver, 2) A. Smith

17143B. ELWOOD DEHAVEN, b. 28 Jul 1828, m. Rebecca Thompson

17143C. GEORGE W. DEHAVEN, b. 25 Sep 1830

The Will of Abigail Rambo DeHaven was dated 24 Feb 1872, proved 21 Dec 1774, and recorded in Montgomery Co., PA Wills Book 14: page 72. It is filed as #19404, RW 1254-0C-3685 and is transcribed below:

"I, Abigail Dehaven, of Upper Merion, Township, in the County of Montgomery and State of Pennsylvania, Widow of Mordecai Dehaven, dec^d, being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding Do make this my last Will and Testament as follows: I wish all my just debts and funeral expenses to be paid out of my Estate as soon as conveniently can be. I give and bequeathe to my daughter Ann Holland, my Parlor Carpet, my best Parlor Looking Glass, my Parlor Stand, my best chamber Carpet, and my best Sett of Crockery Ware. I give and bequeathe to Elizabeth Dehaven, Wife of my Son, Mordecai Dehaven, my best Chamber Looking Glass, and my Parlor Time Piece. I give and bequeathe to Susan DeHaven, Wife of my Son Nathan Dehaven, my best Rocking Chair and my Case of Drawers. I give and bequeathe to Catharine DeHaven, daughter of my Son Nathan, my best Bed and Bedsteads. I give and bequeathe to my son, Allan Dehaven the Bed and Bedsteads he now uses, my Kitchen Stove, Kitchen Time Piece and Kitchen Table. I give and bequeathe to my Son Ellwood Dehaven my sideboard and my best Bed Spread. I give and bequeathe to my Grand-daughter Mary Ann Holland my pair of Glass CandleSticks and my Waiter. I give and bequeathe all my wearing Apparel, all my Linens and all my Bed Quilts to my daughters Ann Holland and Abigail Cleaver and my daughters in law Susan Dehaven and Elizabeth Dehaven, the division thereof to be made by my daughter Ann Holland. I give and bequeathe to my daughter Abigail the sum of Twenty five dollars. I also give and bequeathe the sum of Twenty five dollars to Hester, daughter of my son Nathan DeHaven. I give and bequeathe to my sons: Mark Dehaven and Charles Dehaven, the sum of One dollar each. I give and bequeathe to Abigail Dehaven, daughter of my son, Mordecai, my Second best Bed and Bedsteads. I wish all the rest, residue and remainder of my Estate to be divided into Seven equal shares or parts, of which I give to my Son, Alan Dehaven, one full share, and half of another share or part, the remainder of said shares or parts I give and bequeathe to my daughter Ann Holland, and to my Sons: William Dehaven, Mordecai Dehaven, Nathan Dehaven, Ellwood Dehaven and George Dehaven, to be equally divided among them share and share alike, the heirs of any of them who may be deceased to have the share or legacy of such a decedent. I hereby Order and direct my Executor hereinafter named to sell all my Real Estate wheresoever situate either at public or private Sale, within One year after my decease, and authorize and empower him to make and execute a good and sufficient Deed or Deeds to the purchasers thereof for the same, in fee simple. The proceeds of such Sale to be distributed by my said Executor with my personal estate, as herein before bequeathed. And Lastly I do hereby nominate

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constitute and appoint my Friend, Henry E. Newberry of Bridgeport, to be the Executor of this my last Will and Testament. In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this 24th day of February in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-two. (1872). Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the said Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us:- Charles Hansett, Lorenzo B. Gough [signed illegibly] Abigail Dehaven" Thanks Heloise Cleo Wilkerson Ridgway of Dallas, Texas and to Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine for the transcription.¹

17144. **MARY RAMBO** was born on 21 Feb 1792. She married her cousin AARON **RAMBO** [#11253], the son of Abraham and Ann (Potts) Rambo, on 9 Jan 1811. The ceremony was by her brother Rees Rambo, an Evangelical minister.² Aaron was listed as a farmer, age 24, and Mary's age was given as 19. Aaron died 25 Jan 1835 at age 49 and was buried with others of his family at Christ Church, Upper Merion.(182) In the 1850 Census, Mary's daughter Mary Ann was widowed and living at home with her two children. Mary died 29 Nov 1883 at the advanced age of 91.³ Aaron and Mary had these children:

- 112531. ROSS RAMBO, b. about 1812, d. 11 Feb 1853, m. Mary Ann Fry
- 112532. BENJAMIN RAMBO, b. 21 Apr 1813, d. 26 Jun 1882, m. Louisa Eastburn
- 112533. MARY ANN RAMBO, b. 15 Dec 1816, m. 1) J. Famous, 2) Charles Rogers
- 112534. WALTER P. RAMBO, b. 7 Aug 1821, m. 1) M. Ramsey, 2) M. Pechin
- 112535. MATTHIAS RAMBO, b. ca 1823
- 112536. ISAAC RAMBO, b. 30 Aug 1825, d. 1 Nov 1836
- 112537. JEHU (JOHN) RAMBO, b. Dec 1829, d. 31 Oct 1836
- 112538. JONAS RAMBO
- 112539. MORGAN RAMBO

17145. **ELI RAMBO** was born 15 Nov 1794 in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania and married JANE **POWELL** sometime before 1822.⁴ The Powell family may have been close friends of the Rambo family since an unidentified Daniel Rambo married Hannah Powell on 27 Feb 1794 at the First Baptist Church, Philadelphia.⁵ After Jane's death sometime following 1824, Eli married SUSANNA **FORNWALT**. She was born 15 Sep 1812 and was the daughter of John and Catherine Fornwalt. Eli died in Bridgeport.⁶ He was buried 24 Sep 1868 in Cambridge, Pennsylvania.⁷ Eli and Jane had these two children:

171451. THEODORE B. RAMBO, b. 3 Oct 1822, m. Sidney Anna Mathaney

171452. GEORGE W. RAMBO, b. 1 Nov 1824, d. 1894, m. Ann Elizabeth Sweeten

- ² Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 286
- ³ "Rambo Family Collection of Research Records," Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Andrew Rambo, Book H-10, p. 468
- ⁴ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934) ⁵ Remerchanics Archives 2nd Series and 8 Research of Remerchanics Marries to mission to 1810. *Kelmus L* (1920), p. 7701
- ⁵ Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), p. 779'

¹N. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H.Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, pp. 225-226

⁶ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, *Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett*, p. 286 ⁷ Peter Stebbins Craig, Historical research, Washington, D. C., 1985, cites Webster 16

Eli and Susannah Rambo lived in Chester Co., Pennsylvania with their nine children:

- 171453. ESTHER RAMBO, b. 8 Nov 1836, m. Thomas B. Townsend
- 171454. ANGELINE RAMBO, b. 29 Jan 1838, d. 23 Feb 1878, m. Jacob S. Webster
- 171455. MATTHEW S. RAMBO, b. 7 Dec 1839, d. 1905, m. Harriet E. Tompkins
- 171456. SUSANNAH RAMBO, b. 1 Jan 1842, d. 19 Aug 1918, m. Jacob Diem
- 171457. ASA RAMBO, b. 24 Nov 1844, m. Matilda Freeman
- 171458. ELI RAMBO Jr., b. 12 May 1846, d. 6 May 1932, m. Martha Famous
- 171459. JEHU RAMBO, b. 17 Apr 1848, d. after 1900, m. Mary Elizabeth Emerson
- 17145A. ISAIAH RAMBO, b. 6 Jan 1852, d. Sep 1897, m. Sarah Lavina Lawrence
- 17145B. NATHAN RAMBO, b. 3 Nov 1857, d. 6 Mar 1939, m. Annie Davis

From the Chester *Village Record*: "Death Notice Rambo - In Cambridge, Lancaster county, September 25th, 1868, ELI RAMBO, in the 74th year of his age ..."

17146. **SUSAN RAMBO** was born 10 Jul 1796 according to Christ Church burial records, although her mother died three months earlier. Susan married JACOB **SLOUGH** who was born about 1805.¹ They had a number of children, three of whom died within four days of each other in 1836. Jacob died before Susan who passed away on 4 Jun 1887, at the age of 90. She was buried at Christ Church, Upper Merion with several of their children:

- 171461. EDWARD SLOUGH, b. 6 Nov 1821, d. 29 Oct 1827
- 171462. CHARLES SLOUGH, b. 17 Jan 1824, d. 8 Oct 1836
- 171463. SOPHIA SLOUGH (twin), b. 9 May 1825, d. 4 Oct 1836
- 171464. ISRAEL SLOUGH (twin), b. 10 May 1825, d. 5 Oct 1836
- 171465. SARAH SLOUGH, b. ca 1829, living with parents in 1850
- 171466. MARY JANE SLOUGH, b. 1837, d. 20 Sep 1838 aged 1y 1m 22d

17147. ANN RAMBO was born but nothing more is known of her.

17148. HANNAH RAMBO was born and married Mr. POWELL.²

The children of [#1914] Jonathan and Elizabeth (Sturges) Rambo [son of Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Catherine J., Margaret S., Jehu J. and Jonathan.

19141. **CATHERINE J. RAMBO** was born 14 Feb 1793 and died 1 Apr 1863.³ She probably did not marry as she lived with her step-mother Rachel and step-brother Mark in Upper Merion at the time of the 1850 Census.

¹George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

19142. MARGARET S. RAMBO was born 13 Jul 1794 and died 17 Feb 1837 at the age of $41.^{1}$

The children of [#1914] Jonathan and Rachel (Davis) Rambo, his second wife.

19145. MARK RAMBO was born 30 Sep 1804.² He was a farmer in Upper Merion Township who did not marry and who died 1 Dec 1879, aged $75.^{3,4}$

19146. ELIZABETH RAMBO was born 28 Oct 1805 in Upper Merion Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania and married GEORGE WASHINGTON DeHAVEN on 16 Jan 1833 in Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.⁵ He was born 6 Oct 1810 in Upper Merion Township, the son of Isaac and Mary (Osborne) DeHaven.^{6,7} The first of this family in America, Evert (Edward) ten Heuven, his wife Elizabeth Shipbower, and their four children came from Mulheim on the Ruhr, Germany in 1698. Evert was in contact with Pastorious in the early settlement of Germantown, Philadelphia Co., PA and helped with the settlement along the Skippack River and in Whitemarsh in adjacent Montgomery Co. The George W. DeHaven family lived in Upper Merion Township and had property valued at \$9,500 at the time of the 1850 census. George DeHaven died there 6 Nov 1869 in his 60th year.⁸ Elizabeth died 26 Jun 1879.⁹ Both were buried at Christ Church in Upper Merion Township.¹⁰ They had six children as recorded in the family Bible:¹¹

191461. RACHEL RAMBO DEHAVEN, b. 20 Nov 1834, d. 1867, m. David Jones

- 191462. MARY EMILY DEHAVEN, b. 2 Aug 1836, d. 1910, m. James Comly.¹²
- 191463. ROBERT R. DEHAVEN, b. 9 Jan 1839, d. 20 Nov 1904
- 191464. EMMA E. DEHAVEN, b. 17 Jun 1841, d. 11 Dec 1897 unmarried
- 191465. REBECCA JANE DEHAVEN, b. 21 Dec 1843, d. 1916.¹³
- 191466. SUSAN DEHAVEN, b. 16 Jun 1846, d. 1927.14

19147. JANE MOORE¹⁵ RAMBO was born 1 Mar 1807 and died 9 Jun 1881.¹⁶ She married ALEXANDER HAMILTON SUPPLEE on 2 Feb 1832. He was born 1 Jan

¹ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

² Clayton Torrence, comp., Virginia Wills and Administrations, 1632-1800 (pub. 1965), p. 349

Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98 ⁴ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

⁵ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms 1879-1927 -- Marriages 1750-1789. LDS microfilm #511806

⁶ Howard DeHaven Ross Jr., *History of the DeHaven Family*, 4th ed. (New York: Pandick Press, 1929), chart

⁷ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible record

⁸ Duncan Ely, family research, citing will & estate papers ⁹ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible record

¹⁰ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-

⁹⁸ ¹¹ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible transcription

¹² Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 188

¹³ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible record

¹⁴ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible record, cites estate records

¹⁵ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), p. 296

¹⁶ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

1803, the son of Zimmerman and Hannah (Henderson) Supplee.¹ The Supplees were descended from French Huguenots originally named Souple. Alexander was a farmer and was active in other businesses. He was the president of Union Mutual Fire and Storm Insurance Co. and director of the Montgomery Mutual Fire Insurance Co. On the 1860 Census, Alexander Supplee's real property was valued at \$21,200, and his personal property amounted to \$4,000. Alexander died 1 Sep 1882. They had the following children:

191471. JONATHAN RAMBO SUPPLEE, b. 20 Feb 1833, m. Elizabeth Abraham

191472. ANDREW SUPPLEE, b. 5 Dec 1834, d. 17 Feb 1900, m. Amanda Cassel 191473. MARK RAMBO SUPPLEE, b. 11 Apr 1836, d. Jul 1901, m. Hannah Baker

191474. HANNAH SUPPLEE, b. 6 Nov 1839, m. Austin L. Taggert

19148. **RICHARD** <u>ROBERTS</u> **RAMBO** was born 25 Mar 1809 and was a twin of Davis Rambo.² He lived in Upper Merion and worked as a clerk. He married EMILY Y. **SHAINLINE** on 17 Jan 1839 in Philadelphia.³ Emily was born about 1813, and her widowed mother, Sarah Shainline, aged 52 in 1850, lived with the family until her death in 1874. Roberts Rambo was one of the first vestrymen named in the new charter of Christ Church, Upper Merion in 1842.⁴ By 1850, he owned property valued at \$2,000. He died 1 Sep 1863 at the age of 54, and Emily (Molly) died 11 Sep 1890,⁵ at the age of 78. Both were buried in Christ Church (Old Swedes) graveyard.⁶ They had two children:

191481. HELEN S. RAMBO, b. ca 1841, m. Andrew J. Anderson

191482. JONATHAN ROBERTS RAMBO, b. ca 1845, m. Lydia Caroline Shearer

19149. **DAVIS RAMBO** was born 25 Mar 1809, a twin of Roberts Rambo. He died at age 15 on 25 Jul 1822.⁷

1914A. **PETER RAMBO** was born 9 Feb 1811, just 10 weeks after the death of his father.⁸ On 3 Jan 1832 he married RACHEL **COATES** [#112325] who was born 3 Aug 1809, the daughter of Septimus and Rachel (Rambo) Coats. They lived in the same neighborhood as his mother and his brother, Roberts Rambo. In 1860 Rachel's sister, Elizabeth Coates, lived with the family. Peter Rambo died 24 Aug 1843 at the age of 32, and Rachel died 3 Jan 1862. Both were buried with their children in the Christ Church graveyard.⁹ They had these children:

1914A1. MARY JANE RAMBO, b. Mar 1834, d. 16 Jul 1835

¹ Henry Wilson Ruoff, *Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa.*, Part 1 (pub 1895), p. 127

² Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

³ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms 1879-1927 -- Marriages 1750-1789. LDS microfilm #511806

⁴ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 30

⁵ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

⁶ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

⁷ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

⁸ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

⁹ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

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- 1914A2. Daughter RAMBO, b. & d. in infancy
- 1914A3. Son RAMBO, b. & d. in infancy
- 1914A4. JONATHAN R. RAMBO, b. 31 Aug 1838, d. Sep 1838
- 1914A5. IRVINS RAMBO, b. ca 1840, m. Margaret J. Mogee
- 1914A6. ELIZABETH COATS RAMBO, b. ca 1842, m. James Abraham

The children of [#1921] Jonas and Ann (Rambo) Rambo [son of George, Elias, Gunnar, Peter; and of Mary, Michael, John, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary, Nathan, George, Jonas and Ann.

19211. **MARY RAMBO** was born 17 Oct 1808, and christened at Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia.¹ In 1829 she married her kinsman, BENJAMIN BARTHOLOMEW **HUGHES** [#167224].^{2,3} He was born 27 Jun 1808 at the Walnut Grove farm [now Woodside, PA] in Upper Merion Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, a son of John and Hannah (Bartholomew) Hughes and a descendant of Andrew Robeson whose son married Magdalena Rudman [#421].⁴ Benjamin Hughes was a tanner by trade but turned his interests to iron ore, limestone, and coal mining. Benjamin was a Director of the Montgomery National Bank of Norristown and a member of the committee that supervised alterations to Christ Church (Old Swedes) in 1837.⁵ Mrs. Mary Hughes left ten children when she died on 20 Aug 1856 at the age of 47. She was buried at Christ Church (Old Swedes), Upper Merion.⁶ Benjamin married Mary J. Brooke second, on 17 Aug 1858. See his record. Mary and Benjamin Hughes had these children:

1672241. JOHN JONAS HUGHES, b. 12 Jan 1830, m. Hannah Brooke

- 1672242. ISAAC WAYNE HUGHES, b. Nov 1831, m. 1) A. Donnel, 2) E. Baker
- 1672243. NATHAN RAMBO HUGHES, b. 21 Oct 1833, m. Amanda E. Stacker
- 1672244. CHARLES COLLIN HUGHES, d. 4 Dec 1888, m. Emily Pechin
- 1672245. MARY ANN HUGHES, b. Jun 1840, m. Hubert O. Blackfan
- 1672246. HENRY CLAY HUGHES, b. ca 1843, m. Kate A. Longacre
- 1672247. HANNAH HUGHES, b. 17 Feb 1845, d. 8 Mar 1884 unmarried
- 1672248. CATHARINE DEWEES HUGHES, b. 19 Jul 1849, m. Edmund Evans
- 1672249. WILLIAM CORSON HUGHES, b. 21 Nov 1852, d. 25 Feb 1928
- 167224A. FRANCIS WADE HUGHES, b. 29 Dec 1854, d. 7 May 1860, aged 5

19212. **NATHAN RAMBO** was born 27 Jun 1810 and was baptized at Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia.⁷ He married ANN **BROADES** on 5 Mar 1833. She was born 12

- ⁵ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 26
- ⁶ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion, Appendix E tombstones

¹ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

² Anna M. Holstein, *Swedish Holsteins in America from 1644-1892* (pub. 1892)

³ Kate Hamilton Osborne, ed., *Historical and Genealogical ... Andrew Robeson ... from 1653-1916* (pub. 1916), p. 403

⁴ Kate Hamilton Osborne, ed., Historical and Genealogical ... Andrew Robeson ... from 1653-1916 (1916), pp. 243, 402-404

⁷ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, Baptisms, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

Aug 1809, a daughter of William and Ann (Currie) Broades.¹ She was a descendant of colonial clergyman Rev. William Currie of Radnor, PA.² Nathan and Ann lived in Upper Merion where Nathan had inherited lands from his father, a lifelong resident of the area. He is likely the Nathan Rambo who served on the building committee supervising the alterations to Christ Church, Upper Merion in 1837.³ In 1843 Nathan bought 143 acres of limestone quarries. He became quite wealthy conducting the quarry and other business ventures, including a hotel known as the Rambo house. In 1850 his real estate was valued at \$50,000. He served as vestryman and trustee for many years at the Swedes Episcopal church.⁴ Nathan Rambo died 1 Mar 1858 aged 48, one year after his son William and son-in-law Mathias Walker became partners in his fertilizing lime business. His widow, Ann, passed away on 23 Jul 1889 at the age of 80. She was buried alongside her husband in the Christ Church graveyard.^{5,6} See the transcribed biographical sketches of Nathan Rambo Jr. [#192127] and Thomas J. Rambo[#192128]. Nathan Sr. and Ann had the following children who were christened at Gloria Dei:^{7,8}

- 192121. ELIZABETH ANN RAMBO, b. 13 Jan 1834, m. Mathias P. Walker
- 192122. WILLIAM BROADES RAMBO, b. 15 Apr 1836, m. Elizabeth A. Arundel
- 192123. MARY JANE RAMBO, b. 2 Oct 1837, d. 3 Nov 1867, m. David Schall
- 192124. REBECCA LANE RAMBO, b. 2 Oct 1840, m. J. P. Heister Jones
- 192125. GEORGE PECHIN RAMBO, b. 3 Dec 1841, d. 15 Oct 1842 aged 11m.⁹
- 192126. EMMA P. RAMBO, b. ca 1845, m. Thomas P. Merritt
- 192127. NATHAN RAMBO Jr., b. 23 Feb 1848, m. Clara Vogdes Walker
- 192128. THOMAS JEFFERSON RAMBO, b. 5 Jun 1850, m. Ida May Bickings

The children of [#1931] John and Elizabeth (?) Rambo [son of Jeremiah (and Sarah, Michael), Elias (and John), Gunnar, Peter] were Andrew, Samuel, Daniel, John, Rachel and Hannah.

19311. **ANDREW RAMBO** was a mason, born in 1797 and died 14 Apr 1877. He married MARGARET (?) who was born about 1802 and died in 1869. They had these children:¹⁰

193111. WILLIAM HURST RAMBO, b. 1827, d. Dec 1902, m. Margaret F. (?)

- 193112. JOHN RAMBO, b. 1831
- 193113. ELIZABETH RAMBO, d. 26 Dec aged 1 year

¹ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, *Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett*, p. 289 ² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 5 (Jul 1985), p. 1

³ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, p. 26

⁴ Henry Wilson Ruoff, Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa., Part 1 (pub 1895), p. 163

⁵ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

⁶ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

⁷ Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, PA, *Baptisms*, 1750-1878. LDS microfilm #511805

⁸ Moses Auge, Lives of the Eminent Dead and Biographical Notices ... Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (pub. 1879), p. 484

⁹ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

¹⁰ Howard Holland Rambo, manuscript (ten pages) dated 24 Mar 1983, pp. 42-43

19314. **DANIEL RAMBO** died about 1836. His estate papers are filed in Montgomery Co. as #15053. His widow, MARY Rambo of Upper Merion Township, declined to serve as administrator of the estate on 11 Jan 1836, so administration was granted to J. Cleaver Rambo. The inventory was taken on 22 Jan 1836 by Nathan Rambo and Samuel H. Coates and amounted to \$44.75 including household goods, one pigeon net, two shoats, one sow and two pigs. The accounting of the estate showed payments to Samuel Rambo (\$167.67 & 9.28), Rachel Rambo (30.12), John Rambo (11.82), Nathan Rambo (225.00 & 1.62), William Rambo (5.23), and 20 other individuals. After his death, his widow MARY (?) married Charles Hansel. Daniel and Mary had these children:¹

193141. JOHN RAMBO

193142. SAMUEL RAMBO

193143. JONATHAN RAMBO

The children of [#1961] Jesse and Margareta (Kuentch) Rambo [son of Gunnar, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were George, Ann and Sarah.

19611. GEORGE RAMBO was born 10 Sep 1792. On 7 Dec 1814, he married MARY HIGGINS who was born 19 Oct 1798.² They had one known son:
196111. GEORGE RAMBO, b. 1820, d. 15 Apr 1904, m. Sara Ann Kreider

¹ Howard Holland Rambo, manuscript (ten pages) dated 24 Mar 1983, pp. 42-43

² Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

Members of the seventh generation were born over a span of more than 80 years. The first child was a son born in 1775 to Moses and Elizabeth Rambo [#11211], and the last was born in 1859, the son of William Rambo [#615A6] of New Jersey. An increasing number of Rambo families are now established in other states further south and west of the ancestral homes on the Delaware River. The sturdy, hard-working Rambo pioneers underwent numerous hardships in order to clear the land, build homes, and raise their families.

The children of [#1175B] Israel and Sarah (Mathis) Rambo [son of Ezekiel Jr., Ezekiel, John Jr., Gunnar, Peter] were William, John Wesley, Benjamin M., Hannah Elizabeth and Sallie.

1175B4. **HANNAH ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born 13 Oct 1853 in Gloucester Co., New Jersey. She married CHARLES HENRY **ASPDEN** on 23 Dec 1880. He was born 5 Sep 1853, the son of James and Susanna Theresa (Hood) Aspden. Charles Henry and Hannah Elizabeth had these children:¹

- 1175B41. MABEL ASPDEN, b. 1882, died young
- 1175B42. CHARLES W. ASPDEN, b. 22 Feb 1884, d. 30 May 1914
- 1175B43. WILLIAM H. ASPDEN, b. 12 May 1887, d. May 1914, m. Carrie Sharp

The children of [#12117] Eli and Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans [daughter of Sophia (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121171. **WILLIE ANN EVANS** was born 3 Jan 1793 in Pennsylvania and married CHARLES SEVIER **RENO** who was born 14 May 1789 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania, a son of Rev. Francis and Lydia (Saviers) Reno.² Charles and Willie lived in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania where Charles died 19 Jul 1847 and Willie Ann Reno died in 1853.³ They had these children:⁴

- 1211711. FRANCIS RENO, b. ca 1813, d. 29 Jan 1879, m. Mary L. LeBaron
- 1211712. JULIA ANN RENO, b. ca 1818, d. after 1870 unmarried
- 1211713. SOCRATES ADAM RENO, b. 14 Sep 1819, m. Cynthea Hemphill Irvin
- 1211714. ELIHU RENO, b. ca 1820, d. after 1857 unmarried
- 1211715. ELIZA ANN RENO, b. ca 1826, m. James Javens
- 1211716. CHARLES SAVIERS RENO, b. ca 1829, never married

- ² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout
- ³ Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., *Lineage Book: National Society of Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931*, p. 154
- ⁴ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 17 May 2004 citing *Genealogy of the Reno/Reneau Family in America* by Steven G. Fancy and Sue Reneau Damewood, February 2003

¹ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, *Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families* (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), pp. 873, 879

1211717. CAROLINE RENO, b. ca 1832, m. Henry Gillespie, moved to Kansas 1211718. OVID PINNEY RENO, b. 27 Jun 1834, d. 14 Sep 1910, m. Belinda Reilly

121174. **SOPHIA EVANS** was born 13 Mar 1796 in Pennsylvania and married WILLIAM **RENO** on 11 Jul 1817 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania. He was born in 1794 in Pennsylvania and was a captain on the Ohio River when young but retired to farming. His farm included 40 acres that is now part of Rochester. William died in Mar 1860, and Sophia died Apr 1860 in Rochester Borough, Beaver Co.¹ They had eleven children:²

1211741. ELIAH RENO, b. 31 May 1818, d. 17 Nov 1881 in New Brighton, PA

- 1211742. ALMIRA HULL RENO, b. 11 Jul 1820, d. Jun 1846, m. Marshall F. Hays
- 1211743. HIRAM STOWE RENO, b. 30 Sep 1822, d. 1828

1211744. ELIZA ANN RENO, b. 8 Nov 1825, d. 2 Sep 1903, m. Marshall Hays

- 1211745. SABINA RENO, b. 28 Mar 1828, d. 6 Aug 1845
- 1211746. FRANCIS ASBURY RENO, b. 31 Jul 1830, d. 1869, m. Mary Bocking
- 1211747. ANNA MARIA RENO, b. 14 Mar 1832, m. George H. Berkimer
- 1211748. HIRAM STOWE RENO, b. 28 Aug 1835, d. 5 May 1870 in Beaver Co.
- 1211749. WILLIAM DAVIS RENO, b. 5 Nov 1837, d. 1899, m. Isabella Graham
- 121174A. PHILIE M. RENO, b. 25 Apr 1840, m. Williamson Graham

121175. **NORTH EVANS** was born about 1798 and married MARY ANN **BLACK**. She was born in Newcastle, Pennsylvania, the daughter of Edward Black Doughtery. The North Evans family moved to Colorado. North Evans died about 1868. They had one known child:

121175. HIRAM EVANS, b. 2 Mar 1829, d. 18 Dec 1907 in New Windsor, CT

121176. **JONATHAN EVANS** was a miller, born 2 Aug 1800, and in 1822 he married CHRISTINA KING **RALSTON** who was born 18 Jan 1802.³ Jonathan owned a flour mill on the Connoquenessing near Ellwood, Pennsylvania. Jonathan Evans died there 1 Apr 1875. Christina died 18 May 1881 in Wayne Township. They had these children:⁴

1211761. ELIZA JANE EVANS, b. 1827, m. David Warnock

- 1211762. JOHN RALSTON EVANS, b. 4 Aug 1833, d. 1906, m. Mary Shoemaker
- 1211763. ELI JONATHAN EVANS, b. ca 1835, d. 1910, m. Evaline (?)
- 1211764. ELIZABETH EVANS, m. John Vangorder
- 1211765. ISABELLA EVANS, m. John Butler
- 1211766. HENRIETTA EVANS
- 1211767. CHRISTINA L. EVANS, b. ca 1841, d. 1924

121177. GEORGE THOMAS EVANS was born 1 Jul 1802 and married LETITIA

- ³ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946, p. 266
- ⁴ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_152.HTM

¹ J. Fraise Richard, et. al., *History of Beaver County Pennsylvania* (A. Warner & Co. Pub., 1888; reprint, 1980), p. 806

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

DARRAGH **SCOTT**, daughter of Darragh Scott. George became a riverboat pilot and captain and was the first to pilot a stern wheel down the Ohio River. They removed to Rochester in 1849. George and Letitia were members of the Society of Friends and had these children:^{1,2}

- 1211771. JOHN SCOTT EVANS
- 1211772. THOMAS GEORGE EVANS, b. 25 Mar 1836 in Sharon, Pennsylvania
- 1211773. ELIZABETH EVANS
- 1211774. ANGELINE EVANS
- 1211775. LUCINDA EVANS, m. John (?)

12117B. ANNA CHRISTINA EVANS was born 2 Mar 1814, married THOMAS RENO, and had one known child:³

12117B1. EVAN E. RENO, m. Mary I. Power.

The known children of [#12118] Joseph and Sophie (McElheny) McCreary [daughter of Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Alfred G. and Samuel..

121185. **ALFRED GEORGE (A.G.) McCREARY** was born in 1821 and died in 1909. He married LUCY B. **TODD** in 1853.⁴ She was born in Sep 1832 and died 23 Sep 1904 in New Brighton, Pennsylvania. They lived in Beaver Co., PA and had these known children:^{5,6}

- 1211851. EMMA EUGENIA McCREARY, b. 25 Jan 1859, d. 25 Aug 1950 single
- 1211852. WILLIAM ALFRED McCREARY, b. 3 Apr 1863, m. Amanda Holland
- 1211853. JESSIE AMELIA McCREARY, b. 23 Jun 1870, m. 1) Darragh 2) Johnson
- 1211854. CHARLES S. McCREARY, buried beside grandmother Sophia

121182. **SAMUEL McCREARY** married Ms. **ROBINSON** and had at least one child:⁷ 1211841. MINNIE LEE McCREARY, m. Mr. Mounts

The children of [#12121] Joseph and Catherine (North) North [son of Samuel, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter, and she was his cousin, the daughter of John North] were Samuel, William, Anne, William L., and Sarah Abigail.

¹ J. Fraise Richard, et. al., *History of Beaver County Pennsylvania* (A. Warner & Co. Pub., 1888; reprint, 1980), p. 767

² "The Evans Family: Family Tree and Genealogical Notes," on web in 2009 at http://www.markhams.org/EvansFamily.html

³ "The Evans Family: Family Tree and Genealogical Notes," on web in 2009 at http://www.markhams.org/EvansFamily.html

⁴ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 150, 1919* (1936), p. 70

⁵ W. D. McCreary, e-mail of 13 Jun 2007

⁶ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

⁷ W. D. McCreary, e-mail of 13 Jun 2007

121213. **ANN NORTH** was born 30 Sep 1804 and married ALEXANDER **BROWN**. He was born about 1802, the son of Isaac Brown of Perry Co., Ohio.¹ They settled in Weston Township, Wood Co., Ohio. They had these children:

- 1212131. DAVID BROWN, b. ca 1825
- 1212132. SARAH BROWN, b. ca 1833
- 1212133. WILLIAM BROWN, b. ca 1835
- 1212134. ISAAC M. BROWN, b. ca 1837
- 1212135. ELIZA BROWN, b. ca 1839
- 1212136. SAMUEL BROWN, b. ca 1841
- 1212137. MARGARET BROWN, b. ca 1847
- 1212138. ANN BROWN, b. ca 1848

121215. **SARAH ABIGAIL NORTH** was born about 1817 and married EMILIUS **WOOD**. He was born about 1793, a son of Judge Joseph Wood. Abigail and Emilius had eight children:

- 1212151. W.H. WOOD
- 1212152. ADELIA AMELIA WOOD
- 1212153. CAROLINE AURELIA WOOD
- 1212154. CATHERINE LUCELIA WOOD
- 1212155. JOHN R. WOOD
- 1212156. JOSEPHINE ADELIA WOOD
- 1212157. EMELINE OPHELIA WOOD
- 1212158. ANGELING FIDELIA WOOD

The children of [#12123] Samuel and Ann (North) Harvey [daughter of Samuel, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were George, Martha, Samuel, Nathan, Ann, Joseph and Sarah North.

121237. **SARAH NORTH HARVEY** was born 18 May 1810 and married JAMES **NOURSE** on 1 Oct 1829. He was a minister. She died Perryville, Pennsylvania [now Milroy] on 15 Feb 1871. They had ten children including this one:²

1212378. JOHN THOMAS NORSE

The children of [#12131] Amos and Sarah (Davis) Jordan [daughter of Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Hannah, Francis, Rachael, Catherine, Sarah, Eliza, Jeremiah and Rebecca.

¹ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

² Susan N. Peterson, family research, e-mail of 2 Mar 2001 citing *James Nourse and His Descendants* by Maria Catherine Nourse Lyle (1897)

121312. FRANCIS JORDAN was born 29 May 1787 in Mexico, Pennsylvania and married JEMIMA BULL about 1808 in Juniata Township, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. She was born 25 May 1787, daughter of Henry and Grace Bull. In 1812 in Mexico, PA, Francis Jordan operated a tan yard which continued until 1856. Jemima died 6 Aug 1830 in Mexico, PA. They and several of their children are buried in Westminster Presbyterian Cemetery, Mifflin, PA. In July 1832, Francis Jordan married SARAH BULL of Juniata township, Perry Co., PA, a first cousin of his first wife. She was born 22 Mar 1796 to William and Sarah (Darlington) Bull. Francis died in Mexico, PA on 20 Jun 1845, and his will is recorded in Juniata Co., Pennsylvania, Book A: page 274. Sarah died in Pennsylvania 30 Sep 1856. Francis and Jemima had these children: 1213121. AMOS JORDAN, b. 21 Apr 1809, d. 6 Sep 1826 in Mexico, Pennsylvania 1213122. ROBERT BULL JORDAN, b. 24 Jan 1811, m. 1) Thompson, 2) Crossett 1213123. CATHERINE CAROLINE JORDAN, b. 1813, m. 1) McCleary, 2) Smith 1213124. GRACE JORDAN, b. Jan 1817, d. 11 Nov 1821 aged 4y 11m 1213125. SAMUEL JORDAN, b. 1815, d. 1875, m. Rebecca Ann Jones 1213126. LEWIS JORDAN, b. 1818, d. 1906, m. Isabella Martin 1213127. SARAH JORDAN, b. 23 Jun 1820, d. 1 May 1821 aged 10m 9d 1213128. ELIZABETH JORDAN, b. 26 Sep 1822, d. 18 Nov 1822 aged 7w 4d 1213129. HENRY BULL JORDAN, b. 1825, d. 1847, unmarried 121312A. JEREMIAH JORDAN, b. 1 Aug 1830, d. 1908, m. Ellen I. Linn Francis and Sarah had these children:

- 121312B. WILLIAM BULL JORDAN, baptized 21 Jun 1840
- 121312C. JEMIMA JORDAN, b. ca 1832
- 121312D. MARTHA JORDAN, b. ca 1836

121313. RACHAEL JORDAN was born about 1788 and married JAMES NORTH [#12161], a first cousin once removed. He was her mother's first cousin, a son of William North. See his information. James died in Feb 1828. Rachael died in 1872 in Mifflintown, Pennsylvania. James and Rachel had these children:²

- 121613. CALEB NORTH, b. 26 May 1809, d. 24 Apr 1894, m. Miss Moyes
- 121614. SARAH MATILDA NORTH, b. 15 Aug 1811, d. 1894, m. John Postlewaite
- 121615. EUPHEMIA NORTH, b. 18 Oct 1813, m. Philip Strouse
- 121616. REBECCA DOTY NORTH, b. 12 Jun 1815, died young
- 121617. HANNAH W. NORTH, b. 30 Oct 1817, d. 6 Oct 1883 unmarried
- 121618. JAMES NORTH, b. 6 Nov 1819, d. May 1899, m. Susanna Matilda Strouse
- 121619. AMOS J. NORTH, b. 7 Mar 1822, d. Apr 1894, m. 1) Janet Macklin, 2)?
- 12161A. REBECCA NORTH, b. 18 Oct 1824, m. Col. John Bryner
- 12161B. ELIZA B. NORTH, b. 11 Jan 1827, m. David Witherow

121314. CATHERINE JORDAN born 1792 and married WILLIAM was

¹ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, letter of 31 Jan 2000

² William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

SANDERSON about 1810. He was born in Tyrone township, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania in 1789, son of James and Jean (Little or Lytle) Sanderson. He died suddenly on 5 Sep 1855 in Wooster, Ohio after liquidating his assets. Catherine died there about 1863. They had these children:¹

- 1213141. REBECCA SANDERSON, b. ca 1812, d. 1 Jan 1891, unmarried
- 1213142. ROBERT L. SANDERSON, b. ca 1820, d. Chicago, m. Mary J. West
- 1213143. JANE SANDERSON (twin), b. ca 1820 in Saville, PA, never married
- 1213144. JAMES SANDERSON, b. 1824, m. 1) Amanda Foster, 2) Jane Nelson
- 1213145. MARGARET SANDERSON, b. 1829, m. Hugh M. Culbertson
- 1213146. CATHERINE ANN SANDERSON, b. 25 Sep 1830, m. William Bollinger
- 1213147. MARIA SANDERSON, b. 1834, d. 1905, m. John Atkinson

121316. **JEREMIAH JORDAN** was born in 1805, and on 17 Jan 1827 he married MARGARET **FORESMAN**,² the daughter of Robert and Catherine (Jacoby) Foresman.³ Margaret was born 1809 in Bucks Co., Pennsylvania. The family lived in Washington Township, Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania in 1844 and moved to Scipio Township, LaPorte Co., Indiana sometime between 1847 and Apr 1850. Margaret died in 1868, and Jeremiah died in 1884 in La Porte, Indiana. They had these children:

- 1213161. EMILY C. JORDAN, b. ca 1829
- 1213162. MARY JORDAN, b. ca 1832
- 1213163. SAMUEL JORDAN, b. ca 1833
- 1213164. CATHERINE JORDAN, b. ca 1835
- 1213165. ROBERT JORDAN, b. ca 1836
- 1213166. ALEXANDER JORDAN, b. ca 1839
- 1213167. ANN E. JORDAN, b. ca 1841
- 1213168. WILLIAM AMOS JORDAN, b. 28 Oct 1844, d. 1892, m. Clara Harding
- 1213169. FRANCIS JORDAN (m), b. ca 1846
- 121316A. GWINETTA JORDAN, b. ca 1847
- 121316B. MARGARET E. JORDAN, b. Apr 1850

121317. **ELIZA JORDAN** was born 1802 and married NATHANIEL **BORROWS**, a lumberman who was born in 1795. In 1850 they were living in Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania and had two sets of twins among their children:⁴

- 1213171. SARAH F. BORROWS (twin), b. 1828
- 1213172. JOHN H. BORROWS (twin), b. 1828
- 1213173. CORNELIA BORROWS, b. 1832
- 1213174. MARY BORROWS, b. 1834
- 1213175. CHARLES BORROWS (twin), b. 1840

¹ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

² William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan, Lycoming Gazette, 20 Jan 1828, p. 3

³ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Weary, Ruth Jordan" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 524

⁴ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

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1213176. FRANKLIN BORROWS (twin), b. 1840 1213177. GEORGE BORROWS, b. 1842

121318. **REBECCA JORDAN** was born 14 Mar 1803 in Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania and married CHARLES **CRAFT** on 3 Apr 1828 in Washington Township, Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania.¹ He was born 10 Sep 1803 in Pennsylvania, a son of Rev. William and Sarah (Alward) Craft. Charles died 23 Jul 1869 in Salem, Oregon, and Rebecca died there 4 Nov 1882. They had one child:²

1213181. MARY AURELIA CRAFT, b. 6 Jan 1847, m. George Paine Litchfield

The child of [#12141] Frederick and Ann (North) Evans [son of Elizabeth (North) Evans, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter, and she was his cousin, the daughter of John North].

121411. **CATHERINE EVANS** was born 13 May 1794. On 27 May 1811 in Snyder Co., Pennsylvania, she married GEORGE **KREMER**, born 21 Nov 1775 in Middletown, Pennsylvania, a son of George and Martha (Fleming) Kremer. George Kremer was elected to the 18th, 19th and 20th Congresses, PA (3 Mar 1823 to 3 Mar 1829). Hon. George Kremer died 10 Sep 1854 in Middleburg, Pennsylvania and was buried there in a private burial ground on the Faintly Estate. Catherine died on 13 Sep 1880 in Centre Township, Union Co., Pennsylvania. George and Catherine had these children:³

- 1214111. AMELIA SNYDER KREMER, m. Samuel Owen Evans
- 1214112. CATHERINE LYDIA KREMER, b. 10 Nov 1822, m. Thomas Bower
- 1214113. GEORGE KREMER, b. 17 Apr 1827, d. 3 Oct 1833 in Snyder Co.
- 1214114. MARGARET BROWN KREMER, b. 20 Aug 1817, d. 26 Sep 1875
- 1214115. FREDERICK EVANS KREMER, b. 27 Jan 1820, m. Elmira G. Smith
- 1214116. ANN ELIZA KREMER, b. 2 Jan 1815, d. 2 Nov 1865

The child of [#12142] Lewis and Amelia (Greathouse) North [son of Elizabeth (North) Evans, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121421. AMELIA EVANS was born 2 Jan 1816, married JAMES MATHERS,⁴ married a second time, and had four children. She died 13 Nov 1895 and is buried Westminster Presbyterian Cemetery in Mifflin, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania.⁵

¹ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan, Lycoming Gazette, 4 Apr 1828, p. 4

² William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

The children of [#12153] Joseph and Elizabeth (North) Randolph [daughter of John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John, William, Isaiah, Elizabeth, James, Nancy, Rebecca, and Sophia.

121533. **ISAIAH RANDOLPH** was alive in 1845 when his niece Elizabeth Brown wrote several letters asking him to spend the winter months with the family in Rochester, Butler Co., Kentucky.¹ Copies of the letters were in the Unity Church Records, Perry Co., Ohio.

121536. NANCY RANDOLPH

121538. **SOPHIA RANDOLPH** was born 25 Oct 1803 in Ohio.² She married JOHN **BROWN** on 27 Oct 1821 in Perry Co., Ohio. He was born 23 Jun 1794, the son of Isaac and Mary (Clayton) Brown. The family moved to Ohio Co., Kentucky prior to 1845. John Brown died about 1878, and Sophia died 17 Aug 1849 with burial in Hope Cemetery, Taylortown, Kentucky. They had these children:

- 1215381. MATTHEW BROWN, b. 1822, d. 1870, m. Marietta Cooper
- 1215382. ELIZABETH BROWN, b. 1823, m. John G. Brown
- 1215383. SARAH BROWN, b. 19 Dec 1824, d. 4 Apr 1855, m. Mathias Shultz
- 1215384. AZARIAH BROWN, b. 23 Mar 1825 (sic), d. 1863, m. Elizabeth Brown
- 1215385. ISAAC BROWN, b. 1827, m. Mary Elizabeth Neal
- 1215386. MARY BROWN, b. 1830
- 1215387. JAMES BROWN, b. 1831
- 1215388. MARJORY JANE BROWN, b. 2 Feb 1834, d. Sep 1856, m. Alfred Taylor
- 1215389. MALISSA BROWN, b. 7 Aug 1836, d. 3 May 1863 unmarried
- 121538A. SOPHIA BROWN, b. 1839, m. Judson Taylor
- 121538B. ELSPHERLIN (?) BROWN, b. ca 1842

The children of [#12159] Caleb and Sarah (Black) North [son of John North, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Emmeline, Asbury, Caleb, John, Joseph, Samuel Llewellyn, Mary Catherine and Rebecca.

121591. **EMMELINE NORTH** was born 24 Nov 1816 in Harrison Co., Ohio, died 27 Jan 1894, and is buried at Tontogany in Wood Co., Ohio.³

121593. **CALEB NORTH** was born 9 Nov 1819 and married PAULINA **KETCHUM**. Pauline was born about 1832, a daughter of Nathaniel and Sarah Ketchum of New York.

¹ Perry County, Ohio, Records of the Unity Church

² Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

³ Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=I162

Caleb died 24 Oct 1864. They had one known child:¹ 1215931. MARY NORTH, b. about 1850 in Ohio

121596. **SAMUEL LLEWELLYN NORTH** was born 3 Jun 1827 in Perry Co., Ohio, and died 3 Aug 1894 in Belle Plaine, Iowa.²

121597. MARY CATHERINE NORTH was born 20 Jun 1830 in Wood Co., Ohio and died 9 May 1837 in Ohio.³

121598. **REBECCA NORTH** was born 3 Nov 1834 in Wood Co., Ohio and married HENRY FRANCIS **OPPERMAN** on 19 Feb 1857. He was born 27 Apr 1834 in Nassau, Germany, a son of John Henry and Elizabeth (Bamberger) Opperman. Henry died 13 Dec 1876 and is buried in the Tontogany Cemetery in Washington Township, Wood Co. Rebecca died 4 Jan 1892 in Wood Co. They had one child:⁴

1215981. CALEB H. OPPERMAN, b. 21 Jan 1865, d. Aug 1955, m. Orra Ketchum

The known children of [#1215A] John North [son of John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William Randolph, Amos J., Elizabeth and Jane E.

1215A1. WILLIAM RANDOLPH NORTH was born 4 Oct 1825 in Logan, Ohio and married REBECCA RANDOLPH on 27 Jan 1848 in Hocking Co., Ohio. She was born 18 Mar 1827 in Logan Co., a daughter of John and Eliza (McElheny) Randolph. William died 15 Jan 1876 in Logan, Ohio, and Rebecca died 5 May 1909. They had this one known child:⁵

1215A11. JAMES BLAKELY SHELDON NORTH, b. 9 May 1851, m. Phebe Allen

1215A2. **AMOS J. NORTH** was born 25 May 1818 in Logan, Ohio and married ELIZABETH CATHERINE **SMITH** on 4 Jun 1843 in Ohio. She was born 9 Jan 1816. Amos died 6 Apr 1857 in Logan, and Elizabeth died 25 May 1895 in Ohio. They had these two children:⁶

1215A21. JOHN JOSEPHUS NORTH, b. 13 May 1844, m. Angeline Randolph 1215A22. WILLIAM I. NORTH, b. 31 Dec 1848, m. Mary Elizabeth Woodruff

The children of [#12161] James and Euphema (Davis) North [son of Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] and [daughter of Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah

¹ Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=I164

² Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=I167

³ Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=I168

⁴ Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=I9

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

121611. **THOMAS NORTH** was born 23 Jan 1801 in Thomasontown, Pennsylvania and established a tannery at Richfield, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania.¹ He married CATHERINE **BRENNISHOLT** on 28 May 1829. She was born about 1803. Thomas died 15 May 1862 in Richfield. In 1850 the family lived in Fayette Township in Juniata Co. and had seven children including the following:^{2,3}

- 1216111. ANNA MARIA NORTH, b. 30 Apr 1830
- 1216112. EUPHEMIA NORTH, b. 9 Jul 1833, m. Samuel Showers
- 1216113. ELIZABETH NORTH, b. 1 May 1836, m. David Watts
- 1216114. JAMES CLOYD NORTH, b. 25 Jul 1838
- 1216115. ANNA MARGARET NORTH, b. 6 Mar 1841, m. Elias W. Harrold
- 1216116. JOHN LEWIS NORTH, b. 18 Apr 1846, m. Victoria Robinson
- 1216117. ALICE REBECCA NORTH, b. 20 Jan 1848, m. John W. Kirk

121612. **LEWIS EVANS NORTH** was a carpenter and undertaker who was born 20 Jul 1803 and lived in Hamilton Co., Ohio. He married ELLEN **McALISTER** on 1 Jul 1835.⁴ They had four children:⁵

The children of [#12161] James and Rachel (Jordan) North, his second wife, were Caleb, Sarah Matilda, Euphemia, Rebecca Doty, Hannah W., James, Amos J., Rebecca and Elizabeth B.

121613. **CALEB NORTH** was born 26 May 1809 at Thompsontown, Pennsylvania and married Miss **MOYES**.⁶ In 1850 he lived with his sister Rebecca Bryner's family in Peoria, Illinois where he was listed as a laborer. He was said to have been an educator who settled in Kansas.⁷ He died in Atchison, Kansas on 24 Apr 1894. They had two children:⁸

1216131. WILLIAM NORTH, b. ca 1834

1216132. MICHAEL JORDAN NORTH, b. ca 1840

121614. **SARAH MATILDA NORTH** was born 15 Aug 1811,⁹ and married JOHN **POSTLEWAITE** of Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania on 28 Jan 1839.¹⁰ He was born about 1801. In 1850 his mother, Agnes age 71, lived with the family. Sarah died 24 Apr 1894

nttp://sites.google.com/site/RamboFamilyTree

¹ R. H. Schively, ed., *Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley* ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

² Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03954.htm

⁴ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

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⁷ R. H. Schively, ed., *Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley* ... (pub. 1897), p. 795 ⁸ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam02973.htm

⁹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

¹⁰ R. H. Schively, ed., *Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley* ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

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in Atchinson, Kansas.¹ John married a second wife, Margaret (?). John and Sarah had five children including the following:

1216141. MARY E. POSTLEWAITE, b. ca 1844

1216142. SAMUEL NORTH POSTLEWAITE, b. ca 1846

1216143. SUSAN POSTLEWAITE, b. ca 1849

121615. **EUPHEMIA NORTH** was born 18 Oct 1813 and married PHILIP **STROUSE** on 18 Mar 1834 in Juniata Co., Pennsylvania. They lived in Mexico, Pennsylvania and had three children:^{2,3,4}

1216151. PHILIP STROUSE, b. 3 Oct 1843 in Mifflintown, Pennsylvania

1216152. JAMES NORTH STROUSE, b. 14 May 1841, d. 25 Jun 1875

1216153. DAVID STROUSE, b. 14 Oct 1838, d. 17 Nov 1861

121618. **JAMES NORTH** was born 6 Nov 1819. He was educated in subscription schools in Thompsontown and worked on a canal boat to earn his tuition. In 1847, he joined the Pennsylvania Railroad as an agent and continued working for the Line for thirty-five years. During this time, he helped construct the first telegraph line west of Harrisburg and was the first telegraph operator on the line, teaching many other operators. He held a number of public positions: burgess of Patterson, member of the borough school board, postmaster, and in 1884 he was elected to the House of Representatives. He owned 1,600 acres of farm land, established several banks, and served on the board of directors of the banks. He married SUSANNA MATILDA **STROUSE** on 12 Nov 1840, the daughter of David Strouse. She was born about 1823 and died 19 Nov 1896. The North family were members of the Presbyterian church. Thomas died 21 May 1899.⁵ They had these children:⁶

1216181. NATHANIEL NORTH, b. Sep 1842, m. 1) Nancy (?), 2) Hannah (?)

- 1216182. CALEB C. NORTH, b. ca 1846, m. Elizabeth (?)
- 1216183. WASHINGTON S. NORTH, b. Oct 1847, m. R. Olive (?)
- 1216184. REBECCA J. NORTH, b. May 1850, m. F. W. Crider
- 1216185. HERMAN HAUPT NORTH, b. 1852, m. Augusta (?)

1216186. MARY M. NORTH, b. 1854, m. George Jacobs

121619. **AMOS J. NORTH** was born 7 Mar 1822 in Thompsontown, Pennsylvania and married JANET **MACKLIN** on 2 Feb 1845 in New Hamilton, Pennsylvania. She was born there on 19 Jun 1823. Amos went to Atchison, Kansas with his brother Caleb.⁷ He

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam02974.htm

² Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

³ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam02972.htm

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00413.htm

⁶ R. H. Schively, ed., *Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley* ... (pub. 1897), pp. 795-796, picture p. 823

⁷ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

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was a miller, married twice, and had nine children.¹ Amos died in Atchison, Kansas on 22 Apr 1894. Amos and Janet had these known children:²

1216191. MARY JANET NORTH, b. ca 1846, d. 16 Oct 1882

1216192. WILLIAM CLOYD NORTH, b. 30 Mar 1848, m. Eleanor Bailey Wilson

12161A. **REBECCA NORTH** was born 18 Oct 1824 in Juniata Co., Pennsylvania and married Col. JOHN **BRYNER** 15 Sep 1842.^{3,4,5} He was born 6 Oct 1820 in Juniata Co., a son of George and Catherina (Motzer) Bryner. He was orphaned early and raised by an uncle. He entered the dry goods business and removed to Peoria, Illinois with his family in 1845 and became a book keeper. They lived in Peoria where John Bryner was a constable in 1850. He was Captain of a militia company and was commissioned Col. to raise the 47th Illinois Regiment for the Civil War. He became ill and incapacitated during the Battle of Corinth and retired but still organized several additional regiments for the War. He died 19 Mar 1865. They had eight children, of whom only three lived to maturity:⁶

12161A1. FRANCIS MARION BRYNER, b. 23 Feb 1844, d. 28 Aug 1846

12161A2. MARY M. BRYNER, b. 3 Mar 1846, d. 30 Aug 1846

12161A3. JANE S. BRYNER, b. 25 Jul 1847, d. 22 Aug 1847

12161A4. BYRON CLOYD BRYNER, b. 20 Feb 1849, insurance in Pittsburgh

12161A5. CLARA BELLE BRYNER, b. 20 Feb 1854, m. Charles A. Cornwall

12161A6. WILLIAM HENRY BRYNER, b. 22 Jul 1856, d. 4 Oct 1857

12161A7. WILLIAM BRYNER, b. 9 Sep 1858, d. 4 Jul 1866

12161A8. JOHN BRYNER, b. 1 Jan 1862, in grain business in Chicago

12161B. ELIZA B. NORTH was born 11 Jan 1827 at Thompsontown, Pennsylvania and married DAVID WITHEROW on 20 Aug 1844.⁷ They made their home in Peoria, Illinois and had six children.⁸ These of their children are known:⁹

12161B1. ELIZABETH WITHEROW, b. 12 Oct 1845, m. James A. Dysart

12161B2. HANNAH C. WITHEROW, b. 29 Sep 1848, m. Lyman M. Lennell

12161B3. SAMUEL S. WITHEROW, b. 19 Dec 1851

12161B4. HENRY CLAY WITHEROW, b. 11 Oct 1864

12161B5. RACHEL NORTH WITHEROW, b. 25 May 1866, m. William Cruser

The known children of [#12162] Caleb and Abigail (Lewis) North [son of Joshua, Ann

¹ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03261.htm

³ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

⁴ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

⁵ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁶ Portrait and Biographical Album of Peoria County, Illinois ... (Biographical Publishing Co., 1890), pp. 749-751

⁷ R. H. Schively, ed., *Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley* ... (pub. 1897), p. 795

⁸ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam02969.htm

(Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William and Rebecca Cloyd.

121622. **REBECCA CLOYD NORTH** was born about 1809, married PHILO **HAMLIN**, and had these children:¹

- 1216221. WILLIAM HAMLIN, b. ca 1832, d. ca 1834
- 1216222. ALONZO HAMLIN, b. ca 1833, d. ca 1834 in Pennsylvania
- 1216223. JOSEPH NORTH HAMLIN, b. ca 1835, d. ca 1849
- 1216224. HARRIET HAMLIN, b. ca 1837, d. ca 1840
- 1216225. JANE ELIZABETH HAMLIN, b. 25 Oct 1839, d. 1918, m. William Banks
- 1216226. HOWARD HAMLIN, b. ca 1841

The children of [#12164] Dr. Ezra and Rebecca (North) Doty [daughter of Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121641. **ANN** <u>ELIZABETH</u> DOTY was born 26 Apr 1813 and married ANDREW **PARKER** of Juniata Co., Pennsylvania. He was born about 1805, was educated as a lawyer, and served as a member of Congress.² In 1850 the family lived in Mifflintown, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania, and Eliza's widowed mother Rebecca North Doty, age 65, lived with the family. Andrew Parker was a successful lawyer and had property valued at \$45,000 at that time. The Parkers had twelve children, including these:³

- 1216411. EZRA DOTY PARKER, b. ca 1833, m. Jennie H. (?)
- 1216412. REBECCA PARKER, b. ca 1837
- 1216413. EDMUND S. PARKER, b. ca 1841
- 1216414. THOMAS PARKER, b. ca Apr 1845, m. Anna (?)
- 1216415. M. J. PARKER (f), b. ca 1846
- 1216416. ANN E. PARKER, b. ca 1849

121642. **EDMUND S. DOTY** was born 22 Aug 1815 at Mifflin, Pennsylvania. He was a highly respected lawyer, practicing for 45 years after his admission to the bar in 1839. He was a Democrat and an elder of the Presbyterian church for a number of years. He was an intellectual, charitable, and devout man. In 1843, he married CATHERINE **WILSON** of Juniata Co. Edmund died 24 Dec 1884.⁴ They had ten children including one who died in childhood.

- 1216421. JAMES C. DOTY, b. ca 1844
- 1216422. LUCIEN W. DOTY, b. 18 Jul 1848, m. Anna E. Moore
- 1216423. EDMUND DOTY, b. May 1851, m. Ettie (?)

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03233.htm

² John M. Gresham & Co., ed., *Biographical and Historical Cyclopedia of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania* (1890; reprint, 1980), p. 84

³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001 citing *Descendants of Caleb North* by Dexter North

⁴ John M. Gresham & Co., ed., *Biographical and Historical Cyclopedia of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania* (1890; reprint, 1980), p. 84

1216424. L. BANKS DOTY (m), b. ca 1853 1216425. EZRA C. DOTY, b. ca 1856 1216426. DAVID B. DOTY, b. Jan 1860, m. Ruth M. (?) 1216427. REBECCA DOTY, b. ca 1861 1216428. OSCAR DOTY, b. Jul 1863 1216429. EDGAR DOTY, b. Jan 1870

The children of [#12166] John and Hannah (North) Howe [daughter of Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John, Jesse, Joanna, Lydia, Caroline and Eliza.

121666. ELIZA HOWE married HENRY (or James) GOSHEN and had this one known child:¹

1216661. ELIZABETH GOSHEN, m. John Kessler

The children of [#12167] John and Jane Houston (McAlister) North [son of Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Calvin Blythe, Hugh McAlister, Thomas E., Amelia, Samuel, E. J., John D. and Alice E.

121671. **CALVIN BLYTHE NORTH** was born 28 Mar 1825 in Fayette, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania. He was educated in public and private schools, and worked as a clerk in a store to learn the mercantile business in 1850. He worked with his father in business until 1855, when he spent a year in the western United States. He was then appointed to a clerkship in the Dept. of the Interior in Washington, D. C. where he spent four years. In 1864, he organized the First National Bank in Selins Grove, Pennsylvania, and held the post of Cashier. He married ANNIE **RICHTER** who was born in Oct 1839, the daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Holstein) Richter. They had one surviving child:²

1216711. ROSCOE CALVIN NORTH, b. Jul 1861

121672. **HUGH McALISTER NORTH** was born 7 May 1826 in McAlisterville, Pennsylvania. He was an honor graduate of the Mifflinburg Academy and studied law under the Hon. Joseph Casey. Hugh North was admitted to the bar in May 1849 in Union and Lancaster Counties, PA. He won recognition as a learned and capable attorney and had a large practice in Columbia, Pennsylvania. He served as legal council for Pennsylvania Railroad Co, the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Co, and many other corporations. He was elected to the Pennsylvania Legislature in 1854 and was a delegate to the Democratic National Conventions held in 1860, 1876, and 1904. He was active in business enterprises, civic and fraternal organizations, and a trustee of the

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 183. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Leland M. Williamson, et. al., eds., Prominent and Progressive Pennsylvanians of the Nineteenth Century, vol. 3, pp. 320-322

Presbyterian Church until 1887 when he was confirmed in St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Columbia. He had a love of literature and of travel. He married SERENA MAYER **FRANKLIN** on 23 Dec 1868. She was born Apr 1850, the daughter of Thomas Emlen Franklin, a distinguished lawyer and Attorney General of Pennsylvania. At age 82, Hugh North fell on an icy sidewalk on his way to the courthouse and fractured his leg. Sixteen days later, on 20 Dec 1907, he died of his injuries. He and Serena had two children:^{1,2}

1216721. SERENA MAYER NORTH, b. Oct 1874, m. Joseph Baldwin Hutchinson 1216722. HUGH McALISTER NORTH Jr., b. Jun 1876, a Yale graduate, 1897

121673. **THOMAS ELLIOTT NORTH** was born 27 Aug 1828. In 1850 he lived with his parents in Fayette, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania, and worked as a tailor.

121677. **SAMUEL EVANS NORTH** was born 5 May 1837, married, and had six children, one of whom lived to maturity and married.³

121678. ELIZA JANE (Jennie) NORTH was born 26 Nov 1839, married, and had one known child.⁴

The children of [#12191] Joseph and Hannah (Humphreys) Lucas [daughter of Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Rebecca, William, Levisa, Joseph, Samuel and Elizabeth.

121912. WILLIAM LUCAS was born 20 Nov 1799 and married ELIZABETH TRIGGS on 20 Dec 1821. She was born about 1797 and died 16 Aug 1835. William died 15 Mar 1854. They had these children:⁵

- 1219121. LEVISA LUCAS, b. 12 Jun 1824, d. 7 Mar 1901, m. Samuel Pollock
- 1219122. JOHN LUCAS
- 1219123. SAMUEL LUCAS
- 1219124. LOUISA LUCAS
- 1219125. ANN E. LUCAS, m. Samuel McNutt on 14 Apr 1857 in Scioto Co., Ohio

The children of [#12192] David and Catherine (Keyes) Humphreys [son of Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Johnson, David, Thomas, George, Susan and Sarah.

¹ Wilfred Jordan, ed., "Joseph B. Hutchinson" in *Colonial and Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania*, vol. 6, pp. 160-164, pp. 161-163, picture

² Leland M. Williamson, et. al., eds., *Prominent and Progressive Pennsylvanians of the Nineteenth Century*, vol. 3, pp. 323-325 ³ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001

⁴ Kathleen Hale, family research, e-mail of 16 Jul 2001

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04313.htm

121924. **GEORGE HUMPHREYS** was born in 1800 and died in 1876. He married JANET LINGEN **HENDERSON** in 1826. George was selling dry goods in Greenville, Missouri in 1839 and encouraged other family members to move west.². George and Janet were the parents of one known child:³

1219241. DAVID ENGLISH HUMPHREYS, b. 1827, m. Frances Melvina Goode

121925. **SUSAN HUMPHREYS** was born 25 Apr 1815 in Charlestown, Virginia and married JOHN RICHARD **LLEWELLYN** there on 27 Sep 1837. He was born near Charlestown on 17 Nov 1804, a son of Richard and Phillipa (Bate) Lewellyn and a grandson of John and Mary (Jordan) Lewellyn. They had this one known child:⁴ 1219251. SAIDEE LLEWELLYN, unmarried in 1897, Chicot. Co., Arkansas

121926. SARAH HUMPHREYS married ENOS B. CORDELL and lived in Leesburg, Virginia but later moved to Jefferson City, Missouri. They had these known children:⁵ 1219261. AMELIA CORDELL, m. Col. Thomas Newton of Little Rock, Arkansas 1219262. VIRGINIA CORDELL, d. at Carlisle, AR, m. Charles Saunders ca 1864

The children of [#12194] Roger North and Hannah (Wager) Humphreys [son of Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John, Robert Harper, Emily, Anna Catherine, Maria and George Washington.⁶

121946. **GEORGE WASHINGTON HUMPHREYS** was born on 10 Jun 1814 and lived in Miami, Missouri in 1839 and in Muscatine, Iowa in 1842. He died 31 Jan 1882.⁷

The children of [#12196] Jonathan and Anna Rambo (Humphreys) Kearsley [daughter of Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ann Margaret, John, George Washington Tate and Samuel Cramer.

121961. **ANNA MARGARET KEARSLEY** was born 7 May 1809 in Charleston, West Virginia and married ISAAC NEWTON **CARTER**. Anna died in Charleston on 20 Aug 1849.⁸ They had these known children:¹

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 126. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 240. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Maltby, Martha Stanley Humphreys" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 375

⁴ Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), p. 32. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

⁵ Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), p. 32. Thanks to Andrew K. Selden

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03978.htm

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03978.htm

⁸ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03981.htm

- 1219611. THOMAS LANE CARTER, m. Miss Jennings of New Orleans
- 1219612. KEARSLEY CARTER
- 1219613. ANNIE HUMPHRIES CARTER, m. Mr. Campbell
- 1219614. SARAH NEWTON CARTER, m. Mr. Gollaher
- 1219615. ELLEN CARTER

121963. **GEORGE WASHINGTON TATE KEARSLEY** was born 15 Jan 1819 in Charlestown, West Virginia. He married on 30 May 1849 SARAH <u>REBECCA</u> **BROWNE**, who was born in Charlestown, West Virginia on 21 May 1824. She was the daughter of William and Elizabeth (Forrest) Browne of Charlestown, West Virginia and the granddaughter of Zachariah and Rebecca (Goldsmith) Forrest of St. Mary's Co., Maryland. George was engaged in mercantile pursuit when the War between the States began and on 22 Apr 1861 was appointed and commissioned as Major and Commissary of subsistence for the troops of the State of Virginia under the command of Gen. Harper and subsequently Gen. T. J. (Stonewall) Jackson and Gen. Joseph Johnson. He was commissioned a Major in the Confederate Army and served a further two years in the C.S.A., finally ending his service at Appomattox when the Confederate Army surrendered. Maj. Kearsley died in 1901. He and Rebecca had the following children:²

- 1219631. WILLIAM KEYS KEARSLEY, b. 1 Feb 1851
- 1219632. ANNA HUMPHREYS KEARSLEY, b. 6 Jul 1852
- 1219633. BETTIE F. KEARSLEY, died in infancy
- 1219634. GEORGE TATE KEARSLEY, b. 17 Feb 1855
- 1219635. JEANNIE TEMPLEMAN KEARSLEY, b. 7 Mar 1856
- 1219636. ELIZABETH FORREST KEARSLEY, b. 18 Nov 1857
- 1219637. MARGARET BURNETT KEARSLEY, b. 12 Feb 1859, m. A. Selden
- 1219638. AGNES KEARSLEY, b. 21 Oct 1860
- 1219639. REBECCA AMBLER KEARSLEY, b. 26 Sep 1862
- 121963A. CHARLES BRICE KEARSLEY, b. 23 Feb 1866

The daughter of Magnus and Abigail North (Humphreys) Tate [daughter of Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121971. **IRENE TATE** married JOHN **KEARSLEY**. They had at least one child:³ 1219711. GEORGE KEARSLEY of Charlestown, West Virginia died before 1910.

The children of [#121A1] Thomas and Elizabeth (North) Power [daughter of George,

¹ Allan Sparrow Humphreys, *Humphreys Genealogy* (1954), pp. 12, 61. Thanks to Andrew Selden

² Andrew K. Selden, e-mail of 3 Jun 2004 citing *The Descendants of Jonathan Kearsley (1718-1782) and Jane Kearsley (1720-1801) of Carlisle, Pennsylvania*, by Elmer White of Pittsburgh, PA, 1900

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 126. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

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Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A11. **MARGARET POWER** was born 1793 and married DAVID **ROBBINS** in 1814. He was born 23 Apr 1793 in Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania and died in 1852.¹ Margaret (Power) Robbins died on 19 Sep 1840 at Buffalo Prairie, Rock Island Co., Illinois.² They were the parents of two known children:

121A111. EUNICE ROBBINS, b. 9 Mar 1835, m. Alexander Washington Morehead 121A112. RACHEL ROBBINS, b. 11 Jul 1819 in Pennsylvania

121A12. **MARY POWER** was born 15 May 1796 and married ALEXANDER **SPEER** on 17 Dec 1812.³ He was born 15 Feb 1787 and died 31 May 1855. His wife Mary (Power) Speer died years earlier in 1843.⁴ They had these children:

121A121. ELIZABETH SPEER, b. 12 Oct 1815, d. May 1881, m. James F. Bunton

121A122. HARRIET SPEER, b. 28 Aug 1829, d. Nov 1899, m. Robert Joseph Coyle

121A123. WILLIAM ALEXANDER SPEER, b. 1830, d. 1899, m. Nance Strohm

121A124. DAVID ROBINS SPEER, b. 31 Dec 1834, m. Amelia R. Von Housen

The children of [#121A2] Samuel Hopkins and Ann Smith (North) Mark [daughter of George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Lydia Rambo, Ellen Lyle, Elizabeth Rambo, Samuel Rambo, Hortensia Harmon, Margaret and Mary Smith.

121A21. LYDIA RAMBO MARK was born 20 Feb 1808 in Alexandria, Virginia and died there unmarried on 6 Sep 1892.⁵

121A22. ELLEN LYLE MARK was born 12 Aug 1809 and died unmarried on 18 Apr 1870 at Alexandria, Virginia.⁶ She was Proprietor and principal of the female seminary at Alexandria for many years.⁷

121A24. **ELIZABETH RAMBO MARK** was born 1814 and married SAMUEL HOPKINS JANNEY on 20 Jan 1831.⁸ He was born in 1804, the son of John and Elizabeth (Hopkins) Janney. He was a double first cousin of Johns Hopkins, the philanthropist of Baltimore who founded and endowed Johns Hopkins University and Johns Hopkins Hospital.⁹ Elizabeth (Mark) Janney died 22 Oct 1884, and Samuel died

¹ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., *Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 5, 1939*, p. 36

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03181.htm

³ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

⁴ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 143, 1918-1919* (1935), p. 204

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00415.htm

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03979.htm

 ⁷ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 65, picture #261. Thanks to Gloria Motter.
 ⁸ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Janney, Mahlon Hopkins" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, pp. 309-310

⁹ George Norbury Mackenzie, ed., "Hopkins" in *Colonial Families of the United States*, vol. 2, pp. 357-358, 361

in 1887. They had these childen:¹

121A241. MAHLON HOPKINS JANNEY, b. 29 Jul 1843, m. Williamina Jameson121A242. EDWIN JANNEY121A243. HENRY JANNEY

121A25. **SAMUEL RAMBO MARK** Jr. was born about 1816, married SALLY **MARTIN**,² and went to Louisville, Kentucky. He was a silk merchant before the Civil War and retired to Anchorage, KY, twelve miles from Louisville. He had these children:³

121A251. JOHN MARK

121A252. SAMUEL MARK Jr

121A253. MARY ANN MARK

121A26. **HORTENSIA HARMON MARK** was born 1818 and married HENRY **COOK** on 28 Jul 1841.⁴ He was born in England in 1810. In 1860 he was a druggist in Alexandria, Virginia with real property valued at \$6,000 and personal property of \$5,000. Henry died in 1868, and Mrs. Hortensia Cook died in 1880.⁵ They had these children:

121A261. MARY SEYMOUR COOK, b. 1848, died young

121A266. SAMUEL M. COOK, died young

121A262. HENRY COOK Jr., b. Jul 1850

121A263. CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH COOK, b. 1852, m. Robert Emmett Funsten

121A264. LLEWELLYN COOK, b. ca 1855, m. Luther Ashby

121A265. DOUGLAS GREGORY COOK, b. ca 1858, died young

121A27. MARGARET MARK was born in Aug 1824, married NEWTON CARTER, and died before 1910. They had these children:⁶

121A271. BELLE CARTER

121A272. NEWTON CARTER Jr

121A28. **MARY SMITH MARK** married DOUGLAS L. **GREGORY**. Mary Mark Gregory contracted pneumonia at the bedside of her sister and died in 1884, five days after that sister, Elizabeth Janney. The Gregorys had one child:⁷

121A281. ANNA NORTH GREGORY, m. Raphael C. Smeade

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 65. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03974.htm

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 65, picture #264. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03183.htm

⁵ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 158, 1920* (1937), p. 264

⁶ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 65. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁷ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 65. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

The children of [#121A3] Charles and Lydia Rambo (North) Gibbs [daughter of George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A31. <u>SARAH</u> ELIZABETH JANE GIBBS was born 20 Aug 1812 and married THOMAS JOHNSON on 12 Oct 1838. He was a son of Benjamin Johnson of Maryland. Sarah Jane died of heart disease on 11 Jan 1875 and is buried in the old Methodist church yard in Charlestown, West Virginia. Thomas died early in 1881. They had these children:¹

121A311. CHARLES GIBBS JOHNSON, b. 15 Feb 1846, m. Jessie Elizabeth Engle 121A312. MARY LAURETTA JOHNSON, d. in 1891

121A32. **SUSAN ANN MARIE BUNN GIBBS** was born 24 Mar 1814.² After her father's death in 1823 she lived with her Aunty Bunn - Susannah Bunn, wife of Rev. Seely Bunn. Susan married Rev. JAMES McKENDREE **REILEY**, D.D., on 10 Aug 1838. He was born 8 Mar 1817 at Broad Top, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, son of Rev. James Reiley of the Baltimore Conference, M.E. Church. James the son was licensed to preach in 1840 and took charge of his father's circuit in 1841. Susan died of consumption 21 Jul 1854 in Baltimore, Maryland and is buried beside her adoptive parents in an old Methodist churchyard in Charlestown, West Virginia. After the death of Susan, Rev. Reiley married Miss M. Alcesta Stephenson of Baltimore in Apr 1856. Alcesta died in the spring of 1896. Rev. Reiley died in Baltimore died 2 Jun 1897. Susan and Rev. James Reiley had these two children:³

121A321. SUSAN REILEY, d. 18644

121A322. WILLIAM McKENDREE REILY, b. 24 Apr 1847, m. Fanny Baker

121A33. **GEORGE WILLIAM GIBBS** was born 6 Jun 1815 at Charlestown, West Virginia. Since his father died when George William was only 8, his education was under the supervision of Col. Beveridge of Middleburg, Virginia and Bishop Beverly Waugh, a near relative of George's father. George William Gibbs removed to Raymond, Mississippi in 1836 to look after the mercantile interests of Col. Beveridge. He afterwards acquired the business and successfully conducted it on the same spot in Raymond for forty years. He married SUSAN STEEL **ELDER** on 4 Mar 1843. She was born in Perry Co., Mississippi on 12 Nov 1827, daughter of Col. Jordan and Mary (Steel) Elder and a granddaughter of James C. and Mary (Davis) Steel of Clark Co., Georgia. George Gibbs' business prospered until the Civil War. "While General Grant was operating about Vicksburg in 1863, the entire stock of merchandise owned by Mr. Gibbs, valued at sixty thousand dollars, was confiscated by the Federals, his store building appropriated for the use of the Union army, and his dwelling turned into a hospital,

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp 66-67, 162-163, 171. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 66, letters 150-152, 162-164, 169-173

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 173, picture #282. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

leaving his wife and little ones homeless and without even bread to eat."¹ After the war he rebuilt his business, but his wife died on 13 Dec 1868, leaving him with six small children. He died 27 Mar 1881 at Raymond, Mississippi.²

- 121A331. CHARLES GIBBS, b. 4 Mar 1845, d. 10 Aug 1848
- 121A332. MARY GIBBS, b. 23 May 1847, d. 14 Oct 1849
- 121A333. SARAH JENKINS GIBBS, b. & d. 28 Sep 1849
- 121A334. GEORGE NORTH GIBBS, b. 1 Apr 1851, d. 22 May 1854
- 121A335. WILLIAM ELDER GIBBS, b. 8 Jan 1853, d. 5 Jun 1854
- 121A336. SUSAN LYDIA GIBBS, b. 25 Mar 1855, m. William Preston Dillin
- 121A337. ANNIE HORTENSIA GIBBS, b. 3 Oct 1857, m. William Preston Dillin
- 121A338. BEVERLY WAUGH GIBBS, b. 14 Sep 1859, d. 29 May 1860
- 121A339. GEORGE WILLIAM GIBBS, b. 22 Mar 1861, m. Miss Prim
- 121A33A. NINA NORTH GIBBS, b. 2 Mar 1863, d. after 1914
- 121A33B. ELLEN DRUSILLA GIBBS, b. 28 Feb 1865, m. Benjamin F. Wilder
- 121A33C. JOHN JENKINS GIBBS, b. 27 Nov 1868, d. 1904, m. Letitia Rossman

121A34. **DRUSILLA LAURETTA LEE (Laura) GIBBS** was born 30 Mar 1818 in Charlestown, West Virginia and married JACOB **STARRY** on 15 May 1845. He was born in Charlestown in 1814, a son of Nicholas and Elizabeth (Wysong) Starry. The Jacob Starrys resided in Charlestown where he was a merchant until retirement in 1888. Drusilla died 30 Jan 1889 and Jacob two years later. They had nine children, three dying in infancy:³

- 121A341. ELIZABETH LYDIA (Bettie) STARRY, b. 1846, m. Charles W. Trussell
- 121A342. CHARLES NICHOLAS STARRY
- 121A343. GEORGETTA BUNN STARRY, m. George Kelsey
- 121A344. WILLIAM McKENDREE STARRY
- 121A345. MARY NORTH STARRY
- 121A346. ELLA GIBBS STARRY

121A35. MARY ANN SNYDER GIBBS was born 18 Mar 1821 and died 15 Sep $1826.^4$

121A36. CHARLES HANSON GIBBS was born 20 Nov 1822 in Charlestown, West Virginia. About 1845 he moved to Raymond, Mississippi and engaged in the mercantile business with his brother. He served in the War with Mexico and was wounded at Buena Vista. His gun, cartridge box, and belt are preserved in the historical archives in the capital at Jackson, Mississippi. He married ELLEN LOUISA ELDER on 10 May 1855 at the home of his brother, George William Gibbs, in Raymond. Ellen was sister to

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 66, 83. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 70, 129-130, pictures. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 66, 69-73, pictures #270 & home, letters pp. 164-166

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 66. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

George's wife and daughter of Col. Jordan and Mary (Steel) Elder. Charles Hanson died 10 Oct 1855 of yellow fever. Ellen Louisa died in Hazelhurst, Mississippi on 19 Sep 1897. They had one daughter, born after Charles died:¹

121A361. CHARLEY ELLEN GIBBS, b. Apr 1856, m. Samuel Dorsan Harper

The children of [#121A7] Samuel Davis and Sarah Keyes (North) Harper [daughter of George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Eliza, Ann, George William, Margaret, Samuel, Henry, John and Ellen. See *Keyes, North, and Cruzen Families* by Millard F. Stipes.

121A71. MARY ELIZA HARPER married a Mr. GARDNER and had at least one boy:²

121A711. FRANK GARDNER, eldest grandchild, b. before 13 Aug 1853

121A72. **ANN HARPER** married a Mr. **MARSH** and died before 1894. In 1844 she went out to ? to teach for Greene North. Ann and Mr. Marsh had at least one boy:³

121A721. SAMUEL MARSH, going to school in 1869

121A73. GEORGE WILLIAM HARPER was born on 8 Jan 1824 at Alexandria, Virginia. His parents moved to Wheeling when he was only a few years old. At 13 he began working in a printing office at Wheeling. In 1840 he established the Western Palladium at New Lisbon, Ohio, purchased the Wheeling Gazette in 1841, came south to Richmond, Mississippi in 1844 and worked for his uncle, N. G. North on the Southwestern Farmer. Mr. Harper and a partner then started the Ravmond Gazette. George was elected mayor of the Hinds Co. militia and elected to the state legislature on the Union ticket in 1851 and 1853. He married ANNA LILLY SIMS on 4 Oct 1852 at Clinton, Mississippi. She was born 26 Mar 1834 near Clinton, a daughter of Benjamin and Winnie (Moffat) Sims and a niece of Gen. Cowles Meade. George William Harper served in the Confederate service throughout the Civil War in the commissary department. During the war, his printing office was destroyed, and his cherished library burned. He resumed running the Gazette after the war and was elected to the legislature in 1875. He retired from the Gazette in 1882 and died at Raymond on 16 Nov 1894. His widow lived in Raymond until 1909 when she moved to Jackson, Mississippi to live with her daughters until her death on 12 Feb 1912 of heart failure. Mr. and Mrs. Harper were parents of sixteen children:⁴

121A731. GORDON SIMS HARPER, b. 13 Aug 1853, d. 19 Jul 1854

121A732. GEORGE WILLIAM HARPER Jr., b. 16 Aug 1855, d. 26 Jul 1856

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 67, 68-69, letter 149-150, pictures #273

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 144, 306. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 145, 167, 306. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 85, 215, 216 - part of obituary, pictures #298, #309 & #317

- 121A733. Infant HARPER, b. & d. same day
- 121A734. SAMUEL DORSAN HARPER, b. 8 Oct 1856, m. Charley Ellen Gibbs
- 121A735. HENRY WINTER HARPER, b. 26 Aug 1858, m. Kate Miller
- 121A736. THOMAS MOFFAT HARPER, b. 7 Aug 1860, d. 9 Nov 1901
- 121A737. SARAH VIRGINIA HARPER, b. 15 Feb 1863, m. Sterling Peebles
- 121A738. ANNA M. HARPER, b. 5 Dec 1864, d. 5 Apr 1885
- 121A739. MARGARET CAROLINE HARPER, b. 26 Nov 1866
- 121A73A. FRANK GARDNER HARPER, b. 15 Jul 1868, d. 13 Aug 1868
- 121A73B. SUSAN HARPER, b. 27 Dec 1869
- 121A73C. JOHN HUBBARD HARPER, b. 21 Jul 1871, d. fall of 1913
- 121A73D. ELLA MEADE HARPER, b. 31 Jul 1873
- 121A73E. GEORGE WILLIAM HARPER, b. 8 Jan 1875, d. Feb 1904
- 121A73F. ROBERT GOODLOE HARPER, b. 31 Mar 1876, d. 29 Jun 1876
- 121A73G. MARIAN HARPER, b. 20 Oct 1878, m. Percy Weaks

121A76. **HENRY M. HARPER** was a twin to Samuel, born 28 Dec 1831. Henry married MARIAN C. **WILLIAMS**, and the family lived in Wheeling, West Virginia where Samuel was a merchant. Marian was a daughter of Prof. F. S. Williams, superintendent of public schools. Henry died 4 Nov 1894, two weeks earlier than his older brother George William. Mrs. Henry Harper was killed by a fall from an electric street car on 3 Oct 1909. They had these children:¹

121A761. SAMUEL WILLIAMS HARPER, b. 7 Apr 1874, m. Lillie E. Vance 121A762. MARIAN HENRIETTA HARPER, b. 17 Dec 1878, a southern beauty

121A78. **ELLEN (Ella) HARPER** married Mr. **HUBBARD** of Williamsport, Pennsylvania, and second, WILLIAM **McCONNELL** of Philadelphia. Ella survived her brothers who died in 1894. William died in Florida "recently" in 1910; Ella was still living in Philadelphia in Dec 1912.²

The children of [#121A8] William Darke and Hannah E. (Gill) North [son of George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Richard Patterson, George William, Sallie Ellen, Ann Eliza and Charles Samuel.

121A81. <u>GEORGE WILL</u>IAM NORTH was born at "Burnt Mill" in Berkeley Co., Virginia on 21 Aug 1834 and died 16 Mar 1904.³ He married NANCY (Nannie) **PAYNE** on 27 Apr 1871. She was born in Mar 1845, daughter of Jesse and Jane Payne of Berkeley Co. In his youth, George William North went to Raymond, Mississippi and engaged in merchandising until the War Between the States began, and he enlisted in Co.

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 84, 215, 306. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 84, 215, 306. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 76, 1909 (1925), p. 2

A, 12th Mississippi Regiment. He participated in all the engagements from Bull Run to Gettysburg where he was captured and confined as a prisoner of war for two years at Fort Delaware. After his release when hostilities ceased, he returned to his native county and engaged later in the general merchandise business at Bunker Hill until moving to Martinsburg, West Virginia in 1888. He was elected to several public offices on the Democratic ticket and was a member of the Masonic order and the Presbyterian Church. He died of general debility in Martinsburg on 16 Mar 1904. Nannie died suddenly on 8 Nov 1912 aged 69y 5m 23d at Pascagoula, Mississippi while on an outing with her son Robert D. In his book, Millard Fillmore Stipes reminisced about visits from "George Will" during his childhood and published several letters written by him during the Civil War. George Will and Nannie North had these children:¹

121A811. HANNAH EVER NORTH, b. 9 Mar 1872, m. James William Watson

121A812. ANNIE JANE NORTH, b. 25 May 1873, d. 1 Mar 1875

121A813. GEORGE WILLIAM NORTH Jr., b. 29 Dec 1874

121A814. MARY LOUISE NORTH, b. 30 Jul 1878, m. Thomas Wing Sparrow

121A815. ROBERT DAVIDSON NORTH, b. 7 Sep 1881, m. Bernadotte Veillon

121A83. **ANN ELIZA NORTH** was born 20 Nov 1843 and married Dr. JOHN MORGAN **McKOWN** in 1873. Immediately after their marriage, they moved to Illinois where she died 3 Aug 1875 leaving one son:²

121A831. HUGH NORTH McKOWN, b. 1873-1875, d. about 21 years of age

121A84. **CHARLES SAMUEL NORTH** was born in Jefferson Co., Virginia 19 Dec 1846. He graduated with a degree in law from Washington and Lee University in 1870 and received his degree from the hand of General Robert E. Lee. He practiced law in Martinsburg, West Virginia until 1874 when he moved to Bolton, Mississippi. On 9 Apr 1876 in Delta, Louisiana, he married Miss JOHNNIE **JENKINS**, daughter of John and Sarah (Elder) Jenkins. Johnnie's mother, Sarah Elder, was a sister of Susan Elder and Ellen Elder who married respectively George W. and Charles H. Gibbs. Charles Samuel and Johnnie moved to Raymond, Mississippi in 1877 where he was appointed county superintendant of education in 1886 and held the post for 28 years, supervising 150 schools. His biography appears in the *Biographical Volume of Mississippi* by the Southern Historical Publishing Association. He was a member of the Protestant Episcopal Church, the Masons, the Knights of Pythias, and the Democratic party. He and Johnnie had these children:³

121A841. MARY NORTH, b. 17 Mar 1877, m. Thomas Irving Moore

121A842. ANNIE GIBBS NORTH, b. 8 Nov 1879, m. Thomas Mitchell Howze

121A843. CHARLES DONNELSON NORTH, b. 10 Mar 1882, d. 10 Mar 1903

121A844. WILLIAM NORTH, died in infancy

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 89, 91-92, 96, 216, letters 152-158. Thanks to G. Motter

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 89, 93. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 89, 93-96, 311, pictures #324. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

The children of [#121A9] Thomas Jefferson and Elizabeth (Hinkle) North [son of George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William Darke, Emily Eliza, Martha Henkle, Ruhama Chapman, Barbara Ann, Susan Dorcus, twins, George Caleb, Sarah Keys, twins, Nathaniel Greene, Thomas Jefferson and Charles David.

121A91. WILLIAM DARKE NORTH was born 1 Apr 1824 and left home in 1845, traveling to Harpers Ferry, Virginia Saline Co., Missouri, Springfield, Illinois, and finally back home after four years. He married ELVIRA JANE STILLINGS of Franklin, Pendleton Co., Virginia in Oct 1851. They had two children by Jun 1855 and relocated to Peoria Co., Illinois in 1855, then to Benzie Co., Michigan in 1870. His wife died there in 1892. William Darke North died in Nov 1893 at Huntsville, Alabama and is buried there. They had eight children:¹

- 121A911. ELIZA JANE NORTH, m. Jackson Fuller
- 121A912. PERCIE NORTH, m. 1) Harlan Canniff, 2) Mr. Spencer
- 121A913. GEORGE WILLIAM NORTH, d. 1865, drowned in the Green River
- 121A914. LEOTA NORTH, m. P. Coos Huffman
- 121A915. DELLA NORTH, m. Albert Morse
- 121A916. LAURA NORTH, m. Capt. Thomas Rudeck
- 121A917. SILVER BROOKS NORTH, m. Mary Miller
- 121A918. BERTHA NORTH, m. Edward Miller

121A92. **EMILY ELIZA NORTH** was born 6 May 1826 and went to Peoria Co., Illinois in Sep 1855 in a caravan of family and neighbors from Virginia. The trip took eight weeks until they settled in Trivoli. She married EDMUND **ROGERS** in Sep 1860. They lived at Galva, Illinois for several years before moving to Yates City, Knox Co., Illinois. She died 8 Nov 1903, and her husband died 28 Sep 1904. They had these three children:²

121A921. THOMAS JEFFERSON ROGERS, b. Jun 1861, m. Eleanor Parette

- 121A922. ELIZA RACHEL ROGERS, b. Sep 1864, d. Jul 1897, m. Edward Ayling
- 121A923. ADDIE PARMELIA ROGERS, b. Nov 1866, d. Feb 1902, m. Allen Aley

121A93. **MARTHA HENKLE NORTH** was born 29 Oct 1827 and married ROBERT FERGUSON **ANDERSON** on 18 Nov 1847. He was born in Virginia 6 Jan 1825, the son of David and Mary (Hackley) Anderson. His father and Thomas J. North were fast friends. They made their home at Upper Tract, Virginia until emigrating to Illinois with family in 1855. Robert farmed in Peoria Co. Martha died of typhoid fever on 26 Nov 1863. After her death, Robert F. married her sister, Sarah Keyes North. Robert and

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 104, 105-106, 206-207. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 104, 106-107. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

Martha had these children:¹

- 121A931. MARY EMILY ANDERSON, b. 14 Sep 1848, m. Lauren Dewey Fletcher
- 121A932. JOHN WILLIAM ANDERSON, b. 23 Jan 1850, d. 19 Jul 1896
- 121A933. CHARLES DAVID ANDERSON, b. 15 Dec 1851, d. 3 Sep 1864
- 121A934. ANNA ELIZA ANDERSON, b. 11 May 1854, d. 1898, m. Riley C. Miller
- 121A935. SARAH MARGARET ANDERSON, b. 31 Mar 1857, m. Edwin Widener
- 121A936. LAURETTA KEYES ANDERSON, b. 23 Sep 1859, m. 1) Parker, 2) ...
- 121A937. FLORENCE VIRGINIA ANDERSON, b. 9 Feb 1862, m. Luther B. Bliss

121A9A. **SARAH KEYES NORTH** was born 23 Nov 1837 and married her sister's widower, ROBERT FERGUSON **ANDERSON**, on 20 Oct 1865. Besides farming, Mr. Anderson engaged in the mercantile business, was alderman in 1873-4, and was mayor of Yates City in 1875.² Robert died 30 Nov 1897. Sarah was still living in Kearney, Nebraska in 1910. They had these five children:³

- 121A9A1. CLAUDE NORTH ANDERSON, b. 25 Jul 1866, m. Lizzie V. Wigle
- 121A9A2. ROBERT FERGUSON ANDERSON, b. 12 Jan 1869, m. Lucy Titus
- 121A9A3. THOMAS COKE ANDERSON, b. 10 Nov 1871, d. 17 Apr 1877
- 121A9A4. FRANK PIERCE ANDERSON, b. 4 Aug 1874, m. Anna E. Rice
- 121A9A5. GEORGE WASHINGTON ANDERSON, b. 20 May 1877, m. Etta Smith

121A9E. THOMAS JEFFERSON NORTH was born 7 Sep 1843, came to Illinois with his parents in 1870, went briefly to Michigan, returning in 1874, and lived with his parents until they passed away. He lived in the old home and had never married as of $1910.^4$

121A9F. **CHARLES DAVID NORTH** was born 8 Oct 1845 in Pendleton Co., Virginia [now West Virginia], and was a boy of a sunny disposition. He enlisted in the Confederate army at New Market, Virginia on 21 Aug 1862 (before he was 17 years old) in Co. F, 62nd Va. Calvary. He fought in many engagements including Gettysburg, was wounded three times, and was captured twice but not imprisoned. In Mar 1866 he went to Yates City, Illinois where he was a carpenter for several years before settling down to farming. On 21 Dec 1875, near Yates City, he married MARY SOPHIA NICHOLSON. She was born 22 Dec 1852 in Knox Co., Illinois, the only child of James Hasbrouck and Catherine (King) Nicholson. By 1899 he had been a banker for 12 years and was president of the Yates City Bank since 1893. He was a member of the Masonic Order and was prominent in other fraternal organizations. He had a home farm of 600 acres near Yates City and an orange grove in Florida.⁵ Charles David North died 22 Apr 1912 of pleuro-pneumonia while on vacation in Citronelle, Alabama. Mary died 26 Feb 1926

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 104. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Chas. C. Chapman & Co., *History of Knox County, Illinois* (Chicago: Blakely, Brown & Marsh, printers, 1878), p. 647

 ³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 105, 110, 134, 175-176, picture #343. Thanks to G. Motter
 ⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 105, 112. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Newton Bateman and Paul Selby, eds., *Historical Encyclopedia of Illinois and Knox County* (1899), pp. 961-962

and is buried at Yates City.¹ Charles and Mary had these children:^{2,3}

- 121A9F1. ADAH CATHERINE NORTH, b. 15 Sep 1877, d. 12 Jun 1968.⁴
- 121A9F2. RALPH NICHOLSON NORTH, b. 20 Aug 1879, d. 6 Jul 1970
- 121A9F3. EARL JAMES HASBROUCK NORTH, b. 25 Jan 1881, d. 3 Aug 1969
- 121A9F4. CARL CLINTON NORTH, b. 25 May 1882, m. Edith Victoria Slayton
- 121A9F5. HAROLD EDWARD NORTH, b. 25 Jul 1884, d. 1957, m. Myrta Hensley
- 121A9F6. ELSIE LOUISE NORTH, b. 9 Jun 1889, m. Harry L. Hammer

The children of [#121AB] Richard Richardson and Arelia Wayne (North) Cruzen [daughter of George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Nathaniel Green North, Mary Elizabeth, Sarah Arelia, Hannah Emily, Mildred Lauretta, Margaret Keyes, Wilelmer Richardson, Isaac Chaplin, Eliza North, George Richardson, an infant son and Winfield Thornton. See *Keyes, North, and Cruzen Families* by Millard Fillmore Stipes. They resided near Miami, Saline Co., Missouri.

121AB1. NATHANIEL GREEN NORTH CRUZEN was born 4 Oct 1826 in Harpers Ferry, Virginia. At 13 years of age, he first went to Saline Co., Missouri when the family migrated west. However, they returned to Virginia the following year, and he worked at the armory in Harpers Ferry. In the fall of 1846, he returned to Missouri to improve his father's land. The family followed in 1849, but Nathaniel caught gold fever and went for California where he mined for four years. He returned overland and bought a farm near his father's, closer to Miami. On 13 Sep 1855 he married NANCY E. JORDIN, a daughter of Abram and Jane (Edmundston) Jordan, natives of Greenbrier Co., Virginia. Nathaniel and Nancy Cruzen had one son, but Nancy died three weeks later, on 23 Jul 1856. On 23 Dec 1860 he married MARY E. (GILLILIAN) FAULKNER, widow of Isaac O. Faulkner whom she had married 26 Dec 1854 and by whom she had three children: James R. born 25 Oct 1855, Emma Maud Mary born 23 Nov 1857 & died 29 Mar 1859, and Lura born 17 Jan 1860 & died 6 Aug 1865. Mary was born 8 Aug 1838 in Millport, VA, a daughter of James and Elizabeth (Edminston) Gillilan. Her father. James Gillilan, came from Pocahontas Co., VA in 1839, located in Daviess Co., MO, and founded the town of Jamesport. The two wives of Nathaniel Cruzen were cousins, their mothers being sisters. Nathaniel served the Confederate side during the entire course of the Civil War, enlisting in Dec 1861 under Franks S. Robinson in Co. A. The command was captured and confined at St. Louis, MO and Alton, Illinois. Nathaniel was exchanged at Vicksburg whereupon he was mustered into Musser's battalion, General John B. Clark's 9th MO Inf., C.S.A., until the end of the war. He returned to Missouri to find his house burned and fences destroyed. He sold the property and engaged in mercantile business at Mount Hope and later Jamesport. He farmed, sold real estate, and served as Daviess Co.

¹ Mary Cull, family research, e-mail of 31 Jan 2001

² Newton Bateman and Paul Selby, eds., *Historical Encyclopedia of Illinois and Knox County* (1899), pp. 961-962

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 105, 113, 205-206. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam01861.htm

assessor until 1883 when he became county clerk. They lived in Jamesport, Daviess Co. until moving to Gallatin in 1885. Nathaniel died 1 Jul 1903. Mary was still living in 1914. Nathaniel and Nancy had this one child:

121AB11. WEBSTER WINFIELD CRUZEN, b. 2 Jul 1856, m. Florence E. Read Nathaniel and Mary were the parents of these children, all born at Jamesport:¹

- 121AB12. BETTIE LENORE CRUZEN, b. 13 Apr 1866, m. Charles A. Savage
- 121AB13. RICHARD RICHARDSON CRUZEN, b. 13 Apr 1866, d. 22 May 1867
- 121AB14. AURELIA BLANCHE CRUZEN, b. 20 Jun 1869, m. Jesse T. McClure
- 121AB15. NATHANIEL GREENE CRUZEN, b. 1 Aug 1871, m. Edna Gearhart
- 121AB16. HARRY LEE CRUZEN, b. 14 Sep 1873, m. Clarence Brown
- 121AB17. ANNA MABEL CRUZEN, b. 6 Aug 1876, d. 22 Oct 1877
- 121AB18. EARL McANALLY CRUZEN, b. 16 Dec 1879, m. Edna Kennison

121AB2. **MARY ELIZABETH CRUZEN** was born 4 Jan 1829 at Harpers Ferry, Virginia and was educated in private schools. She was twenty years old when her parents located permanently in Missouri. She married JAMES ARCHIBALD **STEELE** on 25 May 1852 at her parents home in Saline Co., Missouri. He was born in Howard Co., Missouri on 13 Apr 1825 and grew up in Raldolph Co., Missouri. In 1846 he joined the Missouri Militia, Co. D, 1st Regt. Missouri Mounted Volunteers and marched 3,600 miles with Col. Doniphan into Mexico. After their marriage, James and Mary settled on a farm west of the Cruzens where their two oldest children were born. In 1856 they moved into the sparsely settled wilderness of Atchison Co., Missouri where game was plentiful and wolves were a constant threat. James died there 20 Aug 1869; Mary died at Marshall, Missouri on 18 Dec 1908. They had these children:²

121AB21. CYNTHIA ARELIA STEELE, b. 30 Mar 1853, m. Theophilus B. Heath

121AB22. ROBERT RICHARDSON STEELE, b. 12 Oct 1854, m. Anna Thompson

121AB23. JOHN JAMES STEELE, b. 3 Sep 1860, m. Celesta Jane Wren

121AB4. **HANNAH EMILY CRUZEN** was born 12 Jan 1833 at Harpers Ferry, Virginia and educated at private schools there until the family came to Missouri in 1849. She married EZEKIEL HENRY **STIPES** on her 18th birthday, 12 Jan 1851. He was born at Harpers Ferry on 20 Jul 1825, a son of Ezekiel and Verlinda (Ogden) Stipes. After working in the U.S. armory at Harpers Ferry for several years, Ezekiel Jr. moved to Brunswick, Missouri and opened the Briscoe & Stipes gun shop in 1850 in partnership with his Cruzen cousin John Briscoe. In 1868 he bought a small farm in Carroll Co., Missouri where he lived and did carpentry work until his death 30 Jan 1894. Hannah was still living in Norborne, Missouri in 1910. Ezekiel and Hannah had these children:³

121AB41. MILLARD FILLMORE STIPES, b. 12 Nov 1851, m. 1) Kieffer, 2) Ried 121AB42. WILHELM CROSBY STIPES, b. 10 Sep 1854, m. Fannie Stipes

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 245-250, 254, 297-298, pictures #589

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 255-257. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 261-263. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121AB43. JEFFRIES STIPES, b. 23 Sep 1856, not married in 1914 121AB44. CORA VERLINDA STIPES, b. 29 Sep 1860, m. Dr. Leroy Colby 121AB45. FREDERICK WINFIELD STIPES, b. 16 Jan 1876, unmarried in 1914

121AB5. **MILDRED LAURETTA (Laura) CRUZEN** was born 20 Nov 1834 and married THOMAS SINGLETON **STEELE** on 16 Oct 1855. He was born 9 May 1827 on a farm in Howard Co., Missouri, a son of Robert and Cynthis (Vaughn) Steele who were pioneer settlers of Missouri from Kentucky. Thomas had previously married Martha J. Galbraith on 13 Oct 1853 and had a son, William H. Steele, before Martha died in 1854. Thomas and Laura farmed in Marshall, Missouri until his death on 6 Aug 1910. Her mother lived with her family after Richard Cruzen died in 1891. Thomas and Laura had these children:¹

121AB51. IDA FENELLA STEELE, b. 16 Nov 1856, m. Thomas J. Wright

- 121AB52. Daughter STEELE, b. & d. 13 Aug 1858
- 121AB53. MARY ETHEL STEELE, b. 14 Jan 1860, m. Elisha F. Hitt
- 121AB54. LEE MONTAVILLE STEELE, b. 25 Feb 1862, m. Mollie Grayson
- 121AB55. MARTHA JANE STEELE, b. 6 Feb 1864, m. Edward Laken Dorsey
- 121AB56. LENORA BLANCHE STEELE, b. 1 Oct 1870, d. 25 Apr 1890

121AB57. AVARILLA D. STEELE, b. 6 Sep 1872

121AB6. **MARGARET KEYES CRUZEN** was born at Harpers Ferry, Virginia on 25 Nov 1836. She married THOMAS JEFFERSON **WINNING** on 30 May 1855 at her parent's farm home. He was born in Berkeley Co., West Virginia on 25 Nov 1831, so they celebrated the same birthday. His parents were Edward and Catherine (Grantham) Winning. Thomas engaged in farming and merchandising at various places until enlisting in the fall of 1864 in the Southern army, Co. H, Slayback's Regt., Gordon's Brigade, Shelby's Division. He bought a farm near his parents until he took charge of the R. R. Cruzen farm in Saline Co., Missouri in 1877. Thomas died there 22 Jun 1885. Margaret married ELBRIDGE GERRY **WHEELER** second, on 15 Sep 1891, and they lived in Slater until his sudden death about 1 Mar 1914. The children of Thomas and Margaret Winning were:²

121AB61. LILLIAN ELIZA WINNING, b. 9 May 1859, m. Frank Lesley Ayres

- 121AB62. ARTHUR RICHARDSON WINNING, b. 9 Feb 1862, m. Ida B. Etter
- 121AB63. ALLURA GRANTHAM WINNING, b. 22 Dec 1863, m. 1) Ayres, 2)..
- 121AB64. WILLIAM HIRAM WINNING, b. 29 Jul 1868, in Kansas City in 1914

121AB8. **ISAAC CHAPLAIN CRUZEN** was born 9 Dec 1840 in Harpers Ferry, Virginia. When he was 8 years old, the family moved to Missouri. He attended the district school and a private academy in Miami. He enlisted in the Confederate service at the outbreak of hostilities in 1861, was in Shelby's brigade in 1862, was Lt. Commander

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 269-270, 272-273, picture. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 156, 243, 273-277. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

of Co. H. Slayback's Reg. in 1864, and was on the Price raid into Missouri in 1864. After the war he resumed farming the home farm. On 28 Dec 1869, he married MARY E. **HILL** at the home of her mother, Eva Hill, in western Carroll Co., MO. Mary was born in Mar 1868 in Indiana and died 30 Apr 1888. They farmed in western Carroll Co. from 1873 until 11 Nov 1900 when he was elected sheriff and they moved to the county seat at Carrollton. After the death of his first wife, Isaac married MATTIE A. **WOLVERTON** on 30 Jul 1889 in St. Louis, MO. Isaac and Mary had these children:¹

121AB81. ODO ANDREW CRUZEN, b. 29 Nov 1870, m. Pearl Mirick

121AB82. MARVIN W. CRUZEN, b. 10 Dec 1881

Isaac and Mattie lived in Carroll Co., Missouri in 1900 and had these children:

121AB83. LLOYD STERLING CRUZEN, b. 12 May 1891

121AB84. CORA AURELIA CRUZEN, b. 11 Dec 1894

121AB9. ELIZA NORTH CRUZEN was born 27 Oct 1842 at Harpers Ferry, Virginia and married HIRAM FERRIL on 1 Nov 1866. He was born near Miami, Missouri on 30 Nov 1837, a son of Henry and Martha (Jones) Ferrill. The town of Miami was founded by this Henry Ferrill. See *Keyes, North, and Cruzen Families* by Millard Fillmore Stipes. Hiram enlisted as a Confederate soldier in May 1861, was captured in Dec 1861 and imprisoned in St. Louis and Alton, and was exchanged at Vicksburg in 1862. He served in the 9th Missouri Inf. until surrender on 7 Jun 1865. He clerked, then worked the Cruzen family farm, and was admitted to the Saline Co., Missouri bar in 1877. He served as deputy county clerk, was elected to county clerk in 1889, and was appointed justice of the peace for Marshall Township in 1895. Hiram and Eliza had one child:²

121AB91. JEB STUART FERRIL, b. 28 Aug 1867 at Miami, d. 8 Oct 1867

121ABA. GEORGE RICHARDSON CRUZEN was born 30 Nov 1844 at Harpers Ferry, Virginia and served in the Civil War on both the Union and Confederate sides. At age 18, in May 1863, he was pressed into the Missouri Enrolled Militia but deserted to join Quantrell's command in Sep 1863. His brother Isaac fought in the same command. About 11 Jan 1864, George joined Co. E, Gordon's Regt., Joe Shelby's Brigade at Washington, Arkansas and participated in many battles including Price's raid. At the close of the war, he was in Texas and continued with Shelby into Mexico to Mazatlan where he spent the winter. He returned to Missouri by way of a steamer to San Francisco, Panama, and New York. He married LUCINDA MILDRED ELDER on 4 May 1871 at the home of her parents in Ray Co., Missouri. She was born at Richmond, Kentucky on 31 Jul 1849, a daughter of John Mills and Emily M. (Moore) Elder. Her grandparents were Andrew and Lucinda Elder and James and Mary A. Moore. After the marriage George engaged in the merchantile business with his brother until 1874. He then returned to Saline Co., Missouri to farm but soon moved to Safford Co., Kansas.

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 278-284, pictures #596. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 284-287, picture #597. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

From 1889 he engaged in the steam laundry business at Warrensburg, Missouri until the death of his wife on 20 Nov 1911. The Cruzens had these children:¹

121ABA1. RICHARD RICHARDSON CRUZEN, b. 14 Feb 1872, m. May E. Golay

121ABA2. MARGARET ELEANOR CRUZEN, b. 26 Nov 1873, m. G. Delaplain

121ABA3. IDA ELIZA CRUZEN, b. 26 Oct 1878, m. Leonard Wood

121ABA4. MOLLIE MABEL CRUZEN, b. 19 Feb 1885, m. Carl F. Shultz

The children of [#121AD] Nathaniel Greene and Mary Morrow (Worthington) North [son of George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Sarah Morrow and Robert Worthington. See *Keyes, North, and Cruzen Families* by Millard Fillmore Stipes.

121AD2. **ROBERT WORTHINGTON NORTH** was born in Raymond, Mississippi on 15 Jan 1841. He was attending the Academy in Charlestown, West Virginia in 1859 and was a member of a military company called out to assist in the capture and guarding of John Brown. He served in the Civil War in Co. B, 12th VA Calvary under Major Hawks. After the war he finished his education and became a teacher. On 27 Jan 1874 he married MARY AMANDA **MARTIN** at Rocky Mount, Louisiana. He taught at Rocky Ford until his death on 3 May 1884. After his death, the family lived on a cotton plantation in Dixie, Louisiana. They had these children:²

121AD21. WORTHINGTON NORTH, b. 15 Nov 1874, d. 8 Nov 1883

121AD22. WILLIAM HUGHES NORTH, b. 22 Oct 1876, m. Annie Ker Ringgold

121AD23. SARAH MORROW NORTH, b. 26 Dec 1878

The child of [#121AE] George Caleb and Sarah (Bragg) North [son of George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AE1. **GEORGE WARREN NORTH** was born 19 Sep 1844 in Virginia. He enlisted in the Confederate army in 1862 at the age of seventeen, fought in several battles, and served through the war without injury. He married, lived on a farm at Little, Oklahoma, and had eight children.³

121AE2. **NATALIE KEYES NORTH** was born 6 Mar 1847 in Arkansas and married JAMES HAMILTON **COOPER** on 2 Feb 1869. He was born 16 Feb 1842 in Howard Co., Missouri and died near Fayetteville, Arkansas on 30 Dec 1908.⁴ They lived in Washington Co., Arkansas and had these children:⁵

121AE21. GEORGE WILLIAM COOPER, b. 13 Nov 1869, m. Mittie Lowery

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 287-291, pictures #598, #688. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 116-117. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 123. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 143, 1918-1919* (1935), p. 276

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 123-124, picture #408. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121AE22. HADEN REYNOLDS COOPER, b. 28 Nov 1871, m. Maude Jones

- 121AE23. EDWARD TROTT COOPER, b. 13 Feb 1874, m. Nellie (?)
- 121AE24. SALLIE NORTH COOPER, b. 17 Sep 1877, m. W. T. McClanahan
- 121AE25. JOEL JEFFERSON COOPER, b. 13 Jul 1880, m. Pearl E. Bixler
- 121AE26. LIZZIE COOPER, b. 24 Oct 1883, d. 24 Aug 1884
- 121AE27. ANNA ERNESTINE COOPER, b. 24 Nov 1885, m. Don G. Maxey

121AE3. **EMMA JANE NORTH** was born 8 Mar 1849 at Fayetteville, Arkansas and married ELIAS B. **MOORE** in 1870. He was born in 1834 and became editor the *Fayetteville Democrat*. In 1887 Mr. Moore was elected Secretary of State, and they moved to Little Rock. During his term in office, their son Fred Wallace died in Little Rock and Mrs. Moore died in Fayetteville. After expiration of his term of office, Mr. Moore returned to Fayetteville and died 20 May 1897. They had these children:¹

- 121AE31. FRED WALLACE MOORE, b. 1 Jan 1871, d. 17 Nov 1889
- 121AE32. CORA MOORE, m. ? and lived in Colorado
- 121AE33. GEORGE MOORE, m. ? and lived in Colorado
- 121AE34. SALLIE BELLE MOORE, m. ? and lived in Colorado

The children of [#121B2] John Martin Groome and Ann (North) Emory [son of Caleb, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Charles, Caleb North, Sarah N., John McC, Ellen H., George W., Louis, Theodore D. and Francis A.

121B21. CHARLES EMORY was born 24 Feb 1819 and married CAROLINE TOLBERT, a daughter of John Tolbert, in 1852. Charles died 19 Nov 1898. They had at least this one child:²

121B211. ISABEL T. EMORY, m. Walter E. Rex about 1885

121B29. FRANCIS A. EMORY married THEODOSIA GARNETT on 22 Oct 1864.³

The children of [#121B3] Alexander and Sarah (North) Benson [daughter of Caleb, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Emily North, Mary Louisa, Harriet Smith, Alexander, Theodore, Rosalie, Washington and Edwin North. They resided in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. See *Keyes, North, and Cruzen Families* by Millard Fillmore Stipes.

121B38. **EDWIN NORTH BENSON** was born 16 Jan 1840. He married IDA VIRGINIA **WRAY** on 1 Dec 1870. She was born 29 Feb 1848, a daughter of Alexander

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 123-125, pictures #409. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04298.htm

³ Mary Ann B. Horning, family research, letter of 17 Jun 2000, great granddaughter

and Mary C. (Finley) Wray. ¹ Edwin and Ida were the parents of the following children: ²
121B381. MARY WRAY BENSON, b. 22 Sep 1871
121B382. ALEXANDER BENSON, b. 28 Jun 1873
121B383. NINA LOUISE BENSON, b. 8 Aug 1875
121B384. EDWIN NORTH BENSON Jr., b. 13 Aug 1877
121B385. RICHARD LAWRENCE BENSON, b. 4 Feb 1880
121B386. ANNA MILDRED BENSON, b. 24 Apr 1885

The children of [#121B6] George Washington and Catherine Margaret (Clemson) North [son of Caleb, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Henry Martin, Thomas Clemson, George Humphries, William Frederick, Walter, Elizabeth Clemson, Clarence A. and Herbert Allibone.

121B61. **HENRY MARTIN NORTH** was born 12 Jul 1836 in Coventry, Chester Co., Pennsylvania, and died 5 Jan 1844 in Pennsylvania.³

121B62. **THOMAS CLEMSON NORTH** was born 18 Dec 1838 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and married HARRIET **BELFORD** in Mauch Chunk, Carbon Co., Pennsylvania about 1865. Harriet was born about 1841. Thomas died 28 Nov 1916 at Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania. They had these children:⁴

- 121B621. GEORGE BELFORD NORTH, b. 5 Sep 1866
- 121B622. ELIZABETH CLEMONS NORTH, b. 18 Oct 1869
- 121B623. FREDERICK NORTH, b. 3 Jul 1876
- 121B624. CHARLES NORTH, b. 19 Jan 1879, d. 29 Jul 1879 at Wilkesbarre

121B63. **GEORGE HUMPHRIES NORTH** was born 17 Jun 1841 at Coventry, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. He served from 1861-65 in the Civil War and held the rank of Captain of Co. E, 14th PA Cavalry. He was promoted to the rank of Lt. Col. in the Pennsylvania National Guard. He was a stock broker and a member of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange from 1865. He married HARRIET J. **ROBBINS** on 18 Oct 1870. They lived on Chestnut Ave. Philadelphia in 1880. George died 1 Apr 1923 at Long Beach, Nassau Co., New York. They had these children:^{5,6}

- 121B631. CHARLES ROBBINS NORTH, b. 18 Jul 1871
- 121B632. ANNA CHURCH NORTH, b. 25 Dec 1872, m. Luther G. Billings
- 121B633. CATHERINE CLEMSON (Kate) NORTH, b. 10 Nov 1874
- 121B634. EDWARD NORTH, b. 15 Sep 1876, m. Katherine M. Levett

¹ Johanna Schwartz, e-mail of 31 Jul 2003

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 51-52. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00390.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03371.htm

⁵ Frank Munsell, ed., American Ancestry: Giving Name and Descent ..., vol. 6 (pub. 1891), pp. 18-19

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03372.htm

121B635. MARGARET YOUNG NORTH, b. 2 Aug 1880, m. David D. Burrill

121B64. WILLIAM FREDERICK NORTH was born 10 Jun 1844 in Philadelphia and married FANNIE H. DELLEKER about 1872. She was born about 1848. William died 8 Nov 1919 in Philadelphia. They had one known child:¹

121B641. NANCY NORTH, b. 17 Sep 1876

121B65. WALTER NORTH was born 16 Oct 1846 and married ELENOR CLINTON from Buffalo, New York, who was born about 1850. Walter was a minister in Buffalo. After the death of his first wife, Walter married HARRIET SHARON FOOTE second, about 1895 in Buffalo. Harriet was born about 1851. Walter and Elenor had these children:²

121B651. MARGARET FLORIDE NORTH, b. 8 Apr 1877

121B652. WALTER STEPHEN NORTH, b. 15 Jan 1880

121B653. KATHERINE LEE NORTH, b. 22 Apr 1883

121B654. ARTHUR DAVIS NORTH, b. 13 Mar 1892, d. 28 May 1901 Buffalo, NY Walter and Sharon had these children, both born in Buffalo:

121B655. ROGER SHERMAN NORTH, b. 10 Aug 1899, d. 19 Aug 1899

121B656. JOHN PAUL NORTH, b. 25 Jan 1901

121B66. ELIZABETH CLEMSON NORTH was born 31 Oct 1848 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.³ She was the only daughter, never married, and was very wealthy.

121B67. CLARENCE A. NORTH was born 15 Dec 1850 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and married MARY HARDIE in Philadelphia about 1882. She was born about 1860 in Pennsylvania. They had these children:⁴

121B671. M. JANET NORTH, b. 18 Nov 1885

121B672. CLARENCE NORTH, b. 11 Jul 1887, d. 22 Aug 1888

121B673. KATHERINE NORTH, b. 19 Nov 1892

121B674. ANNA BELL NORTH, b. 12 Dec 1894, d. 30 Aug 1895 Philadelphia

The children of [#121C1] Joshua and Jemima (Hedden) North [son of Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121C11. **HANNAH NORTH** was born 9 Feb 1809.⁵ On 8 Oct 1830, she married NELSON F. **BENSON** who was born about 1810. They made their home in Groton, (Tompkins Co.) New York, and she died 4 Feb 1852. Nelson and Hannah (North)

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03373.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03374.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam00390.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03376.htm

⁵ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

Benson were the parents of these children who were named in her father's will in 1865:

- 121C111. ELMIRA BENSON, b. ca 1832
- 121C112. NATHAN BENSON, b. ca 1839
- 121C113. ANNA BELLE BENSON, b. ca 1844
- 121C114. GEORGE NORTH BENSON, b. ca 1847

121C12. JANE L. NORTH was born 1 Feb 1811 and married ORSON WOODFORD on 9 Jul 1832.¹ She died 13 Sep 1849. Jane (North) Woodford had these children named in her father's will, dated 22 Apr 1865:

- 121C121. JAMES E. WOODFORD
- 121C122. GEORGE WOODFORD
- 121C123. JOHN C. WOODFORD, b. ca 1841
- 121C124. BYRON WOODFORD
- 121C125. HANCE WOODFORD

121C13. **THOMAS JEFFERSON NORTH** was born 15 Apr 1813. He married JANE ALMIRA **TOWNLEY** on 29 Jan 1837. They lived in Ludlowville, New York until fall of 1840 when they moved to Plymouth, Ohio where Thomas first farmed, then entered the mercantile business. They lived at Rives, Ohio until the fall of 1856 when they moved to Omaha, Nebraska.² Thomas North died in a severe snow storm on 13 Mar 1857, within a few weeks of his 44th birthday, and within a few hundred yards of camp. A few years later, the family moved west to Columbus, Nebraska on the banks of the Loupe River. Mrs. North survived until almost 22 Jan 1908. They had these children:³

121C131. JAMES EDWARD NORTH, b. 11 Sep 1838, m. 1) N. Arnold, 2) L. Smith
121C132. FRANK JOSHUA NORTH, b. 10 Mar 1840, d. 1885, m. Mary L. Smith
121C133. EMILY JEMIMA NORTH, b. 9 Dec 1841/42, d. Aug 1846 in Ohio
121C134. LUTHER HEDDEN NORTH, b. 9 Mar 1846, m. Elvira E. Coolidge
121C135. SARAH ELIZABETH NORTH, b. 17 Oct 1847/48, m. Slyvenus Cushing
121C136. ALPHONSINE HUBBARD NORTH, b. 17 Jan 1851, m. Charles Morse
121C137. FREDD SEARS NORTH, b. 14 Dec 1852, died in Ohio

121C14. **SUSAN E. NORTH** was born 26 Mar 1815 and married STEPHEN HOLBROOK **BENSON** on 26 Sep 1842.⁴ He died before 1850 when Susan North Benson and her son lived with her brother Aaron in Lansing, Tomkins Co., NY. Susan later married JOHN **HALLADAY**. She and Stephen Benson had one known child: 121C141. HOLBROOK BENSON, b. ca 1845

121C15. MARTHA NAOMI NORTH was born 17 May 1817, and in 1850 she lived

¹ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

² Bonnie Polivka, e-mail of 16 Jul 2004

³ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁴ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

with her brother Aaron and sisters in Lansing, Tompkins Co., New York. She married FREDERICK SEARS on 11 Oct 1851.¹

121C16. **JOHN CALVIN NORTH** was born 5 Jan 1820 in Lansing, New York, and on 5 Feb 1850 he married ABBY JANE **GREGORY**.^{2,3} She was born 27 Sep 1824, the daughter of Elijah and Amy (Ketcham) Gregory.⁴ In 1850 his nephew John C. Woodford, age nine, lived with the couple in Lansing, NY. They moved to Parma, Michigan where they lived for five years before settling in Tecumseh, Michigan in 1867. He was a farmer, a mechanic, and a Seventh Day Adventist, but he was in poor health for many years before succumbing to tuberculosis on 30 May 1879. They had two children:

121C161. LUCIAN GREGORY NORTH, b. 29 Oct 1850, m. Ida Ann Stevens 121C162. AMY NORTH, d. 1861 near Lansing, Michigan

121C17. **MERCY A. NORTH** was born 22 Feb 1822, and in 1858, married Dr. **LAMPKINS**.⁵ She died 12 May 1860, at the age of 38.

121C18. AARON NORTH was born 11 Jul 1824, and on 31 Jan 1854 he married MARY JANE HEDDEN.⁶ She was born 27 Sep 1830 in Wayne Co., New York. Aaron died 22 Nov 1908, and Mary died 10 Mar 1913. They had these children:

121C181. ALICE LOUISE NORTH, b. 12 Mar 1857, d. 23 May 1863

121C182. JUDSON HEDDEN NORTH, b. 6 Oct 1862, m. Edith May Gatchell

121C183. ELLE G. NORTH, b. 23 Aug 1864, m. Theadore B. Caldwell

121C19. **SARAH W. NORTH** was born 23 Sep 1826 and lived with her brother Aaron and sisters in Lansing, New York in 1850.⁷ On 10 Aug 1850, she married LEVI BODLEY **WILSON**, a Baptist minister of the gospel who was born 25 Jun 1821 in Ohio. Sarah died 23 Sep 1864 at the age of 38. Rev. Levi and Sarah (North) Wilson had four children mentioned, but not named, in Joshua North's will dated 22 Apr 1865. Levi died 9 Jun 1900 in Colorado.⁸ One known child is:

121C19X. JOSHUA NORTH WILSON, b. 2 Jun 1854, d. 1927, m. Emily A. Noble

121C1A. **CALEB HOWELL NORTH** was born 5 Mar 1829 at Ludlowville, New York and married MARY AMELIA **HARVEY** at Ithaca, New York on 15 Feb 1859.⁹ She was a daughter of Reuben and Mary (Wager) Harvey. Caleb died on 30 Jun 1881 in

¹ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

² Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

³ Mrs. Janis W. Reister, Hillsdale, MI 49242, family records, obituary

⁴ Mrs. Janis W. Reister, Hillsdale, MI 49242, family records, Co. Hist. biography

⁵ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁶ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁷ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁸ Rita H. Burke

⁹ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

Emporia, Kansas.¹

121C1B. MARY F. NORTH was born 27 Aug 1831, and on 18 Aug 1863, she married ALEX LEWIS.²

The children of [#121C3] Joseph Exener and Christiana (Teeter) North [son of Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Joseph Exener, Henry Harrison, Joshua, John R., Thomas E., Eliza Ann, Seth Eugene, Nancy Jane, Manning K., Jesse Davis, Magdalene and Jerome.

121C32. **JOSEPH EXENER NORTH** was born about 1814 and married EMILY **ROLFE** on 1 Jul 1838 in Vevay, Michigan. Joseph died 19 Dec 1851 in Ingham Co., Michigan.³

121C31. **HENRY HARRISON NORTH** was born 18 Jan 1816 in Lansing Township, Thompkins Co., New York and married ALMIRA **BUCK** on 16 Dec 1838 in Lansing, Michigan. Almira was born 29 Nov 1815 in Thompkins Co., a daughter of Daniel and Sally (Garrison) Buck. Henry died 30 Oct 1885 at Delhi, Michigan, and Almira died there 13 May 1890. They had these children:⁴

- 121C311. LOUISA MARION NORTH, b. 20 Sep 1839, m. Washington E. Holmes
- 121C312. ELMER D. NORTH, b. 18 Feb 1841, d. 17 Aug 1909 in Michigan
- 121C313. ALBERT E. NORTH, b. 21 May 1843, m. 1) M. Fassett, 2) N. Arnold
- 121C314. HENRY EXENER NORTH, b. 26 Apr 1845, d. 1921, m. Mary A. Roberts
- 121C315. JAMES SEYMOUR NORTH, b. 15 Feb 1847, m. 1) Saxon, 2) Everett
- 121C316. CHARLES HOWARD NORTH, b. 31 Mar 1849, d. 11 Jan 1853 in MI
- 121C317. HATTIE BELLE NORTH, b. 5 Apr 1953, d. 1932, m. Eugene Wilcox
- 121C318. MYRA L. NORTH, b. 17 Jun 1854, d. 12 Feb 1931
- 121C319. THERON CLARE NORTH, b. 18 Jan 1856, m. Elizabeth Wheeler

121C33. **JOSHUA NORTH** was born 21 Mar 1817 in Tompkins Co., New York and married LOUISA **BUCK** there on 23 Jan 1841. She was born there about 1820. Joshua died 13 Jul 1881 in Delhi, Michigan, and Louisa died 5 Apr 1901 in Lansing, Michigan. They had these children:⁵

- 121C331. DELLON A. NORTH, b. 7 Nov 1841, d. 7 Nov 1920
- 121C332. L. NORTH, b. ca 1843
- 121C333. HERBERT BUCK NORTH, b. 5 Sep 1846, d. 25 Apr 1922
- 121C334. JAMES A. NORTH, b. 1 Jul 1848, d. 2 Jun 1929 in Ingham Co., Michigan

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03191.htm

² Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03154.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03152.htm

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03155.htm

121C335. ANNETTE NORTH, b. ca 1852, d. ca 1895 121C336. EVA NORTH, b. 31 Oct 1857, d. 4 Feb 1927 in Ingham Co

121C34. **JOHN R. NORTH** was born 17 Jul 1818 in Thompkins Co., New York and married ELIZABETH **SKINNER** on 19 Feb 1844 in Ingham Co., Michigan. She was born 11 Sep 1822 in Vermont. John died 23 Feb 1874 in Ingham Co., and Elizabeth died there 18 Jun 1891. They had these children:¹

121C341. JEROME K. NORTH, b. 26 Aug 1845, m. Clarissa A. Lamoreaux

121C342. ALICE NORTH, b. 19 Apr 1851, d. 15 Sep 1885, m. Robert Hewitt

121C343. ARTHUR H. NORTH, b. 1 Jan 1858, d. 19 Sep 1858 in Ingham Co.

121C344. EDWARD P. NORTH, b. 11 Aug 1861, d. 1930, m. Maude Ransom

121C36. ELIZA ANN NORTH was born about 1822 and married RUSSELL P. EVERETT on 25 Sep 1843 in Ingham Co., Michigan. They had these children:²

121C361. NAOMI J. EVERETT

121C362. NATHAN EVERETT

121C37. **SETH EUGENE NORTH** was born 12 May 1823 and married ELIZABETH **EVERETT** on 12 Feb 1845. Elizabeth was born 7 Mar 1826 in New York. Seth died 2 Jul 1866 at Delhi, MI, and Elizabeth died there 4 Jan 1892. They had these children:³

- 121C371. FRANK E. NORTH, b. ca 1846, m. 1) Charlotte Gunn, 2) Phoebe Pattee
- 121C372. OLIVE E. NORTH, b. ca 1848
- 121C373. ISAAC DOUGLAS NORTH, b. ca 1857
- 121C374. EMMA ROSAMUND NORTH, b. ca 1858
- 121C375. EMILY CHRISTIANA NORTH, b. ca 1858
- 121C376. JOHN FORD NORTH, b. ca 1864, d. 1906 in Arizona

121C38. NANCY JANE NORTH was born about 1825 and married SAMUEL T. CRANSTON on 26 Aug 1846 in Ingham Co., Michigan.⁴

121C39. **MANNING K. NORTH** was born about 1826 and married MARY **LOBDELL** on 15 Sep 1853 in Ingham Co., Michigan. Manning died in Kalamazoo, Michigan on 13 Apr 1902. They had these children:⁵

121C391. IDA MAY NORTH, b. ca 1854

121C392. CHARLES SUMMER NORTH

121C393. NELLIE NORTH, b. ca 1860

121C3A. JESSE DAVIS NORTH was born 28 Oct 1828 in Thompkins Co., New York

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03156.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03153.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03157.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03158.htm

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03159.htm

and married EDNA MARIE **BADGLEY** in Ingham Co., Michigan on 8 Sep 1859. Jesse died 16 Apr 1900 in Lansing, Michigan. They had these children:¹

121C3A1. CLARA MARIE NORTH

- 121C3A2. HELEN A. NORTH, b. 23 Nov 1863
- 121C3A3. ANNA MAY NORTH, b. 16 May 1867

121C3A4. GEORGE NATHAN NORTH, b. 12 Dec 1878

The children of [#12221] Matthias and Margaret (Kieffer) Koplin [son of Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William, Mary Margaret, Christian, Matthias, Abraham, Rachel, Catharine, Barbara, David and George.

122211. WILLIAM KOPLIN was a blacksmith born 19 Dec 1796 and said to be born in Maryland. He married MARY SIMPSON on 26 Mar 1822 in Huntingdon Co., Pennsylvania and moved to Ohio later. They were in Rock Co., Wisconsin from 1859 to 1869. Of their four children, two died in Wisconsin and the other two returned to Ohio with their parents. They are all buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Wadsworth, Ohio. William died 7 Dec 1868.²

122212. MARY MARGARET KOPLIN was born 19 Jan 1799 and married THOMAS RICHEY on 4 Apr 1826. He came from Ireland as a poor young man, served in the War of 1812, and worked several places afterwards including the Dupont Powder Works. Thomas bought a quarter section in Chippewa Township, Wayne Co., Ohio before he was married. He was an elder in his church although he could neither read nor write. In 1852, many of the children and the parents moved to Northfield, Ohio where Mary Margaret and Thomas are buried in Macedonia Cemetery. She died on 22 Jun 1879. There were eight children who lived, and four died in infancy.³

122213. CHRISTIAN KOPLIN was born 5 Apr 1803 and married MAGDALENA (Polly) BAUGHMAN on 29 Apr 1827. She was one of the three Baughmans in Lehigh Co. who married Koplins. Christian died 12 Jul 1834 and his widow, Polly, had a cottage, probably at the back of her father's property, and supported their three children as a weaver. Late in life Polly married widower Thomas Briggs and is buried in Glendale Cemetery, Akron, Ohio with her older son. When Matthias Koplin's will was probated in 1849, Abraham Koplin signed as guardian of the minor children of Christian Koplin, deceased:⁴

1222131. SOLOMON KOPLIN

1222132. DAVID KOPLIN

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03160.htm

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001

1222133. ANAMARIA KOPLIN

122214. **MATTHIAS KOPLIN** was born 28 Jan 1801 in Pennsylvania and married MARY **STAMBAUGH** between 1820 and 1825 in Huntingdon Co., Pennsylvania where their first two daughters were born. Their other five children were born in different counties in Ohio including Wayne and Sandusky. Two daughters were married in Geauga Co., Ohio. Matthias and Mary sold their 74 acres in Geauga Co. after moving to Logan Co., Ohio. After Mary died, Matthias married CATHERINE **JANNEY** in 1864 and may have had other children. Matthias died 13 Feb 1881 and is buried in Harper Cemetery, Rush Township, Logan Co.¹

122215. ABRAHAM KOPLIN was born about 1804, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, and went with his parents in 1825 to Ohio where he married RACHEL BAUGHMAN in 1827. They lived their entire married life in Norton Township, Medina Co., Ohio [now Summit Co.]. He is called cooper, farmer or shoemaker on various censuses. Rachel died in 1846 after bearing nine children, all of whom are named in the application for probate of Abraham's will, except daughter Mary who had died in Bethany, Missouri in 1882. The year after Rachel died, Abraham married REBECCA SUSANNAH (?) WEARY, widow of Jacob Weary. There were no children to this marriage, but evidently Abraham was very fond of at least one of Rebecca's children by a previous marriage since he left his "homestead" to one of her daughters. According to his will, his property was directly across the street from the Loval Oak Tavern which was still in business in 2002. Rebecca died in 1873 and is buried in the Loyal Oak Church cemetery, Loyal Oak [formerly Bates Corners], Norton Township, Summit Co., Ohio. Abraham died in 1889 and is buried in the same cemetery with his first wife.²

1222151. JACOB KOPLIN, b. 24 Jul 1828, m. 1) Margaret Hile, 2) Lorinda Long
1222152. HENRY H. KOPLIN, b. 9 Jun 1830, d. Mar 1914, m. Louisa K. Hoskinson
1222159. MARY KOPLIN, b. 1 Oct 1830, d. 10 Jul 1882, m. Solomon Weary
1222153. JOEL C. KOPLIN, b. 16 Aug 1833, d. 20 Mar 1914, m. Julia J. Dehart
1222154. ABRAHAM BAUGHMAN KOPLIN, b. 7 Jul 1835, m. Harriet A. Custer
1222155. REUBEN D. KOPLIN, b. ca 1838, d. 13 Dec 1904, m. Keziah S. Heath
1222158. ISABELLE KOPLIN, b. 29 Sep 1839, m. 1) J. Weideman, 2) G. Sutton
1222156. ELIAS KOPLIN, b. ca 1844, d. 3 Jan 1903, m. Guilford Dudley Seward

The will of Abraham Koplin is filed in Summit Co., Ohio Will Book 8 page 422. "In the name of the Benevolent Father of all, I, Abraham Koplin., of Loyal Oak, Summit County, state of Ohio, do make and publish this my last will and testament: Item first. I give and devise, to Rachel Weary the homestead in which I how reside situate in Loyal Oak, Summit county, and state of Ohio and

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2000, probate papers

described as follows. Beginning in the center of the highway 5 chains 13 links S 87 $3/4^{\circ}$ w from a stone in the center of the crossroads at Bates Corners. Thence S 87 $3/4^{\circ}$ w in road center 1 chain 25 links. Thence N $1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ E 3 chains to a stone. Thence 87 $3/4^{\circ}$ E 1 chain 25 links. Thence S $1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ w 3 chains to the place of beginning and containing 0 37/100 of an acre as surveyed, being a part of lot N^o 15. Also one bed, and bedding, One set of cane seated chairs, all of the kitchen furniture, and so forth that she wishes. The said Rachel Weary is also to share equally with the other heirs in all of the mineral found under the farm of John Kox of the north half of lot N^o 72. Item 2^{d} . I devise and bequeath to Lottie J. Freidman one bed, and bedding. Item 3^{d} I devise and bequeath to the rest of my heirs all my remaining property to be divided equally among them. Item 4^{th} . I do hereby nominate and appoint Jacob Koplin executor of this my last will and testament. I do hereby revoke all former wills by me made. In testimony hereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal, this 17^{th} day of February in the year 1886. [signed] Abraham Koplin"

122216. **RACHEL KOPLIN** was born 1806 and married LAWRENCE **BAUGHMAN** on 15 May 1828. Rachel was the third Koplin child to marry a child of Lawrence and Anna Maria (Kreutz) Baughman. In 1846, Lawrence and Rachel bought land in Huntington Township, Lorain Co., Ohio, just over the line from Medina Co., Ohio. After Rachel died 24 Nov 1890, Lawrence moved back to Medina Co. but took his own life shortly after. They are buried in the East Homer United Church of Christ Cemetery in Medina Co. as are several of their eight children.¹

122217. **CATHARINE KOPLIN** was born 4 Oct 1808 and married JOSEPH **WHITMORE** in 28 Oct 1830. Their ten children were all born in Ohio before the family moved to Center, Wisconsin about 1850. Catharine died 25 Aug 1886 and is buried with her husband in Bethel Cemetery, Rock Co., WI. Most of their children were alive when Catharine died and most stayed in Wisconsin although one moved to Iowa and another moved back to Summit Co., Ohio where he lived near his Koplin cousins.²

122218. **BARBARA KOPLIN** was born about 1810 and married JOHN REUBEN **LONG** as his second wife. Mary Long, a daughter of his first marriage, married William Koplin, son of William. Barbara and John had four children, all of whom were still alive when Barbara died on 9 Dec 1893. John R. and Barbara are buried at Emanuel Cemetery in Wayne Co., Ohio. All of their children are buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Wadsworth, Ohio. There are many Longs in this area, most were originally Langs, and many came from Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania.³ Barbara and John Long had at least this one child:

1222181. JOHN R. LONG, b. 6 Dec 1848, d. 19 May 1926, m. Josephine Phelps.⁴

122219. **DAVID KOPLIN** was born 7 (or 12) Jun 1812 in Trough Valley, Huntingdon Co., Pennsylvania and moved to Ohio with his family when he was 12. He married CATHARINE **EVERHARD** on 28 Apr 1836. She was a granddaughter of Jacob

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002, citing obituary

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Kathleen Callum, e-mail of 29 Oct 2003

Everhard, one of the very earliest settlers in the area. David bought land in Portage Co. [now Medina Co.] while he was living in Trumbull Co., Ohio. Most of their thirteen children were born in Ohio before the family moved to LaPorte Co., Indiana in 1859. Eight of their children were dead by the time David died on 25 Apr 1901. David and Catharine are buried in Door Village Cemetery in LaPorte.¹

12221A. **GEORGE KOPLIN** was born about 1810 and married MARGARET **ESSIG** on 16 Jun 1836. Her father, George Essig of Stark Co., Ohio, had moved to Medina Co., Ohio and owned land near Lawrence Baughman, the father-in-law of several of George Koplin's siblings. George Koplin died before his father's estate was settled on 8 Oct 1849, the date his brother-in-law Christian Shank signed a receipt as guardian of the minor children of George Koplin, deceased. Margaret's father moved to Indiana in 1846 as did Margaret and her children. She apparently married again and had a son. These children were all minors in 1849:²

- 12221A1. HARRIET KOPLIN
- 12221A2. PHEBE KOPLIN
- 12221A3. MARY KOPLIN
- 12221A4. CHRISTIAN KOPLIN, b. ca 1837, m. Anna Margaret Stiver
- 12221A5. WILLIAM P. KOPLIN, b. ca 1838/9, m. perhaps Catherine Kister
- 12221A6. SIMON KOPLIN, b. 22 Feb 1844, d. 1929, m. Elizabeth Knisely

The children of [#12228] Jacob D. and Nancy (Koplin) Shoop [daughter of Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Catharine, Oliver Jackson, Aaron McConnell, Mathias Frederick, Phebe Ann, John Wesley, Sarah Jane, Mary Cresswell, Sidney Elizabeth, and Daniel P.

122284. **MATHIAS FREDERICK SHOOP** was born about 1819 and married SARAH **CARL** who was born about 1824. Sarah died in 1886, Mathias died 19 Apr 1907 in Shade Gap, Huntingdon Co., Pennsylvania, and they are buried in the Salem E.U.B. Church Cemetery in Tell Township. They had eight children:³

- 1222841. ELMIRA M. SHOOP, b. 19 Sep 1845, d. 1936, m. Daniel Parson Jr.
- 1222842. ALFRED M. SHOOP, b. ca 1847, d. Oct 1889, m. Margaret J. Laughlin
- 1222843. CASPER C. SHOOP, b. 19 Mar 1850, d. 1899, m. Elizabeth Latherow
- 1222844. THOMAS SHOOP, b. ca 1852, died before 1919
- 1222845. MARY ELIZABETH SHOOP, b. 20 Oct 1854, m. George Goshom
- 1222846. JOHN WESLEY SHOOP, b. 28 Jan 1857, m. Margaret Elizabeth Rouse
- 1222847. WILLIAM N. SHOOP, b. ca Sep 1859, d. by 1932, m. Nora J. Schmittle
- 1222848. MATHIAS BRINTON SHOOP, b. 28 Aug 1865, m. Clara Belle Neal

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letters of 20 Feb 2001, 11 Oct 2002

³ Terry Strobaugh, e-mail of 14 Jan 2008

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The children of [#12241] Nicholas and Mary Magdalena (Christman) Ickes [son of Alice (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth, Jonas, Samuel, Susanna, Catharine and Nicholas.

122411. **ELIZABETH ICKES** was born 5 Oct 1787 and was baptized at the New Hanover Lutheran Church on 12 Dec 1789.¹ In 1809, she married PETER **HENCH** who was born in 1781 and died 31 Jan 1814.^{2,3} Elizabeth died 2 Aug 1859.⁴ Their known children were:

1224111. GEORGE HENCH, b. 31 Jan 1810, m. 1) Hackett, 2) McCord, 3), 4) ... 1224112. NICHOLAS HENCH, b. 26 Sep 1811, m. Catharine Jane Hamilton 1224113. Son HENCH

122412. **JONAS ICKES** was born 3 Feb 1793 and became a medical doctor. He married MARY **DUNCAN**. She died 8 Jul 1868 in Monmouth, Illinois. Jonas died 28 Mar 1889. They had one child:⁵

1224121. SUSAN A. ICKES

122413. **SAMUEL ICKES** was born 29 Mar 1789 and was baptized 12 Dec 1789 at the New Hanover Lutheran Church with sponsor Samuel Ickes. Samuel married KATIE **SHOEMAKER**.⁶ Samuel enlisted as a private in Captain John Creigh's Company on 6 Sep 1814. He died 3 Nov 1857.⁷

The children of [#12241] Nicholas and Susanna (Loy)(Barnheisel) Ickes, his second wife, were Margaret, Mary Magdalene, Michael, Jacob, John Loy, Susanna, Ester, Nicholas, George Loy, Nicholas, Mariah M., Mary Ann, Sarah, Elsa Elnora and Sophia.

122417. **MARGARET ICKES** was born 4 Apr 1798 in Ickesburg, Pennsylvania and married JOHN **RICE** on 4 Jun 1816. He was born about 1792 and died in 1855.⁸

122418. MARY MAGDALENA ICKES was born 3 Jul 1799 and married GEORGE RICE in 1819. He was born 2 Nov 1798, a son of George and Anna (Geirich) Rice. Mary died 31 Jan 1862 and is buried at Emanuel Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery at Buffalo Mills in Saville Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania. George died 31 Oct 1881

¹ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 2, p. 210

² Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Gardiner, Margaret Eleanor Hench" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 4, p. 198

³ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

⁴ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁵ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mails of 16 Apr 2003 & 18 Aug 2003 with sources

⁶ Pennsylvania German Society, Pennsylvania German Church Records (pub. 1983), vol. 2, p. 210

⁷ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁸ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

and is also buried there. Mary and George had these children:¹

- 1224181. MARGARETTA RICE, d. 25 Feb 1856, buried Buffalo Cemetery
- 1224182. MARY JANE RICE, b. 30 Jun 1836, d. 25 Feb 1856 [sic]
- 1224183. CATHARINE RICE
- 1224184. NICHOLAS RICE
- 1224185. SUSANNAH RICE
- 1224186. ELIZABETH RICE
- 1224187. JOHN W. RICE
- 1224188. GEORGE RICE

122419. **MICHAEL ICKES** was born 27 Mar 1801 and married SARAH **RICE**. She was born in Chester Springs, Chester Co., Pennsylvania about 1796, a daughter of Conrad and Elizabeth (Foose) Rice. Michael died 29 Sep 1862 and is buried at the Emanuel Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery at Buffalo Mills in Saville Township, Perry Co. Dependence of Sarah died 0 Oct 1878. Michael and Sarah had these shildson²

- Co., Pennsylvania. Sarah died 9 Oct 1878. Michael and Sarah had these children:²
 - 1224191. GEORGE LOY ICKES, b. 10 Mar 1826, d. 1878, m. Sarah Ann Delancy
 - 1224192. WILLIAM ICKES, b. ca 1830, m. 1) Mary White, 2) Isabella Milliken
 - 1224193. SARAH ICKES, b. ca 1833, m. James L. Milliken
 - 1224194. CATHERINE ICKES, m. Mr. Hartman
 - 1224195. SUSAN ICKES, b. ca 1838, d. 1908, m. Benjamine Rice
 - 1224196. JANE ICKES, m. Mr. Kell
 - 1224197. NICHOLAS ICKES, b. ca 1834, m. Jemina Ellen Drumgold

12241A. **JACOB ICKES** was born 26 Mar 1803 and married JANE ELLIOT **BAKER**. Jacob died in 1848 and is buried at the Emanuel Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery at Buffalo Mills in Saville Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania. They had these children:³

- 12241A1. SUSAN AMELIA ICKES, m. 1) Frank Kepner, 2) Isaac Bell
- 12241A2. JOHN BAKER ICKES, m. Frances Brotherline
- 12241A3. HARRIET NEWELL ICKES
- 12241A4. CATHERINE SOPHRONIA ICKES, m. William Jackman
- 12241A5. DAVID ELLIOT ICKES
- 12241A6. JAMES W. ICKES, m. Margaret Baker

12241B. **JOHN LOY ICKES** was born 3 Jun 1805 and married MARY JANE **STRODE** on 16 Dec 1828.^{4,5} She was born in 1808 and died in 1864. In 1850 the family lived in Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania where John was engaged in farming. John married ELIZA **McCAMANT** second and then ELIZABETH **RICE** who was born in

¹ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

² Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mails of 16 Apr 2003 & 18 Aug 2003

³ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁴ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 18 Aug 2003 citing the *Johannes Hench Family in America* by Lee and Bernard Hench

⁵ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Ickes, Harold L." in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 6, p. 319

- 1853 and died in 1882.¹ John was also a physician and died in Altoona, Pennsylvania on
- 26 Dec 1880. They had these children:²
 - 12241B1. JOHN ICKES, b. 26 Jan 1829, d. 16 Feb 1909, m. Hannah J. Delancy
 - 12241B2. CATHERINE ICKES, b. ca 1830, d. 1857, m. Jesse Boone Williams
 - 12241B3. JOSEPH EDWARD ICKES, b. ca 1834, d. 1862
 - 12241B4. AMOS NICHOLAS ICKES, b. ca 1835, d. 1841
 - 12241B5. MARTHA ANN ICKES, b. ca 1838, m. Charles F. Conklin
 - 12241B6. ALBERT HARRISON ICKES, b. ca 1840, d. 1867
 - 12241B7. WILLIAM TURBOT BUNKER ICKES, b. ca 1846, d. 1861
 - 12241B8. JESSE BOONE WILLIAMS ICKES, b. 17 Feb 1848, m. Martha McCune

12241F. **GEORGE LOY ICKES** was born 13 Apr 1813 and married CATHARINA JANE **SCHUHMANN** on 13 Mar 1837. She was born 1 Jan 1818 and died 27 Mar 1844 in Saville Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania. George married ELIZABETH ANN **KELL** second, on 29 Aug 1844 in Saville Township. Elizabeth was born 22 Aug 1824.³ George died 17 Apr 1897. George and Catherine had these children:⁴

- 12241F1. ELIZA JANE ICKES, b. 11 Jan 1838
- 12241F2. MARIETTA ICKES, b. 6 Apr 1839
- 12241F3. ANN ICKES, b. 26 Jan 1841
- 12241F4. CATHARINE JANE ICKES, b. 20 Mar 1843, m. Milton Toomey
- George and Elizabeth had these children:
 - 12241F5. NICHOLAS H. ICKES, b. 9 Feb 1847, m. Maggie Raffensberger
 - 12241F6. MARGARETTA ICKES, b. 16 Oct 1848
 - 12241F7. SUSAN ELIZABETH ICKES, b. 19 Jun 1851, m. Charles Worth
 - 12241F8. MARTHA ICKES, b. 5 Jul 1853
 - 12241F9. GEORGE ALBERT ICKES, b. 19 Oct 1855
 - 12241FA. WILLIS JEFFERSON ICKES, b. 19 Jan 1858

12241H. **MARY ANN ICKES** was born 30 Sep 1817 and may have also been known as Mariah. She married HENRY **SMITH** on 17 Mar 1835 in Saville Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania. He was born 21 Aug 1808. Mary Ann died 26 Jun 1892, and Henry died 5 Aug 1896.⁵

12241I. SARAH ICKES was born 2 Aug 1819 in Ickesburg, Pennsylvania and married JOHNSON SARVIS on 24 Mar 1836 in Bloomfield, Pennsylvania. He was born 28 Apr 1808 in Union Co., Pennsylvania and died 8 Oct 1889 in Highmore, South Dakota, only

¹ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

² Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

³ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 18 Aug 2003 citing the *Johannes Hench Family in America* by Lee and Bernard Hench and *Marriages and Deaths in Perry County Newspapers 1820-1870* by James Edward Knapp

⁴ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁵ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mails of 16 Apr 2003 & 18 Aug 2003 citing the *Johannes Hench Family in America* by Lee and Bernard Hench and *Marriages and Deaths in Perry County Newspapers 1820-1870* by James Edward Knapp

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two months after his wife, Sarah, died there on 3 Jul 1894.^{1,2}

12241J. ELSA ELNORA ICKES was born 21 Jul 1823 and married DAVID ZIMMERMAN. Eleanor died 5 Nov 1909.³

12241K. **SOPHIA ICKES** was born 1 Sep 1826.⁴ She married LEVI **WEIBLEY** on 7 Jan 1845 in Saville Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania.⁵

The children of [#12321] Joseph and Mary (Todd) Baldridge [daughter of Ann, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. They resided in Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania.

123211. **JOHN BALDRIDGE** probably migrated to Iowa. He was named as an executor for his father's will. He married and had one known child, a daughter: 1232111. JANE BALDRIDGE, m. Robert Coulter

123212. **WILLIAM BALDRIDGE** was named as an executor of his father's will and filed suit in 1841 regarding 227 acres of land in Derry Township, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania.⁶

123213. **THOMAS BALDRIDGE** was born in 1795. He was a farmer, living in Hempfield Township, Westmoreland Co. in 1850. He was listed on the 1817 tax list of Rostraver Township as having 11 acres and one horse. His wife's name was MARY (?), and they had these children:

1232131. MARY JANE BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1825

1232132. MARGARET BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1832

1232133. THOMAS BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1833, m. ?

1232134. JAMES C. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1835, m. Sue E. (?)

1232135. WILLIAM BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1840, m. Elizabeth (?)

123214. **JOSEPH BALDRIDGE** was born about 1802 and was a farmer in Unity Township, Westmoreland Co. On 26 Dec 1822 he married ELIZABETH NICCOLLS, the daughter of John Niccolls (deceased).⁷ He was named on the tax list of Unity Township in 1838 as owning 146 acres, 2 horses, and 2 cows.⁸ His wife died between 1846 and 1850. In 1850 Joseph owned property valued at \$5,000. They had these children:

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, Wentz, Barbara. e-mail of 28 Aug 2003

² Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

³ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, Wentz, Barbara. e-mail of 28 Aug 2003

⁵ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mails of 16 Apr 2003 & 18 Aug 2003

⁶ William L. Iscrupe, ed., *Old Westmoreland* (pub. 1980-1982), vol. 1 (2), p. 25 (Nov 1980)

⁷ William L. Iscrupe, ed., Old Westmoreland (pub. 1980-1982), vol. 3 (1), p. 40 (Aug 1982)

⁸ William L. Iscrupe, ed., Old Westmoreland (pub. 1980-1982), vol. 2 (4), p. 33 (May 1982)

- 1232141. JOSEPH BALDRIDGE Jr., b. ca 1825
- 1232142. CATHERINE BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1826
- 1232143. WILLIAM BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1827
- 1232144. JOHN BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1832
- 1232145. MISCIA BALDRIDGE (f), b. ca 1836
- 1232146. DAVID BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1846, may have m. Anne (?)

123215. **DAVID BALDRIDGE** was born in 1806 and was educated as a physician. Dr. Baldridge lived in New Alexandria, and his wife's name was PHOEBE (?). She was born about 1802 in Ohio and apparently died sometime after 1850. Dr. Baldridge then remarried, and his young wife, ANNE JANE (?), died 18 May 1857 at the age of 26. He died in Nebraska about three months later on 8 Sep 1857 at the age of 51. Dr. Baldridge and Phoebe had these children:

1232151. CHARLES J. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1829, m. M. E. Rainey

1232152. WILLIAM BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1832, m. 1) Lydia Miller, 2) Margaret (?)

1232153. MARY J. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1835

The children of [#12323] Joseph and Nancy Ann (Todd) Clark [daughter of Ann, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123231. **BARBARA CLARK** married JAMES **KIRKPATRICK** before Dec 1823.¹ He was born about 1785 and was a farmer. They lived in Cowansham Township, Armstrong Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

- 1232311. JAMES KIRKPATRICK
- 1232312. WILLIAM KIRKPATRICK
- 1232313. JOHN KIRKPATRICK, b. ca 1827
- 1232314. DAVID KIRKPATRICK, b. ca 1829
- 1232315. ANN MARIE KIRKPATRICK, b. ca 1831
- 1232316. ROBERT KIRKPATRICK, b. ca 1833
- 1232317. SAMUEL KIRKPATRICK, b. ca 1836

123232. ANN CLARK married WILLIAM RICHARDS before Dec 1823 when she was named in her father's will. They had these children:²

- 1232321. MARTHA RICHARDS
- 1232322. NANCY RICHARDS, m. Mr. Morehead
- 1232323. ELIZABETH RICHARDS, m. Mr. Bennett
- 1232324. MARGARET RICHARDS, m. Mr. Morehead

123233. ALEXANDER CLARK was born about 1797 and married JANE (Jennie)

¹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

ARMSTRONG who was born about 1800.¹ They lived in Armstrong Co. where Alexander was a farmer with property valued at \$3,500. They had these children:

- 1232331. NANCY CLARK, m. Brice Henderson
- 1232332. JOSEPH CLARK
- 1232333. ALEXANDER CLARK Jr., b. ca 1829
- 1232334. LENA ANN CLARK, b. ca 1832, m. Mr. Rankin
- 1232335. MARTHA JANE CLARK, b. ca 1834
- 1232336. ELIZABETH CLARK, b. ca 1836
- 1232337. LOIS CLARK, b. ca 1841, m. Mr. Armstrong
- 1232338. SARAH CLARK, b. ca 1845, m. Mr. Henderson

123234. WILLIAM TODD CLARK married JANE CUMMINGS.²

123235. LOIS CLARK married JOHN WEAMER after Dec 1823. They lived in Indiana Co. where John was a merchant. Lois died before 1850 when Mary Weamer, possibly John's sister, kept house for the family. John and Lois Weamer had these children:³

- 1232351. JOSEPH WEAMER, m. Miss Lateer
- 1232352. JOHN WEAMER, m. Miss Miller
- 1232353. DAVID WEAMER
- 1232354. WILLIAM WEAMER, b. ca 1832, m. Miss Steel
- 1232355. ANDREW WEAMER, b. ca 1833
- 1232356. GEORGE WEAMER, b. ca 1840
- 1232357. LOIS WEAMER, b. ca 1843
- 1232358. ALEXANDER WEAMER, b. ca 1845

123236. **ELIZABETH TODD CLARK** was born 13 Feb 1806.^{4,5} On 26 Nov 1823 she married PHILIP **GALLAHER** who was born 9 Jan 1793, the son of James and Nancy (Wallace) Gallagher of Pennsylvania. Philip and his descendants spelled their name as GALLAHER. He operated a farm in Indiana Co., PA that was valued at \$2,500 in the 1850 Census. Sometime later, the family moved to Darlington, Wisconsin where Elizabeth Gallaher died 26 Mar 1863 and Philip died 16 Nov 1875. Their children were:

1232361. JOSEPH WALLACE GALLAHER, b. 12 Aug 1824, m. E. Dougherty 1232362. CHARLOTTE ANN TODD GALLAHER, b. 15 Jul 1829, m. G. Lutts 1232363. NANCY JANE GALLAHER, b. 23 Nov 1831, d. 16 Feb 1917 unmarried 1232364. JAMES M. GALLAHER, b. 18 Sep 1834, d. Jul 1909, m. Eliza J. Murphy 1232365. WILLIAM GALLAHER, b. 7 Mar 1837, d. 1909, m. Mary Ann Smith 1232366. ELIZABETH C. GALLAHER, b. 6 Aug 1838, m. Ananias M. Sypher

¹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

³ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁴ Daughters of the American Revolution. Lineage Book: Vol. 54, 1905 (1919) & Vol. 75, 1909 (1925)

⁵ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

- 1232367. MARY TODD CLARK GALLAHER, b. 30 Oct 1841, m. John Gallaher Jr
- 1232368. JOHN PHILIP GALLAHER, b. 1 Oct 1844, d. 1902, m. Mary Jane Vivers
- 1232369. MATILDA STEWART GALLAHER, b. 22 Mar 1847, m. J. Campbell

123237. MARGARET CLARK married WILLIAM BELL after 1823.¹ They had these children:

- 1232371. MARY ANN BELL, m. Clifford Reed
- 1232372. JANE BELL, m. William Lydick
- 1232373. ELIZABETH (Lizzie) BELL, m. Mr. Lightcap
- 1232374. HARRY BELL
- 1232375. CLARK BELL, m. Miss Kinter
- 1232376. SAMUEL BELL

123238. MARY CLARK was born about 1810 and married JONATHAN AGEY after Dec 1823.² They lived in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

- 1232381. NANCY AGEY, b. ca 1844
- 1232382. JOHN SLOAN AGEY, b. ca 1846
- 1232383. JOSEPH CLARK AGEY, b. ca 1847
- 1232384. QUINCY AGEY, b. Jun 1850
- 1232385. TODD AGEY

The child of [#12325] James and Rebecca (Todd) Sloan [daughter of Ann, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123251. **JOHN SLOAN** married NANCY **WALKINSHAW** in 1816. They had one known child:³

1232511. REBECCA J. SLOAN, b. ca 1840, d. 1892, m. Marshall S. Smith

The children of [#12342] Benjamin and Jemima (Roberts) Davis [daughter of Alice (Rambo) Roberts, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123421. **ANN DAVIS** was born 15 May 1799 in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania and married JOSEPH **ABRAHAM** on 24 Mar 1819. She died on 30 Mar 1873. They had twelve children:^{4,5}

1234211. ANNA ABRAHAM, b. 1820, m. James Shannon

1234212. SARAH ABRAHAM, b. 1822, m. Jonathan Phillips

¹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

³ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book: Vol. 154, 1920* (1937), p. 290 & Vol. 145, 1919 (1935), p. 158

⁴ Barbee Hodgkins, family research

⁵ Ellwood Roberts, ed., Biographical Annals of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (pub. 1904), vol 2, p. 509. Available on web

1234213. JAMES ABRAHAM, b. 7 Feb 1824, m. 1) Susan Eastburn, 2) E. Rambo

- 1234214. BENJAMIN D. ABRAHAM, b. 1826, m. Jane Eastburn
- 1234215. ISAAC GEORGE ABRAHAM, b. 1827, m. Mary C. Wager
- 1234216. THOMAS D. ABRAHAM, b. 1830, m. 1) Emily Scott, 2) Mary Rambo
- 1234217. ELIZA ABRAHAM, b. 1831, m. Jonathan Supplee
- 1234218. ANN ABRAHAM, b. 1837, m. Owen Evans, who died April 26, 1903
- 1234219. MATILDA ABRAHAM, b. 1836, died in infancy
- 123421A. EMMA ABRAHAM, b. 1842, died in 1860
- 123421B. JOSEPH ABRAHAM, b. 1842, died in infancy

The child of [#12344] Joseph and Elizabeth (Roberts) Johnson [daughter of Alice Rambo, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123441. **DAVID JOHNSON** was born in 1808 and married MARGARET VAN **FOSSEN**.¹ She was born in 1808, the daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Been) VanFossen. The David Johnsons lived in Worcester Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, and in 1850 his mother Elizabeth lived with the family. David died in 1871, and Margaret died in 1881. They had these children:

1234411. NATHAN D. JOHNSON, b. ca 1836

1234412. HOPHNI V. JOHNSON, b. ca 1838, d. 1896, m. Elizabeth Shrawder

1234413. ELLEN J. JOHNSON, b. 1846

The children of [#12352] Thomas and Elizabeth (?) Rambo [son of Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. They resided in PA and Ohio. See *The Rambo Family Tree* by Kay Cook, published in 1987, for more about this family.

123521. **WILLIAM RAMBO** was born 19 Mar 1809 in Pennsylvania, and on 12 Feb 1832 he married MARY **JAMISON** in Muskingum Co., Ohio.^{2,3,4} She was born 18 Mar 1809 in Muskingum Co. William was one of the executors of his father's will in 1848.⁵ In 1850 William and Mary lived in Jefferson Township, Logan Co., Ohio where William was a farmer with property valued at \$3,000. Mrs. Mary Rambo died 11 Apr 1878, William died 16 Aug 1892, and they are buried in Northwood Cemetery, SE of Belle Center, Ohio.⁶ They had these children, all born in Ohio:⁷

1235211. MARGARET RAMBO, b. ca 1833, m. John Gebby Jr.

¹ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

² Muskingum County, Ohio, Probate Court Marriage Records vol. 1-2, p. 302

³ Muskingum County, Ohio, Probate Court Marriages, 1845-1848, 1806-1816, 1818-1840. LDS microfilm #910166

⁴ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 1 (Jan 1983), p. 13

⁵ Logan County, Ohio, Common Pleas Court, Book F, pp. 10-12, will of Thomas Rambo

⁶ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

⁷ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

- 1235212. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. ca 1836
- 1235213. DAVID RAMBO, b. ca 1838
- 1235214. REBECCA RAMBO, b. Dec 1838, d. 1926
- 1235215. JAMES J. RAMBO, b. 12 Jan 1843, m. 1) M. French, 2) Ellen Morrison
- 1235216. THOMAS RAMBO, b. ca 1845
- 1235217. JOHN CALVIN RAMBO, b. 22 Feb 1849, m. Martha Isabelle Shields

123522. **DAVID RAMBO** was born between 1810 and 1820 and married JANE **MAY** on 2 Jan 1840 in Logan Co., Ohio.^{1,2}

123523. **RUTH RAMBO** was named in her father's will dated 1843 and married ROBERT **MACKEY** on 15 Apr 1826.^{3,4} He was born about 1797 in Ireland. Ruth (Rambo) Mackey died sometime between 1844 and 1847. The Mackeys lived in Jefferson Township, Logan Co., Ohio. After the death of his wife, Mr. Mackey married Martha (?) who was born about 1818 in Ohio. Robert and Martha were the parents of two children: Emily b. 1845 and Martha b. Jan 1850. Ruth and Robert Mackey had these children:

- 1235231. WILLIAM MACKEY, b. ca 1830
- 1235232. DEBORAH MACKEY, b. ca 1832
- 1235233. THOMAS MACKEY, b. ca 1834
- 1235234. HANNAH MACKEY, b. ca 1834
- 1235235. MARY J. MACKEY, b. ca 1837
- 1235236. ALEX MACKEY, b. ca 1838
- 1235237. ELIJAH MACKEY, b. ca 1839
- 1235238. DAVID MACKEY, b. ca 1841
- 1235239. HARRIS MACKEY, b. ca 1843
- 123523A. JAMES MACKEY, b. ca 1844

123524. NANCY RAMBO was born about 1800 in Paris, Pennsylvania and married HUGH SELDERS on 25 Feb 1830 in Muskingum Co., Ohio.⁵ Hugh Selders served in the Civil War and died 27 Apr 1874. Nancy died 22 May 1875, perhaps in Logan Co., Ohio or Illinois. They had these children:⁶

- 1235241. ELIZABETH SELDERS, b. 28 Mar 1831, m. 1) Wood, 2) McMillan, 3) ...
- 1235242. MARY SELDERS, b. about 1835, m. Mr. Bruce
- 1235243. MARTHA SELDERS, m. Mr. Wilcox
- 1235244. JOHN SELDERS
- 1235245. ESTHER ANN SELDERS, m. David Logan

¹ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, Logan Co. marriages Book A: 178

³ Logan County, Ohio, Common Pleas Court, Book F, pp. 10-12, will of Thomas Rambo

⁴ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 1 (Jan 1983), p. 12

⁵ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 1 (Jan 1983), p. 12

⁶ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

1235246. NANCY SELDERS

1235247. HARVEY SELDERS, m. Emma Vance. He was a Mil. Capt. in Civil War 1235248. HUGH SELDERS

123525. MARY ANN RAMBO died before 1843 and had one or more children, but neither husband nor children were named in her father's will.¹

123526. ESTHER RAMBO also died before 1843 when her father's will specified that her heirs should be satisfied with the portion already given them.²

123527. THOMAS E. RAMBO Jr. was born 11 Nov 1819 in Ohio, and on 1 Nov 1845 in Logan Co., Ohio, he was married to MARY JANE HOUGE³ who was born 2 Nov 1823.⁴ Thomas was a farmer in Jefferson Township, Logan Co., Ohio in 1850 but lived in neighboring Allen Co. in 1860. After Mary Jane (Houge) Rambo died on 30 Nov 1858, Thomas married MARY JANE ASHING on 3 Apr 1860 in Allen Co.^{5,6,7} She was born in Ohio on 5 Apr 1838, a daughter of Samuel and Nancy (Yazel) Ashing. Thomas served as Sgt. in the Civil War, assigned to Co. E, 99th Ohio Infantry⁸ and Co. I, 50th Ohio Infantry.⁹ He was discharged at Wilmington, North Carolina on 15 Mar 1865. Thomas became a lawyer. He died of paralysis of the heart on 10 Jan 1886 in Auglaize Township, Allen County, and his widow filed for a pension. Mary Jane died of apparent apoplexy in Alger, Ohio on 20 Jun 1916 aged 78y 2m 15d. They are buried in Salem/Westminister Cemetery, Auglaize Township.¹⁰ See The Rambo Family Tree by Kay Cook. Thomas and Mary Jane (Houge) Rambo had these children:¹¹

1235271. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 13 Jul 1848, last heard of in Kansas in 1870

1235272. DAVID S. RAMBO, b. 18 Nov 1850, d. 9 Feb 1860

1235273. JASPER P. RAMBO, b. 13 Dec 1852, d. Jun 1924, m. Sarah J. Fredreck

1235274. BENTON HOGUE RAMBO, b. 27 May 1855, m. Margaret Beckem

1235275. MARY JANE RAMBO, b. 25 Nov 1858, m. Branson Holmes Lepley

Thomas and Mary Jane (Ashing) Rambo had these children:

1235276. NANCY C. RAMBO, b. 14 Jan 1861, d. 19 Oct 1861

1235277. WINFIELD SCOTT RAMBO, b. 17 Mar 1862, m. Estella Manahan

- 1235278. JAMES MELVIN RAMBO, b. 10 May 1865, m. 1) L. Guider, 2) L. (?)
- 1235279. GEORGIANA RAMBO, b. 8 Jul 1866, d. 17 Mar 1868

¹ Logan County, Ohio, Common Pleas Court, Book F, pp. 10-12, will of Thomas Rambo

² Logan County, Ohio, Common Pleas Court, Book F, pp. 10-12, will of Thomas Rambo

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, Logan County, Ohio marriages A:271

⁴ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

⁵ Kay Cook, *The Rambo Family Tree* (published by the author, Ada, Ohio, 1987), no page numbers

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH citing Allen Co., Ohio Probate 1:281; case #4024, *Lima Democrat News*; & pension application

Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

⁸ United States Veterans Administration, General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934. National Archives microfilm #T-288

⁹ John Dye and Judy Dye, Snaps and Scraps (Feb 1987), pp. 6-9, pictures, service record

¹⁰ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing obituary, copy of death certificate

¹¹ Kay Cook, *The Rambo Family Tree* (published by the author, Ada, Ohio, 1987), no page numbers

123527A. LIUNA RAMBO, b. 1 Jan 1868, d. Feb 1930, m. Cory S. Cookingham 123527B. SAMUEL ASHING RAMBO, b. 12 Apr 1869, m. Cora Ellen Smith 123527C. ALEXANDER HAMILTON RAMBO, b. 22 Mar 1873, m. Mrs. Sales 123527D. THOMAS HENRY RAMBO, b. 23 Aug 1875, m. Rebecca Jane Porter 123527E. NOAH RAMBO, b. 21 Sep 1877, m. 1) Pearl Stubbs, 2) Mrs. Porter 123527F. VASHTI RAMBO, b. 29 Mar 1880, d. 1965, m. William Henry Hughes

123528. JOHN RAMBO was named in his father's will, dated 1843.

123529. **HAMILTON RAMBO** was born about 1824 and was a farmer in Logan Co., Ohio in 1850. His mother, Elizabeth age 66, lived with the family. He married HANNAH (?) who was born about 1825 in Ohio. They moved to Iowa about 1857. Hannah died, and Hamilton married MARY JANE (?) who was born Nov 1839 in Ohio. They lived in Iowa where their children were born, then migrated to Lane Co., Oregon by 1880. Hamilton Rambo died prior to 1900. His widow, Mary Rambo, lived with her son George in 1900 and died in Lane Co. on 1 Mar 1909.¹ Hamilton and Hannah had one known child:

1235291. CALVIN RAMBO, b. Nov 1851, m. Martha E. (?)

Hamilton and Mary Jane Rambo had these children:

1235292. MATTIE RAMBO, b. Mar 1863

1235293. GEORGE RAMBO, b. Jan 1868, m. Elva (?)

1235294. WILLIAM S. RAMBO, b. Apr 1869, m. Lottie (?)

1235295. MAMIE RAMBO, b. ca 1875

12352A. **ELIZABETH RAMBO** was named in her father's will in 1843, and received the following share which equaled what her sisters had gotten: a horse, saddle, bridle, bureau, table, bed, bedding, a cow and heifer, five sheep, and \$70.00 cash.

The children of [#12353] David William and Mary (Rambo) Findley [daughter of Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123531. NANCY FINDLEY was born 25 Sep 1802. She married DAVID T. PORTER on 24 Feb 1824 in Mercer Co., Pennsylvania. He was born in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania on 26 May 1802, the son of Washington and Rachel (Shannon) Porter. Nancy Porter died on 2 Sep 1834 and David Porter married twice more. He was a merchant in in Sharon, Mercer Co., Pennsylvania. He was first a Democrat, then an Abolutionist, and finally a Republican. He was a member of the United Presbyterian Church and served as county treasurer, associate judge, and justice of the peace in Sharon. After Nancy Porter's death, David Porter married Sarah Satterfield on 16 Oct

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 3 (Nov 1984), citing Oregon death index

1837 and had three children before Sarah's death on 13 Feb 1845: James S. born about 1838, Nancy F. born about 1842, and Sarah S. born about 1845. On 16 Nov 1845, Judge Porter married Ann Hazleton, and their three children were Thomas H. born 1847, Ann E. born 1849, and Mary T. Porter. David Porter died in Sharon on 21 Feb 1876, and his widow Ann Porter survived until 22 Sep 1883. David and Nancy Porter had these children:¹

- 1235311. DAVID FINDLEY PORTER, d. before 1886
- 1235312. GEORGE WASHINGTON PORTER, b. 26 May 1826, m. Sarah A. Parker
- 1235313. WILLIAM PORTER
- 1235314. RACHEL PORTER, d. before 1886

123532. **MARY FINDLEY** was born about 1801 and never married. She lived in Mercer Co. in 1850 with her brother John, his family, and Mary Junkin, age 68. Her mother Mary Findley may have married Mr. Junkin after the death of her husband, as the family was related to the Junkins by marriage.²

123533. **JOHN FINDLEY** was born about 1805 and married SARAH (?). He went to California seeking his fortune in the 1849 gold rush but returned to his wife and children in Mercer Co., Pennsylvania where he later died.³ They had these children:

1235331. ELIZABETH FINDLEY, b. ca 1846

1235332. MARY R. FINDLEY, b. ca 1848

123534. **WILLIAM FINDLEY** became a hatter but left home suddenly and never returned.

123535. **DAVID FINDLEY** was born 3 Jan 1810 in Mercer Co. He was known as Judge Findley and died in Mercer Co., Pennsylvania on 30 Dec 1887, nearly 78 years old.⁴ He lived in Findley Township, Mercer Co. where he was a farmer with property valued at \$4,500 in 1850. He apparently married twice, but the name of his first wife is not known. He married second, GRACE (?) who was born about 1817. David and his first wife had these children:

1235351. JAMES G. D. FINDLEY, b. ca 1834

- 1235352. THOMAS S. C. FINDLEY, b. ca 1836
- 1235353. JOHN FINDLEY, b. ca 1838
- 1235354. MARY E. FINDLEY, b. ca 1841

David and Grace had one known child:

^{1235355.} JANE FINDLEY, b. ca Feb 1850

¹ William S. Garvin, *History of Mercer County, Pennsylvania* (Chicago: Brown, Runk & Co., Publishers, 1889), pp. 748-750

² William S. Garvin, *History of Mercer County, Pennsylvania* (Chicago: Brown, Runk & Co., Publishers, 1889), p. 527

³ William S. Garvin, History of Mercer County, Pennsylvania (Chicago: Brown, Runk & Co., Publishers, 1889), p. 662

⁴ William S. Garvin, *History of Mercer County, Pennsylvania* (Chicago: Brown, Runk & Co., Publishers, 1889), p. 662

The children of [#12354] Peter and Elizabeth (?) Rambo [son of Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary J., Nancy, and another girl and a boy. They resided in Coshocton Co., Ohio.

123542. MARY J. RAMBO was born between 1815 and 1820 and married JAMES DONALDSON on 22 Oct 1846 in Coshocton Co., Ohio.¹

123544. NANCY RAMBO was born between 1820 and 1825. She married JAMES LOVE in Coshocton Co. on 21 Oct 1858.²

The child of [#12355] James and Nancy (Rambo) Young [daughter of Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123551. **DAVID FINLEY YOUNG** was born 2 Oct 1810 in Mercer Co., Ohio. He married ELEANOR **McMEEKEN**, his second wife, on 8 Feb 1844 in Ashland Co., Ohio.³ She was born about 1824. They moved to Iowa sometime between 1854 and 1858. David died 17 Oct 1899 in Hartford, Iowa. They had these children:

- 1235511. MARGARET YOUNG, b. ca 1852
- 1235512. JANE YOUNG, b. ca 1854
- 1235513. ELLA YOUNG, b. ca 1858
- 1235514. IDA YOUNG, b. ca 1860
- 1235515. EDGAR YOUNG, b. ca 1862
- 1235516. ALTHA YOUNG, b. ca 1865

The children of [#1235A] David and Sarah (Moore) Rambo [son of Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Nancy, William and Margaret Jane. They resided in Mercer Co., PA.

1235A3. **MARGARET JANE RAMBO** was born 30 Nov 1845 in Mercer Co. In 1867, she married GEORGE MICHAEL **ZAHNISER** who was born 7 Sep 1841.⁴ In 1880 her mother, Sarah Rambo, lived with the family. George died on 20 Oct 1916 in Fredonia, Pennsylvania, and Margaret remarried. She died 1 May 1920. George and Margaret had these children:

1235A31. MALINDA S. ZAHNISER, b. 1868, m. Wesley W. Whieldon

1235A32. SARAH E. ZAHNISER, b. ca 1874, m. D. A. Brown

¹ Miriam C. Hunter, Marriages Coshocton County, Ohio, 1811-1930, vol. 1 (Coshocton Public Library, 1967), pp. 95, 213

² Miriam C. Hunter, *Marriages Coshocton County, Ohio, 1811-1930*, vol. 1 (Coshocton Public Library, 1967), pp. 95, 213

³ Pat Montgomery, family records, Newton, IA 50208

⁴ Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 158, 1920 (1937), p. 49

The child of [#12421] Samuel Thomas and Nancy (Rambo) McCall [daughter of Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

124211. **JAMES McCALL** was a farmer born 14 Aug 1819 in Washington Co., Virginia. He married MARY JANE **LARIMORE** there on 15 Feb 1841.^{1,2} She was born 6 Jan 1819, daughter of Robt. and Sally Larimer, and died of dysentry at the age of 36 on 5 Jun 1855. She was buried in the Rock Spring Cemetery along with others of the family.³ After Jane's death, James was married to CHARLOTTE MELISSA **WEST** on 20 Nov 1855 in Washington Co. Charlotte was born in Surrey Co., North Carolina on 18 Feb 1833, daughter of Nathaniel and Charlotte West.⁴ James died 11 Apr 1891, and Charlotte died 7 Dec 1910. Both were buried in the Rock Spring Cemetery.⁵ James and Mary Jane McCall lived in Washington Co., Virginia and had these children:

- 1242111. JOHN MONTGOMERY McCALL, b. 31 Mar 1842, m. Margaret Reed
- 1242112. WILLIAM McCALL, b. ca 1843
- 1242113. SAMUEL McCALL, b. 12 Oct 1845, m. 1) R. Larimer, 2) M. Richards
- 1242114. NATHAN MATHEW McCALL, b. ca 1847, m. Ann Hockett
- 1242115. SARAH McCALL, b. Mar 1849
- 1242116. THOMAS M. McCALL, b. ca 1852, m. Margaret Hickock
- 1242117. NANCY JANE McCALL, b. 17 Apr 1854
- 1242118. ROBERT McCALL, b. Sep 1855, m. Rosa Edmondson

James and Charlotte were the parents of these children:

- 1242119. ELIZABETH McCALL, b. 8 Sep 1856
- 124211A. ANDREW McCALL, b. 30 Sep 1858
- 124211B. RACHEL McCALL, b. 16 Feb 1861, d. 15 Sep 1883
- 124211C. JAMES McCALL, b. ca 1864
- 124211D. LEWIN N. McCALL, b. ca 1867
- 124211E. ARTHUR A. McCALL, b. 1870, m. Ora Mountain
- 124211F. BETSEY McCALL, b. 8 Oct 1874, d. 20 Jun 1881

The children of [#12422] Elias and Elizabeth (Kincannon) Rambo [son of Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. See Donald C. Jeter's article in the *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21: pp. 19-27. Thanks to Judy Dye for sending me a copy.

124221. FRANCIS KINCANNON RAMBO was born 26 Nov 1805 in Virginia and

⁴ Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 224

¹ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages D-M through 1902, p. 297

² Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 225

³ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 208

⁵ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 208

was named for his grandfather, Francis Kincannon.¹ On 24 Jul 1828, he married MARY BURGESS **HARDEN** in Bedford Co., Tennessee [now Marshall Co.]. She was born 1 Jan 1809, a daughter of Thomas Henry and Lucy (Nowlin) Harden. In 1838, her father gave his two daughters 113 acres on the headwaters of Rock Creek. The Rambos lived in Lewisburg, Marshall Co., Tennessee with real property valued at \$10,000 in 1870. In the census taken that year a George Rambo, age 50, lived with the elderly couple and was listed as an "idiot". In the 1870s, Francis sold each of his six younger sons a piece of his land, and excused \$500 of the payment. Francis Rambo died 8 Oct 1877 and left Mary 101 acres of land for her dower, 75 acres of which remained at her death 17 Mar 1899. They had the following children:²

1242211. MARTIN VAN BUREN RAMBO, b. 6 Jan 1830, m. Tarissa F. Talley

1242212. ELIAS K. RAMBO, b. 18 Feb 1832, m. 1) McConnell, 2) Williams, 3)..

- 1242213. THOMAS H. RAMBO, b. 15 Apr 1834, d. 17 Nov 1862
- 1242214. BENJAMIN F. RAMBO, b. 27 Oct 1836, m. 1) A. Wilson, 2) S. Luna
- 1242215. DAVID RAMBO, b. 28 Dec 1839, d. Mar 1900, m. Elizabeth B. Webster
- 1242216. JOHN F. RAMBO, b. 17 Aug 1842, d. 1888, m. Barsheba Arzella Russell
- 1242217. FRANCIS KINCANNON RAMBO, b. 28 Aug 1845, d. 25 Oct 1863
- 1242218. BRYANT W. RAMBO, b. 12 Feb 1847, d. Sep 1866, m. Nancy Stilwell
- 1242219. WILLIAM WORTH RAMBO, b. 3 Jul 1849, m. 1) D. Rone, 2) L. Collins
- 124221A. GEORGE W. RAMBO, b. 3 Jul 1851, d. 4 May 1932, m. Elizah J. Welch
- 124221B. LUCY ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 11 Mar 1855, d. 3 Jul 1855

124222. MARTHA RAMBO was born about 1808 and married MURDOCK McKENZIE MALONE in 1830. He was born in North Carolina about 1808. They moved to Pulaski, Giles Co., Tennessee after 1860. Martha died after 1872. They had these children:³

- 1242221. WM. A. MALONE, b. ca 1831, m. Harriett Luna
- 1242222. ELIAS RAMBO MALONE, b. ca 1835, m. Rebecca Ann Haislip
- 1242223. JOHN S. MALONE, b. ca 1838, m. Emaline Luna
- 1242224. MURDOCK McKENSIE MALONE Jr, b. 24 Oct 1840, m. Sarah J. Harris
- 1242225. GEORGE W. B. MALONE, b. 1850

124223. **ELIZABETH H. RAMBO** was born 17 Sep 1811 in Tennessee. She married HARVEY BIRCH **WELCH** on 26 Dec 1830 in Bedford Co., Tennessee.⁴ He was born in North Carolina on 2 Jul 1805. The family moved to the South Berlin - Silver Creek area of Marshall Co., Tennessee between 1844 and 1853. Harvey died 4 Jul 1860, and Elizabeth died 28 Jul 1891. They and several of their children are buried in the Welch Cemetery. The family Bible records these children:⁵

¹ Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 105

² "Rambo Bible," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 5, p. 23 & vol. 21, pp. 20-23

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), pp. 23-24

⁴ Lucy Rambo Bates, Trona, CA, family records

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

1242231. WILLIAM HARVEY WELCH, b. 23 Oct 1831, d. 7 Nov 1831

- 1242232. ELIAS S. WELCH, b. 21 Mar 1833, d. 13 Apr 1854, buried Welch Cem.
 - 1242233. CHARLES F. WELCH, b. 5 Jan 1835, d. 21 Oct 1844
 - 1242234. WILLIAM HARVEY WELCH, b. 17 Jan 1837, m. 1) Leonard, 2) Johnson
 - 1242235. JOHN B. WELCH, b. 3 Mar 1839, d. 2 May 1853, buried Welch Cem.
 - 1242236. ELIZABETH W. WELCH, b. 3 Apr 1841, m. Charles James Crutcher
 - 1242237. MARY H. WELCH, b. 20 Oct 1843, d. 1908, m. John J. LaFayette Bryant
 - 1242238. MARTHA ANN WELCH, b. 14 Apr 1846, m. Wm Frederick Finley
 - 1242239. SARAH F. WELCH, b. 29 Dec 1849, m. George W. Rone
 - 124223A. ELIZA J. WELCH, b. 12 Apr 1852, m. George W. Rambo [#124221A]
 - 124223B. GEORGE W. WELCH, b. 10 Apr 1855, d. 1914, m. Elizabeth F. Barron

124224. **MARGARET E. RAMBO** was born about 1815 in Tennessee and married JAMES E. **SANSOM** who was born about 1810 in TN. They were in Lincoln Co., TN in 1850, Marshall Co., TN in 1860, and Gibson Co., TN by 1872. On 19 Oct 1869, James E. Sansom, wife Margaret, and all their children signed a deed selling 94 acres in Marshall Co. to James Cochran for \$1,800, which deed was recorded 10 Jun 1870:¹

- 1242241. SAMUEL D. SANSOM, b. ca 1834, m. Frances E. Page
- 1242242. ELIZABETH J. SANSOM, b. ca 1836, unmarried in 1870
- 1242243. ELIZA R. SANSOM, b. ca 1838, unmarried in 1870
- 1242244. MARY ANN SANSOM, b. ca 1840, unmarried in 1870
- 1242245. ELIAS M. SANSOM, b. ca 1842, Pvt. in Co. C, 17 Inf CSA
- 1242246. CAROLINE F. SANSOM, b. ca 1844, m. Thomas White
- 1242247. GEORGE W. J. SANSOM, b. ca 1850
- 1242248. SARAH F. SANSOM, b. ca 1853

124225. **MARY ANN RAMBO** was born 22 Dec 1818 in Indiana and married RICHARD **DAUGHERTY** on 4 Apr 1838 in Marshall Co., Tennessee. He was born about 1804 and died before 1900. Mary died on 10 Dec 1844 and is buried in the Hardin/Rambo Cemetery. After Mary's death, Richard married Lucy Wood second, on 12 May 1846 in Marshall Co. Lucy was born in Kentucky in Oct 1819, and died after 1900. Mary and Richard had these children:²

- 1242251. BASIL MANLEY DAUGHERTY, b. ca 1839, m. M. J. Haislip
- 1242252. GEORGE W. DAUGHERTY, b. ca 1841, d. before 1872
- 1242253. MARY E. DAUGHERTY, b. 18 Jul 1843, d. 1925, m. Levi Monroe Cook

124226. **ELIAS RAMBO** Jr. was born about 1820 in Bedford Co., Tennessee and married MARY T. **HARDEN** on 15 Dec 1842. She was born in North Carolina about 1820, a daughter of John L. and Mary (Tilman) Harden. A Marshall County Tennessee

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

Chancery court paper filed in 1843 confirms these facts.¹ They lived in Marshall Co., not far from his brother Francis. Elias Jr. died in 1865, and Mary died 8 Oct 1877.² It is believed that they were buried in the old Rambo cemetery on Elk Ridge on the old Elias Rambo farm, but neither cemetery nor gravestones can now be found. Elias and Mary had the following children:³

1242261. DAVID HENRY RAMBO, b. 19 Oct 1844, m. Mary Jane (Bills) Davis

1242262. WILLIAM WALLACE RAMBO, b. 23 Oct 1845, m. Marina J. Beard

1242263. ELIAS MARTIN RAMBO, b. ca 1848, m. Tennessee Lewis

1242264. MARTHA ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. ca May 1850, m. R. L. Taylor

1242265. MARY ANN RAMBO, b. ca 1853, m. John H. Nichols

1242266. GEORGE W. RAMBO, b. ca 1855

1242267. LUCY FRANCES RAMBO, b. ca 1857, m. C. F. Cook

1242268. MARGARET ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. ca Oct 1859, d. before 1863

124227. **THOMAS RAMBO** was born between 1810 and 1820. In 1840, a Thomas Rambo and wife under age 30, lived in Bedford Co., Tennessee. In 1870 they may have lived in Marshall Co., Tennessee, where T. W. Rambo was a blacksmith, had wife M. S. age 54, and a son J. R. who was also a blacksmith, age 21.

1242271. J. R. RAMBO, b. ca 1849

The children of [#12424] John and Dorcus (Davis) Rambo [son of Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. They resided Washington Co., Virginia.

124241. **JOHN RAMBO** Jr. was a farmer born about 1818 in Washington Co., Virginia. He married ISABELLA **NEAL** who was born about 1820. She was the daughter of Bartholomew and Lydia (Varnum) Neal and was bequeathed 52 acres of land in Washington Co. according to her father's will, proved 23 Oct 1849.(Washington Co. will book 11:234) In the 1850 census, the John Rambo family lived with Lydia Neal, age 60, and her two young sons. The Rambos probably left Virginia since they were not enumerated there in the 1860 census. John and Isabella had these children:

- 1242411. LYDIA RAMBO, b. ca 1840
- 1242412. DORCAS RAMBO, b. ca 1842
- 1242413. BARTHOLOMEW RAMBO, b. ca 1844, m. Margaret Couch
- 1242414. AMANDA RAMBO, b. ca 1846

124242. **DAVID RAMBO** was born 11 Oct 1822 and married, but the name of his wife is not known. On 24 Mar 1849 in Washington Co., Virginia, he married REBECCA JANE **MOCK** who was born in Washington County on 25 Jun 1832, daughter of Henry

¹ Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 20, p. 98

² L. Len Clardy, Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills (1992), p. 42

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

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and Nancy (Gibbs) Mock.¹ During the Civil War, David Rambo served in the Confederate Army as a Pvt. in Co. F, 21st Virginia Cavalry.² After the war, the family lived in Mock's Mill, Glade Spring Township, Washington Co., Virginia where David died of consumption on 27 May 1871 at the age of 48y 7m 16d.³ He was buried in Wright's Chapel Cemetery.⁴ Rebecca (Mock) Rambo married James Morrison of Johnson Co., Tennessee on 3 Apr 1879 and Andrew Edmondson on 20 Jul 1899. She died 14 Aug 1908 in Missouri. David Rambo and his first wife had these children:

1242421. HARRIET RAMBO, b. ca 1844

1242422. DELILA RAMBO, b. ca 1846

1242423. JOHN RAMBO, b. ca 1848

David and Rebecca Rambo had these children:

1242424. DAVID RAMBO, b. ca 1852 in TN

1242425. MARY RAMBO, b. ca 1859 in VA

The will of David Rambo was dated 23 May 1871, proved 27 Jul 1871, and is recorded in Washington Co. will book 17, page 575 as follows:

"In the name of God Amen

I David Rambo of County of Washington and State of Virginia being of Sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life do therefore make and ordain publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, that is to say First after all my lawful debts are paid and discharged. If my personal property is not Sufficient to pay all the lawful debts against me. I desire that so much of the west end of the tract of land that I now possess and known as a part of the John Rambo land lying in the county of washington and State of Virginia as is Sufficient to be sold to Satisfy the Same, Farther that after Said land is duly advertized to be Sold on the premises. The residue of my Estate real and personal I give and bequeath to my beloved wife during the term of her natural life and after her death to Milton F. Mock

May 23rd 1871 In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal the fifteenth day of may in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and Seventy one.

David Rambo

The above written instrument was Subscribed by the Said David Rambo in our presents and acknowledged by him to each of us and he at the same time published and declared the above instrument so subscribed to be his last will and testament and we at the testators request and in his presence have signed our name as witness hereto Daniel W. Mock, John W. Mock."

124243. WILLIAM DAVIS RAMBO was a farmer born in Washington Co., Virginia on 24 Sep 1828 and married there to REBECCA JANE WRIGHT on 31 Aug 1858.^{5,6} She was born 4 Apr 1831 to John Montgomery and Ruth T. (Harris) Wright, and died 26 Jan 1859.⁷ William Rambo served in the Washington County Militia during the Civil

¹ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 390

² United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

³ D. E. Brown, The Unfiled Death Records of Washington County, Virginia 1865-1896 (1999), #1980-1982.

⁴ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 225

⁵ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 391

⁶ Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 294

⁷ Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 94

War.¹ William married widower MARY ANN **WIDENER** on 12 Jan 1864 in Washington Co.² She was born about 1840, the daughter of Reuben and Lucinda Widener, and received a bequest in Reuben's will proved 25 Mar 1889.(Washington Co. will book 23:307) She is the Mary A. Rambo buried in Wright's Chapel 1840-1918. William died 16 May 1895 and was buried in Wright's Chapel Cemetery.³ The inventory valued his estate at \$340 including 7 cattle, 18 sheep, 2 horses, plows, a cider mill, 24 stands of bees, etc.(Washington Co. will book 25:323,330) William and Mary Ann had these children, with son John born in Glade Spring Township:

- 1242431. NANCY FLORENCE RAMBO, b. Nov 1864, d. 1944 unmarried
- 1242432. DORCUS ELLEN RAMBO, b. 1865, d. 1917 unmarried
- 1242433. MARTHA J. RAMBO, b. ca 1867
- 1242434. SARAH E. RAMBO, b. ca 1869, m. William D. Hand
- 1242435. JOHN FRANKLIN RAMBO, b. May 1870, d. 1944, m. Nora Vail
- 1242436. JAMES W. RAMBO, b. Mar 1873
- 1242437. ALICE B. RAMBO, b. Oct 1878
- 1242438. LILLIE MAY RAMBO, b. 21 Feb 1880, d. 3 Mar 1917, m. John W. Scott

In the settlement of the estate in 1896, May A. Rambo received \$151; John \$289.70; James W. \$251.29; Florence \$289.70; and Ellen \$49.88. Martha, Sarah and Alice are not mentioned.(book 26:133)

124244. **EZEKIEL RAMBO** was born about 1831. He married SOPHIA ANN **NEAL** on 23 Dec 1851 in Washington Co., Virginia.⁴ They lived in Marshall Co., Tennessee in 1860. She was a daughter of Samuel P. Neal whose estate settlement is recorded in Washington Co. will books 14:195, 15:200, and 21:302, circa 1856. John L. Rambo was administrator of the estate.

124245. **SAMUEL RAMBO** was born about 1834. He married MARTHA E. (?) who was born about 1842, and the family lived in Marshall Co., Tennessee in 1860. They had one known child:

1242451. MARY RAMBO, b. 1859

The children of [#12425] Moses and Nancy (Burgess) Rambo [son of Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Thomas H., Ezekiel, Elias, Mary, David, and an unknown female. They resided in Kentucky.

124251. **THOMAS H. RAMBO** was born about 1816-17 in Tennessee, although 1818 was the birthdate on his tombstone.⁵ He married SARAH C. **BRINEY** who was born

¹ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

² Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 392

³ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 225

⁴ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 390

⁵ Mrs. Phyllis Simmons, Hickman, KY 42050, family records

about 1829 and probably was the daughter of David and Sarah (Miller) Briney of Ballard Co., Kentucky. The Brineys were Germans who originally spelled the name as "Breunig" or "Brinig". Peter Briney was listed in the 1800 Census of Westmoreland Co., PA and in Nelson Co., KY at the time of the 1810 Census. Peter had six sons; among them were David, Henry, John, and Solomon who lived in Nelson Co., KY in 1830.¹ Thomas and Sarah Rambo had 7 children and lived in Hickman Co., Kentucky.² Thomas was a farmer, and he died from drinking poisoned water on 31 July 1866 and is buried in the Rambo family cemetery, according to family sources.³ Sarah Rambo married J. J. Jackson on 5 Apr 1870. She died four years later on 22 Dec 1874 and is buried in Milburn Cemetery, Carlisle Co., Kentucky. Thomas and Sarah Rambo had these children:

1242511. ELIAS WILLIAM RAMBO, b. Jul 1848, d. ca 1910, m. Martha Dodson

- 1242512. MARY JANE RAMBO, b. 22 Nov 1853, m. James O'Neal
- 1242513. JOHN DAVID RAMBO, b. 12 Nov 1856, m. 1) O'Neal, 2) Robinson
- 1242514. AUGUSTA RAMBO, b. 18 Aug 1860, d. 18 Jan 1869
- 1242515. SOLOMON M. RAMBO, b. 3 Dec 1861
- 1242516. BUENAVISTA RAMBO, b. 4 Mar 1866, d. Mar 1894, m. Jeff L. Ledford

124252. EZEKIEL RAMBO was born 29 Oct 1818 in Tennessee, and moved to Kentucky with his parents before 1830. On 28 May 1846, he married LOUISA JONES in Mississippi Co., Missouri. She was born 29 Sep 1829.⁴ They lived in Hickman Co. where Ezekiel operated his farm. He died on 12 Feb 1879 and Mrs. Louisa Rambo died

- 21 Feb 1898. Both were buried in Pleasant Valley Cemetery.⁵ They had these children:
 - 1242521. ALBERT NEWTON RAMBO, b. Apr 1847, d. 7 Dec 1906, m. Endora (?)
 - 1242522. MARY D. RAMBO, b. ca 1850, m. 1) Samuel S. Kirby, 2) Mr. Bone
 - 1242523. NANCY ANN RAMBO, b. ca 1852, m. 1) Willis, 2) Americus Johnson
 - 1242524. SARAH ELIZBETH RAMBO, b. 15 Jan 1854, m. William Berry
 - 1242525. JAMES E. RAMBO, b. 14 Sep 1856, d. 15 Nov 1857
 - 1242526. ELIZA J. RAMBO, b. 18 May 1858, d. 7 Sep 1881, m. W. M. Watts
 - 1242527. RHODA E. RAMBO, b. ca 1865, m. 1) W. Latham, 2) M. L. Johnson
 - 1242528. ENDORA J. RAMBO, b. ca 1866, m. Mr. Hopkins
 - 1242529. JULIA FLORIDA RAMBO, b. 16 Apr 1867, m. Edmond Taylor Brooks
 - 124252A. MINNIE OLLIE RAMBO, b. ca 1869, m. Richard Thomas Courtney

124253. ELIAS RAMBO was born in 1821 in Tennessee and married MARGARET FRETT HICKERSON who was born about 1835. She was the daughter of Shelton and Martha (Thorpe) Hickerson of Hickman Co., Kentucky. Elias died 27 Oct 1877, at the age of 56, while Margaret died between 1900 and 1910. In 1900 she was head of the household, and her adult children Moses, Nancy, Thomas, and Mary lived at home with

- ² Hickman County, Kentucky, "Vital Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm # 1191. [Obsolete film number.] ³ Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records
- ⁴ Hickman County, Kentucky, "Vital Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm # 1191. [Obsolete film number.]
- ⁵ Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

Esther Chu, Briney Families, 1713-1976 (printed 1976), pp. 1, 25

her in Hickman Co. Elias and Margaret had these children:

- 1242531. MOSES SHELTON RAMBO, b. 12 Dec 1852, m. Mattie C. O'Daniel
- 1242532. NANCY E. RAMBO, b. Jan 1854, m. Lewis Jackson
- 1242533. MARY F. RAMBO, b. 20 Jan 1856, d. Jun 1911, m. James Isaac Dodson
- 1242534. FREDONIA RAMBO, b. 14 Jul 1861, m. James C. Baker
- 1242535. THOMAS CHRISTOPHER RAMBO, b. 1 Mar 1862
- 1242536. SARAH ELLEN RAMBO, b. ca 1865
- 1242537. EZEKIEL RAMBO, b. 20 Dec 1865, d. 18 Sep 1938 unmarried
- 1242538. MELISSA S. (L?) RAMBO, b. ca 1869
- 1242539. GEORGE DAVID RAMBO, b. 1 May 1876, d. 1957, m. Docie Vivette

124254. **MARY RAMBO** was born about 1825. She married WILLIAM **BARLOW** on 14 Oct 1854 in Hickman Co., Kentucky.^{1,2}

124255. **DAVID RAMBO** was born about 1827. He married EDA ELLEN **HOUSE** on 11 Oct 1854.³ She was born about 1835 to 1838 and survived David who died before 1880. They lived in Hickman Co., Kentucky and had these children:

- 1242551. THOMAS H. RAMBO, b. ca 1855
- 1242552. SARAH A. RAMBO, b. ca 1859, m. William Hobbs
- 1242553. JAMES L. RAMBO, b. ca 1861
- 1242554. NANCY BELLE RAMBO, b. ca 1864, m. S. D. Day
- 1242555. ELIZA RAMBO, b. ca 1866
- 1242556. MARGARET E. RAMBO, b. ca 1867
- 1242557. MARY J. RAMBO, b. ca 1870
- 1242558. JOHN W. RAMBO, b. Aug 1872, m. Alice (?)

The child of [#12425] Moses and Julia (Gholson) Rambo, his second wife.

124257. **ANN RAMBO** married WILLIAM H. **JOHNSON** first and HARVEY BENJAMIN **HUGHES** second.⁴ William and Ann Johnson had three children:⁵

- 1242571. MARCUS LAFAYETTE JOHNSON, m. Rhoda Rambo [#1242527]
- 1242572. AMERICUS JOHNSON, m. Nancy Ann Rambo [#1242523]
- 1242573. JOSEPHINE JOHNSON, m. John Thomas Courtney

The children of [#12426] John and Elizabeth (Rambo)(Lindsey) Wilson, her second husband, [daughter of Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

² Carlisle County, Kentucky, County Clerk, Vital Records

³ Carlisle County, Kentucky, County Clerk, Vital Records

⁴ Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

⁵ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records, letter of Jun 2000

124262. **HEZEKIAH WILSON** was born between 1822 and 1826 and married M. JANE **RUDY** 12 Sep 1841 in Johnson Co., Tennessee. She was born between 1818 and 1820. They had these children:¹

- 1242621. WILLIAM WILSON, b. 1841
- 1242622. HARRIET WILSON, b. 1842
- 1242623. DELILAH WILSON, b. 1844
- 1242624. JOHN A. WILSON, b. 21 Jul 1849, m. Mrs. Louisa A. (Mink) Rambo
- 1242625. NANCY J. WILSON, b. 29 Mar 1859.²
- 1242626. DAVID N. WILSON, b. 2 Aug 1859, d. 18 Sep 1918, m. Milla E. Gilbert
- 1242627. MARY JANE WILSON, b. 1861
- 1242628. ELIZABETH E. WILSON, b. ca 1862/3, m. James C. Reece

124263. **DAVID RAMBO WILSON** was a farmer born in Johnson Co., Tennessee on 18 Sep 1827.^{3,4} He resided in Johnson Co., Tennessee when he married NANCY SUSANNAH **WRIGHT** on 14 Sep 1858 in Washington Co., Virginia.⁵ She was born 20 May 1838, the daughter of John M. and Ruth (Harris) Wright of Washington Co. The marriage record gives his age as 28y 9m 24d.⁶ David Rambo Wilson built a log home near Damascus, Virginia in 1892. He died 1 Aug 1882, Nancy died 24 May 1920, and they are buried at Wright's Chapel Cemetery, as are several of their children.⁷ David R. and Nancy had twelve children:

- 1242631. JAMES HUGH WILSON, b. 31 May 1859, m. Lula Wright
- 1242632. RUTH ANN WILSON, b. 6 Oct 1860, d. 10 Oct 1862
- 1242633. JOHN BRUNER WILSON, b. 26 May 1861, d. 1930, m. Laura Alice Neal
- 1242634. VIRGINIA ELIZABETH WILSON, b. 1 Sep 1863, d. 3 Feb 1941
- 1242635. MARGARET JANE WILSON, b. 7 May 1865, m. William J. Cornet
- 1242636. MARY CATHERINE WILSON, b. 23 May 1867, m. Dustin Millsap
- 1242637. MARTHA E. WILSON, b. 10 Dec 1868, d. 1893, m. Harmon Jones Baker
- 1242638. DAVID JEFFERSON WILSON, b. 27 Dec 1871, d. 1953 unmarried
- 1242639. ISAAC MACK R. WILSON, b. 23 Aug 1873, d. Oct 1942, m. Pearl Lane
- 124263A. WILLIAM ALLEN PATERSON WILSON, b. 14 Apr 1877, m. Wright
- 124263B. SAMUEL W. CLINTON WILSON, b. 15 May 1880, d. 6 Nov 1900
- 124263C. M. F. WILSON, b. 23 Apr 1882, d. 28 Oct 1882

124264. **JOHN M. WILSON** was born 3 Feb 1834 and married MARY E. **NEELY** 19 Aug 1851 in Washington Co., Virginia.⁸ She was born 3 Nov 1833. The family appears in the 1860 and 1880 census of Washington Co., Virginia. John died 8 Jul 1903, and

¹ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002

² Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records

³ Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 94, pictures pp. 93, 99

⁴ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

⁵ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 503

⁶ Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 398

⁷ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 225

⁸ Virginia C. Smith, Cornett (printed 1984), p. 96a

Mary died 17 Feb 1917. They had these children:¹

- 1242641. WILLIAM WILSON, b. 1852
- 1242642. DAVID WILSON, b. 1 Apr 1853, d. Jul 1853 age 1y 1m
- 1242643. ISAAC L. WILSON, b. 2 Jul 1854, m. Minerva Widener
- 1242644. MARGARET J. WILSON, b. 15 Oct 1856, m. William J. Widener
- 1242645. MARY J. WILSON, b. 1 Feb 1857
- 1242646. ELIZABETH V. WILSON, b. 12 Jan 1858, m. Andrew B. Widener

124265. **NANCY WILSON** was born about 1826 in Tennessee and married ISAAC ALLEN **GRANT** who was born about 1817. Isaac died in Washington Co., Virginia on 11 Feb 1892 of cramp colic at the age of 73y 9m, as reported by his wife, Nancy.² The 1880 census recorded three grandchildren living with them: Laura, Florence and Bud Hand, aged 9, 5 and 2, all born in Virginia. The Isaac Grants lived in Washington Co. and had these known children:

1242651. GARDINER GRANT, b. 1847, d. 1912, m. Virginia Morefield

1242652. JANE GRANT, b. 1849

1242653. MILLIE GRANT, b. ca 1852

124266. **ELIZABETH WILSON** was born about 1831, probably near Damascus, Virginia.³ She married LEONARD NAPOLEAN **SPEER** on 6 May 1852 in Johnson Co., Tennessee. He was born 18 Sep 1833 in Lodi, VA, the son of James and Elizabeth (Shoun) Speer. Leonard died 21 Feb 1887 at Varnell, Georgia. Elizabeth (Wilson) Speer died 16 Mar 1893, and they were buried in the Varnell Cemetery. They had these children:

1242661. JOHN ALEXANDER SPEER, b. 21 Dec 1851, m. Harriet McGaughy

- 1242662. DAVID ARTHUR SPEER, b. 2 Feb 1854, m. Sarah Ann Kirkpatrick
- 1242663. MOSE W. SPEER, b. ca 1856
- 1242664. COLUMBIA SPEER, b. ca 1860, m. Walter Smith
- 1242665. WILLIAM BANKS SPEER, b. ca 1863

1242666. LAURA SPEER, b. ca 1866, m. Mr. Davis

- 1242667. JOSEPH OWEN SPEER, b. 7 May 1857, d. 21 Sep 1860
- 1242668. MINNIE SPEER, b. ca 1873, m. Charles Tendall

124267. **SARAH MELINDA WILSON** was born in Damascus, Virginia 15 Mar 1836. She was a favorite aunt of Mary "Dolly" (Cornett) Garretts [#12426351] until one day the young child saw Melinda take out her dentures and clean them. Dolly thought her aunt "had pulled part of her insides out."

¹ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002

² Deborah Campbell Moore and Doris Galliher Stephens, Washington Co., VA. Births & Deaths 1853-1892 (1984), p. 189

³ Nona Nunnelly, Muncie, IN 47304, family records

The children of [#12428] David and Matilda (Kelley) Rambo [son of Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. They lived Washington Co., Virginia.

124281. **CATHERINE RAMBO** is believed to be one of their children who was born about 1829.

124282. **JAMES KELLY RAMBO** was a merchant born about 27 Jun 1831 in Washington Co., Virginia. He married VIRGINIA ELEANOR **EDMONDSON** there on 28 Oct 1861 when he was aged 30y 4m 1d. She was born 15 Mar 1835, the daughter of Col. Robert Buchanan and Nancy Dysart (Beattie) Edmondson.^{1,2} During the Civil War, James K. Rambo served as a Cpl in 2 Co. D, 1st Virginia Cavalry, Sgt. Capt. King's Virginia Light Artillery, and Capt. Quartermaster, General & Staff Officers Corps.³ After the war, James Rambo was a drygoods merchant in Glade Springs, Virginia in 1870. In 1892, James K. and Andrew F. Rambo attended a reunion of Co. D.⁴ James and Virginia had these children:

1242821. THOMAS BUCHANAN RAMBO, b. ca 1865, m. Anna Dopf

1242822. NANCY MATILDA (Met) RAMBO, b. 1870, m. Ambrose Pyles

124285. **JEMIMAH (Minna) RAMBO** was born about 1835 and married JOSEPH **COLE** who died in 1871. Their children settled in the west.⁵

124286. **SAMUEL KELLY RAMBO** was a farmer born 19 Jan 1838 in Washington Co., Virginia. He married SARAH JANE **EDMONDSON** there on 27 Jun 1861 when his age was 23y 5m 8d. She was born 6 Jun 1840, the daughter of Moses and Louisa (Kelly) Edmondson.^{6,7} Samuel served in the Civil War as a Pvt. in Co. H, 37th Virginia Infantry and was wounded at Winchester 25 May 1862.⁸ Samuel was under the command of Andrew Kelley, 1st Sergeant, Co. F. at the surrender of Lee's army at Appomattox.⁹ They lived in the Holston District of Washington Co., Virginia. Samuel died 2 Mar 1916, and Sarah died 31 Dec 1911. They are buried in the Kelly's Chapel Cemetery with other family members.¹⁰ They had these children:

1242861. JOSEPH T. RAMBO, b. 17 Apr 1862, d. 15 Oct 1930, m. Sarah V. Stuart

- 1242862. RACHEL IDA RAMBO, b. 21 Sep 1866, d. 20 Dec 1945
- 1242863. SALLY B. RAMBO, b. Oct 1868

^{1242864.} CHARLES E. RAMBO, b. May 1871, m. Bettie St. John

¹ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 392

² Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 294

³ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

⁴ R.A. Brock, ed., "Reunion of Co. D," Southern Historical Society Papers, vol. 20, p. 45

⁵ Elizabeth Kelly Allison, Early Southwest Virginia Families (Ann Arbor, MI: Edwards Brothers, 1960), p. 8

⁶ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 392

⁷ Thomas Colley, *Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880* (1997), p. 294

⁸ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

⁹ R.A. Brock, ed., "Paroles of the Army of North Virginia," *Southern Historical Society Papers*, vol. 15, p. 89

¹⁰ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 194

1242868. MARTHA J. RAMBO, b. ca 1874 1242865. DAVID A. RAMBO, b. 1 Feb 1875, d. 19 Apr 1884 1242866. ELIZABETH BLENDER RAMBO, b. 17 Nov 1876, d. 26 Oct 1923

1242867. JAMES KELLY RAMBO, b. Apr 1880

124287. **ISAAC C. RAMBO** was a farmer born 18 Mar 1841 in Washington Co., Virginia. He was a Pvt in 2 Co. C, 21st Virginia Cavalry and a 2nd Lt., Co. H, 37th Reg. Infantry in the Confederate Army during the Civil War.¹ He may have been the Isaac Rambo who was 2nd Lt of Co. C, 37th Virginia Infantry too. Isaac married FRANCIS VIRGINIA (Fannie) **GRANT** in Washington County on 30 Jan 1868.² She was born 20 Dec 1838, the daughter of Gardner and Mary (Holland) Grant, and received a bequest from her father's will.(Washington Co. wills book 25:260) Isaac Rambo and his family lived in the Holston District of Washington Co., Virginia. Isaac died 25 Aug 1910, and Fannie died 1 Sep 1914; both were buried in the Bethel Cemetery.³ They had the following children:

1242871. CORA MAY RAMBO, b. ca 1870, m. M. Floyd Moore

1242872. MALCOLM C. RAMBO, b. Jan 1872, m. Minnie Ward

1242873. WADE H. RAMBO, b. ca 29 Sep 1874, d. 7 Jun 1951, m. Etta Jones

1242874. OTHO H. RAMBO, b. Jul 1878, d. 1947, m. Helen E. (?)

124288. **ANDREW T. RAMBO** was a merchant born in Washington Co., Virginia on 5 July 1843. He served in the Confederate Army from Apr 1861 for the duration of the Civil War as a Pvt, 2 Co. D, 1st Virginia Cavalry.^{4,5} He assumed guardianship of his younger brother William E., and by an 1871 accounting, he owed Wm. E. \$33.33 rent on the mill seat they inherited from their father.(Washington Co. Wills Book 18:8) Andrew Rambo was a merchant and postmaster in Palestine, Washington Co. and married SARAH ANN (Sallie) **SCOTT** there on 27 Dec 1874.⁶ She was born 20 Jul 1846 and died 27 Dec 1888. Sallie's father, Robert Scott, left her an small inheritance in his will recorded in Washington Co. on 28 Sep 1886, Will Book 22:313; the final accounting in will book 25:27 names his widow Priscilla. After his wife's death in 1888, Andrew married SATINA (Tiny) **CALDWELL** in Washington County on 13 Sep 1890. She was born 16 Nov 1861, a daughter of Jno. Mc and Margaret Caldwell.⁷ Andrew Rambo was elected to the House of Delegates in 1895.⁸ Tiny Rambo died 8 Mar 1921, and Andrew passed away 5 years later on 9 May 1926. They were buried in the Zion Methodist Cemetery, Washington Co., Virginia.⁹ Andrew and Sallie had these children:

¹ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

² Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 395

³ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 251

⁴ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

⁵ R.A. Brock, ed., "Reunion of Co. D," Southern Historical Society Papers, vol. 20, p. 45

⁶₇ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 397

⁷ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 405

⁸ Lewis Preston Summers, History of Southwest Virginia, 1746-1786, Washington County ... (1903; reprint 1966), p. 788

⁹ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 256

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1242881. MATTIE D. RAMBO, b. ca 1876, m. Mr. Hughes

- 1242882. HENRY BASCOM RAMBO, b. 8 Aug 1877, d. 14 Oct 1914
- 1242883. Son RAMBO, b. 8 Aug 1877, stillborn
- 1242884. THOMAS STONE RAMBO, b. 20 Oct 1880, m. Byrdie Ethel Lewis
- 1242885. EVA L. RAMBO, b. May 1884, m. Mr. Kelly
- 1242886. Son RAMBO, b. 9 Mar 1884, stillborn
- 1242887. EDGAR W. RAMBO, b. Jul 1887

"Andrew F. Rambo. The subject of this sketch was born near Palestine, in this county, July 5th, 1845. Educated in the schools of the county. Has been a merchant most of his life. Joined the Washington Mounted Riffles in April, 1861; served through the was. Has been postmaster at Palestine since 1881. Was elected a member of the House of Delegates from Washington County in the year 1895".¹

124289. ANN S. RAMBO was born 28 Jul 1845. She was unmarried and died 27 Feb 1882. Burial was in the family plot in Zion Methodist Cemetery, Washington Co.²

12428A. MARY M. RAMBO was born in Nov 1848 and never married. She lived with her sister Florence in Holston District of Washington Co., Virginia and died there in 1932. She was buried in the family plot.³

12428B. FLORENCE NANCY RAMBO was born in Aug 1850 and never married. She lived with her sister Mary and died in 1934 at the age of 84.⁴

12428C. WILLIAM E. RAMBO was born 20 May 1856 and died 6 Dec 1881, aged 25.⁵ He was buried in the family plot in Zion Methodist Cemetery.⁶

The children of [#12641] George and Anne (Fox) Rambo [son of Abraham, Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. They lived in Trappe, Montgomery Co., PA.

126411. EMANUEL RAMBO was born 21 Jan 1817. He married SARAH (?) who was born 2 Sep 1822. He was a schoolteacher in Trappe. Sarah died 1 Sep 1880, and Emanuel died 24 Feb 1881. Both were buried in the cemetery at Trappe.⁷

1264111. MARY ISIDORE RAMBO, b. ca 1844

¹ Lewis Preston Summers, History of Southwest Virginia, 1746-1786, Washington County ... (1903; reprint 1966), p. 788

² Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 256

³ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 253

⁴ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 253

⁵ Deborah Campbell Moore and Doris Galliher Stephens, Washington Co., VA. Births & Deaths 1853-1892 (1984), p. 118

⁶ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 253

⁷ Montgomery County, PA, "Trappe Cemetery Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm #8538

126412. **ABRAHAM RAMBO** was born 2 May 1819 and married JULIA ANN (?).¹ She was born 12 Nov 1819. Abraham was a farmer in Upper Providence and died 2 Aug 1862. Julia Ann died Christmas Day 1896. They had these children.

1264121. HARRIETT RAMBO, b. ca 1844

1264122. MARY MATILDA RAMBO, b. ca 1849

126413. **ABEL RAMBO** was born 19 Mar 1821 in Trappe, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania.^{2,3} He was educated at Washington Hall and graduated from Gettysburg College with an M.A. degree and later received an honorary PhD degree from Muhlenburg College. He served as a superintendant of education in the district from 1863-1878.^{4,5} He was in charge of Washington Hall Collegiate Institute in Trappe from 1849 and beyond 1884. Under his direction the school excelled in instrumental and vocal music and students performed in numerous concerts attracting visitors from far and wide. Preparing students for teaching careers in the common schools was emphasized. Prof. Abel Rambo married JANE **GROSS** on 14 Nov 1850. She was the daughter of Thomas Jefferson Gross, the Asst. Clerk of the House of Representatives, and his wife, Catherine Heebner.⁶ Jane was born 5 Mar 1831 and died 23 Aug 1918. Prof. Rambo died 10 Mar 1887. They had these children:

- 1264131. CHARLES GROSS RAMBO, b. 26 May 1852, d. 26 Jan 1856
- 1264132. MARY TILLIE RAMBO, b. 10 Jun 1854, d. 9 Jan 1856
- 1264133. VINCENT JAMES RAMBO (twin), b. 1 Nov 1856, d. Mar 1861
- 1264134. GEORGE HERBERT RAMBO (twin), b. 1 Nov 1856, d. Jan 1919
- 1264135. CORA KATE RAMBO, b. 21 Mar 1858, lived unmarried in Trappe
- 1264136. DEXTER LOVELLE RAMBO, b. 9 Nov 1860, m. Lidie Hayes
- 1264137. MARY GROSS RAMBO, b. 4 Oct 1864, m. Warren Z. Anders
- 1264138. FRANK GROSS RAMBO, b. 17 Mar 1867, m. Kate Slater

This letter was written by Abel Rambo and passed down to Dexter L. Rambo III: "My father made me promise to pass this on down to the next generation - and they to the next, and so on — my oldest son will take them (one silver and one gold coin), and pass them to the next generation — if no son survives in any generation, then let the next of kin take it. Keep them, if possible in the Rambo family. My grandmother, Catherine Rambo, received them from her father-in-law Gunner Rambo, for churning butter one winter. She gave them to her son, George Rambo, my father, and he gave them to me, as above. Catherine Rambo was wife of Ab– Rambo".⁷

¹ Montgomery County, PA, "Trappe Cemetery Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm #8538

² Montgomery County, PA, "Trappe Cemetery Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm #8538

³ Clifton S. Hunsicker, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania: A History (pub. 1923), vol. 2, p. 112

⁴ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), p. 1057

⁵ Theodore W.Bean, ed., *History of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania*, vol. 2 (Everts & Peck, 1884), p. 403

⁶ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (Rand McNally, 1923), pp. 1057, 1024, 1025

⁷ Connie Rambo, e-mail of 4 Sep 2007

The known children of [#12652] Henry and Mary (Rambo) Isett [daughter of Eli, Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] are Margaret, Abigail, Alice, Henry, Jehu and Eli Rambo.

126521. **ABIGAIL ISETT** was born 14 Feb 1821 and married JOHN **KNOX** who was born 12 Feb 1812. The family lived in Upper Providence Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania in 1850. John died 15 May 1852. Abigail married HENRY **KEYSER** second, in Feb 1857. He had two children from a previous marriage. Abigail died 8 May 1860, but the remaining family is recorded in the 1860 census of Lower Providence Township. Grandfather Henry Isett petitioned for guardianship of the four young grandchildren. Abigail and John Knox had four children:¹

1265211. MARY ANN KNOX, b. ca 1843

1265212. JEHU KNOX, b. ca 1847

1265213. ANDORA KNOX, b. ca Nov 1849

1265214. JOHN KNOX, b. ca 1851, d. 1940, m. Sarah Eisenberg

Abigail and Henry Keyser had one known child:

1265215. MARTHA J. KEYSER

August Term 1860 Orphan Court of Montgomery Co. "The of Petition by Jehu Knox, Andora Knox & John Knox by their grandfather Henry Isett respectfully represents that Abigail Keyser formerly Knox died intestate on or about the eighth day of May last past leaving certain personal estate to a share of which your petitioners are entitled. That said decedent left surviving her a husband, Henry Keyser, and four children to wit; Jehu Knox, Andora Knox and John Knox under the age of fourteen years, and Mary Ann Knox above the age of fourteen years. Therefore by their grandfather and friends pray the court to appoint some suitable person for that purpose and they will pray.

Signed: Henry Isett

The petitioners desire the appointment of Albert Crawford to serve as Guardian.

Signed: Henry Isett"

Albert Crawford gave a final account as Guardian of John Knox 20 Sep 1867 before his seventeenth birthday. Andora received her distribution in November 1869 for her twenty-first birthday.² Thanks to Robert Parvin for the transcription.

126526. **ELI RAMBO ISETT** was born 3 Sep 1835 and married MARY A. (?) who was born about 1836. Eli died in 1903. According to the 1870 census of East Pikeland Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania, they had these two children:³

1265261. MARY ALICE ISETT, b. ca 1857

1265262. SARAH J. ISETT, b. ca 1869

¹ Robert Parvin, e-mails of 14 Feb 2003 & 22 Apr 2004

² Robert G. Parvin, e-mail of 22 Dec 2004

³ Robert G. Parvin, e-mail of 22 Dec 2004

The children of [#12653] Israel and Susanna (Rambo) Peterman [daughter of Eli, Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Frederick, John, Mary, Morris Rambo, Margaret, Sarah S., Susannah and Hannah.

126531. **FREDERICK PETERMAN** was a stone mason and a farmer born about 1831 and married to ELIZABETH **RILE** at the Ebenezer Church in Philadelphia. She was born in the 1830s, a daughter of John and Esther (Boyer) Rile. They had these known children:¹

1265311. MARY MINERVA PETERMAN, b. 18 Apr 1854, m. James L. Marlin

1265312. MORRIS R. PETERMAN, b. ca 1857, m. Agnes (?)

1265313. MARGARET JANE PETERMAN, b. ca 1861, m. Mr. Hart

1265314. EMMA VIRGINIA PETERMAN, b. ca Jan 1865, m. Albert Bertle Wager

126533. MARY PETERMAN was born about 1834 and married JEFFERSON WALTERS. He was born about 1835. In 1880 they lived in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania where he was a carpenter. They had these known children:²

1265331. WINFIELD S. WALTERS, b. ca 1862

1265332. ANDORA E. WALTERS, b. ca 1864

1265333. SUE M. WALTERS, b. ca 1866

1265334. JEFFERSON B. WALTERS, b. ca 1868

126534. **MORRIS RAMBO PETERMAN** was born 1 Apr 1835 in Roxborough, Pennsylvania and married HANNAH **SASSAMAN** who was born about 1832, a daughter of Jacob and Rebecca (Linsenberger) Sassaman. They lived in Perkiomen, Limerick, and Royersford, PA. Morris was a stone mason in 1870 and died 5 Dec 1905.³

1265341. HENRY E. PETERMAN, b. ca 1865

126535. **MARGARET PETERMAN** was born 11 Mar 1837 in Roxborough, Pennsylvania and married MATHIAS FULMER **FORCE** on 23 Feb 1858 at St. Luke's German Reformed Church in Trappe, Pennsylvania. He was born 5 Apr 1834 in Pennsylvania, a son of David Force. In the 1880 census of Upper Providence Township, Montgomery Co., PA, Mathias appears as a stone mason who worked on the railroad. He died 9 Oct 1885, and Margaret died 23 Feb 1887. They had this one known child:⁴ 1265351. MORRIS FORCE, b. ca 1868

126536. **SARAH S. PETERMAN** was born about 1839 and married a farmer, JOSEPH P. **MITCHELL**. Joseph died before the 1880 census when Sarah and her children lived

¹ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 21 May 2004

² Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 21 May 2004

³ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 21 May 2004

⁴ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 26 Apr 2004

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in East Pikeland Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. They had these known children:¹ 1265361. ELSIE MITCHELL, b. ca 1871 1265362. ROBERT J. MITCHELL, b. ca 1872 1265363. JOSEPH P. MITCHELL, b. ca 1875

126537. **SUSANNAH PETERMAN** was born 24 Aug 1842 in Pennsylvania and married WILLIAM UMPLEBY **McCOY**. He was born about 1832 and appears on the 1880 census as a carpenter in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania with one child:²

1265371. EVA L. McCOY, b. ca 1879

126538. **HANNAH PETERMAN** was born about 1845 and married CHRISTIAN **BROWN**, a farmer who was also born about 1846. In the 1880 census, they lived in East Vincent Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania with these children:³

1265381. HARRY BROWN, b. ca 1869

1265382. WARREN BROWN, b. ca 1875

The children of [#15211] John and Martha Biddle (Fimple) Lincoln [son of Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.

152111. ANN LINCOLN married a Mr. DYLKS.

152112. **SARAH NITZEL LINCOLN** was born 4 Sep 1820 and married ANNING ASBURY **OGDEN** on 25 Apr 1842. He was born 24 Apr 1817, the son of Joseph and Lucrecia (Gorman) Ogden of Newark, Delaware and a descendent of David Ogden who came to Pennsylvania on the *Welcome* with William Penn.⁴ Anning was a builder and merchant in Paschallville, Pennsylvania where he died on 4 May 1894. They were Quakers and had these children:⁵

1521121. JOHN LINCOLN OGDEN, b. 29 Jan 1843, m. Jennie Wright

1521122. GEORGE LYBRAND OGDEN, b. 12 Nov 1845, m. Selina Sharp

1521123. JAMES ASBURY OGDEN, b. 7 Mar 1848, m. Helen V. Norton

The children of [#15212] Henry and Catherine (Lincoln) Paschall [daughter of Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.

¹ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 26 Apr 2004

² Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 21 May 2004

³ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 21 May 2004

⁴ Ken Watkins, e-mail of 30 Aug 2011

⁵ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

152121. **JOSEPH PASCHALL** was born 23 Mar 1823, and on 8 Jan 1845 in Darby, Pennsylvania, he married ELIZA **LINCOLN** [#152624], the daughter of his cousin, George Lincoln. She was born 6 Nov 1826. They lived in Paschallville and Concordville, Pennsylvania where their children were born, and in 1876 they moved to Kanopolis, Ellsworth Co., Kansas. Joseph died on 8 Jul 1894, and Eliza died 22 Jun 1899. They had these children:¹

1521211. GEORGE HENRY PASCHALL, b. 26 Sep 1845, m. Mary N. Lane

1521212. JOSEPH PASCHALL, b. 16 Feb 1848, died young

1521213. BEULAH WORTH PASCHALL, b. 9 Sep 1849, m. Erskine Becker

1521214. CATHARINE LINCOLN PASCHALL, b. 24 May 1852, m. G. Gilkinson

1521215. JOSEPH ALBIN PASCHALL, b. 31 Dec 1854, m. 1) Sherman, 2) Weise

1521216. MOSES LINCOLN PASCHALL, b. 15 Dec 1857, m. Jane M. Lane

1521217. ANNA FRANCES PASCHALL, b. 19 Sep 1860, m. Abraham Wise

1521218. ELIZA IRENE PASCHALL, b. 10 Mar 1865, d. 1872

152122. **HENRY LINCOLN PASCHALL** was born 18 Apr 1829 and married ANNA THOMPSON **PANCOAST**.

The children of [#15213] Abraham Johnson and Ann (Lincoln) Paschall [daughter of Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were Benjamin, Elizabeth, Jesse, Mary, Abraham, Martha, Ann and Isaac.

152131. **BENJAMIN PASCHALL** was born 29 Jan 1817 in Upper Darby, Pennsylvania.² He married ELIZABETH **SMEDLEY** who was born 6 Aug 1814, the daughter of Isaac Smedley.³ Benjamin was a carpenter and farmer who bought 106 acres of land in Westmoreland Co. after 1850. His wife died in New Alexandria on 3 Oct 1899. They had these children:

1521311. WILLIAM WRIGHT PASCHALL, b. 24 Dec 1842

1521312. THOMAS SMEDLEY PASCHALL, b. 17 Jul 1845, m. Anna Eliza Ross

1521313. BENJAMIN PASCHALL (twin), b. & d. Aug 1849

1521314. ELIZABETH PASCHALL (twin), b. & d. Aug 1849

1521315. HANNAH ANN PASCHALL, b. 11 Aug 1850

152132. ELIZABETH PASCHALL was born 25 Jun 1819 and married LEVI MALIN.⁴

152133. JESSE PASCHALL was born 10 Jan 1822 and married HARRIET

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¹Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Gilbert Cope, comp., *Genealogy of Smedley Family* (Lancaster, PA: Wickersham Printing Co., 1901), p. 758

⁴ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

ROGERS.¹ In 1850 they lived in Willistown, Chester Co., Pennsylvania and had one child:

1521331. ANNA M. PASCHALL, b. ca 1846

152135. ABRAHAM PASCHALL was born 20 Mar 1827 and married CAROLINE HORTON.²

152138. **ISAAC PASCHALL** was born 10 May 1836 in Upper Darby, Pennsylvania. He married MARY AMELIA **ACKER**.³

The children of [#15214] Isaac and Margaret (Smith) Lincoln [son of Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

152141. **ELIZABETH LINCOLN** was born 2 Sep 1822 in Cincinnati, Ohio.⁴ She married JOHN **CHENOWETH** on 8 Sep 1842 at Waynesville, Warren Co., Ohio. He was the son of Absolom and Ellenor Chenoweth and was born 27 Aug 1815. He was a farmer, and the family lived at Waynesville, later moving to Harveysburg where John died 5 Nov 1865. Elizabeth died 15 Jun 1889 at Harveysburg. They had these children:

- 1521411. ISAAC LINCOLN CHENOWETH, b. 16 Jul 1843, d. 1863
- 1521412. MARGARET ELLENOR CHENOWETH, b. 7 Jan 1845, m. John H. Gard
- 1521413. ELIZA JANE CHENOWETH, b. 22 Jun 1847, m. Eli Smith Carroll
- 1521414. JOHN WILLIAM H. CHENOWETH, b. 24 Aug 1851, d. 1854
- 1521415. CHARLES ABSOLOM CHENOWETH, b. 11 Feb 1860, m. Mary White

152142. **JANE LINCOLN** was born 7 Mar 1826 and died 4 Jan 1888 at the age of 62.⁵ She was unmarried.

The child of [#15214] Isaac and Eliza (Robertson) Lincoln, his second wife.

152143. **JOHN ROBERTSON LINCOLN** was born 10 Jun 1831 on his father's farm in Waynesville where he lived his entire life.⁶ He married HARRIET ANN **ZELL** on 24 Mar 1870. She was born 30 Oct 1837, the daughter of George and Eunice (Kelley) Zell. John Lincoln died 1 Aug 1895, and Harriet lived beyond 1915. They had these children:

1521431. EUNICE ELIZA LINCOLN, b. 22 Jul 1872, m. Frank Miltenberger

1521432. GRACE ANN LINCOLN, b. 10 Mar 1876, m. John Henry Smith

^{1521433.} ISAAC WILBER LINCOLN, b. 12 Oct 1877, m. Mabel Anson

¹ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁴ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁵ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family*... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁶ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

The children of [#15216] Abraham and Ruth (Prater) Lincoln Jr. [son of Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

152161. **JOSEPH LINCOLN** was born 17 Jan 1836 at Waynesville, Ohio and died 20 Feb 1867, at age 31, unmarried.¹

152162. **ELIZABETH LINCOLN** was born 17 Jul 1838 at Waynesville, Ohio and married ALBERT **WARWICK** on 10 May 1853.² He was a cruel and abusive man to his wife and children and finally drove his wife to kill him with an axe. She was imprisoned but later pardoned for the crime. They had these children:

1521621. EVELYN OPHELIA WARWICK, b. 5 Mar 1854, m. Cassius C. Cleaver

1521622. JOSEPH WILKINS WARWICK, b. 16 Feb 1856, m. Ella Turner

1521623. CLAYTON RAYMOND WARWICK, b. 9 Jan 1858, m. Catherine Bloom

1521624. CARRIE EMMA WARWICK, b. 3 Jun 1860, m. Albery Samuel Taylor

1521625. LIZZIE ADA WARWICK, b. 5 Jan 1862, m. George William Goodle

1521626. RUTH ANNA WARWICK, b. 4 Jul 1865

152163. **BENJAMIN LINCOLN** was born 8 Mar 1844 in Waynesville, Ohio.³ He married FRANCES ANN **BROWN** on 8 Jan 1890. She was born 1 Dec 1864, the daughter of James and Mary (Purcell) Brown. Benjamin was a farmer, and the family lived in Lebanon, Ohio. They had one child:

1521631. MARY RUTH LINCOLN, b. 12 Dec 1893

The children of [#15217] Isaac and Rebecca (Lincoln) Carpenter [daughter of Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were John Lincoln, Sarah Ann, Edmund, Joseph and Frank Lincoln. See *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.

152171. JOHN LINCOLN CARPENTER married and moved to Ohio.

152174. **JOSEPH CARPENTER** was married and was killed at Pittsburgh Landing in 1862.

The children of [#15218] Nathan Jones and Sarah Nitsel (Lincoln) Lukens [daughter of Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

¹Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

152181. **LEVI LUKENS** was born 31 Aug 1835.¹ He married MARY ELIZABETH **SHAFFNER** who was born in Nov 1833. They lived in Upper Darby, Delaware Co., Pennsylvania at the time of the 1900 Census. They had at least one child: 1521811. JOHN LUKENS, b. Jan 1867, m. Elizabeth

152182. ELIZABETH LINCOLN LUKENS was born 9 May 1837.

The child of [#15261] Jacob and Eliza (?) Lincoln [son of Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.

152611. WILLIAM LINCOLN was born about 1825, and on 16 Dec 1845 he married ELIZABETH PHIPPS of Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. She was born in 1824, the daughter of Joseph and Mary Ann (Hope) Phipps. William died before 24 Sep 1856, and after his death, his widow married Atwood Powell. William and Elizabeth had no children, but his mother filed a petition with the Orphans' Court that named his next of kin as his uncle George and the children of his deceased uncle Michael.

The children of [#15262] George and Phoebe Speekman (Hoofstitler) Lincoln [son of Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

152621. **JOHN LINCOLN** was born 9 Sep 1821 at Darby, Pennsylvania, and on 22 Feb 1849 he married MARIA **BRANDT** [#168354].² She was the daughter of George and Sarah (Holstein) Brandt. In 1850 they lived next door to his father, George, in Darby Township where he was a farmer. They had a number of children, but only one is known.

1526211. ALFRED LINCOLN, m. Ida Young

152624. **ELIZA LINCOLN** was born 6 Nov 1826 and married her cousin JOSEPH **PASCHALL** [#152121], the son of Henry and Catherine (Lincoln) Paschall.³ See his information. Eliza died 22 Jun 1899 in Kanopolis, Ellwood Co., Kansas. They had these children:

- 1521211. GEORGE HENRY PASCHALL, b. 26 Sep 1845, m. Mary N. Lane
- 1521212. JOSEPH PASCHALL, b. 16 Feb 1848, died young
- 1521213. BEULAH WORTH PASCHALL, b. 9 Sep 1849, m. Erskine Becker
- 1521214. CATHARINE LINCOLN PASCHALL, b. 24 May 1852, m. G. Gilkinson
- 1521215. JOSEPH ALBIN PASCHALL, b. 31 Dec 1854, m. 1) Sherman, 2) Weise
- 1521216. MOSES LINCOLN PASCHALL, b. 15 Dec 1857, m. Jane M. Lane

¹ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

1521217. ANNA FRANCES PASCHALL, b. 19 Sep 1860, m. Abraham Wise 1521218. ELIZA IRENE PASCHALL, b. 10 Mar 1865, d. 1872

152625. **MOSES LINCOLN** was born 24 Oct 1828 and married AMANDA **OGDEN** on 6 May 1858.¹ She was born 21 Feb 1838, the daughter of Amer and Rebecca (Weed) Ogden. Moses was a farmer in Darby, Pennsylvania where he served as tax collector for the town. He died 14 Jul 1879 at age 51, and Amanda died 10 June 1905. Both were buried in the old burying ground in Darby. They had these children:

- 1526251. MARY REBECCA LINCOLN, b. 5 Sep 1859, m. Jesse Sharpless Garrett
- 1526252. GEORGE HENRY LINCOLN, b. 23 Jan 1861, m. 1) Young, 2) Taylor
- 1526253. ANNA PHOEBE LINCOLN, b. 23 Nov 1862, m. William McConnell
- 1526254. AMER OGDEN LINCOLN, b. 25 Dec 1864, m. Martha Emma Covington
- 1526255. JOSEPH HOWARD LINCOLN, b. 20 Nov 1866, m. Harriet Cook Fithian
- 1526256. SADIE COUNTAS LINCOLN, b. 10 Jan 1869, m. Louis Daniel Blythe
- 1526257. WILLIAM OGDEN LINCOLN, b. 21 Oct 1871, m. Lillian Taylor
- 1526258. PASCHALL HOOPES LINCOLN, b. 24 Dec 1872, d. 1873
- 1526259. CLARA GILBERT LINCOLN, b. 6 Jan 1874, m. 1) Blythe, 2) Staley
- 152625A. HORACE McKEE LINCOLN, b. 16 Mar 1875, d. 23 Aug 1898 single
- 152625B. JESSIE AMANDA LINCOLN, b. 9 May 1878, m. John Bleacher

152629. **PHOEBE LINCOLN** was born 16 Jul 1838 and married GEORGE FREDERICK **GILBERT** on 25 May 1859 in Darby, Pennsylvania.² He was born 18 Jul 1833, the son of George and Hetty (Chamber) Gilbert of Philadelphia. Frederick was a farmer, and the family lived in Lansdowne where their children were born:

- 1526291. CLARA VIRGINIA GILBERT, b. 12 Feb 1860
- 1526292. PHOEBE ELLA GILBERT, b. 24 Jun 1861, d. 1863.
- 1526293. ESTELLE GILBERT, b. 14 Apr 1864
- 1526294. GEORGE LINCOLN GILBERT, b. 25 Jun 1866

The children of [#15263] Michael and Rebecca (?) Lincoln [son of Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Lincoln Genealogy* by Waldo Lincoln.

152631. **ISAAC R. LINCOLN** was born about 1823. He married ELIZABETH **NOBLE** who was born about 1827 and died 31 Oct 1883. She was buried in the old burying ground in Darby. In 1860 Isaac worked as a fence maker, and the family lived in Darby, Pennsylvania. They had these children:

1526311. ANNA E. LINCOLN, b. ca 1848, m. Mr. Fields 1526312. SUSANNAH LINCOLN, b. ca 1850

¹ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920* (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

152632. **JACOB LINCOLN** was born about 1824 and married MARY (?) who was born about 1834. In 1860 Jacob was a farmer, and the family lived near other Lincolns in Darby, Pennsylvania. They had these children:

1526321. REBECCA LINCOLN, b. ca 1857

1526322. MARY LINCOLN, b. ca 1859

1526323. LAURA LINCOLN

152633. ANN ELIZA LINCOLN was married to DANIEL TRITES before 1846. They were the parents of at least this one child who was buried in Darby: 1526331. JACOB L. TRITES, b. 14 Aug 1851, d. 1858.

152634. **REBECCA LINCOLN** married JAMES **HUTCHINSON**. She died in Philadelphia on 21 Feb 1879, and administration of her estate was granted to Mary Ann Hutchinson.

152635. **ELIZABETH LINCOLN** was born about 1843. She probably married BENJAMIN **WORRELL** of Darby, a blacksmith, as Rebecca Lincoln lived with the family in 1860. Benjamin was born about 1839, the son of Elisha and Margaret Worrell. Elisha Worrell was an innkeeper and the father of Ann Worrell who married Davis P. Coates [#167652]. Benjamin and Elizabeth Worrell had one known child:

1526351. MARY R. WORRELL, b. ca Feb 1860

The children of [#15282] Jacob and Miss (Tage) Lincoln [son of Jacob, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary, Samuel and Elizabeth.

152821. **MARY LINCOLN** was born before 1832 because she was named in her aunt's will as the child of Jacob Lincoln, deceased. Benjamin Tage, her grandfather, was named as guardian.

The children of [#17121] John and Eleanor (Robinson) Rambo [son of Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Jane, Eliza, Margaretta, Nathan, Hugh, William, David and John W. They resided in PA.

171213. **MARGARETTA RAMBO** was born 17 May 1808 and married ISAAC CRISWELL **THOMPSON**.¹ She died 5 Sep 1863.

171214. **NATHAN RAMBO** was born 4 Nov 1809 in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. One account (John Rambo's biography) gives his birth date as 17 Feb 1812. In 1835,

¹ Mrs. Philip Bowman, Madison, WI 53705, family records

Nathan married MARTHA **ROBINSON**, daughter of John and Isabella (Gault) Robinson of Perry Co., PA. Nathan was a miller in Salisbury Township, Lancaster Co. for many years and later turned to farming. He was also an elder of the Presbyterian church and died in Feb 1879. Nathan and Martha were the parents of these children:¹

1712141. JOHN ROBINSON RAMBO, b. 10 Feb. 1837, m. Margaretta Comp

1712142. DAVID W. RAMBO, b. 28 Aug 1839, d. 20 Dec 1862 in Civil War

1712143. WILLIAM B. RAMBO, b. 11 May 1842, d. 1 Nov 1846 aged 4y 5m 20d

1712144. ISABELLA G. (Belle) RAMBO, b. 18 Sep 1844, m. Andrew B. Comp

1712145. HUGH WILSON RAMBO, b. 29 May 1847, m. Nancy C. Henderson

1712146. MARGARET ELLEN RAMBO, b. 16 June 1850, d. 6 Aug 1860

The following are brief descriptions of Lancaster County deeds involving Nathan Rambo.

Bridge, dam, & public road. 26 acres lands from Balwin Q:7:95 & M:8:75 + 17 acres devised to Martha Rambo [#171214] ... by her father John Robinson, deceased, by last will & testament dated 14 Dec 1860. Nathan still owned adjacent land.²

Nathan Rambo [#171214] of Salisbury Township & Martha wife 30 acres along Pequea Meeting House Road to neighbor. Nathan still owns adjacent land. originally from Balwin recorded M:8:75 and from King. Witness H.W. Rambo.³

171215. **HUGH RAMBO** was born 12 Feb 1812 and lived with his parents in 1850 in Salisbury Township, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. His occupation was that of a drover.

171216. **WILLIAM RAMBO** was born 3 Jan 1814 and was a farmer. He was unmarried and living at home in Salisbury Township, Lancaster Co. at the time of the 1850 Census.

171217. **DAVID RAMBO** was born 10 Jan 1816 and may have settled in Haverford Township, Delaware Co., Pennsylvania by 1850. David was a farmer and was married to RACHEL (?) who was born about 1815. David died of heart trouble in West Fallowfield, Chester Co., Pennsylvania on 25 Mar 1896. His widow survived him.⁴ They had these children:

1712171. M. E. RAMBO, b. ca 1838

1712172. GEORGE RAMBO, b. ca 1841

- 1712173. MARTHA RAMBO, b. ca 1843
- 1712174. ALICE RAMBO, b. ca 1848

171218. JOHN W. RAMBO was born 23 Sept 1820 and died in 1904.⁵ He married

¹ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 1096

² Lancaster Co., PA Deeds U:9:489

³ Lancaster Co., PA Deeds S:9:394

⁴ Phoenixville, PA, Historical Society of the Phoenixville Area, death records

⁵ Ellwood Roberts, ed., Biographical Annals of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (pub. 1904), vol 2, pp. 144-145

ELIZABETH COLBRETH **PINE** on 24 Dec 1846. She was born 28 Sept 1826 in New York and died of peritonitis 9 Aug 1894 in Philadelphia.¹ They lived in Pottstown, and he managed hotels in Hayesville, Kinzer's Station, and Atglen, Pennsylvania until 1879. He then worked 16 years in Philadelphia for a woolen manufacturing firm. The family was Baptist, and seven of the eight children were listed in the family Bible:²

1712181. JOHN CALVIN RAMBO, b. 8 Aug 1847, d. before his mother

- 1712182. CHARLES WHITFIELD RAMBO, b. 15 May 1849, m. Elizabeth Moser
- 1712183. CATHERINE STIRLING RAMBO, b. 10 Aug 1852, survived mother
- 1712184. ELEANOR M. RAMBO, b. 30 Nov 1852, m. J. Warren Durnall
- 1712185. RINSING PRITCHETTE RAMBO, b. 9 Apr 1854, d. before mother
- 1712186. ANNA ASH RAMBO, b. 13 Dec 1855, m. Rev. N. C. Naylor
- 1712187. SARAH MARGARET RAMBO, b. 26 Oct 1859, m. Henry J. Corbett
- 1712188. EDGAR M. RAMBO, b. May 1864, m. Elizabeth H. Shaner

The children of [#17122] Joseph and Huldah (Morris) Rambo [son of Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth Ann, Morris, William G., Elizabeth Ann and Huldah.

171222. **MORRIS RAMBO** was born 14 Dec 1809 and married BARBARA ANN **WUNDER**. She was born 29 May 1814, a daughter of John and Elizabeth (Dietrich) Wunder. Morris was a well known citizen of Reading, Pennsylvania, the butcher at 9th & Penn Streets. After 1865, he farmed at Douglassville but later returned to the grocery business at Reading.³⁴ Barbara died 2 May 1883, aged 69. Morris moved to New York with his daughter Lizzie and died of enteritis at Lizzie's home in Congero, NY on 29 Jul 1894. Lizzie died almost one month later, on 26 Aug 1894. Morris and Barbara were buried at Charles Evans Cemetery in Reading. They resided in Reading, PA and had 7 children:⁵

- 1712221. WILLIAM G. RAMBO, b. 7 Mar 1836, m. ?
- 1712222. HULDAH RAMBO, b. 26 Mar 1837, d. 10 Nov 1895, m. John Friz Boyer
- 1712223. ELIZABETH (Lizzie) RAMBO, b. 12 Aug 1838, d. 26 Aug 1894 in NYC
- 1712224. JOHAN RAMBO, b. 16 Nov 1839, m. Elizabeth Delay
- 1712225. JOSEPH THEOPHILUS RAMBO, b. 3 Nov 1841, m. Mary Hoyer
- 1712226. ALEXANDER H. RAMBO, b. Sept 1843, d. before 1914, m. Catherine (?)
- 1712227. HOWARD RAMBO, b. Jan 1850, m. Hannah (?)

171223. WILLIAM G. RAMBO was born 22 Aug 1811 and was reported to be a

¹ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

² Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

³ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing obituary in *Reading Eagle* of 30 Jul 1894

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html citing obituary in *Reading Eagle* of 30 Jul 1894

⁵ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 106-109

soldier in the Civil War who died in 1864 at the National Soldiers' Home in Hampton, Virginia.¹

171224. ELIZABETH ANN RAMBO was born 26 Feb 1813 and was only two years old when her mother died. Elizabeth lived with the Russell family in Chester Co., Pennsylvania for a number of years before her marriage. There was a strong bond between Elizabeth and her half-sister, Sarah Rambo McKim. Elizabeth is described as "a slender woman, rather below medium height, with light golden hair and a fair complexion; her eyes were also light, perhaps blue, her features regular, and her disposition quiet, but sweet and cheerful." Elizabeth married ROBERT JENKINS in Chester Co. on 30 March 1837. He was born 11 Feb 1816 in Lancaster Co., PA, the eighth child of George and Catherine (Hamilton) Jenkins.² See the Jenkins Family Book by Robert E. Jenkins for much more detail about this family and their Jenkins ancestors. Shortly after their marriage, the Jenkins moved to Clark Co., Missouri, settling about 30 miles west of the Mississippi River on a farm near the village of Chambersburg where all their children were born. Elizabeth died 11 Oct 1846 of "congestive fever" and was buried in the burying ground near Chambersburg. Later, Robert married Mrs. Martha McRea Schee, widow of Arnold Schee and daughter of John McRea. Martha had one child of her first marriage: George Washington Schee. Robert and Martha had two sons: Douglas who died young and James Amzi Jenkins born 1 Jan 1849. About 1852 Robert Jenkins purchased a farm of several hundred acres in the eastern part of Clark Co. about four miles west of Alexandria. Martha died of tuberculosis in 1856. Robert died 13 Jan 1858 on his farm near Alexandria and was buried at Wolf Cemetery in St. Francisville, Missouri.³ After the death of their parents, the children remained together on the farm with John William managing the affairs, the twins keeping house, and the younger boys helping with chores. Elizabeth and Robert had these children, all born on the farm near Chambersburg:⁴

1712241. JOHN WILLIAM JENKINS, b. 13 Jan 1838, m. Massey Ann Henshaw

- 1712242. CATHERINE ELIZABETH JENKINS, b. 23 Apr 1840, m. Samuel Lynn
- 1712243. MARGARET JANE JENKINS, b. 23 Apr 1840, m. David Nelson Lapsley
- 1712244. GEORGE FRANKLIN JENKINS, b. 15 Jul 1842, m. C. Van Wagenen
- 1712245. HULDAH ANN JENKINS, b. 19 Oct 1843, d. 1845

1712246. ROBERT EDWIN JENKINS, b. 6 Feb 1846, d. 1907, m. Marcia Raymond

The children of [#17122] Joseph and Elizabeth (Statin) Rambo, his second wife.

171226. **SARAH ANN RAMBO** was born 11 Aug 1819 in Orwigsburg, Pennsylvania, and on 26 Dec 1843, she married WILLIAM JAMES **McKIM** in Reading, PA.⁵

¹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

² Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003

³ Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003

⁴ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 26, 30-38, written by their son

⁵ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

William McKim was born about 1805. Sarah died at Christiana, Chester Co., PA on 11 Jan 1902 at the age of 83. In the 1860 Census, Sarah and (Jefferson) McKim lived in Sadsbury, Chester Co. with these children:

- 1712261. WILLIAM McKIM, b. ca 1845
- 1712262. GEORGE DALLAS McKIM, b. ca 1847
- 1712263. JOSEPH MCKIM, b. ca 1851, d. 7 Mar 1862, aged 11y 8m 11d
- 1712264. MARY FRANCES McKIM, b. ca 1853
- 1712265. CLARA McKIM, b. ca 1855
- 1712266. HULDAH McKIM, b. ca 1857

171227. **THOMAS J. RAMBO** was a blacksmith born 1 Oct 1820 in Pennsylvania and was married to ELIZABETH **RICHARDS** in Reading, PA on 20 Dec 1842.¹ She was born 9 May 1821, a daughter of William and Porah Richards. In 1847 Thomas Rambo owned his own blacksmith shop in Reading. He was a charter member of the Empire Hook & Ladder Fire Co., an Agent for the Schuylkill Navigation Co., and a member of Montgomery Lodge #59 LOF, Sons of Temperance, Knights of Malta. Elizabeth died 9 March 1862 and is buried at Charles Evans Cemetery, Reading, PA.² Thomas married his second wife, ELLEN E. **ENGLEHART**, on 22 Apr 1869 in Reading. She was born Nov 1847. In 1880 they lived at 18 S. 2nd Street in Reading, PA where Thomas died of apoplexy of the heart on 23 Jan 1898 aged 77.³ He was buried in Charles Evans Cemetery in Reading as are several of his children and both wives. His will, recorded in Berks Co. Will Book 19:631, specifically names daughter Sarah Jane Boyer and grand-daughter Susan Darrah. His widow, Ellen, died on a Saturday after 1917 aged 78y 11m 28d at her daughter Jennie Haag's home in Shoemakersville according to her obituary. Thomas and Elizabeth had these children:⁴

- 1712271. SARAH JANE RAMBO, b. 10 Oct 1843, m. Amos Boyer
- 1712272. EMMA ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 26 Sep 1844, m. Charles A. Spangler
- 1712273. ELLEN AMELIA RAMBO, b. 2 Mar 1846, d. 2 Jan 1848
- 1712274. CLARA AMELIA RAMBO, b. 23 Sep 1846, d. 1872, m. John J. Darrah
- 1712275. ELMIRA RAMBO, b. 2 Jan 1850, d. 1 Nov 1866, buried Reading
- 1712276. THOMAS JEFFERSON RAMBO, b. 1 Aug 1851, d. 24 Jan 1852
- 1712277. MORRIS RAMBO, b. 2 Dec 1852, d. 18 Oct 1858
- 1712278. ANNA R. RAMBO, b. 20 Oct 1854, m. Winfield S. McMichael
- 1712279. AGNES E. RAMBO, b. 19 Dec 1856, m. Isaac Kissinger
- 171227A. CHARLES HENRY RAMBO, b. 29 Dec 1858, d. 18 Mar 1880

171227B. THOMAS J. RAMBO Jr., b. 19 Jun 1860, d. 23 Feb 1947, m. Mahala Fix Thomas and Ellen had these children:

171227C. JOHN E. RAMBO, b. 4 Feb 1870, d. 10 Aug 1870

¹ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

 $^{^2}$ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, e-mail of 14 Jul 2002

³ Reading, Pennsylvania Death Records

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, pictures, cites family Bible

171227D. ELIZABETH E. RAMBO, b. 23 Apr 1872, d. 10 May 1878 aged 6

- 171227E. JOSEPH E. RAMBO, b. 14 Sept 1873, d. 31 Jul 1905
- 171227F. WILLIAM F. RAMBO, b. 27 Jun 1876, m. Ann Estelle Obenhauser
- 171227G. ELIZABETH E. RAMBO, b. 15 Feb 1879, m. William H. Ritzie
- 171227H. HOWARD E. RAMBO, b. 1 Nov 1881, d. 1941, m. Laura M. Hoffmaster
- 171227I. JENNIE B. RAMBO, b. 20 Apr 1882, d. 12 Oct 1953, m. Charles H. Haag
- 171227J. LOTTIE MAY RAMBO, b. 12 Mar 1886, d. 4 Jul 1887.¹
- 171227K. FLORENCE E. RAMBO, b. 15 Nov 1890, d. 8 Aug 1894
- 171227L. ADELINE W. RAMBO

171228. JOSEPH RAMBO was born 19 Jun 1822 in Orwigsburg, Schuykill Co., Pennsylvania. He married MARY ANN YOUNG on 11 Jul 1844 in Reading, PA.² She was born 14 Nov 1826, the daughter of Phillip and Elizabeth (Hildebrand) Young. Joseph Rambo served an apprenticeship as a blacksmith with his father and carried on the business of blacksmithing and trading horses for a period of thirty years. He also learned the butcher's trade from his brother Morris and bought livestock in Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois to sell in the East. In 1859, he moved to Carlisle, and later in the year, the family moved to West Philadelphia. In 1860 he returned to Reading, and in 1865, he opened a hotel at 746 Penn St., the Rambo House. In the Census of 1870, he had property valued at \$30,000, and Grandmother Mary Hildebrand, age 92, lived with the family. Joseph Rambo died of small pox in Reading on 11 Jul 1872 and was described in his obituary as "kind-hearted, generous of disposition, and a devoted friend." He was buried in the Charles Evans Cemetery, Reading. Mary Rambo died 13 Aug 1898 aged 67y 8m 29d³ and was buried near her husband. Their wills are recorded in Berks Co. Will Books 12:496 and 18:357. Daughter Clara inherited the house. They had these children:

- 1712281. AMELIA RAMBO, b. May 1844, m. Henry Hoover
- 1712282. HENRY RAMBO, b. 1846, d. 28 Aug 1898, m. Caroline Bowman
- 1712283. REBECCA RAMBO, b. Jan 1848, d. Aug 1851
- 1712284. EMILY J. RAMBO, b. May 1850, m. Martin Wenrich
- 1712285. REBECCA ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 16 Mar 1853, m. John Bishop
- 1712286. MARY CATHERINE RAMBO, b. 9 Jul 1854, m. W. Scott Dickinson
- 1712287. ANDREW RAMBO, b. 1856, d. 7 Sep 1914, m. Agnes Stout
- 1712288. SUSANNAH RAMBO, b. 14 Jul 1857, m. Joseph W. Johnson
- 1712289. SARAH ANN RAMBO, b. 1 Dec 1858, m. Robert W. Vogt
- 171228A. BARBARA ANN RAMBO, b. 1 Feb 1860, m. 1) W. Munson, 2) J. Hodge
- 171228B. CLARA RAMBO, b. 21 Sep 1861, d. Mar 1921, m. Charles Schwartzman
- 171228C. ANNIE M. RAMBO, b. 1863, d. 21 Nov 1864
- 171228D. NORMA RAMBO, b. Aug 1864, m. Howard Balthaser

¹ Reading, Pennsylvania Death Records

² Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

³ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing Trinity Lutheran Church records

171228E. HULDA RAMBO, b. 17 Jun 1867, m. Harrison Boyer

171229. **MORGIN L. RAMBO** was born 21 Aug 1824. In 1871, he is listed in the Philadelphia City Directory as a baggage-master living at 223 N. 13th St., and in 1889 he was employed as a watchman.

17122A. **ISAIAH RAMBO** was born 4 Jan 1827, died 16 Apr 1829, and is buried in Charles Evans Cemetery, Reading, Pennsylvania.¹

17122B. **ISAIAH RAMBO** was a merchant born 6 Apr 1829 who first drove a boat on the Schuylkill Canal for brother Thomas then apprentised with brother Morris as a butcher. He then was a railroader for over 50 years. He married EBEZENIAH **SANDS** on 24 Apr 1852.² She was born 7 Jan 1835. Isaiah served as a private in Co. A, 25th PA Infantry in the Civil War. He owned a successful business in Reading called the Toy and Novelty Store.³ He died in Reading on 2 Mar 1903 of apoplexy and heart disease, aged 73, and soon afterwards his widow filed for a pension.⁴ His will is filed in Berks Co. Will Book 21:668 and allows his wife, Ebezena, \$5 per week! She died 2 Dec 1916 and is buried in Reading at Charles Evans Cemetery. They had these children:

17122B1. ISAIAH RAMBO Jr., b. 29 Jun 1858, d. 1928, m. S. Jennie Jane Beyler 17122B2. ELIZABETH (Lizzie) RAMBO, b. about 1861, m. J. Herbert Gormley

17122B3. GEORGE WASHINGTON RAMBO, b. 29 Sep 1863, m. Annie Schearer 17122B4. HARRY RAMBO, b. 14 Apr 1866, baptized Trinity Lutheran Church

17122C. **FRANCIS RAMBO** was born 10 Apr 1833 and became a plumbers apprentist at age 15. He married LOUISA **KOCH** on 16 Feb 1859 in Reading, Pennsylvania. She was born in Jun 1838, a daughter of David Koch. Francis and Louisa resided in Reading. Francis served in the Civil War in 1860 with Capt. McKnight's Ringgold Light artillery and went to Washington Apr 1861 to Jul 1863, then served with Co. A, Ermentrout's Co., 2nd PA Infantry at Harrisburg when Pennsylvania was invaded. He died in Reading of Bright's disease on 14 Mar 1902 aged 68y 11m 4d, and Louisa filed for a pension. She died 7 Jun 1906, and they are buried in the Charles Evans Cemetery, Reading. Their wills are recorded in Berks Co. Will Books 21:348 and 23:316. They had these children:^{5,6,7}

17122C1. OLIVER PERRY RAMBO, b. 5 Dec 1859, d. 15 Jan 1860 of diptheria 17122C2. AARON RAMBO, bapt. 8 Dec 1860, lived in Marietta, Ohio in 1902 17122C3. MARGARET L. RAMBO, b. Nov 1866

¹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html ² Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

³ Cyrus T. Fox, ed., "Isaiah Rambo, Jr." in *Reading and Berks County, Pennsylvania, A History*, vol. 3 (1925), pp. 438-39

⁴ United States Veterans Administration, *General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934*. National Archives microfilm #T-288

⁵ United States Veterans Administration, *General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934*. National Archives microfilm #T-288 ⁶ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing obituary

⁷ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html cites obituary

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17122C4. LOUISA RAMBO, b. ca 1868, probably died before 1906
17122C5. JAMES G. RAMBO, b. 4 Apr 1870, d. 20 Jul 1906, m. Abbie (?)
17122C6. KATIE K. RAMBO, b. 11 June 1872, d. 7 Mar 1902 in Reading
17122C8. BULEA RAMBO, b. 1873, d. 13 Aug 1873
17122C9. MIRIAM RAMBO, b. ca 1877, m. John P. Stein

17122D. **GEORGE WASHINGTON RAMBO** was born 21 Aug 1838 in Reading, Pennsylvania and married ADELINE A. **KIRBY** on 2 Nov 1859 in the Ebenezer M. E. Church, Reading. He died 28 Jan 1860 by his own hand.¹

The children of [#17123] Nathan Matson and Elizabeth (Ash) Rambo [son of Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171231. **ANN RAMBO** was born 3 Jul 1809 and married ROBERT **MOORE** on 13 Mar 1833.² He was born 13 Feb 1808, a son of Andrew and Anna (Walker) Moore of Sadsbury.^{3,4} Like the Nathan Rambo family, the Moore family were Quakers and made their home in Indiana. Robert died 30 Mar 1887 aged 79y 1m 27d. Ann (Rambo) Moore passed away 2 Aug 1891 aged 82y 29d, and they were both buried at Earlham Cemetery in Wayne Co., IN. They had these children:⁵

1712311. ANN ELIZABETH MOORE, b. 16 Jan 1834, m. John M. Maxwell

- 1712312. NATHAN ANDREW MOORE, b. 3 May 1838, m. Ann Gilbert
- 1712313. MARY ANN MOORE, b. 9 Oct 1839, m. John M. Maxwell

171232. **WILLIAM ASH RAMBO** was born 26 Jul 1811 in Sadsbury Township, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. "William was 6' tall, broad-shouldered, cheerful, courteous & kindly. He became a Quaker prior to his first marriage in 1837. He wore the traditional plain dress & spoke plain speech."⁶ On 28 Feb 1837 in Philadelphia he married SARAH **MOORE**. She was born 23 Oct 1817, the youngest child of Andrew and Anna (Walker) Moore and a sister of Robert Moore.⁷ Sarah died 14 Sep 1841 and was buried in the Spring Grove Cemetery, Cincinnati, Ohio.⁸ After Sarah died, William Rambo married MIRIAM ALLISON **COFFIN** on 31 May 1843 at the Whitewater Monthly Meeting in Richland, Indiana. She was born 9 Jan 1821 in Guilford Co., North Carolina, the daughter of Elijah and Naomi (Hyatt) Coffin. In 1844, William moved his family to Cincinnati and in 1856 to a farm near New Paris, Preble Co., Ohio. On 20 Jun 1844 he presented a certificate from the Quaker White Water Monthly Meeting (Indiana)

¹ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 27 by Katherine B. Rambo

³ Gilbert Cole, *The Brinton Genealogy*, compiled by Janetta Wright Schoonover (pub. 1924), p. 225

⁴ Willard Heiss, "Wayne Co., Indiana" in American Quaker Genealogy, vol. 7, p. 43 "Moore" and p. 50 "Rambo"

⁵ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 296, 345

⁶ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 27 by Katherine B. Rambo

⁷ Willard Heiss, "Wayne Co., Indiana" in *American Quaker Genealogy*, vol. 7, p. 43 "Moore" and p. 50 "Rambo"

⁸ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 3 (Nov 1984), p. 20 by Katherine B. Rambo

to the Cincinnati MM, and on 17 Jul 1856, he returned to the White Water MM. William died of typhoid on 11 Aug 1858 in New Paris, Ohio but was buried in the Friends Cemetery of the Whitewater Monthly Meeting.¹ After his death, Miriam married Hugh Maxwell on 1 Jan 1862 in Wayne Co., IN. At the end of her life, she lived with her son Francis Howgill Rambo and his family in Watsonville, California.² Miriam died in San Jose, CA on 10 Jan 1913.³ William and Sarah had one daughter who survived:⁴

1712322. ANNA M. RAMBO, b. 13 Jun 1838, d. 27 Jul 1838

1712321. SARAH SYLVANUS RAMBO, b. 21 May 1840, m. Benjamin Maxwell William and Miriam Rambo were parents of the following children, some buried in the New Garden graveyard:

1712323. ELIJAH COFFIN RAMBO, b. 29 Feb 1844, d. 30 Apr 1844

1712324. EDWARD BURROUGHS RAMBO, b. 5 May 1845, m. Mary A.Taylor

1712325. JAMES PARNELL RAMBO, b. 6 Dec 1847 d. 23 Feb 1849

1712326. NAOMI COFFIN RAMBO, b. 8 Aug 1850, m. Calvin B. Walker

1712327. FRANCIS HOWGILL RAMBO, b. 17 Jul 1853, m. Dora Butler

171233. **ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born 31 Jan 1814 and married RICHARD H. **SWAIN**, a physician.⁵ She was dismissed from the Monthly Meeting in 1850 for marrying out of unity.⁶

171234. **NATHAN MATSON RAMBO** was born about 1816 and married Miss ELIZABETH **HARMAN**. It seems likely that he migrated to Scott Co., Iowa where his sons Nathan A. Rambo and Andrew R. Rambo served in the Civil War. The pioneer settler N. M. Rambo died 29 Mar 1879 and was buried in the Oakdale Cemetery in Davenport Township.⁷ His wife Elizabeth was born in 1817, died in 1898, and is buried near him at Oakdale. Nathan and Elizabeth had these children:⁸

1712341. A. RANKIN RAMBO

- 1712342. CHARLES RAMBO
- 1712343. NATHAN ALONZO RAMBO
- 1712344. SARAH JANE RAMBO

1712345. NANCY ELIZABETH RAMBO, died in youth

1712346. WILLIAM RAMBO, died in youth

1712347. SAMUEL RAMBO, died in youth

171235. **RACHEL LUNETTA RAMBO** was born 17 Feb 1823 and married WARNER **SHEARON** on 21 Apr 1847. He was born 25 Feb 1825, the son of Caleb

¹ Beverly Yount, Tombstone Inscriptions, Wayne County, Indiana (Fort Wayne), vol. 1, p. Friends 5

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 27 by Katherine B. Rambo

³ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 3 (Nov 1984), p. 20 by Katherine B. Rambo

⁴ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 296, 345

⁵ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), p. 296

⁶ Willard Heiss, "Wayne Co., Indiana" in American Quaker Genealogy, vol. 7, p. 43 "Moore" and p. 50 "Rambo"

⁷ Inter-State Publishing Co., History of Scott County, Iowa (1882), pp. 462, 925, 686, 507

⁸ Samuel Lamborn, comp., Genealogy of the Lamborn Family (pub. 1894), pp. 296, 345, 475

and Elizabeth (Chalfant) Shearon, prosperous farmers of Wayne Co., Indiana. They were members of the Whitewater Monthly Meeting in Wayne Co., IN.¹ Warner and his brother William were both hatters in 1850, but by 1860 Warner was a farmer with land valued at \$10,000. Rachel died 5 Oct 1888 and was buried in Earlham Cemetery. Warner and Rachel Shearon had one child:^{2,3}

1712351. ELIZABETH CHAFFIN SHEARON, b. 25 Jan 1848, m. Josiah B. Gilbert

171236. **SARAH JANE RAMBO** was born in 1825 and died in 1898.⁴ She married WILLIAM THOMAS **SHEARON** in Richmond, Wayne Co., Indiana in 1842.⁵ He was Warner's brother, a son of Caleb and Elizabeth (Chalfant) Shearon. William was born in 1822 and died in 1904.⁶ They had these children:

1712361. CALEB SHEARON, b. ca 1845

1712362. WILLIAM RAMBO SHEARON, b. 1848, d. 1913, m. Rebecca King

1712363. MARY SHEARON, b. 1851, m. George Murphy

171237. **SAMUEL ASH RAMBO** married LUCINDA **TWOGOOD** in Galena, Illinois on 5 Feb 1847. She was born about 1825 in New York. They lived in Wayne Co., Indiana with his father, Nathan Rambo Sr., in the 1850's. They were the parents of at least two children:⁷

1712371. LUCY ANN RAMBO, b. about 1848

1712372. SAMUELETTA ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 30 Jul 1850, m. William Pruyn

171239. **MARY ELEANOR RAMBO** married EDMUND CAVILER **PAGE** on 2 Dec 1852 in Richmond, Indiana. He died at age 39 and was buried in Maple Grove Cemetery, Wayne Co., IN but moved to Earlham Cemetery on 28 Sep 1891.⁸ Mary Eleanor died 20 Feb 1904 in Portland, Oregon.⁹ They had these children:¹⁰

1712391. ROBERT PAGE

1712392. L. ESTELLA PAGE, d. aged 18 or 24, buried Maple Grove

1712393. ALGERNON PAGE, d. aged 23, buried Maple Grove

The child of [#17124] James and Ann (Rambo) McClellan [daughter of Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ Willard Heiss, "Wayne Co., Indiana" in American Quaker Genealogy, vol. 7, p. 43 "Moore" and p. 50 "Rambo"

² Samuel Lamborn, comp., Genealogy of the Lamborn Family (pub. 1894), pp. 296, 345

³ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946, pp. 243-244

⁴ Willard Heiss, "Wayne Co., Indiana" in American Quaker Genealogy, vol. 7, p. 43 "Moore" and p. 50 "Rambo"

⁵ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 296, 346

⁶ Harold E. Rambo, Sr., Tallahassee, FL 32303, family records, p. 310

⁷ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), p. 296, 346

⁸ Beverly Yount, Tombstone Inscriptions, Wayne County, Indiana (Fort Wayne), vol. 1, p. 206

⁹ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 27 by Katherine B. Rambo

¹⁰ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 296, 346

171241. ELIZA McCLELLAN was born 15 Sep 1808 in Reading, Pennsylvania. On 12 Jun 1825, she married PETER RANKIN. He was born 7 Aug 1797 in Kilsyth, Scotland, the son of Peter and Margaret Rankin. He was educated as a civil engineer and migrated to New York in 1820. Peter Rankin was involved in the construction of the Philadelphia and Reading Canal and of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad. In 1856, he moved to Jackson Co., Michigan with his younger children but returned to Pennsylvania in 1859 to work on a railroad contract in Virginia. He was a deeply religious man and died 16 Oct 1872 in Michigan. Eliza Rankin died 1884 in Jackson Co., Michigan. They had these children:¹

- 1712411. THOMAS RANKIN, b. 11 May 1826, d. 31 Aug 1827
- 1712412. MARGARET RANKIN, b. 25 Dec 1828, m. Oliver Cromwell Young
- 1712413. ANN RANKIN, b. 23 Jul 1831, d. 2 Oct 1847
- 1712414. ELIZABETH RANKIN, b. 23 Oct 1833, d. 14 Feb 1835
- 1712415. HENRY RANKIN, b. 12 Nov 1835, d. 23 Nov 1835
- 1712416. WILLIAM M. RANKIN, b. 3 Dec 1836, m. 1) Kirby, 2) Strieby, 3)...
- 1712417. SARAH RANKIN, b. 23 Dec 1839, d. May 1900, m. Joseph K. Compton
- 1712418. HENRY CLAY RANKIN, b. 1 Dec 1843, d. Jul 1915, m. Lottie Graham
- 1712419. ELIZA JANE RANKIN, b. 18 Jun 1847, d. Apr 1916, m. E. J. Guy Lyman

The children of [#17127] Ezekiel and Margaret (Griffith) Rambo [son of Ezekiel Sr., Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Aaron, Moses, Silas, Paul, Andrew, William, Ezekiel, Thomas H. and Jane.

171271. **AARON RAMBO** was a miller born 26 Jan 1819 in Doe Run, West Marlborough Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. He was married to CATHERINE **GICKER** on 21 Mar 1844 by Samuel Ashton at Reading, PA. She was born there 22 Jun 1822. They lived in East Fallowfield Township, Chester Co. and had four children:²

1712711. RITTER SAMUEL C. RAMBO, b. 26 June 1846, m. Lavinia Baker

- 1712712. MARY ELIZABETH CATHERINE RAMBO, b. 15 Feb 1848, m. Walter
- 1712713. WILLIAM T. G. RAMBO, b. 19 May 1850, m. ?
- 1712714. VIOLA JANE RAMBO, b. 20 Jul 1856

171272. **MOSES RAMBO** was born about 1821, and was a successful businessman in Coatesville, starting as a teamster hauling coal and steel to the Gibbons and Huston steel plant. He married ELIZABETH JANE **GRAHAM** on 20 Feb 1856. She was a daughter of Hamilton Graham. They apparently took a honeymoon trip out west, traveling through ten states. After their return Moses entered into the merchantile business for the next 12 years. In 1869 he was elected a director of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Chester County, and in 1870 he entered into the coal and lumber business with his

¹ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 6 (Aug 1986), pp. 4-5, 28 Bible record from Judy A. Nelson

father-in-law. The firm eventually became known as M. Rambo & Son(s) when Mr. Graham retired and sons of Moses joined the firm.¹ Moses died on 12 Apr ? at the age of 86 years old; Elizabeth died in Coatesville 11 May 1918 aged 86. Moses and Elizabeth had these known children:

1712721. ELMER ELLWOOD RAMBO, b. ca 1861, d. Nov 1947, m. Mary Jefferis

1712722. H. GRAHAM RAMBO, b. 21 Nov 1864, d. 17 Dec 1945

1712723. ISABELLA GRAHAM RAMBO, d. after 1945, never married

1712724. MARY GRAHAM RAMBO, d. after 1945, m. William H. Ridgeway

The Chester *Village Record* of 4 Mar 1856 reports: "Marriage on the 20th ult., at the States Union Hotel, Philadelphia, by the Rev. A.G. Morrison, Mr. MOSES RAMBO, of Coatesville, to Miss E. JANE GRAHAM of New Garden, Chester county."

171273. **SILAS RAMBO** was born about 1825 and worked as a miller in Sadsbury Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. He married HESTER J. (?) who was also born about 1825. Their children were:

1712731. HENRY L. RAMBO, b. Jul 1847, m. Margaret (?)

1712732. EZEKIEL T. RAMBO, b. Nov 1848, m. Mary O. (?)

1712733. MARGARET J. RAMBO, b. ca 1850

171274. **PAUL C. RAMBO** was born about 1825 and worked in a mill in East Fallowfield, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. He was married to ELIZABETH JANE **STEEN** on 19 Oct 1848 by Rev. R. F. Young of Chestnut Hill. She was born about 1826 and died 11 Mar 1853 in Mortonville, PA. It is presumed that Paul then married REBECCA H. (?). Paul C. Rambo died 4 Mar 1864 in his 41st year, leaving a wife and five children.² Paul and Elizabeth had one known child:

1712741. MARY J. RAMBO, b. ca Jun 1850 Paul and Rebecca had these known children:

1712742. ALBERTEEN L. RAMBO, d. 25 Jan 1867 in her 11th year

1712743. EZEKIEL Y. RAMBO, b. 1861 (calc), d. 26 Feb 1863 aged 1y 2m 26d

1712744. JOSEPH EVERETT RAMBO, d. 13 Jul 1864 aged 1y 7m 13d

The Chester Village Record of 22 Mar 1853 reported:

"Death Notice in Mortonville, on the morning of the 11th inst., ELIZABETH JANE RAMBO, wife of Paul C. Rambo, in the 27th year of her age."

The Chester Village Record on 7 Apr 1863:

"Death Notice in Valley township, on the 26th of February, 1863, EZEKIEL Y., son of Paul and Rebecca Rambo, aged 1 year, 2 months and 26 days..." and on 21 Jun 1864: "Death Notice in Valley township, on the 4th of March, PAUL C. RAMBO, in the 41st year of his age; he leaves a wife and five children to mourn his loss ..." and again on 10

¹ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania. Includes picture.

² "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

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Jan 1865:

"Death Notice on Friday morning, July 13th, 1864, JOSEPH EVERETT RAMBO, son of Rebecca H. and the late Paul C. Rambo, formerly of Valley township, Chester county, aged 1 year, 7 months and 13 days." and again on 27 Aug 1867:

"Death Notice RAMBO - on Wilmington, Delaware, on Friday, the 25th of January, 1867, ALBERTEEN L., daughter of the late Paul C. and Rebecca H. Rambo, in the 11th year of her age ..."

171275. **ANDREW RAMBO** was born about 1829. He was a miller and lived with the James Cork family in London Grove Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania in 1850.

171276. **WILLIAM RAMBO** was born about 1833. He was a miller in West Nantwell Township and married ALICE (?) who was born about 1836. They had one known child:

1712761. SARAH RAMBO, b. ca Jun 1850

171277. **EZEKIEL RAMBO** Jr. apparently married SARAH ANN **PARKE** and was killed in a military maneuver on 24 Mar 1862. Sarah later married a Mr. Young, and Ezekiel's son took the surname Young. Ezekiel and Sarah had one known child:

1712771. WILLIAM STEWART YOUNG, b. 11 Jul 1859 in Parkesburg

171278. **THOMAS H. RAMBO** was born in May 1839 and was living at home in 1850 when the census was taken. He married ESTHER (?) and lived at 611 Brooklyn St., Philadelphia where he was a conductor. In 1889, the City Directory listed Esther as a dressmaker. They had one known child:

1712781. MARGARET J. RAMBO, b. Mar 1871

The children of [#17132] Isaac H. and Elizabeth (Rambo) Miller [daughter of Benjamin, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Catherine, Charles Thomas, Jane and Eliza.

171322. **CHARLES THOMAS MILLER** was born 22 Jan 1832 and studied law at Brown University. He married LYDIA **SUPPLEE** and was the secretary of the Norristown Gas and director of Norristown Water Co.¹

The children of [#17141] William and Grace (Levering) Rambo [son of Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Reece L., Mary, Daniel, Nathan, Lamech, Tabitha, Eli, Esther, Noah, Susan and Morgan.

¹ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 287

171414. **NATHAN RAMBO** was born 26 May 1819, married SARAH JANE **THOMPSON** on 4 Apr 1850, and died a short time later on 4 Apr 1850.¹ Nathan was granted the water rights on 27 Jul 1844 by his father and William Blair to build a dam and a race on Owl Creek, Middlebury Township. Nathan's siblings (Lamich Rambo & Sarah Ann his wife; Eli Rambo, Welcome Horeindein [Herrindean] & Tabitha his wife; & Esther Rambo) quitclaimed all rights to the mill to their father on 1 Nov 1852.²

171415. **LAMECH RAMBO** was born 6 Aug 1821 in Knox Co., Ohio and married SARAH ANN **WALKER** on 20 Apr 1843. She was born 2 Feb 1822, a daughter of John Walker. Lamech assisted his father on the home farm until he attained his fifteenth year, then engaged in wool carding and in 1845 in the manufacture of woolen goods. After his first mill burned, he established another in Dresden, Ohio. He also farmed 526 acres in the Muskingum Valley and was elected to the general assembly in 1875. Sarah died 31 Mar 1903. Lamech and Sarah had these children:^{3,4}

- 1714151. WILLIAM ADNA RAMBO, b. 29 Mar 1844, d. 21 Apr 1847
- 1714152. ELMIRA ALICE RAMBO, b. 12 Oct 1845, never married
- 1714153. ELMER JUDSON RAMBO, b. 9 Jun 1847 of Findley, Ohio, Chicago, IL
- 1714154. MIRANDA FLAVILLA RAMBO, b. 5 Nov 1850, d. 14 Dec 1850
- 1714155. VIOLA MIRANDA RAMBO, b. 28 Nov 1852, d. 20 Jul 1854
- 1714156. A. E. RAMBO of Dresden, Ohio, then Duffy, Texas

Zanesville Times Recorder of 31 Mar 1903 "Mrs. Sarah Ann Rambo, aged eighty two years died at her home about noon today after an illness of but a few hours. ... violent attack of the heart ... member of the Presbyterian Church ... Three children survive, they are H.A. Rambo of Duffy, Texas; ___ Rambo of Chicago; and Miss __ira Rambo of Dresden."

"Hon. L. Rambo is engaged in the manufacture of woolen goods under the firm name of L. Rambo & Co., in the details of which calling he is well versed, owing to long experience in the business. He is a native of Knox county, Ohio, where he first saw the light of day on August 6, 1821, but his parents, William and Grace (Levering) Rambo, were Pennsylvanians who removed to Knox county in 1812, the death of the former occurring in 1854 and that of the latter in 1853. Hon. L. Rambo assisted his father on the home farm until he attained his fifteenth year, then engaged in wool carding and in 1845 in the manufacture of woolen goods at Rocky fork on Licking river. In 1848 his establishment was unfortunately burned, but he afterward located near Newark and started a woolen mill, but since 1852 has conducted a like establishment at Dresden, the product of which is all that could be desired. In addition to successfully managing his

¹ Horatio Gates Jones, *The Levering Family* (Philadelphia, PA: King & Baird, 1858), p. 162

² Mrs. Louise Howison, Richwood, OH 43344, letter of 11 Feb 1991 with copies of three Knox Co. Deeds: Book Z:479-480 (27 Jul 1844), Book OO:452 (1 Nov 1852), and Book MM:412 (11 Sep 1852)

³ Horatio Gates Jones, *The Levering Family* (Philadelphia, PA: King & Baird, 1858), pp. 162, 170

⁴ Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Muskingum County, Ohio (The Goodspeed Publishing Co., 1892), pp. 548-549

mill much of his attention is also given to agriculture, in which he is equally prosperous. He owns 526 acres of land in the Muskingum valley, the entire tract being exceedingly fertile and valuable. He is a shrewd and practical man of business, is wide awake to his own interests, but has never been known to wrong others. He was first a whig in politics, then became a republican and still affiliates with that party, by which he was elected in 1875 to the general assembly, by a majority of fifty-one votes while the county went democratic 400 votes. He served one term with distinguished ability during which time he was true to his convictions and to the interests of the section which he represented. He is one of the foremost men of the county and has carved out his own career, his success being due to his own persistence and native tact and business ability. For six years he was a member of the Dresden school board. In 1843 Sarah A. Walker became his wife, she being a daughter of John Walker who settled in Knox county in 1808. To their union three children have been born: E. J., of Findlay, Ohio; A.E., of Cresden, and Elmira."¹

Marriage records gives Laineck Rambo m. Sarah Ann Walker 20 Apr 1843

Louise Howison sent some deeds and wills from this family. Lamech was son of William who was son of Nathan.

171416. **TABITHA RAMBO** was born 8 Jun 1823 and married WELCOME **HERRENDEEN** on 4 Mar 1852. He was born 17 Mar 1821. They had one known child:²

17141611. OLIVE HERRENDEEN, b. 3 Mar 1854

171417. **ELI RAMBO** was born 6 Feb 1825 and married MARGARET **GRISE**. He enlisted in the 26th Michigan Regt. and fell at Richmond 11 May 1864.³

171418. **ESTHER RAMBO** was born 28 Jun 1826 and married GARRETT **SELOVER** on 8 Nov 1853. He was born 27 Sep 1821 and had previously married Elizabeth Winteringer. Esther and Garrett had one child:⁴

1714181. LAMECH RAMBO SELOVER, m. Hannah J. Rogers [#1125334]

Garret Selover born 27 Sep 1821 married Elizabeth Winteringer first and Esther Rambo second, on 8 Nov 1853. She was born 28 Jun 1826. Her parents were William & Grace (Lavering) Rambo, "naives of Pennsylvania who settled near Stephen Cook's in 1813, where they raised a family of eight children - Reece L., Mary, Daniel, Nathan, Lamech, Tabitha, Eli, and Esther. Eli Rambo enlisted in the 26th Michigan Regiment and fell at

¹ Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Muskingum County, Ohio (The Goodspeed Publishing Co., 1892), pp. 548-549

² Horatio Gates Jones, *The Levering Family* (Philadelphia, PA: King & Baird, 1858), p. 162

³ Horatio Gates Jones, *The Levering Family* (Philadelphia, PA: King & Baird, 1858), p. 162

⁴ W. H. Perrin and J. H. Battle, *History of Morrow County and Ohio* (O.L. Baskin & Co., Historical Publishers, 1880), p. 795

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Richmond, May 11, 1864." Garrett & Esther have one child Lamech R. Selover who married Hannah J. Rogers of Montgomery Co., Pa Dec 25 1879.¹

The children of [#17143] Mordecai and Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven [daughter of Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Anne Marie, William, Mark, Charles, Charles, Mordecai, Nathan, Allen, Esther, Abigail, Elwood and George W.

171431. **ANNE MARIE DEHAVEN** was born 7 Sep 1809 in Montgomery Co., PA.² She married PHILLIP **HOLLAND** about 1839. He was born in 1814 and died in 1886. Anne Marie also died in 1886. They lived in Upper Providence Township, Montgomery Co. in 1850 on a property valued at \$3,100.³ They had at least three children:

1714311. BENJAMIN F. HOLLAND, b. ca 1843

1714312. ABIGAIL DEHAVEN HOLLAND, b. 15 Feb 1846

1714313. MARY ANN HOLLAND, alive in 1874

171432. **WILLIAM DEHAVEN** was born 15 Jan 1811. He may be the William Dehaven who married RACHEL JANE **WOODS** from Philadelphia on 24 Jan 1849 in Upper Merion Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania. That William died 28 Dec 1893 aged 74, Jane died 3 Mar 1896 aged 76, and they are buried at Old Swedes Church. However the wife of Mordecai's son William was named Catherine on a deed for the sale of Mordecai's land.⁴

171433. **MARK DEHAVEN** was born 10 Dec 1813 in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania. He was a cattle dealer and operated a large mine in Upper Merion Township that was a rich producer of lime. He was town supervisor in Norristown, PA for many years and saw active service as a member of the Montgomery Co. Cavalry during the Philadelphia riots of 1844.⁵ On 18 Dec 1838 at St. Thomas P.E. Church in Whitmarsh Township, he married HANNAH **RAMBO** [#114337], the daughter of John and Elizabeth (Coats) Rambo. She was born 22 Sep 1811 and died 16 Mar 1890. They lived in Swedesburg, PA in 1850. Mark died 9 Sep 1889, at the age of 78. See the transcribed biographical sketch of J. Rambo DeHaven [#1714331]. Mark and Hannah DeHaven are buried at Montgomery Co. Cemetery in Norristown.⁶ The DeHavens had two children:

1714331. JONATHAN RAMBO DEHAVEN, b. 2 Jun 1839, d. 1904 unmarried 1714332. RACHEL DEHAVEN, b. 19 Dec 1841, d. 27 Jan 1857

171436. MORDECAI DEHAVEN Jr. was born 20 Sep 1819 and on 10 Jan 1844

¹W. H. Perrin and J. H. Battle, *History of Morrow County and Ohio* (O.L. Baskin & Co., Historical Publishers, 1880), p. 795

² Charles Major, *Montgomery County Church, Bible, ... Records*, Hist. Soc. of Montgomery Co. LDS microfilm #21595 Item 2

³ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 163

⁴ N. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H.Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, pp. 163-164

⁵ Henry Wilson Ruoff, *Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa.*, Part 1 (pub 1895)

⁶ N. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H.Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, pp. 164-165

married ELIZABETH C. **SMITH** who was born 4 Jun 1823. In 1860 the family lived in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania where Mordecai was a confectioner. He died in 1879 and is buried at St. Thomas Episcopal Cemetery, Whitmarsh Township. Elizabeth died 19 Feb 1904. They had these children:¹

- 1714361. ABIGAIL S. DEHAVEN, b. ca 1844, m. Henry Harrison Shainline
- 1714362. SARAH S. DEHAVEN, b. 5 Dec 1847, d. 4 Mar 1921
- 1714363. JOHN DEHAVEN, b. ca 1851
- 1714364. ROBERT HARVEY DEHAVEN, b. ca 1853, of Ambler, PA in 1921
- 1714365. GEORGE HENRY DEHAVEN, b. 24 Dec 1856, m. Anna Barbary Lebold
- 1714366. LEWIS DEHAVEN, b. 1859, m. Elizabeth Weir

171437. **NATHAN DEHAVEN** was born 30 Aug 1821 and was baptized at Christ Church (Old Swedes) on 30 Aug 1822 with Thomas J. Rambo as a sponsor. On 5 Dec 1850, he married SUSAN **MILLER** who was born in 1830.² The family lived in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania, where Nathan was a carpenter in 1870 and had property valued at \$12,000. Nathan died on 24 Jan 1908 at age 87, and Susan died a week later on 1 Feb 1908 aged 78.³ They and several of their children are buried in the cemetery at Christ Church (Old Swedes).⁴ His grave is marked with a Montgomery Co. Civil War Marker. They had these children:⁵

1714371. CATHERINE JANE DEHAVEN, b. 30 May 1852, m. William H. Love

- 1714372. REBECCA ANN DEHAVEN, b. 8 Aug 1854, d. 1923, m. Septimus Wood
- 1714373. MARY EMMA DEHAVEN, b. 19 May 1856, m. Joseph Winterbottom
- 1714374. HESTER DEHAVEN, b. 30 Apr 1859, d. 1933, buried at Old Swedes
- 1714375. REES RAMBO DEHAVEN, b. 13 Jan 1862, d. 2 Jan 1949
- 1714376. HANNAH DEHAVEN, b. 20 Apr 1865, d. 12 Aug 1872, at 7y 3m 22d
- 1714377. NATHAN DEHAVEN, b. 16 Aug 1868, d. 16 Nov 1873 aged 5y 3m
- 1714378. JOHN FRANKLIN DEHAVEN, b. 11 Oct 1872, d. 18 Aug 1874, 1y 10
- 1714379. WILLIAM HENRY DEHAVEN, b. 14 Mar 1877, bapt. 7 Aug 1878

171438. **ALLEN DEHAVEN** was born 18 Sep 1823. He lived with his mother in 1860 and 1870 and worked as a wheelwright. In 1900 he lived in Norriton Township with Wm. J. Reese Sr. He died unmarried 20 Dec 1911.⁶

17143A. **ABIGAIL DEHAVEN** was born 26 Aug 1826. About 1845, she married JOHN C. **CLEAVER**, son of Thomas and Judith (Coulston) Cleaver. In 1850 they lived in Plymouth Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, and he was a cooper with property worth \$3,000. In 1858 they lived in a house on Cherry Street in Norristown,

- ⁴ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98
- ⁵ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 166
- ⁶ N. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H.Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, pp. 166-167

¹N. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H.Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, pp. 165-166

² Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

³ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

PA. John Cleaver died before 1860, and Abigail married ALBERT **SMITH** on 16 May 1861. Albert entered the Civil War 15 Sep 1861 and served as a private in Co. D, 51st PA Volunteers and in Co. A, 29th PA Volunteers. Most of his War service was as a teamster, but he was often ill with diarrhea and fever. He died on 15 Oct 1865 at Philadelphia, three months after his final discharge. Abigail died on 10 Apr 1907 in Philadelphia and is buried at Christ Church (Old Swedes), Upper Merion.¹ Abigail and John Cleaver had these children:

17143A1. MARY CLEAVER, b. 1846, died young

17143A2. (GEORGE) EPHRAIM CLEAVER, b. 1848, m. Lucy Ann Jones

17143A3. ANNIE CLEAVER, b. 1852, d. after 1896, m. ?

17143A4. FREMONT JOHN CLEAVER, b. 1856, d. 1937, m. Margaret Mueller

17143B. **ELWOOD DEHAVEN** was a cabinetmaker born 28 Jul 1828 and married to REBECCA **THOMPSON** on 5 Sep 1856 in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania. An orphaned child, Robert Dehaven, was an apprentice living in the household in Clearfield, PA when the 1860 census was taken.² In 1880 he was living in Reynoldsville, PA. Elwood and Rebecca had these children:³

17143B1. LUTHER DEHAVEN, b.ca 1858 (aged 2 in 1860), m. Rebecca J. (?)

17143B2. MARGARETH DEHAVEN, b. ca 1859 (aged 8/12 in 1860 census)

17143B3. MARY RAMBO DEHAVEN, b. ca 1862 (aged 18 in 1880)

17143B4. ALFRED DEHAVEN, b. Mar 1866, m. Anne (?)

17143B5. ABIGAIL DEHAVEN, b. ca 1869 (aged 11 in 1880)

17143C. GEORGE W. DEHAVEN was born 25 Sep 1830.

The children of [#17145] Eli and Jane (Powell) Rambo [son of Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter]. They resided in Montgomery Co.

171451. **THEODORE B. RAMBO** was born 3 Oct 1822 in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania, and was married to SIDNEY ANNA **MATHANEY** in Downingtown, PA on 21 Dec 1847 by Rev. A. G. Compton. She was born on 25 Jan 1829 in Pennsylvania. Theodore B. signed a petition on 27 Jan 1857 calling for the formation of Borough of Downington.⁴ He died there at age 37 on 14 Aug 1860. Sidney Anna died of nephritis in Philadelpha, PA on 25 Jan 1900 at age 71.⁵ They are buried with their two infant children at the Grove Methodist Church Cemetery in Whitford Station, PA. Theodore and Sidney had the following children:⁶

¹ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

² Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 30 Jan 2003 citing descendant, Harry Ellery

³ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, *Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett*, p. 167 ⁴ Sue Ellen Keenan, Hatfield, PA 19440, family research, e-mail of 12 Jan 2002 with transcription

⁵ Sue Ellen Keenan, Hatfield, PA 19440, family research, e-mail of 11 Jan 2002 citing death certificate

⁶ Sue Ellen Keenan, Hatfield, PA 19440, family research, GenForum posting

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- 1714511. ISAAC RAMBO, b. Jan 1849 (calculated), d. 6 Jul 1851 aged 2 ¹/₂y
- 1714512. EMMA JANE RAMBO, b. Jun 1851, d. 1904, m. Samuel A. Rees
- 1714513. CLARA L. RAMBO, b. 17 Mar 1856 (calc), d. 6 Aug 1856 aged 4m 19d.¹
- 1714514. GEORGE RAMBO, b. ca 1856, farm laborer
- 1714515. ANNA M. RAMBO, b. 22 Feb 1860, d. 1 Dec 1911, had a child, Harvey

The Chester *Village Record* of 21 Dec 1847 states: "Marriage on the 15th inst., by the Rev. A.G. Compton, Mr. THEODORE B. RAMBO, to Miss SIDNEY MATHANEY, all of Downingtown."

The Chester *Village Record* of 28 Aug 1860 states: "Death Notice on the 14th inst., in Downingtown, THEODORE B. RAMBO, in the 38th year of his age."

171452. **GEORGE W. RAMBO** was born 1 Nov 1824 at Bridgeport, Pennsylvania. He married ANN ELIZABETH **SWEETEN** of Downingtown, Chester Co., PA at Gloria Dei on 5 Mar 1852. George died 28 Dec 1894 at Merlin, PA, aged 70, and was buried in Pikeland Cemetery. They lived at Brandywine Manor and had these children:²

1714521. THEODORE RAMBO, b. 8 Jan 1853, d. 22 Oct 1932, m. Jennie Pierce

1714522. KATE RAMBO, b. 25 Mar 1854, d. 29 Dec 1927, m. Oliver M. Emery

1714523. GEORGIE RAMBO (f), b. 5 Oct 1855, d. 1933, m. Hadley Jackson Lemon

1714524. MARY JANE RAMBO, b. 28 May 1858, m. Livingston Orlando Friday

The children of [#17145] Eli and Susanna (Fornwalt) Rambo, his second wife. They resided in Chester Co., PA. See *Genealogy of Eli Rambo*.³

171453. **ESTHER RAMBO** was born 8 Nov 1836 in Hopewell, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. She married a teacher, THOMAS B. **TOWNSEND**, on 9 Oct 1858 in Chester County. He was born in Chester Co. on 12 Dec 1836, a son of Cheyney and Mary E. (Baker) Townsend.⁴ He was a farmer until a farming accident resulted in amputation of his left foot. Thereafter he was a teacher 1860-1868, an employee of the railroad, an assessor, and a tax collector.⁵ They were members of the Reformed Episcopal Church and had the following children:⁶

1714531. JOHN W. TOWNSEND, b. 10 Aug 1859, d. 2 Jun 1932, m. Sarah R. Clark

1714532. ELMER E. TOWNSEND, b. 4 Jul 1861, d. 20 Nov 1931, m. Francina Hall

- 1714533. OSCAR TOWNSEND, b. 1863, died in infancy
- 1714534. MARY S. TOWNSEND, b. 3 Aug 1870, m. 1) N. Ames, 2) J. Rutter

The Chester Village Record of 12 Oct 1858 states: "Marriage on the 7th inst., by Rev.

¹ Pennsylvania Genealogical Catalogue (Accessible Archives, c1993) CD-ROM no. 6. Chester Village Record newspaper

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ J.M. Runk, pub., Biographical and Genealogical History of the State of Delaware (1899), pp. 216-217

⁵ J.M. Runk, pub., Biographical and Genealogical History of the State of Delaware (1899), pp. 216-217

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

W.H. Burrell, Mr. THOMAS B. TOWNSEND, of West Whiteland, to Miss HESTER RAMBO, of Downingtown."

171454. **ANGELINE RAMBO** was born 29 Jan 1838. She married JACOB **WEBSTER** on 23 Feb 1878 in Chester Co., Pennsylvania. Jacob was born 29 Jul 1837 in Downington, PA and died at Columbia, PA on 14 Jan 1890. Angeline Webster died 23 Feb 1878 at age 40, just days after the birth of Thomas. Their children were:¹

- 1714541. WILLIAM H. WEBSTER, b. 4 Mar 1862, d. 1865
- 1714542. MARY B. WEBSTER, b. 25 Jan 1864, d. 1865
- 1714543. FRANK L. WEBSTER, b. 18 Dec 1865, m. 1) E. Tarbit, 2) G. Gilbert
- 1714544. JACOB DIEM WEBSTER, b. 4 Mar 1868, m. Clara Dougherty
- 1714545. GEORGE T. WEBSTER, b. 18 Oct 1870, m. 1) F. Barnes, 2) E. Klingbeil
- 1714546. ISAAC E. WEBSTER, b. 4 Nov 1874, d. 1875
- 1714547. DANIEL T. WEBSTER, b. 2 Mar 1876, d. Jul 1876
- 1714548. THOMAS B. WEBSTER, b. 9 Feb 1878, d. Jun 1878

The Chester *Village Record* of 9 Oct 1860 states: "Marriage on the 4th inst., by Rev S. Aughhey, at the Lutheran Parsonage, in Lionville, Mr. JACOB S. WEBSTER, of Upper Uwchlan, to Miss ANGELINE RAMBO, of Downingtown, Chester county."

171455. **MATTHEW S. RAMBO** was born 7 Dec 1839 at Hopewell, Pennsylvania. He married HARRIET E. **TOMPKINS** on 1 Jan 1863 in Willistown, Chester Co., PA as announced in the Chester *Village Record*. She was born in Feb 1844, the daughter of Morton and Mary Tompkins. Matthew Rambo served in Co. D, 145th PA Inf. and Co. F, 53rd PA Inf. during the Civil War and filed for a pension in 1890.² He died 26 Jan 1905 in East Goshen, PA.³ He and Harriet had 15 children:⁴

- 1714551. GEORGE RAMBO, b. 15 Jun 1863, d. Aug 1863
- 1714552. CHARLES RAMBO, b. 21 Mar 1866, d. Jul 1866
- 1714553. HOWARD RAMBO, b. 26 May 1867, m. 1) M. Gadsley, 2) A. Hoffman
- 1714554. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 15 Oct 1868, d. 1869
- 1714555. HARRY RAMBO, b. 15 Oct 1869, m. Bessie Cummings
- 1714556. MORTON T. RAMBO, b. 23 Jan 1871, d. 30 Dec 1892
- 1714557. JEHU RAMBO, b. 8 May 1872, d. 1958, m. Mary A. (Mame) McKeenan
- 1714558. MARY V. RAMBO, b. 23 Dec 1873, m. Edmund T. Wells
- 1714559. FRANK RAMBO, b. & d. 2 Feb 1875
- 171455A. MATTHEW RAMBO, b. 13 Mar 1876, d. 31 May 1898
- 171455B. TAYLOR G. RAMBO, b. 24 Jul 1877, m. Anna E. Sweades
- 171455C. ELI A. RAMBO, b. 2 Sep 1880, d. Jun 1963, m. Margaret L. Moore

¹ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² United States Veterans Administration, General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934. National Archives microfilm #T-288

³ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

171455D. CLIFFORD E. RAMBO, b. 21 May 1883, m. Emma J. Moore 171455E. SUSANNA E. RAMBO, b. 14 Jun 1886, d. 1933, m. George R. Smiley 171455F. HATTIE E. RAMBO, b. 16 Dec 1889, m. Charles J. Ash

The Chester *Village Record* of 20 Jan 1863 states: "Marriage on the 1st inst., by Rev. Jos. L. Sagebeer, Mr. MATTHEW S. RAMBO to Miss HARRIET E. TOMPHINS, all of Willistown."

171456. **SUSANNA RAMBO** was born 1 Jan 1842 in Hopewell, Pennsylvania, and on 26 Aug 1869 she married JACOB **DIEM**. Susanna died 19 Aug 1918 in Quarreyville, PA. Their children were:¹

1714561. WESLEY F. DIEM, b. 17 Feb 1871, m. Lulu Kurtz

1714562. MARY E. DIEM, b. 27 Oct 1877, m. Philip Trimble

1714563. MABEL DIEM, b. 10 Feb 1880, m. J. Parke Barnett

The Chester *Village Record* of 7 Sep 1869 states: "Marriage DEIM - RAMBO - On Thursday, August 26th, by Rev. D.W. Gordon, JACOB DEIM to Miss SUE RAMBO, both of Downingtown."

171457. **ASA RAMBO** was born 24 Nov 1844 in Hopewell, Pennsylvania. He married MATILDA **FREEMAN** on 4 Nov 1866 in Downingtown, PA. They made their home in North East, Cecil Co., Maryland, and Matilda died before 1900. They adopted William A. Rambo and had the following children of their own:²

- 1714571. WARDEN RAMBO, b. 6 Oct 1867, m. Rachel Falls
- 1714572. CLARA RAMBO, b. 25 Mar 1872, m. 1) Jesse Simpers, 2) F. W. Muller
- 1714573. FANNY RAMBO, b. 11 Jun 1874, d. 20 Jul 1914, m. Eli Coulson
- 1714574. HARVEY RAMBO, b. 8 Apr 1876, m. Anna Eberhardt
- 1714575. GEORGE RAMBO, b. 3 Dec 1880, m. Blanche McKowen
- 1714576. WILLIAM A. RAMBO, b. 1861 (adopted)

The Chester *Village Record* of 4 Dec 1866 reported: "Marriage on November 24th, in Downington, at the M.E. Parsonage, by Rev. J. Lindemuth, Mr. ACEY RAMBO, of West Whiteland, to Mrs. TILLA RAMBO, of Elk township, Chester county."

171458. **ELI RAMBO** Jr. was born 12 May 1846 in Hopewell, PA. He married MARTHA **FAMOUS** on 3 May 1873 in Bridgeport, PA. She was the daughter of H. B. and Elizabeth Famous, and was born 30 Jun 1850. The family lived in Willistown, Chester Co. in 1880. Eli died 6 May 1932 in Milltown, PA. They had two children:

1714581. MARY M. RAMBO, b. 17 Jun 1873, d. 17 Nov 1957

^{1714582.} WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 18 Mar 1875, m. Josephine Weiss

¹George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

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171459. **JEHU RAMBO** was born 17 Apr 1848 in Hopewell, Pennsylvania. On 21 Apr 1875, he married MARY ELIZABETH **EMERSON** of Lancaster, PA, the daughter of Joseph Emerson. In 1880 the family lived in West Chester, PA, and in 1900 they lived in Salisbury Township, Lancaster Co., PA. They had two children:

1714591. GEORGE JEHU RAMBO, b. 26 May 1878, m. Kathrine L. Englerth 1714592. ELMER N. RAMBO, b. 13 May 1880, m. Annie Moore

Jehu Rambo of Salisbury Township & Mary E. his wife 80 perches. Jehu still owns adjoining land. witness George Rambo.¹

17145A. **ISAIAH RAMBO** was born 6 Jan 1852 in Hopewell, Pennsylvania. He married SARAH LAVINA **LAWRENCE** about 1873-74. The family lived in West Chester, Chester Co., PA where Isaiah died 12 Sep 1897 of an accident at the age of 45. In 1900 the widowed Sarah and her daughter Myrtle lived with her son Morris Rambo in West Chester. Isaiah and Sarah Rambo had these children:²

17145A1. MORRIS RAMBO, b. 27 Mar 1875, m. Blanche Clemenson

17145A2. CLARENCE RAMBO, b. 13 Jun 1877, m. Marguerite Hite

17145A3. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. 19 Oct 1879, m. Cora Steele

17145A4. ELWOOD RAMBO, b. Dec 1881, d. 5 Jan 1882 aged 5 weeks.³

17145A5. CHARLES RAMBO, b. & d. Mar 1883

17145A6. MYRTLE RAMBO, b. 29 Sep 1887, m. 1) Andrew Goetz, 2) John Moore 17145A7. MARY RAMBO, b. 1 Nov 1889, m. John F. Snyder

17145B. **NATHAN RAMBO** was born 3 Nov 1857 in Pennsylvania. He married ANNIE **DAVIS** on 19 Mar 1885 at Brandywine Manor, PA. She was born in Apr 1853, the daughter of Lemuel and Mary Davis. In 1900 the family lived in Salisbury Township, Lancaster Co., PA, and Annie's widowed mother, Mary Davis age 86, lived with the family. Nathan died 6 Mar 1939 in Salisbury Township and left a will dated 28 May 1929 and recorded in Lancaster Co. book Q:3:536. Nathan and Ann had one child:⁴ 17145B1. ALICE B. RAMBO, b. 13 Mar 1888, d. Feb 1919, m. Blaine Shaw

His will mentions Honey Brook Presbyterian Church, bequeaths all property and real estate to granddaughter Vesta Lammey, and mentions Asa Rambo of North East, Md as one of his brothers.

The children of [#19146] George Washington and Elizabeth (Rambo) DeHaven

¹ Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, Deeds I:13:505

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

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[daughter of Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Rachel R., Mary Emily, Robert R., Emma E., Rebecca Jane and Susan.

191461. **RACHEL RAMBO DEHAVEN** was born 20 Nov 1834, and was married to DAVID **JONES** on 22 Feb 1855 by R. T. Cinrad, the mayor of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.¹ David Jones was born 26 Jun 1827, a son of John and Phebe Jones. Rachel died on 27 May 1867 in her 33rd year.² David married Sarah Elizabeth Knight second, on 10 Jun 1868, and had another child: William B. b. 12 Mar 1869. David died 15 Jun 1872. Rachel and David Jones lived in Bristol, Pennsylvania and had one child:³

1914611. ROBERTS DEHAVEN JONES, b. 9 Feb 1856, m. Mary Sargent

191462. **MARY EMILY DeHAVEN** was born 20 Aug 1836 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and was married to JAMES **COMLY** on 15 Jan 1863 by Alexander Henry, mayor of Philadelphia.⁴ James was born 13 Apr 1838 in Byberry, Philadelphia Co., PA, a son of Dr. Isaac and Elizabeth (Thornton) Comly and a descendant of the Quaker Henry Comly of Bedminister, Somersetshire, England who died in Bucks Co., PA in 1684. James was disowned by the Byberry meeting of the Quakers on 1 Mar 1864 for marriage by the magistrate out of unity with the Quaker protocols. Mary died of heart degeneration on 29 Dec 1910 in Philadelphia aged 74y 4m 9d; James died at Byberry five days later of heppeteopilies of the prostate on 2 Jan 1911 aged 72y 8m 20d. They are buried in West Laurel Hill Cemetery.⁵ Mary and James had these children:⁶

1914621. ELIZABETH DeHAVEN COMLY, b. 25 Nov 1863, m. F. Dercum

- 1914622. JAMES ISAAC COMLY, b. 26 Oct 1865, m. Katherine Field Hammer
- 1914623. CORA EMMA COMLY, b. 18 Dec 1868, m. John Ridgway Deacon

191464. **EMMA E. DEHAVEN** was born 17 Jun 1841 and did not marry. She died 11 Dec 1897 in her 57th year.⁷ She was buried in Christ Church cemetery beside her parents.⁸

The children of [#19147] Alexander Hamilton and Jane Moore (Rambo) Supplee [daughter of Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter]. They resided in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania.

191471. **JONATHAN RAMBO SUPPLEE** was born 20 Feb 1833. On 23 Dec 1857 he married ELIZABETH **ABRAHAM**, born about 1833, the daughter of Joseph and Ann

¹ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible record

² Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible record

³ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 218, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁴ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible record

⁵ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible transcription, showed copies of marriage and death certificates

⁶ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 334, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁷ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible record

⁸ Charles R. Barker, "Graveyard," Publications of Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, vol. 14, pp. 257-266; vol. 15, pp. 70-98

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(Davis) Abraham. The family lived in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania, and Jonathan died 24 Sep 1872. They had at least one child:¹

1914711. HOWARD SUPPLEE, b. ca 1858

191472. ANDREW SUPPLEE was born 5 Dec 1834 at Bridgeport, Pennsylvania.² He married AMANDA CASSEL on 9 Feb 1875.³ She was born 4 Apr 1847, the daughter of Benjamin H. and Elizabeth M. (Groff) Cassel. Andrew was educated in the public schools and was a successful farmer until 1886 when he retired and moved to Norristown, PA. One year later he became treasurer of Union Mutual Fire and Storm Insurance Co. of Norristown. Andrew died 17 Feb 1900. They had these children, all born in Norristown:⁴

1914721. ELIZABETH SUPPLEE, b. 1 Nov 1876

1914722. JENNIE MAY SUPPLEE, b. 23 May 1878

1914723. IDORA AMANDA SUPPLEE, b. 6 Jan 1886

191473. MARK RAMBO SUPPLEE was born 11 Apr 1836 and married HANNAH **BAKER** on 17 Feb 1869. She was born about 1840, a daughter of Benjamin and Mary Baker.⁵ Mark died 18 Jul 1901 and is buried in the Montgomery Cemetery. Mark and Hannah had these children:⁶

- 1914731. FLORENCE SUPPLEE, d. 23 Aug 1870
- 1914732. BENJAMIN BAKER SUPPLEE, b. ca 1870
- 1914733. LINFORD R. SUPPLEE, b. ca 1870
- 1914734. FRANK A. SUPPLEE, b. ca 1875
- 1914735. BERTHA E. SUPPLEE, b. ca 1875
- 1914736. MARY C. SUPPLEE, b. ca 1875
- 1914737. ETHEL H. SUPPLEE, b. ca 1880
- 1914738. WARREN E. SUPPLEE, b. 20 Jul 1881, d. 2 Nov 1940 aged 59

191474. HANNAH SUPPLEE was born 6 Nov 1839. She married AUSTIN L. TAGGART on 20 Mar 1877 in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania. Austin was born about 1836 and died 19 Jan 1894, with burial in the Montgomery Cemetery. He had these children from his first marriage: Anna b. ca 1860, Joseph b. Oct 1861, Martha b. ca 1862, Esther b. ca 1864, William b. ca 1866, and Corson b. ca 1869. Austin Taggart was a farmer, and in 1880 the family lived in Upper Merion, PA. Austin and Hannah had at least two children:⁷

1914741. ALEXANDER HENDERSON SUPPLEE TAGGART, b. Jan 1878

¹ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

² David Smith, e-mail of 16 Jun 2004

³ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

⁴ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), p. 296

⁵ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

⁶ David Smith, e-mail of 16 Jun 2004

⁷ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

The children of [#19148] Richard Roberts and Emily Y. (Shainline) Rambo [son of Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter].

191481. **HELEN S. RAMBO** was born about 1841. She married ANDREW J. **ANDERSON** on 4 Jun 1862. He is likely the A. Jackson Anderson who died 23 Mar 1867, aged 52, and is buried at Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion.¹ In the 1870 census, Helen was listed as Helen Rambo who lived with her widowed mother and grandmother in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania. She worked as a clerk in a drygoods store. Andrew and Helen Anderson had one child:

1914811. EMILY RAMBO ANDERSON, b. ca 1863, m. C. Colket Wilson

191482. **JONATHAN ROBERTS RAMBO** was born about 1845 and married LYDIA CAROLINE **SHEARER** on 18 Aug 1869. She was born 28 Feb 1847, the daughter of Col. Augustus W. and Eunice Norris (Schrack) Shearer and a descendant of Isaac Norris, a provincial councellor of Pennsylvania during 1733-1776.² The Rambo family lived in Norristown, Pennsylvania in 1880 where J. Roberts Rambo was the recorder of deeds in 1882.³ They had these children:⁴

- 1914821. RICHARD ROBERTS RAMBO, b. 31 Mar 1871, d. before 1941
- 1914822. CHARLES NORRIS RAMBO, b. 13 Jul 1873, d. 1941, m. Helen Urquhart
- 1914823. MILTON HOWARD RAMBO, b. 6 May 1876, d. after 1941
- 1914824. ALFRED DONALD RAMBO, b. 20 Apr 1878, d. before 1941

The children of [#1914A] Peter and Rachel (Coates) Rambo [son of Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter and daughter of Rachel (Rambo) Coates, Tobias, Mons, John Jr., Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Jane, Jonathan R., Irvin, Elizabeth Coats, another daughter, and another son.

1914A5. **IRVIN RAMBO** was born in 1840. In 1860 he was an apprentice blacksmith who lived with the family of Abner Supplee in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania.

1914A6. ELIZABETH COATS RAMBO was born about 1842 and married JAMES ABRAHAM [#1234213].

The children of [#19212] Nathan and Ann (Broades) Rambo [son of Jonas, George,

³ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 288

¹ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

² Charles P. Keith, The Provincial Councellors of Pennsylvania ... 1733-1776 (pub. 1883), pp. 70-71

⁴ Shearer Bible record at the Historical Society of Montgomery County, Norristown, PA. LDS microfilm #21589

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192121. ELIZABETH ANN RAMBO was born 13 Jan 1834. On 8 Jan 1857 she married MATHIAS PENNYPACKER WALKER of Great Valley, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. Mathias was born 8 Sep 1827, the son of William and Sarah (Pennypacker) Walker. Mathias was born at "Rehobeth Spring," his father's farm in Tredyffrin Township, Chester Co. Sarah Walker's father, Mathias Pennypacker, was a noted Mennonite preacher and descended from Henrick Pennypacker who emigrated from Holland to Pennsylvania about 1702. Mathias became a partner with William Rambo in the stone and lime quarries in 1857 but stayed only a short time, leaving in 1859. The family lived in Tredyffrin Township, Chester Co., PA. Elizabeth Walker died at "Rehobeth Spring" on 18 Mar 1883 aged 49 and is buried at Christ Church, Upper Merion.¹ Matthias was still living in 1900. Mathias and Elizabeth had the following children:²

1921211. NATHAN RAMBO WALKER, b. Aug 1856, m. Sarah Ella Stephens

1921212. ANNA BROADES WALKER, m. James Arthur McFarland

1921213. JOHN O. STEARNS WALKER, b. Nov 1861

1921214. WILLIAM COLKET WALKER, b. ca 1864

1921215. ATHALIA L. TIERNAN WALKER, b. Mar 1865, m. Samuel Kendall

1921216. WINFIELD WILSON WALKER, b. 3 May 1867, m. Anna Taggart.³

1921217. MARY SCHALL WALKER, b. ca 1871, m. George A. Merkel

1921218. MATHIAS PENNYPACKER WALKER Jr., b. Jul 1873

1921219. SARAH PENNYPACKER WALKER, died in infancy

192122. **WILLIAM BROADES RAMBO** was born 15 Apr 1836. He joined his father in the stone and lime quarry business in 1857 and continued to run the business after his father died in 1858 and his brother-in-law Mathias Walker retired in 1859.⁴ The quarry had twenty six kilns operated by one hundred men and a capacity of one million bushels of quick lime for building and fertilizing purposes. On 29 Apr 1860 William Broades Rambo married ELIZABETH A. **ARUNDEL**, the daughter of Robert J. Arundel, Esq., a prominent Philadelphia lawyer. In addition to conducting his lime business, William Rambo took the time to study law, and was admitted to the bar in 1861. He was a Republican who ran unsuccessfully for the Assembly in 1862. In 1886 William Broades Rambo acquired the house at 1320 Locust Street, which today houses the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. Elizabeth Rambo was baptized at Christ Church, Upper Merion on 5 Apr 1874. She died 21 Sep 1900 and was buried in the South Laurel Hill Cemetery. William Broades Rambo moved to Norristown, PA. William and Elizabeth Rambo were the parents of these children:^{5,6,1}

¹ Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion*, Appendix E tombstones

² Pricilla Walker Streets, Lewis Walker of Chester Valley and his Descendants (Alfred J. Ferris, Printer, 1896), pp. 280-281

³ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, *Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families* (pub. 1923), p. 800 m. 26 Mar 1908, thresherman, res. RFD Wayne, Pa. She b. 9 Jul 1859, dau. Austin L. and Sarah (Rudy) Taggart. no ch.

⁴ Theodore W. Bean, ed., *History of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania*, vol. 2 (Everts & Peck, 1884), pp. 610-611

⁵ Moses Auge, Lives of the Eminent Dead ... Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (pub. 1879), pp. 481-484

⁶ Henry Wilson Ruoff, Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa., Part 1 (pub 1895)

1921221. E. PAULINE RAMBO, b. ca 1861

- 1921222. WILLIAM A. RAMBO, b. Mar 1863, m. 1) Mary (?), 2) Katherine Gregg
- 1921223. EVELYN RAMBO, d. before 1879
- 1921224. ALBERT SIDNEY RAMBO, b. ca 1872, m. Gertrude Levick

192123. **MARY JANE RAMBO** was born 2 Oct 1837 in Norristown, Pennsylvania. On 11 Oct 1859 she married DAVID **SCHALL** who was born 6 Apr 1837 in Marlborough, PA, the son of General William and Caroline (Trexler) Schall. David Schall traced his ancestry to Tobias Schall of Germany who immigrated to Berks Co., Pennsylvania about 1720.² Gen. Schall and his sons operated a nail manufacturing plant and a rolling mill for pig iron. Mary Jane Schall died 3 Nov 1867, David Schall died 16 Nov 1897 in Norristown, and they are buried at the Montgomery Co cemetery.³ They had one son:⁴

1921231. WILLIAM SCHALL, b. 5 Mar 1861, m. Jeannette Gordon Bromley

192124. **REBECCA LANE RAMBO** was born 2 Oct 1840 and married J. P. HEISTER **JONES** on 18 Oct 1864; he was born about 1840. The family lived in Norristown, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania with her widowed mother in 1880. They had two sons:

1921241. JOHN PRINGLE JONES, b. ca 1865

1921242. WILLIAM MUHLENBERG HEISTER JONES, b. ca 1876

192125. **GEORGE PECHIN RAMBO** was born 3 Dec 1841 and died 15 Oct 1842. He is buried at Old Swedes cemetery with the Jonas Rambo family.⁵

192126. **EMMA P. RAMBO** was born about 1845 and was baptized 6 Jan 1846 at Christ Church in Swedesburg, Pennsylvania.⁶ She married THOMAS P. **MERRITT** on 30 Nov 1871. He was born 29 Sep 1844 at Mt. Holly, New Jersey, the oldest son of Abraham and Margaret (Irick-Budd) Merritt. Mr. Merritt located in Philadelphia and entered the lumber business, later moving to Norristown, Williamsport, and Reading. He became involved in charities, electric power, and the parks. He was a member of Christ Episcopal Church in Reading and served as vestryman from 1886. In 1890 he was elected mayor.⁷

192127. **NATHAN RAMBO** Jr. was born 23 Feb 1848. He was educated in public schools and completed a course of training in a military academy in Chester Co.⁸ He was a successful and prosperous businessman who owned and operated the limestone

¹ Peter Stebbins Craig, Letters to Ron Beatty, e-mail of 20 Jan 2002 citing Wheeler Genealogy by Mary Wheeler Wood Pitz, 1985

² Moses Auge, Lives of the Eminent Dead ... Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (pub. 1879), pp. 471-475

³ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 289

⁴ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 5 (Jul 1985), p. 1

⁵ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, *Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett*, p. 289 ⁶ David Smith, e-mail of 16 Jun 2004

⁷ Morton L. Montgomery, Historical and Biographical History of Berks County, Pennsylvania (1909), p. 480

⁸ Henry Wilson Ruoff, *Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa.*, Part 1 (pub 1895), pp. 365-366

business until he retired in 1890. The family lived in Bridgeport and were members of the Christ Episcopal Church (Old Swedes). Nathan Rambo married CLARA VOGDES **WALKER** on 30 Dec 1873. She was born 31 Oct 1849 in Tredyffrin Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania, the daughter of Thomas U. and Eleanor (Massey) Walker and the niece of Mathias Walker, Nathan's brother-in-law.¹ Nathan and Clara had two children:

1921271. HENRY WALKER RAMBO, b. 10 Feb 1875

1921272. MERRIT RAMBO, b. 11 Apr 1879, d. 14 Aug 1879

" Nathan Rambo, who for many years was a prominent limestone operator at Swedesburg, this county, is a son of Nathan and Ann (Brodes) Rambo, and was born in the year 1847, in Upper Merion, Montgomery county, Pennsylvania. The Rambos are of Swedish extraction, but have been settled in Pennsylvania since colonial times. Jonas Rambo, paternal grandfather of the subject of this sketch, was a life-long resident of Upper Merion township, where he owned large tracts of land. He was a farmer and stockman by occupation, an old line Whig in politics, and by his marriage the father of a family of several children. His remains rest in the cemetery connected with the old Swedes' Episcopalian church at Swedesburg, of which he was a member. One of his sons was Nathan Rambo (father), who was born and reared at Swedesburg, where after attaining manhood he engaged in the limestone business and accumulated considerable wealth. He owned extensive limestone quarries, which he operated for many years, besides engaging in various other lines of industry, chief of which was the hotel business. For a number of years he was proprietor of a hostlery known as the Rambo house, and became quite prominent in the community. In religion he was an Episcopalian, and served for many years as vestryman of his church at Swedesburg. Politically he was a Whig until 1856, when became a Republican. He was also a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. He married Ann Brodes, and they had a family of seven children: Eliza, deceased; Mary Jane, also dead; Rebecca, widow of J.P.H. Jones; Emma P., wife of T.P. Merritt; William B., engaged in the lime business at Swedesburg; Nathan, the subject of this sketch; and Thomas J., a sketch of whom appears elsewhere in this volume. The father died in 1858, aged forty-seven years, and the mother passed away in 1889, aged eighty-two.

Nathan Rambo was reared in his native village of Swedesburg, and obtained his elementary education in the public schools."

Limestone business, large quarries in Swedesburg. retired 1890 living Bridgeport. surrounded by well earned comforts and luxuries. 1873 m. Clara V. Walker. two children: Harry and Merritt who died in infancy.²

192128. **THOMAS JEFFERSON RAMBO** was born 5 Jun 1850. Like his brother Nathan, he was educated in the public schools and then graduated from William Wyer's

¹ Pricilla Walker Streets, Lewis Walker of Chester Valley and his Descendants (Alfred J. Ferris, Printer, 1896)

² Henry Wilson Ruoff, Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa., Part 1 (pub 1895), pp. 365-366

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Military Academy at West Chester.¹ He later entered the limestone business and operated the property he had inherited. On 30 Oct 1890 he married IDA MAY **BICKINGS**, the daughter of John and Charlotte Bickings of Norristown. Thomas Rambo sold his limestone property to the Pennsylvania Railroad in 1890 and retired from business. He was a Republican and a member and vestryman of the Swedes Episcopal Church. The couple lived in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania. He is buried at Old Swedes with his parents, Nathan and Ann.²

Thomas J. Rambo retired, was extensive limestone operator, native of Swedesburg, b. July 24, 1849, parents Nathan and Ann (Broades) Rambo. Thomas J. is their youngest son. went into limestone business.

"Inheriting considerable property, he operated on an extensive scale, and having executive ability, he rapidly accumulated wealth and added to his holdings in various directions. He followed the business energetically until 1890, when he disposed of his limestone property to the Pennsylvania Railroad company and retired from all active business. At that time he removed to Bridgeport, Pa., where he has ever since resided.

Politically he is a staunch Republican, and in religion a member and vestryman of the Swedes Episcopal church, at Swedesburg. He is also a member of Bridgeport Lodge No. 51, Patriotic Order Sons of America.

On the 30th of October, 1890, Mr. Rambo was united in marriage to Ida M., a daughter of John and Charlotte Bickings, of Norristown. The Rambo family is of Swedish descent, but have resided in eastern Pennsylvania for many generations. Jonas Rambo (paternal grandfather) was a life long resident of Upper Merion township, this county, and owned large tracts of valuable land underlaid with fine veins of superior limestone. This property passed into the hands of the descendant's children, who operated limestone quarries at Swedesburg for many years. These operations were carried on largely by Nathan Rambo, father of Thomas J. The former, in addition to being a wealthy and influential citizen, was a man who took a deep interest in political and public affairs. He was an old line Whig in politics and a member of Swedes Episcopal church, in which latter he served as vestryman and trustee for many years. He died in 1858, at the age of forty-seven, having been born on June 27, 1810. He married Ann Broades, by whom he had a family of seven children, five of whom still survive. The two eldest were daughters, Eliza and Mary Jane, both now deceased. Those living are Rebecca, widow of J.P.H. Jones; Emma P., wife of P.P. Merritt; William B., engaged in the lime business; Nathan, retired, a sketch of whom will be found on another page of this work; and Thomas J., the subject of the foregoing sketch. Mrs. Ann Rambo was born August 12, 1809, and died July 23, 1889, having survived her husband for more than thirty years. Their remains sleep side by side in the cemetery at old Swedes church."³

¹ Henry Wilson Ruoff, *Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa.*, Part 1 (pub 1895)

² Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 289

³ Henry Wilson Ruoff, *Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa.*, Part 1 (pub 1895)

The child of [#19611] George and Mary (Higgins) Rambo [son of Jesse, Gunnar, Elias, Gunnar, Peter].

196111. **GEORGE RAMBO** was born Feb 1820 in Montgomery Co., PA.¹ He married SARA ANN **KREIDER** who was born Dec 1827. George Rambo died 11 Feb Mar 1904, and Sara died two months later, on 15 Apr 1904. They were buried in the Mt. Moriah Cemetery in Delaware Co., PA. In 1850 they lived in Blockley where George was a teamster. Later the family lived in West Conshohocken and had these children:

1961111. NATHAN HALL RAMBO, b. 4 Dec 1849, m. Julia Ann Parker McLain

- 1961112. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. ca 1856
- 1961113. LYDIA RAMBO, b. Apr 1859
- 1961114. EMMA S. RAMBO, b. ca 1868
- 1961115. ALFRED K. RAMBO, b. Dec 1872

¹ Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

CHAPTER 9: 8th Generation Descendents

The children of the 8th generation were born during a period of more than 140 years, from George Rambo born in 1801, to Harriet Mattson Hillgen's son Donald who was born in 1945.

The children of [#121171] Charles Sevier and Willie Ann (Evans) Reno [daughter of Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Francis, Julia Ann, Socrates Adam, Elihu, Eliza Ann, Charles S., Caroline and Ovid Pinney.

1211711. **FRANCIS RENO** was born about 1813 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania and married MARY L. **LeBARON** who was born about 1819 in Harrisburg, PA, a daughter of William Lebaron of Allegheny Co., PA. Francis served in Co. B, 159th Reg. PA Volunteers, 14th Calvary and died 29 Jan 1879 in Beaver Co. In the 1880 census, Mary was living with her daughter Mary Graham in Beaver Falls, PA. Mary Reno died 2 Oct 1901 in Ellwood City, PA. Francis and Mary had these children, all born in Beaver Co.:¹

12117111. CHARLES LeBARON RENO, b. 15 Oct 1841, m. Mary M. Stetzel

12117112. MARY LORA RENO, b. 2 Oct 1847, d. 25 Sep 1904, m. Perry Graham

12117113. SMITH C. RENO, b. Jan 1850, d. by 1900, m. Ella Boggs

12117114. LORRAINE SMITH RENO, b. after 1851, probably died young

1211713. **SOCRATES ADAM RENO** was born 14 Sep 1819 in Pennsylvania. He married CYNTHEA HEMPHILL **IRVIN** on 20 Jan 1848 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania.² She was born 14 Feb 1825 in PA, a daughter of Judge Joseph and Ellen (Carlin) Irvin. Socrates became a captain of riverboats and later owned the boat *St. Louis* which ran between Pittsburgh and St. Louis. His boat was enlisted by the Union during the Civil War, and Socrates enlisted 25 Apr 1861 in Co. D, 13th Pennsylvania Infantry. He was present at the Battle of Pittsburgh Landing. In 1870 the family lived in Beaver Co., PA, and he was still a steamboat pilot. After the war, he sold the boat and opened a furniture store on Madison Street in Rochester, Pennsylvania. Socrates Reno died 20 Jan 1890, and his will is recorded in Beaver Co. Will Book I:52 & Register's Docket 6:20. Cynthia died 23 Nov 1911 in Beaver Co.³ They had these known children:⁴

12117131. ANN OLIVIA RENO, b. ca 1850, m. 1) George Rogers, 2) Lewis Foster

12117132. CAROLINE A. RENO, b. ca 1851, d. 1922, m. William Bachelor

12117133. NELLIE IRVING RENO, b. ca 1856, m. James Hamilton Cunningham

¹ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 17 May 2004 citing *Genealogy of the Reno/Reneau Family in America* by Steven G. Fancy and Sue Reneau Damewood, February 2003

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

³ Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., Lineage Book: National Society of Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931, p. 154

⁴ defunct website at AOL.com/RQStephns citing J. Frase Richard's *History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania* (Warner, 1888)

12117134. MARY RENO, aged 15 in 1870 census, d. 1891 of rheumatism 12117135. FLORENCE RENO, aged 12 in 1870 census, m. Amos E. Sturgeon 12117136. JOSEPH IRVIN RENO, b. 20 Aug 1862, d. 1945, m. Caroline P. Pierce

1211714. **ELIHU RENO** was born about 1820, probably in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, and was a painter in 1850. He was listed in the 1857 census of Doniphan Co., Kansas. He never married.¹

1211715. **ELIZA ANN RENO** was born about 1826 and married JAMES JAVENS from Beaver Co., Pennsylvania. They appear to have had at least these known children:²

12117151. ALBERT JAVENS, b. ca 1847

12117152. CHARLES JAVENS, b. ca 1850

12117153. MELISSA JAVENS, m. Martin Lewis Stephens as 2nd wife 29 Jul 1879

1211717. CAROLINE RENO was born about 1832 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania and married HENRY GILLESPIE there on 3 Feb 1857.³

1211718. **OVID PINNEY RENO** was born 27 Jun 1834 in Rochester, Pennsylvania and married BELINDA **REILLY** in Jan 1866 at Safe Harbor, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. He was a house painter, Mississippi riverboat man, and lock tender. He is listed in the 1850 and 1857 census for Doniphan Co., Kansas. Ovid died 14 Sep 1910 in York Co., Pennsylvania and is buried in Bethel Cemetery.⁴ They had one known child:⁵

12117181. MARY ELIZABETH RENO, b. 1 Oct 1876 in York Co., Pennsylvania

The children of [#121174] William and Sophia (Evans) Reno [daughter of Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Eliah, Almira Hull, Hiram Stowe, Eliza Ann, Sabina, Francis Asbury, Anna Maria, Hiram Stowe, William Davis and Philie.

1211741. **ELIAH RENO** was born 31 May 1818 and died 17 Nov 1881 in New Brighton, Beaver Co., Pennsylvania.⁶

1211742. ALMIRA HULL RENO was born 11 Jul 1820 and married MARSHALL F. HAYS. Almira died 13 Jun 1846, and Marshall died about 1902 in Beaver Co.,

¹ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 17 May 2004 citing *Genealogy of the Reno/Reneau Family in America* by Steven G. Fancy and Sue Reneau Damewood, February 2003

² defunct web site at http://members.aol.com/RQStephns/famtre4.htm_

³ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 17 May 2004 citing Beaver Co. Marriages

⁴ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 17 May 2004 citing *Genealogy of the Reno/Reneau Family in America* by Steven G. Fancy and Sue Reneau Damewood, February 2003

⁵ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS02/PS02 399.HTM

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

Pennsylvania.¹

1211744. ELIZA ANN RENO was born 8 Nov 1825 and married MARSHALL HAYS. Marshall died about 1902 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, and Eliza died there on 2 Sep 1903. They had two known children:²

12117441. SABINA HAYS, b. ca 1850, d. 1926

12117442. ELIZABETH HAYS

1211746. **FRANCIS ASBURY RENO** was born 31 Jul 1830 and married MARY **BOCKING**. Francis died 12 Feb 1869 at Rochester, PA. They had one known child:³ 12117461. NETTIE C. RENO, m. John Garrison

1211747. ANNA MARIA RENO was born 14 Mar 1832 and married GEORGE H. BERKIMER.

1211749. **WILLIAM DAVIS RENO** was born 5 Nov 1837 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, attended Beaver College, and "went on the river." He enlisted in Apr 1861 in the 10th PA Reserves, was taken prisoner and exchanged, and then fought in the battles of Antietam, Fredericksburg, and Gettysburg. After the war he was a pilot and captain on the river. He married ISA<u>BELLA</u> **GRAHAM** in 1877. She was a daughter of George and Ann (Mitchell) Graham. In 1884 Mr. Reno embarked on the livery business. He was a Republican, and William and Bella were members of the Methodist Episcopal Church. William died 6 Jan 1899 in Beaver Co. They had these children:^{4,5}

12117491. BLANCHE ETHEL RENO

12117492. LEWIS EVANS RENO

12117493. ANNA SIDNEY RENO

121174A. **PHILIE M. RENO** was born 25 Apr 1840 and married WILLIAMSON **GRAHAM** 19 Apr 1864 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania. He was born 25 Nov 1839 at Phillipsburg, PA, the oldest child of Capt. Avery W. and Margaret (Moore) Graham. During the Civil War he served for two years until honorably discharged for disability in 1863. They were members of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Bridgewater, then of Rochester. He was postmaster from 1877 to 1887 and then sold insurance.^{6,7}

Philie was the "youngest daughter of William and Sophia (Evans) Reno, of French and English descent. They were among the pioneers of this region. Her grandfather, Rev.

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁵ J. Fraise Richard, et. al., *History of Beaver County Pennsylvania* (A. Warner & Co. Pub., 1888; reprint, 1980), p. 806

⁶ J. Fraise Richard, et. al., *History of Beaver County Pennsylvania* (A. Warner & Co. Pub., 1888; reprint, 1980), pp. 773-774

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

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Francis Reno, was the first ordained Episcopal clergyman west of the Allegheny Mountains. Her mother was the daughter of Eli Evans, an early settler here. Her father built and commanded the first steamboat on the Western rivers".¹

The children of [#121176] Jonathan and Christina King (Ralston) Evans [son of Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Eliza Jane, John Ralston, Eli Jonathan, Elizabeth, Isabella, Henrietta and Christina L.

1211761. **ELIZA JANE EVANS** was born in 1827 and married DAVID **WARNOCK** in 1850.² He was a farmer born 11 Feb 1825, a son of David and Jane (Thompson) Warnock David and Eliza Jane lived in Lawrence Co., Pennsylvania for a time but returned to Beaver County in 1867. He was a justice of the peace and a member of the United Presbyterian Church. They had these children:³

12117611. HORACE G. WARNOCK, attorney in Dakota

12117612. DAVID E. WARNOCK, attorney in Dakota

12117613. MAGGIE BELL WARNOCK, commercial traveler

- 12117614. LEWIS D. WARNOCK, commercial traveler
- 12117615. JOHN J. WARNOCK, commercial traveler
- 12117616. ROBERT WARNOCK, a merchant in Westmoreland Co., PA
- 12117617. HENRY W. WARNOCK, clerk
- 12117618. CHARLES JAMES WARNOCK, b. 2 Jan 1866, bookkeeper
- 12117619. RALSTON KING WARNOCK, b. 8 Aug 18xx, with Lyons & Co.

1211762. **JOHN RALSTON EVANS** was born 4 Aug 1833 in Pennsylvania and served in the PA 100th Infantry (Roundheads) 1861-1864. He married MARY **SHOEMAKER** on 27 Nov 1866. She was born 3 Jun 1833 in PA, a daughter of David Shoemaker. John Evans died 24 Feb 1906 in Ellwood City, PA and was buried in Slippery Rock Presbyterian Church Cemetery. His widow died in 1913 in Wayne Township, Lawrence Co., PA. They lived in Lawrence Co., PA, and were the parents of these children:^{4,5}

12117621. JONATHAN A. EVANS, b. 20 Dec 1867

12117622. DAVID AUGUSTUS EVANS, b. 9 Sep 1869, m. Florence Harbison

12117623. CHRISTINA R. EVANS, b. ca 1872, m. Charley E. Zeigler

1211763. **ELI JONATHAN EVANS** was born about 1835 and married EVALINE (?). She was born about 1850 in Pennsylvania. In 1882 Eli was an elder in the North

⁴ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_339.HTM

¹J. Fraise Richard, et. al., *History of Beaver County Pennsylvania* (A. Warner & Co. Pub., 1888; reprint, 1980), p. 773

² Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

³ J. Fraise Richard, et. al., *History of Beaver County Pennsylvania* (A. Warner & Co. Pub., 1888; reprint, 1980), p. 819

⁵ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946, p. 266

Sewickley Presbyterian Church. He died 1910. They had children:¹ 12117631. CHARLES R. EVANS, b. ca 1872 12117632. ELLEN E. EVANS, b. ca 1875.

The known child of [#121184] Samuel and Ms. (Robinson) McCreary [son of Sophie (McElheny) McCreary, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1211841. **MINNIE LEE McCREARY** married Mr. **MOUNTS** and also joined the DAR.²

The children of [#121185] Alfred George and Lucy B. (Todd) McCreary [son of Sophie (McElheny) McCreary, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Emma Eugenia, William Alfred, Jessie Amelia, and Charles S.

1211851. **EMMA EUGENIE McCREARY** was born 25 Jan 1859 in Beaver County, Pennsylvania. She was a school teacher who never married. Emma died in New Brighton, PA on 25 Aug 1950 and is buried in Beaver Cemetery in Beaver, PA, alongside her father and mother, "AG" and Lucy B. (Todd) McCreary.

1211852. **WILLIAM ALFRED McCREARY** was born 3 Apr 1863 in Beaver County, PA and married AMANDA JANE **HOLLAND** on 6 Aug 1890 in New Cumberland, WV. He was a brakeman on the railroad, living in Mt. Lebanon, PA, when he died 29 Mar 1929. He and Amanda are buried in Grove Cemetery, New Brighton, PA.³

1211853. **JESSIE AMELIA McCREARY** was born 23 Jun 1870. The McCrearys were residing in Beaver Falls at the time of her birth, but her funeral papers mention "East Liverpool as her birthplace, perhaps she was born in the back of a carriage. Jessie married Dr. SCUDDER I. **DARRAGH** on 8 Oct 1890. He died 14 Apr 1891 and is buried with his family in Beaver Cemetery in Beaver, PA. Jessie married EDWIN L. **JOHNSON**. Jessie joined the D.A.R. and her lineage appears as #149220 in *Lineage Book* vol. 150:70-71. Jessie died March 21, 1964. Edwin died in 1952.⁴

1211854. **CHARLES S. McCREARY** lived four years before dying of pneumonia. He was buried beside grandmother Sophia in the Presbyterian Grounds, but their remains were moved on 12 Oct 1892 to the Grove Cemetery in New Brighton, PA.

¹ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

² Big Mac, W. D. McCreary, e-mail of 13 Jun 2007 citing later in same DAR Lineage vol. 150

³ Big Mac, W. D. McCreary, e-mail of 13 Jun 2007

⁴ Big Mac, W. D. McCreary, e-mail of 13 Jun 2007

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The children of [#121312] Francis and Jemima (Bull) Jordan [son of Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Amos, Robert Bull, Catherine Caroline, Samuel, Lewis, Henry Bull and Jeremiah.

1213122. **ROBERT BULL JORDAN** was born 24 Jan 1811 in Mexico, Pennsylvania and married MARTHA **THOMPSON** on 18 Dec 1832. They had one child who died as an infant. Robert married EMALINE **CROSSETT** second, on 16 Sep 1836 in Newport, Pennsylvania.¹ She was born 9 Dec 1816 in Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania, daughter of Robert and Mary Jane (Wilson) Crossett. Robert B. Jordan built the first tannery in Newport, PA in 1837 but apparently soon sold it and moved elsewhere.² According to Emaline's granddaughter Maude, "Samuel G. Jordan and Robert Bull Jordan (twins) [were] born by my grandmother when she was all alone down on some rags in the corner of the room." The family moved to Appanoose Co., Iowa in spring of 1850 and on to Deer Creek township, Allen Co., Kansas in 1857.³ Robert died 22 Feb 1876 in Allen Co., Kansas and is buried on the John O. W. Howard farm.⁴ Robert's will is recorded in the Book of Wills, pages 49-50. His heirs are all mentioned in deeds dated 21 Jun 1879, recorded in Book R: page 393, and 21 June 1880, Book U: page 26. Emaline died 15 Aug 1892 in Iola, Kansas.⁵ Robert and Emaline had these eight children.⁶

- 12131221. CAROLINE JANE JORDAN, b. 8 Jun 1837, m. Francis Marion Power
- 12131222. AMOS JORDAN, b. 2 Nov 1839, d. 21 Sep 1862 in Mound City, Illinois
- 12131223. FRANCIS (Frank) JORDAN, b. 21 Jun 1842, d. 6 Feb 1863
- 12131224. JEMIMA JORDAN, b. 5 Oct 1845, d. 11 Jun 1848
- 12131225. ROBERT BULL JORDAN, b. 24 Mar 1849, m. Alice Oliver
- 12131226. SAMUEL GANTT JORDAN, b. 24 Mar 1849, m. 1) Demaree, 2) Brown
- 12131227. LAURA CECELIA JORDAN, b. 19 May 1852, m. John O. W. Howard
- 12131228. Infant JORDAN, b. & d. 9 Oct 1857

H. H. Hain, "History of Perry County, Pennsylvania", Harrisburg, PA, 1922, pp 1026: "The first tannery to be built in Newport was located upon the southeast corner of Water and Walnut Streets. It was built by Robt. B. Jordan in 1837. He later sold it to John Wiley, from whose estate Charles A. Rippman purchased it in 1865. Mr. Rippman conducted it until 1883, when it lay idle until it was destroyed by the great flood of 1889."

The will of Robert B. Jordan was written 11 Jan 1876, recorded at the Allen County,

⁵ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research, obituary *Iola Register*, 19 Aug 1892; see also *John Bull of Perkiomen* ...

¹ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research, Lewistown Republican, PA, 3 Oct 1836; see also John Bull of Perkiomen...

² Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research, *History of Perry Co.*, 1922, p. 1026; see also *John Bull of Perkiomen* ...

³ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research, Andreas' History of Kansas, 1883; see also John Bull of Perkiomen ...

⁴ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research, obituary *Iola Register*, 29 Feb 1876; see also *John Bull of Perkiomen* ...

⁶ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research, letter of 31 Jan 2001; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants

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Kansas Courthouse in Book A: page 202, and transcribed by Scott Jordan as follows: "In the name of God amen. I Robert B. Jordan of the Township of Deer Creek in the County of Allen and State of Kansas being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life do therefore make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament. That is to say, First, after all my lawful debts are paid and discharged I will and bequeath to my beloved daughter Caroline J. Power the south West Quarter of the Southwest guarter of Section No. 33 in Township No. 23 South of Range 19 East 40 acres. Second I will and bequeath to my son Samuel G. Jordan 75 acres off of the west side of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 32 in Township 23 South of Range No 19 East. Likewise 12 acres off of the east side of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 31 in Township No. 23 South of Range 19 East. Third I give and bequeath to my son Robert Jordan 70 acres off of the west side of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32 in Township 23 south of Range 19 east, likewise 5 acres off of the east side of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section No. 31 in Township No. 23 south of Range No. 19 East. Fourth I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Laura C. Howard 148 One hundred and forty eight acres off of the south side of the North East Quarter of Section No. 7 in Township No. 24 South of Range 19 East. Also twelve acres off of the north side of the southeast quarter of Section No. 6 in Township No. 24 South of Range 19 East. Fifth I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Emeline Jordan, all the rest, residue, and remainder of my real and personal estate left after paying all lawful debts. And farther she shall have and retain a claim upon all of the before mentioned Real Estate to the amount of her maintenance and support during her natural life. Lastly I make, constitute, and appoint my said sons Robert Jordan and Samuel G. Jordan to be Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this the Eleventh day of January in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy Six. (signed) Robert B. Jordan (seal)

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said Robert B. Jordan in our presence and acknowledged by him to each of us and he at the same time published and declared the above instrument so subscribed to be his last will and testament, and we at the testator's request, and in his presence and in the presence of each other have signed our names as witnesses hereto and written opposite our names our respective places of residence. Samuel Caughron, Deer Creek Township Allen County Kas Myron Maine, Deer Creek Township Allen County Kans." Thanks to Scott Jordan for the transcriptions.¹

Robert Bull Jordan Estate Papers, from Allen Co. courthouse, Book of Wills p. 49-50, Journal BP536:

¹ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, e-mail of 18 Mar 2003

Died 22 Feb 1876. Of Deer Creek Twp, Allen Co.

To Caroline J. Power: SW quarter of SW quarter of Section 33 Twp 23 Range 19 E, 40 acres.

To Samuel G. Jordan: 75 acres off of W side of NW quarter of SW quarter Section 32 Twp 23 S Range 19 E. 12 acres off E side of NE quarter of SW quarter of Section 31 Twp 23 Range 19 east.

To Robert Jordan: 75 acres off W side of SW quarter of Section 32 in Twp 23 S Range 9 E. 5 acres off E side of SE quarter Section 31 Twp 23 S, Range 19E.

To Laura Howard: 148 acres off S side of NE quarter Section 7 Twp 24S Range 19E. 12 acres off N side of SE quarter Section 6 Twp 24S, Range 19E.

To Emaline Jordan: all the rest after paying lawful debts, retaining a claim upon all aforementioned real estate "to the amount of her maintenance and support during her natural life."

1213123. CATHERINE CAROLINE JORDAN was born 1813 and married HUGH McCLEARY first, on 19 Jan 1832 and JOHN KITNER SMITH second. Catherine died in 1848.¹

1213129. **HENRY BULL JORDAN** was born 1825 and died unmarried in 1847 of wounds from the Mexican War.²

The children of [#121314] William and Catherine (Jordan) Sanderson [daughter of Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Rebecca, Robert L., Jane, Margaret, Catherine Ann and Maria.

1213141. **REBECCA SANDERSON** was born about 1812 in Pennsylvania and died unmarried on 1 Jan 1891 in Chicago, Illinois. She is buried in Wooster Cemetery, Ohio.

1213142. **ROBERT L. SANDERSON** was a leather goods dealer who was born about 1820 in Saville, Pennsylvania and married MARY J. **WEST** in Wooster, Ohio on 3 Dec 1862.³ Robert started a leather goods store in Wooster after his father died in 1855. He moved his family and sister Rebecca to Chicago between 1870 and 1880 and died there. They had the following children:⁴

12131421. WESTANNA SANDERSON, b. 1863 in Wooster 12131422. EMMA C. SANDERSON, b. 1867 in Wooster

1213144. JAMES SANDERSON was a tanner born in 1824 in Saville, Pennsylvania.

¹ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

² William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

³ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan, Wayne Co. marriages Book 6, p. 138

⁴ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

He married AMANDA JANE **FOSTER** on 6 Jun 1844 in Wooster, Ohio.¹ She was born in 1825 in Ohio and died 13 Feb 1861 in Hayesville, Ohio. James Sanderson married JANE ANN **NELSON** second, on 24 Apr 1862. Jane was born in Ohio in 1830 and was still living in 1880. James died 13 Feb 1897 in Wooster Township.² James and Amanda had these children:³

12131441. SARAH AGUSTA SANDERSON, b. May 1847, m. David Pryor

12131442. FLORA E. SANDERSON, b. 1850 in Wooster

12131443. OLIVE V. SANDERSON, b. 1856, m. James F. Coe

12131444. JAMES J. SANDERSON, b. 21 Oct 1859, m. 1) Hammer, 2) Bowman

12131445. MINNIE D. SANDERSON, b. 1866 in Wooster

1213145. **MARGARET SANDERSON** was born in 1829 in Saville, Pennsylvania and married HUGH M. **CULBERTSON** on 9 Jan 1849 in Wooster, Ohio.⁴ He was born about 1820 in Pennsylvania. This one child is known from census records:⁵

12131451. BENJAMIN CULBERTSON, b. 1849 in Wooster township

1213146. **CATHERINE ANN SANDERSON** was born 25 Sep 1830 in Saville, Pennsylvania and married WILLIAM **BOLLINGER** in Wooster, Ohio on 24 Aug 1854.⁶ William was a drover who was born on 27 Dec 1819 and died 17 Mar 1890 in Millerstown, Pennsylvania. Catherine died in 1905 in Perry County, Ohio. They had these children:⁷

12131461. MARY L. BOLLINGER, b. 1856 in Wooster

12131462. WILLIAM S. BOLLINGER, b. 1861, d. 1916, m. Martha B. McCrum

12131463. RICHARD N. BOLLINGER, b. 1869 in Millerstown

12131464. CATHERINE M. BOLLINGER, died in infancy

12131465. JAMES BOLLINGER, died in infancy

1213147. **MARIA SANDERSON** was born in Saville, Pennsylvania in 1834 and married JOHN **ATKINSON** in Wooster, Ohio on 24 Aug 1858.⁸ John was born in 1809 in Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania and died 20 Sep 1899 in Bratton Township, Mifflin Co. Maria died in 1905. They are buried in Mattawana Cemetery in Mifflin Co. They had at least these two children:⁹

12131471. EDWIN S. ATKINSON, b. 1861 in Atkinson Mills, Pennsylvania 12131472. CORA S. ATKINSON, b. 1870, d. 1950, was a nurse

¹ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan, Wayne Co. Marriages Book 4B, p. 135

² William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan, Wayne Co. Deaths Vol. 2, p. 119

³ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

⁴ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan, Wayne Co. Marriages Book 4B, p. 353

⁵ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

⁶ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan, Wayne Co. Marriages Book 4B, p. 237

⁷ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

⁸ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan, Wayne Co. Marriages Book 5, p. 126

⁹ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

The children of [#121316] Jeremiah and Margaret (Foresman) Jordan [son of Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Emily C., Mary, Samuel, Catherine, Robert, Alexander, Ann E., William Amos, Francis, Gwinetta and Margaret E.

1213161. **EMILY C. JORDAN** was born about 1829, and was listed on the 1850 census as an "idiot". She lived with her parents in Scipio Township, LaPorte Co., Indiana.

1213168. **WILLIAM AMOS JORDAN** was born in 1844 in Pennsylvania and married CLARA **HARDING** in 1872. She was born in St. Joseph, Missouri on 24 Jul 1851, the daughter of Capt. Benjamin and Emily (Williams) Harding. The family lived in St. Joseph, where William Jordon was a bank cashier. He died of drowning in the Missouri River on 30 May 1892. Clara supported the family as a schoolteacher and lived beyond 100 years old. The Jordons were parents of these children:^{1,2}

12131681. RIVERDA HARDING JORDAN, b. 12 Apr 1873, m. Mary V. Hoover

12131682. HELEN JORDAN, b. 3 Nov 1876 in Missouri, d. Aug 1967

12131683. RUTH JORDAN, b. 6 Oct 1886, d. Jan 1974, m. Franklin G. Weary

12131684. LORING KENNETH JORDAN, b. 1 Nov 1888, m. Grace Wilma Hoover

12131685. WILLIAM AMOS JORDAN, II, b. 11 Jan 1893, m. Marion Porter

The child of [#121318] Charles and Rebecca (Jordan) Craft [daughter of Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1213181. **MARY AURELIA CRAFT** was born 6 Jan 1847 in Salem, Oregon and married GEORGE PAINE **LITCHFIELD** there on 25 Dec 1866. He was born 23 Jun 1840 in West Woodstock, Connecticut and died 4 Jul 1925 in Salem. Mary died 3 Feb 1918 in Salem.³

The children of [#121411] Hon. George and Catherine (Evans) Kremer [daughter of Frederick, Elizabeth (North) Evans, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Amelia Snyder, Catherine Lydia, George, Margaret Brown, Frederick Evans and Ann Eliza.

1214111. AMELIA SNYDER KREMER married SAMUEL OWEN EVANS of

¹ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Weary, Ruth Jordan" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 524

² Susan Seymour, e-mail of 21 Sep 2007 giving exact dates

³ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

Juniata Co., Pennsylvania on 18 Mar 1844 in Snyder Co., PA. They had these children:¹

- 12141111. GEORGE KREMER EVANS
- 12141112. LOUIS EVANS
- 12141113. AURELICIS BRADFORD EVANS
- 12141114. EBRI EVANS

1214112. **CATHERINE LYDIA KREMER** was born 10 Nov 1822 in Lewisburg, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania. On 4 Mar 1845 in Middleburg, Pennsylvania, she married THOMAS **BOWER** who was born 4 Mar 1813 in Middleburg, son of Philip and Hannah (Evans) Bower. Thomas died on 5 Nov 1893 in Middleburg, and Catherine died there on 19 Mar 1909. They had these six children:²

- 12141121. FREDERICK EVANS BOWER, b. 21 Jan 1846, m. Harriet Ruth Harris
- 12141122. GEORGE KREMER BOWER, b. 10 Jun 1848, d. 24 Jan 1870
- 12141123. FLORENA GIRTRUDE BOWER, b. 17 Mar 1853, d. 20 Mar 1868
- 12141124. CHARLES CLEMENT BOWER
- 12141125. WILLIAM HARVEY BOWER
- 12141126. R. EDWIN BOWER, b. ca 1867, d. 27 May 1932, m. Jessie Bell Youman

1214115. **FREDERICK EVANS KREMER** was born 27 Jan 1820 and was married to ELMIRA G. **SMITH** of Selinsgrove, Pennsylvania on 13 Jun 1853 in Union Co., PA by Rev. J. P. Shindel Jr. Frederick died 15 Feb 1887. Frederick and Elmira had these children:³

12141151. ELMIRA G. KREMER, b. & d. 24 Apr 1865

- 12141152. GEORGE KREMER
- 12141153. CLAUDE KREMER
- 12141154. FREDERICK KREMER

The children of [#121538] John and Sophia (Randolph) Brown [daughter of Elizabeth, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Matthew, Elizabeth, Sarah, Azariah, Isaac, Mary, James, Marjory Jane, Malissa, Sophia and Elspherlin.

1215381. **MATTHEW BROWN** was born in 1822 in Perry Co., Ohio.⁴ He married MARIETTA **COOPER** on 30 Dec 1847. Matthew Brown died in 1870.

1215382. ELIZABETH BROWN was born in 1823 and married JOHN G. BROWN on 12 Mar 1849.⁵

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁴ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁵ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

1215383. **SARAH BROWN** was born 19 Dec 1824 in Ohio. She married MATHIAS **SHULTZ** on 10 Oct 1845 in Kentucky.¹ Sally (Brown) Shultz died 4 Apr 1855 at the age of 31.

1215384. **AZARIAH BROWN** was born on 23 Mar 1825 (sic).² He married ELIZABETH **BROWN** on 3 Feb 1848 in Ohio. Azariah died 3 Apr 1863.

1215385. **ISAAC BROWN** was born in Ohio in 1827.³ On 11 Jan 1848 he married MARY ELIZABETH **NEAL**. She was born in Kentucky in 1828. They had one child: 12153851. SOPHIA RANDOLPH BROWN, b. 1 Aug 1850, m. 1) Taylor, 2) ...

1215388. **MARJORY JANE BROWN** was born 2 Feb 1834, and in 1852 she became the second wife of Rev. ALFRED **TAYLOR**.⁴ He was born in 1808, the son of Joseph and Mary (Slade) Taylor of Warren Co., Kentucky. His first wife, Mary Ann, died 4 May 1852, the day following the birth of their ninth child. Marjory (Brown) Taylor had three children but died on 29 Sep 1856, just 19 days after the birth and death of her son. Alfred Taylor married Eliza Jane Gordon, his third wife, on 1 Mar 1859. They had three children before he died on 9 Oct 1865. Rev. and Marjory Taylor had these children:

12153881. SUSAN RANDOLPH TAYLOR, b. 1853, m. Millard Frank Grubb

12153882. JANE TAYLOR, b. ca 1854, m. Jacob Williams

12153883. ALFRED BOARDMAN TAYLOR, b. & d. 10 Sep 1856.

1215389. **MALISSA BROWN** was born 7 Aug 1836.⁵ She never married and died at age 27 on 3 May 1863 in Ohio Co., Kentucky.

121538A. **SOPHIA BROWN** was born in 1839 and married JUDSON **TAYLOR** on 2 Jun 1860.⁶ He was born 24 Jul 1838, the son of Rev. Alfred and Mary Ann (Mahon) Taylor of Ohio Co., Kentucky. Like his father, Judson Taylor was a Baptist minister. He died 10 Feb 1899 in Carroll Co., Arkansas.

The child of [#121598] Henry Francis and Rebecca (North) Opperman [daughter of Caleb, John North, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1215981. CALEB H. OPPERMAN was born 21 Jan 1865 in Washington Township, Wood Co., Ohio and married ORRA KETCHUM on 17 Jul 1884. She was born 25 Dec 1868 in Ohio, a daughter of Edward C. and Caroline (Kuder) Ketchum of New York.

¹ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

² Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

³ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁴ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁵ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁶ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

Orra died 6 Mar 1943 in Washington Township and is buried there in the Tontogany Cemetery. Caleb died 24 Aug 1955. They had these children:¹

- 12159811. GERALD SHERWOOD OPPERMAN, b. 13 Jan 1885, d. Mar 1885
- 12159812. BERNARD N. OPPERMAN, b. 19 Nov 1885, d. 9 Feb 1948
- 12159813. HELEN OPPERMAN, b. 18 Mar 1887
- 12159814. NEIL KUDER OPPERMAN, b. 17 Jun 1888, d. 30 Mar 1890
- 12159815. ARTHUR K. OPPERMAN, b. 5 Feb 1890, d. 1911
- 12159816. DORIS OPPERMAN
- 12159817. HAROLD OPPERMAN, d. ca 1943-1949
- 12159818. BERT OPPERMAN (twin), b. 15 Apr 1892, d. 18 Apr 1892
- 12159819. BEATRICE OPPERMAN (twin), b. 15 Apr 1892, d. 18 Apr 1892

The known child of [#1215A1] William Randolph and Rebecca (Randolph) North [son of John North [son of John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1215A11. **JAMES BLAKELY SHELDON NORTH** was born 9 May 1851 and married PHEBE **ALLEN** on 23 Mar 1876 in Perry Co., Ohio. She was born 23 May 1855, a daughter of Richard and Maria (Lanning) Allen. James died 14 Mar 1921. They had these children:

1215A111. GRACE LEE NORTH, b. 1 Dec 1876 in Ohio

1215A112. MABEL K. NORTH, b. 15 Aug 1892 in Illinois

1215A113. WILLIAM HENRY NORTH, b. 1 Dec 1876 in Ohio

The known children of [#1215A2] Amos J. and Elizabeth Catherine (Smith) North [son of John, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John Josephus and William I.

1215A21. **JOHN JOSEPHUS NORTH** was born 13 May 1844 in Logan, Ohio and married ANGELINE **RANDOLPH** on 2 Mar 1874. She was born 13 Dec 1850 in Clayton Township, Perry Co., Ohio. John died 24 Apr 1891 in Barton, Missouri, and Angeline died there 28 May 1903. They had these children:²

1215A211. ELLA ELIZABETH NORTH, b. 13 Dec 1876, m. D. P. Barker

1215A212. WILLIAM C. NORTH, b. 4 Aug 1878, m. Jesse Pearl Curry

1215A213. GEORGE MONFORT NORTH, b. 30 Aug 1880, m. Gertrude Wilson

1215A214. JOHN RANDOLPH NORTH, b. 26 Jul 1887, m. Edith Watson

1215A215. MARY ALTA NORTH, b. 9 Oct 1889, m. Herbert Raymond Wooley

1215A22. WILLIAM I. NORTH was born 31 Dec 1848 in Logan, Ohio and married

¹ Jon Opperman, web site in 2009 at http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=mw-opperman&id=I54

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

MARY ELIZABETH **WOODRUFF** on 24 Sep 1890 in Hocking Co., Ohio. She was born 1 Jan 1859 and may have previously married a Mowery. William died 6 Aug 1925 in Logan. William and Mary had these children:¹

1215A221. ETHEL MARGARET NORTH, b. 9 May 1891

1215A222. WALTER AMOS NORTH, b. 8 Sep 1892, m. Opal Pence

1215A223. MARY ELIZABETH NORTH, b. 2 Mar 1894, m. Corwin Bowers

1215A224. DORCUS R. NORTH, b. 22 Jan 1896

1215A225. ALICE WOODRUFF NORTH, b. 12 Feb 1897, d. 16 Oct 1900

1215A226. NOEL WOODRUFF NORTH, b. 15 Mar 1902

The children of [#121611] Thomas and Catherine (Brennisholt) North [son of James, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Anna Maria, Euphemia, Elizabeth, James Cloyd, Anna Margart, John Lewis and Alice Rebecca.

1216112. **EUPHEMIA NORTH** was born 9 Jul 1833 and married SAMUEL **SHOWERS**.²

1216113. **ELIZABETH NORTH** was born 1 May 1836 in Juniata Co., Pennsylvania, married DAVID **WATTS**, and had these children:³

12161131. LAURA ALICE WATTS, m. Harry Ellsworth Bonsall

12161132. JAMES CLOYD WATTS

12161133. THOMAS EDWARD WATTS, m. Mary Moore

1216115. ANNA MARGARET NORTH was born 6 Mar 1841 and married ELIAS W. HARROLD on 28 Nov 1861.⁴

1216116. **JOHN LEWIS NORTH** was born 18 Apr 1846 in Juniata Co., Pennsylvania and married VICTORIA **ROBINSON** on 12 Jun 1869. She was born about 1848. They lived in Mifflin, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania, and in 1880 his mother, Catherine North age 76, lived with the family. John and Victoria North had these children:⁵

12161161. REBECCA NORTH, b. 27 Jun 1870, m. Edward A. Seiber

12161162. ELMER CLOYD NORTH, b. 21 Jul 1871

12161163. ELIZABETH NORTH, b. 1 Sep 1871 (sic), d. 28 Sep 1871

1216117. ALICE REBECCA NORTH was born 20 Jan 1848 and married JOHN W. KIRK on 14 Apr 1869.⁶

¹Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03954.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03954.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03954.htm

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03954.htm

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03954.htm

The children of [#121618] James and Susanna Matilda (Strouse) North [son of James, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1216181. **NATHANIEL NORTH** was born Sep 1842 in Perry Co., Pennsylvania and married NANCY (?) who was born about 1842. In the 1900 Census, Nathaniel's wife was named HANNAH (?), and her birthdate was Oct 1847. Nathanial and his family lived in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania, and consisted of the following children:

12161811. ELIZABETH NORTH, b. ca 1868

12161812. MARTIN NORTH, b. Jan 1870

12161813. JOHN H. NORTH, b. Mar 1872, m. Laura (?)

12161814. CLARA NORTH, b. ca 1878

12161815. DAVID NORTH, b. Mar 1881

1216182. **CALEB C. NORTH** was born about 1846 in Perry Co., Pennsylvania. He married ELIZABETH (?) who was born about 1837. They lived in Huntingdon, Pennsylvania in 1880. He became the assistant cashier of the Columbia National Bank in Washington, D.C.¹ They were the parents of these children:

12161821. DAVID E. NORTH, b. ca 1872

12161822. WILLIAM M. NORTH, b. ca 1874

12161823. CALEB C. NORTH Jr., b. ca 1878

12161824. JAMES NORTH, b. 1880

1216183. **WASHINGTON S. NORTH** was born in Perry Co., PA in Oct 1847 and married R. OLIVE (?). She was born about 1850. They lived in Patterson, Juniata Co., PA, where he was an agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and a dealer in coal and lumber.² They lived with his brother Nathaniel in 1900 and had these children:

12161831. JAMES K. NORTH, b. Jul 1870, m. M. G. (?)

12161832. NELLIE NORTH, b. ca 1873

12161833. MARY E. NORTH, b. Feb 1875

1216184. **REBECCA J. NORTH** was born May 1850. She married F. W. **CRIDER** who was a merchant and banker with Hastings, Crider & Jackson in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania.³ He was born Sep 1845, the son of Phillip B. Crider who lived with the family in 1900. They had these children:

12161841. MAY S. CRIDER, b. Aug 1877

12161842. HUGH NORTH CRIDER, b. Sep 1883

12161843. MARY J. CRIDER, b. Mar 1886

¹ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 796

² R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 796

³ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 796

1216185. **HERMAN HAUPT NORTH** was born 1852. He was an attorney and a State legislator from Bradford, Pennsylvania. He married AUGUSTA (?) who was born in Aug 1868 in Germany. They lived in McKeesport, PA in 1900 and had these children:

12161851. FRANK NORTH, b. Apr 1891

12161852. EMMA NORTH, b. Sep 1895

12161853. ELSIE NORTH, b. Nov 1897

1216186. **MARY M. NORTH** was born 1854, and was married to GEORGE **JACOBS** of Mifflintown. He died before 1897.¹

The children of [#121619] Amos J. and Janet (Macklin) North [son of James, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Janet and William Cloyd.

1216192. WILLIAM CLOYD NORTH was born 30 Mar 1848 in Juniata Co., Pennsylvania and married ELEANOR BAILEY WILSON on 9 Jan 1872. She was born 24 Jul 1848. William died in Atchinson, Kansas on 27 Sep 1891. They had these children:²

12161921. JENNETTE MACKLIN NORTH, b. 9 Oct 1873, m. George Swiegert

12161922. ELEANOR REBECCA NORTH, b. 23 Jun 1876, m. Albert Hutchinson

12161923. DAVID JORDAN NORTH, b. 6 Feb 1883, m. Margaret Mahan

12161924. SARAH ANN NORTH, b. 13 Jul 1886

The children of [#121622] Philo and Rebecca Cloyd (North) Hamlin [daughter of Caleb, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William, Alonzo, Joseph North, Harriet, Jane Elizabeth and Howard.³

1216225. JANE ELIZABETH HAMLIN was born 25 Oct 1839 and married WILLIAM BANKS on 1 Oct 1861. He was a son of David and Jane Thompson (McAllister) Banks. Jane (Hamlin) Banks died 7 Feb 1918 in Mifflintown, Pennsylvania. They had these children:⁴

12162251. WILLIAM HAMLIN BANKS, b. 16 Nov 1862, m. Bessie Jacobs Parker

12162252. JAMES ALONZO BANKS, b. 15 Oct 1864, d. 23 May 1944

- 12162253. ANDREW BANKS, b. 21 Mar 1866, d. 20 Jun 1959 Lewistown, PA
- 12162254. ELLA KATE BANKS, b. 6 May 1868, d. 1951, m. John Howard Neely

12162255. PHILO HAMLIN BANKS, b. 30 Sep 1870, d. 23 Nov 1901

¹ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 796

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03381.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam02913.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03385.htm

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12162256. REBECCA JANE BANKS, b. 18 Jul 1872, d. 1953, m. Ezra Doty Parker 12162257. ANNIE MAY BANKS, b. 14 Jul 1879, d. 10 May 1880

The children of [#121641] Andrew and Ann Elizabeth (Doty) Parker [daughter of Rebecca, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ezra Doty, Rebecca, Edmund S., Thomas, M. J. and Ann E.

1216411. **EZRA DOTY PARKER** was born about 1833 in Juniata Co., Pennsylvania. He married JENNIE H. (?) who was also born about 1833. They lived in Mifflintown in 1880 and had these children:

12164111. ANDREW PARKER, b. ca 1864 12164112. HARRIET H. PARKER, b. ca 1868 12164113. REBECCA C. PARKER, b. ca 1870 12164114. THOMAS V. PARKER, b. ca 1872

12164115. EDMUND PARKER, b. ca 1874

1216414. **THOMAS PARKER** was born in Apr 1845. He married ANNA (?) who was born in Sep 1847. They lived in Tyrone, Blair Co., PA in 1900 and had one child: 12164141. MARY R. PARKER, b. Sep 1895

The children of [#121642] Edmund S. and Catherine (Wilson) Doty [son of Rebecca, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were James C., Lucien W., Edmund, L. Banks, Ezra C., David B., Rebecca, Oscar and Edgar.

1216422. LUCIEN W. DOTY was born 18 Jul 1848 in Mifflintown, Juniata Co., Pennsylvania. He attended Tuscarora and Airy View Academies and graduated with honors from Lafayette College in 1870. He entered his father's law office and was admitted to the bar in 1872. He married ANNA E. **MOORE**, the daughter of Samuel Moore of Easton PA, on 2 Oct 1873. He was elected President Judge of the Courts of Westmoreland Co. in 1889. They lived on N. Maple St. in Greensburg, Westmoreland Co., PA and were members of the Presbyterian Church. They had three children:¹

12164221. CATHARINE DOTY, b. Jun 1875

12164222. HELEN DOTY, b. Nov 1884

12164223. EDMUND S. DOTY, b. Sep 1888

1216423. EDMUND DOTY was born in May 1851. He married ETTIE (?) who was born in Oct 1863. They lived in Bedford Co. and had these children 12164231. JAMES CLOYD DOTY, b. Oct 1895

¹ John M. Gresham & Co., ed., *Biographical and Historical Cyclopedia of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania* (1890), pp. 83-85

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12164232. ELLEN C. DOTY, b. Dec 1896

1216426. **DAVID B. DOTY** was born Jan 1860 in Mifflin, PA, married RUTH M. (?) who was born Jun 1861, and lived in Westmoreland Co. in 1900 with these children:

12164261. DAVID B. DOTY Jr., b. May 1896

12164262. EDMUND S. DOTY, b. Feb 1898

12164263. RAYMOND M. DOTY, b. May 1899

1216428. **OSCAR DOTY** was born in Jul 1863, and in 1900, he lived in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He was unmarried and boarded with the Ben Mitchell family.

The known child of [#121666] Henry and Eliza (Howe) Goshen [daughter of Hannah (North) Howe, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1216661. ELIZABETH GOSHEN married JOHN KESSLER and had this one known child:¹

12166611. NAOMI KESSLER, m. Henry Baker Reiley [#121A3221]

The children of [#121672] Hugh McAlister and Serena Mayer (Franklin) North [son of John, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1216721. **SERENA MAYER NORTH** was born in Oct 1874 and married JOSEPH BALDWIN **HUTCHINSON** on 11 Apr 1901. He had previously married Elizabeth W. Cabeen on 1 Oct 1874. He was born at Bristol, Pennsylvania on 20 Mar 1844, a son of Joseph B. and Selina (Knapp) Hutchinson. Joseph B. Jr. served in the Civil War in 1863. He was educated as an engineer and held several engineering positons with the the Pennsylvania Railroad until gaining promotion to general supervision of transportation and culminating as assistant to the vice president. He was also President or director of several other major companies. Joseph B. Hutchinson died 12 Feb 1934 in Philadelphia.²

1216722. **HUGH McALISTER NORTH** Jr. was born Jun 1876. He graduated from Harvard in 1898 and practiced law with his father.

The children of [#121912] William and Elizabeth (Triggs) Lucas [son of Hannah (Humphreys) Lucas, Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Levisa, John, Samuel, Louisa and Ann E.

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 183. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Wilfred Jordan, ed., "Joseph B. Hutchinson" in Colonial and Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania, vol. 6, pp. 163, 158-160

1219121. **LEVISA LUCAS** was born 12 Jun 1824 in Scioto Co., Ohio and married SAMUEL **POLLOCK** there on 27 Jan 1842. He was born in Scioto Co. 8 Jan 1817 and died in Muscatine Co., Iowa on 9 May 1895. Levisa died there on 7 Mar 1901.¹

The child of [#121924] George and Janet Lingen (Henderson) Humphreys [son of David, Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1219241. **DAVID ENGLISH HUMPHREYS** was born in 1827.² At age 19, he served in the Mexican War as a corporal in Col. Doniphan's Mounted Volunteers. In 1854, he married FRANCES MELVINA **GOODE** who was born in 1833, the daughter of Thomas and Eliza (Jones) Goode. They lived in St. Louis where David Humphreys was a merchant. Frances died in 1872, and David died in 1886. They had these children:

12192411. JANET LINGEN HUMPHREYS, b. 1855, m. Charles A. Batterton

12192412. MARTHA STANLEY HUMPHREYS, b. 3 Jul 1858, m. Arthur Maltby

12192413. LOUISE MINOR HUMPHREYS, b. 1865, m. William Hancock Powell

The children of [#121963] George Washington Tate and Sarah Rebecca (Browne) Kearsley [son of Anna Rambo (Humphreys) Kearsley, Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William Keys, Anna Humphreys, Bettie F., George Tate, Jeannie Templeman, Elizabeth Forrest, Margaret Burnett, Agnes, Rebecca Ambler and Charles Brice.

1219637. **MARGARET BURNETT (Meta) KEARSLEY** was born on 12 Feb 1859 in Charlestown, West Virginia and married ANDREW KENNEDY **SELDEN** who was born at the "Cave," Jefferson Co., West Virginia on 5 Jul 1854. He was the son of John and Anne Rebecca (Kennedy) Selden of Charlestown. The Selden progenitors came to Elizabeth City Co., Virginia from England in 1690-95. The Kennedy progenitors were originally from Scotland, having descended from Sir James Lord Kennedy and his wife Princess Mary Stewart, the daughter of ROBERT III, King of Scotland from 1390-1406, and a line of Barons, Lords, and Earls of "Cassillis". Meta died in 1942 in Charlestown. Meta and Andrew had these children:³ 12196371. ANDREW KENNETH SELDEN, b. 26 Nov 1880, m. Aimee Whyte 12196372. GEORGE KEARSLEY SELDEN, b. 27 Aug 1882, m. Jennie E. Stewart

12196373. ANNE REBECCA SELDEN, b. ca Aug 1884, m. Clarence Hobart

The child of [#121A11] David and Margaret (Power) Robbins [daughter of Elizabeth, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04313.htm

² Frederick Adams Virkus, "Maltby, Martha Stanley Humphreys" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 375

³ Andrew K. Selden, e-mail of 3 Jun 2004 citing *The Seldens of Virginia and Allied Families* (1911) by Mary Selden Kennedy

121A111. **EUNICE ROBBINS** was born 9 Mar 1835. On 9 Jul 1854 in Rock Island Co., Illinois, she married ALEXANDER WASHINGTON **MOREHEAD** who was born on 30 Dec 1830 in Jefferson Co., Ohio and died 30 Jun 1908 in Yankton, South Dakota. Eunice Morehead died eight years later, in 1916.^{1,2} They had these known children:³

121A1111. OLIVER WESLEY MOREHEAD, b. 1855, m. Francis Dianna Pierson

121A1113. ALEXANDER WASHINGTON MOREHEAD, b. ca 1859

121A1114. ELIZABETH MOREHEAD, b. ca 1862

121A1115. IDA CAROLINE MOREHEAD, b. ca 1866, m. Charles Clark Woods

121A1116. EDWARD G. MOREHEAD, b. ca 1868

The children of [#121A12] Alexander and Mary (Power) Speer [daughter of Elizabeth, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A121. **ELIZABETH SPEER** was born 12 Oct 1815 and married JAMES F. **BUNTON** on 10 Oct 1835.⁴ He was born about 1815 in Maryland. In 1850 the family lived in the first ward of Pittsburgh where James was a boatbuilder. He died in 1855, and Elizabeth died 8 May 1881. They had these children:

121A1211. MARY BUNTON, b. ca 1836

121A1212. SARAH ANN BUNTON, b. 8 Nov 1838, m. William Russell

121A1213. ISAAC N. BUNTON, b. 1841, m. Jennie Hendrickson

121A1214. WILSON BUNTON, b. ca 1844

121A1215. JAMES BUNTON, b. ca 1846

121A1216. WILLIAM BUNTON, b. ca 1848

121A122. **HARRIET SPEER** was born 28 Aug 1829 and died 24 Nov 1899.⁵ She married ROBERT JOSEPH **COYLE** on 10 Jan 1850. He was born 7 May 1821 and died 3 Apr 1901. They had these known children:

121A1221. WILLIAM L. COYLE, b. ca 1855

121A1222. MARY E. COYLE, b. ca 1857

121A1223. MARGARET COYLE, b. 7 Mar 1858, m. Robert William Scott

121A1224. ROBERT JOSEPH COYLE, b. 5 Jul 1862

121A1225. REED B. COYLE, b. ca 1867

121A1226. HARRIET W. COYLE, b. ca 1870

121A123. WILLIAM ALEXANDER SPEER was born in 1830. In 1853, he married NANCY STROHM who was born in 1833. William died in 1899, and Nancy died in

¹²¹A1112. MARGARET JANE MOREHEAD, b. ca 1858, m. Leander Todd

¹ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., *Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 5, 1939*, p. 36

² Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 148, 1919* (1936), p. 233

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04800.htm

⁴ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

⁵ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

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1914. They had these children, born in Armstrong Co., Pennsylvania:¹ 121A1231. MARY SPEER, b. Nov 1854, m. William C. Bailey 121A1232. JOHN STROHM SPEER, b. 1859, m. Helen Fryling

121A124. **DAVID ROBINS SPEER** was born 31 Dec 1834.² He married AMELIA ROSALLA. VON **HOUSEN** on 1 Sep 1862. She was born 12 Aug 1836 in Hessen Prussia. The family lived in Sharpsburg, (Alleghany Co.) PA and had these children:

121A1241. FRANK H. SPEER, b. ca 1865

121A1242. ARTHUR R. SPEER, b. ca 1867

121A1243. JOSEPH S. SPEER, b. ca 1868

121A1244. DAVID SPEER, b. ca 1874

121A1245. MARY SPEER, b. ca 1876

121A1246. EDITH SPEER, b. ca 1879

The child of [#121A24] Samuel Hopkins and Elizabeth Rambo (Mark) Janney [daughter of Ann, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A241. **MAHLON HOPKINS JANNEY** was born 29 Jul 1843 in Alexandria, Virginia and married WILLIAMINA H. **JAMESON** on 13 Feb 1868. She was born in 1845, the daughter of William H. and Cornelia (Tallaferro) Jameson. Mahlon Janney died 8 Sep 1882,³ and his wife also died in 1882, while they were still in their thirties. The family lived on King St. Alexandria, VA, and were the parents of two children:^{4,5}

121A2411. ELIZABETH M. JANNEY, b. ca 1871

121A2412. MAHLON HOPKINS JANNEY Jr., b. 12 Oct 1881

The children of [#121A26] Henry and Hortensia Harmon (Mark) Cook [daughter of Ann (North) Mark, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Seymour, Samuel M., Henry, Charlotte, Llewellyn and Douglas Gregory.

121A263. CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH COOK was born in 1852. She married ROBERT EMMETT FUNSTEN who was born in 1851, a son of David and Susan (Meade) Funsten. Robert was a banker in St. Louis, MO. They had one known child:⁶ 121A2631. HORTENSE FUNSTEN, b. 1876, m. Arthur Forbes

121A264. LLEWELLEN COOK was born about 1855 and married LUTHER

¹ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 143, 1918-1919* (1935), p. 204

² Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 64, 19*07 (1923), p. 93

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03976.htm

⁴ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Janney, Mahlon Hopkins" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, pp. 309-310

⁵ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 61, 19*07 (1922), p. 48

⁶ Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 158, 1920 (1937), p. 264

ASHBY. They lived in Washington, D.C. around 1910 and had one child:¹ 121A2641. HORTENSE M. COOK ASHBY

The child of [#121A28] Douglas L. and Mary Smith (Cook) Gregory [daughter of Ann (North) Mark, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A281. ANNA NORTH GREGORY married RAPHAEL C. SMEADE. They resided at Dallas, Texas and had one known child:² 121A2811. MARY DOUGLAS SMEADE, b. Jun 1905

The children of [#121A31] Thomas and Sarah Elizabeth Jane (Gibbs) Johnson [daughter of Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Charles Gibbs and Mary Lauretta.

121A311. CHARLES GIBBS JOHNSON was born 15 Feb 1846. At age fifteen, he went to Raymond, Mississippi to learn the dry goods business with his uncle George Gibbs. His uncle sent him to Vicksburg with his valuable papers in 1863 when Gen. Grant raided the area. He was detained in Vicksburg through the siege, "returned to Virginia to enlist in Company B, 12th Virginia Cavalry, Rosser's Brigade, and served until the close of the war, walking home from Appomattox with well worn shoes and ragged clothing."³ Charles married JESSIE ELIZABETH ENGLE on 20 Dec 1870. She was a daughter of Philip and Sarah Engle of Harpers Ferry, West Virginia and a great-grand-niece of Gen. William Darke. In 1914 Charles was a undertaker and funeral director at Radford, Virginia. Charles and Elizabeth had these children:

121A3111. WILLIAM HERBERT JOHNSON, m. Corinne Ashby Anderson

121A3112. SARAH CORNELIA (Sadie) JOHNSON, m. Mark Reid

121A3113. GARLAND REILEY JOHNSON, m. Nancy Kavanaugh Mann

The children of [#121A32] Rev. James McKendree and Susan Ann Marie Bunn (Gibbs) Reiley [daughter of Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Susan and William McKendree.

121A322. WILLIAM McKENDREE REILEY was born 24 Apr 1847 at Charlestown, West Virginia.⁴ On 25 Apr 1874, he married FANNY **BAKER** who was born 24 Mar 1846, daughter of Henry Baker of Frederick Co., Maryland. William died 7 Jan 1907 at

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 66. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 66. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 67, 76, pictures #274. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

Newberry, Pennsylvania, and Fanny died 21 Oct 1920. They had these children: ¹
121A3221. HENRY BAKER REILEY, b. 18 Feb 1875, m. Naomi Kessler
121A3222. JAMES McKENDREE REILEY, b. 4 Sep 1876
121A3223. ELEANOR SUSAN REILEY, b. May 1878, m. James W. Lowther
121A3224. REBECCA WEST REILEY, b. 24 Apr 1881, unmarried in 1906
121A3224. RAY W. REILEY, b. Apr 1881, d. by 1906
121A3225. WILLIAM EDGAR REILEY, b. 23 Dec 1882
121A3226. BESSIE ALCESTAM (Alice) REILEY, b. Nov 1885, unmarried 1906
121A3227. WILSON HENDRIX REILEY, b. Nov 1888, d. 6 Aug 1906

The children of [#121A33] George William and Susan Steel (Elder) Gibbs [son of Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Charles, Mary, Sarah Jenkins, George North, William Elder, Susan Lydia, Annie Hortensia, Beverly Waugh, George William, Nina North, Ellen Drusilla and John Jenkins.

121A336. **SUSAN LYDIA GIBBS** was born 25 Mar 1855 and married Col. WILLIAM PRESTON **DILLIN** on 2 Jul 1907 of Jeannerette, Louisiana by the Bishop Chas. B. Galloway of the M.E. Church, South.²

121A337. **ANNIE HORTENSIA GIBBS** was born 3 Oct 1857 and married Col. WILLIAM PRESTON **DILLIN** on 3 Feb 1897. He was a son of Repps Childress and Mary (McClusky) Dillin of Prince Edward Co., Virginia. He was born near Franklin, Tennessee and, when eighteen years old, went to Louisiana with a steamboat captain and soon became a large land owner and sugar planter. During the Civil War he served in Murphy's Brigade of Louisiana troops. Annie Hortensia died 11 Dec 1905. Col. Dillin then married his sister-in-law, Susan Lydia Gibbs. He died at their home in Raymond, Mississippi on 7 Jun 1913.³

121A339. GEORGE WILLIAM GIBBS was born 22 Mar 1861 and married Miss PRIM of Natchez, Mississippi.⁴

121A33A. **NINA NORTH GIBBS** was born 2 Mar 1863 and graduated from the Wesleyan Female Institute. Afterwards she taught for some years in the public primary schools of Atlanta, Georgia. In 1910 she was residing at Meridian, Mississippi with her sister, Mrs. Drue Wilder, but they relocated to Macon, Georgia before 1914.⁵

121A33B. ELLEN DRUSILLA (Drue) GIBBS was born 28 Feb 1865, graduated from

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 68, 75, 182-183. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 73, 75, pictures #290. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 73, 75, 294, picture #291. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 74. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 74, 81, 310, picture #294. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

Wesleyan Female Institute in Staunton, Virginia on 10 Jun 1884, and married BENJAMIN FRANKLIN **WILDER** of Macon, Georgia a month later on 28 Jul 1884. Both Benjamin Franklin Wilder and his son worked for the Vicksburg & Meridian Railroad. They had these children:¹

121A33B1. FLORIE ETCHINGSON WILDER, b. 11 Oct 1885, m. 1) Wagnon, 2) .. 121A33B2. WILLIAM A. WILDER, b. 27 Aug 1889, living at Ensly, AL in 1914

121A33C. **JOHN JENKINS GIBBS** was born 27 Nov 1868 and married LETITIA **ROSSMAN** on 9 Jun 1891. She was a daughter of R. S. Rossman of Greenville, Mississippi. John J. Gibbs died after three years marriage on 20 Apr 1894. They had one child:²

121A33C1. DRUE IRVINE GIBBS, m. Dr. Charles L. Goodwin

The children of [#121A34] Jacob and Drusilla Lauretta Lee (Gibbs) Starry [daughter of Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth Lydia, Charles Nicholas, Georgetta Bunn, William McKendree, Mary North and Ella Gibbs.³

121A341. ELIZABETH LYDIA (Bettie) STARRY was born in 1846 and was thirteen years old living in Charlestown, Virginia in the fall of 1859 when John Brown raided Harper's Ferry and siezed the Federal Armory. Her letter describing the event is in the *Genealogy and History of the Related Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* by Millard Fillmore Stipes, pages 77-80. She married CHARLES W. TRUSSELL who died in 1887. She lived with her brothers on a farm near Charlestown, West Virginia until her own death on 10 Dec 1910 of Bright's disease. They had these children:⁴

121A3411. STANLEY A. TRUSSELL, freight agent for Chicago & Northwestern 121A3412. MAE EVANS TRUSSELL

121A342. **CHARLES NICHOLAS STARRY** and his brother George were in the mercantile business with their father in Charlestown, West Virginia until 1890. They and most of their sisters moved to a farm one mile north of Charlestown in 1910.

121A343. **GEORGETTA BUNN STARRY** married GEORGE H. **KELSEY**. He was a son of Dr. and Henrietta Young Kelsey of Harpers Ferry, West Virginia. They lived in Washington, D.C. where Mr. Kelsey died 1 Jan 1910. Georgetta lived in Washington, D.C. in 1914.⁵

¹Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 74, 81, 311. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 74, pictures #296. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 66, 83. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 66, 83, 213, 216. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 67, 213. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

The child of [#121A36] Charles Hanson and Ellen Lousia (Elder) Gibbs [son of Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A361. **CHARLEY ELLEN GIBBS** was born 9 Apr 1856 in Raymond, Mississippi.¹ She married a second cousin, SAMUEL DORSAN **HARPER** [#121A734], on 22 Jun 1882. He was a great-grandson of George North and his second wife, Eliza Keyes, while her great-grandparents were George North and his first wife, Sarah Evans. Samuel D. Harper was on the editorial staff of the *Raymond Gazette* for many years. Charley died 19 Sep 1897 at Hazlehurst, Mississippi.² Samuel died of consumption at Jackson, Mississippi in 1904. They had these children:³

121A7341. MILDRED HARPER, m. Edward O'Biern

- 121A7342. ELLEN HARPER
- 121A7343. ANNA HARPER
- 121A7344. Miss CHARLEY HARPER (f)

The children of [#121A73] George William and Anna Lilly (Sims) Harper [son of Sarah Keyes (North) Harper, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Gordon Sims, George William, infant, Samuel Dorsan, Henry Winton, Thomas Moffat, Sarah Virginia, Anna M., Margaret Caroline, Frank Gardner, Susan, John Hubbard, Ella Meade, George William, Robert Goodloe and Marian. See *Keyes, North, and Cruzen Families* by Stipes.

121A734. **SAMUEL DORSAN HARPER** was born 8 Oct 1856 and married his second cousin CHARLEY ELLEN **GIBBS** [#121A361] on 22 Jun 1882. He was editor of the Raymond, Mississippi Gazette after his father retired. Samuel D. Harper died in 1904. They had these children:⁴

121A7341. MILDRED HARPER, m. Edward O'Biern

- 121A7342. ELLEN HARPER
- 121A7343. ANNA HARPER

121A7344. Miss CHARLEY HARPER (f)

121A735. HENRY WINTER HARPER was born 26 Aug 1858 and married KATE MILLER on 5 Jul 1882. By 1910, they lived in Little Rock, Arkansas where he had the state agency for a life insurance company. They had these children:⁵ 121A7351. PICKENS HARPER

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04447.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04447.htm

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 68, pictures #284 & #307. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 68, 88, pictures #284 & #307. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 88, 214, picture #308. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121A7352. CATHERINE W. HARPER

121A737. **SARAH** <u>VIRGINIA</u> HARPER was born 15 Feb 1863 and married STERLING PEEBLES of New Iberia, Louisiana on 6 Jan 1881. Sterling Peebles was a leading sugar planter; his plantation was located on the beautiful Bayou Teche, immortalized in Longellow's "Evangeline." He lived there for eighteen years after his marriage until failing health compelled them to move to Jackson, Mississippi, only fifteen miles from Mrs. Peebles old home in Raymond. Mr. Peebles died at Jackson in 1906. Mrs. Peebles contributed information to Stipes for his book, The *Keys, North and Cruzen Families*. Sterling and Sarah Peebles had four children:¹

121A7371. HENRY WYCHE PEEBLES, b. 25 Jul 1884, architect in Pittsburgh
121A7372. GEORGE HARPER PEEBLES, b. 16 Dec 1888, dentist at Como, MS
121A7373. STERLING WILKINS PEEBLES, b. 7 Dec 1898
121A7374. VIRGINIA HARPER PEEBLES, b. 11 Mar 1903

121A73C. **JOHN HUBBARD HARPER** was born 21 Jul 1871. In 1910 he worked for a newspaper in Memphis, Tennessee but was taken ill in Kentucky in the fall of 1913. His sisters brought him to Jackson, Mississippi where he died a few days later.²

121A73D. ELLA MEADE HARPER was born 31 Jul 1873. She and Maggie lived in Raymond, Mississippi and ran the post office in 1912. Ella was postmistress.³

121A73G. **MARIAN HARPER** was born 20 Oct 1878 and married PERCY **WEAKS** of Monroe, Louisiana. Her sister, Susan Harper, lived with her at Jackson, Mississippi in 1912. Percy and Marian had one daughter:⁴

121A73G1. MARIAN WEAKS, b. 12 Jul 1904

The children of [#121A76] Henry M. and Marian C. (Williams) Harper [son of Sarah Keyes (North) Harper, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Samuel and Marian Henrietta. See *Keyes, North, and Cruzen Families*. by Millard F. Stipes.

121A761. **SAMUEL WILLIAMS HARPER** was born 7 Apr 1874 in Wheeling, West Virginia, and on 17 Oct 1901 he married LILLIE E. **VANCE**, the only daughter of J. N. Vance of Wheeling. They lived in Wheeling, West Virginia where Samuel succeeded his father and grandfather in the mercantile business. His sister Henrietta was reputed to be one of the famous beauties of Virginia and spent much of her time with an aunt in Washington City. Samuel and Lillie had these children:⁵

¹Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 88, 214-215. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 88, 214, 310. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 88, 215. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 88, 214, 215. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 215, 306-307. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121A7611. Child HARPER died before 1914 121A7612. LOUISE EDGERTON HARPER, b. 20 Mar 1903 121A7613. NELSON VANCE HARPER, b. 25 Sep 1904

121A7614. VIRGINIA HARPER, b. 19 Dec 1906

The children of [#121A81] George William and Nancy (Payne) North [son of William Darke, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Hanna Eva, Annie Jane, George William, Mary Louise and Robert Davidson.

121A811. **HANNAH EVER NORTH** was born in Bunker Hill, West Virginia on 9 Mar 1872. She was a teacher and a principal. On 2 Sep 1909, she married Professor JAMES WILLIAM **WATSON**, President of Alabama State Agricultural School at Jackson, Alabama. They met while attending Harvard summer school in Boston. Hannah joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #75003 in *Lineage Book* vol. 76:2. They had one known child by 1914:¹

121A8111. MARTHA NORTH WATSON, b. 12 Jun 1911 at Jackson, Alabama

121A813. **GEORGE WILLIAM NORTH** Jr. was born 29 Dec 1874 and worked for the Hurst newspapers in Nashville, Tennessee in 1914.²

121A814. **MARY LOUISE NORTH** was born in Berkeley Co., West Virginia on 30 Jul 1878. She lived at home in 1900 and married THOMAS WING **SPARROW** of Henderson, Kentucky. He was a grandson of Dr. Sparrow, Dean of the Theological Seminary at Alexandria, VA and author of "Harmony of the Gospels." Thomas Wing Sparrow was a civil engineer engaged in contracting and building concrete bridges. Mary North Sparrow was a member of the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #140419 in *Lineage Book* vol. 141:128. Thomas and Mary Louise lived in Nashville, Tennessee and had these children:³

121A8141. THOMAS WING SPARROW

121A8142. GEORGE NORTH SPARROW

121A815. **ROBERT DAVIDSON NORTH** was born on 7 Sep 1881 and was the editor of the Connellsville, Pennsylvania Daily and Weekly News in 1912. In 1914 he had sold his paper at Pascagoula, Mississippi and expected to relocate to Wauchula, southern Florida. On 3 Jun 1914 at Pascagoula, he married Miss BERNADOTTE **VEILLON**, daughter of E. Veillon who was a merchant. Her mother's father was a doctor in Paris.⁴

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 92, 100, 216, 311. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 301. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 92, 302, 310. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 92, 100, 301, 310, 313. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

The children of [#121A84] Charles Samuel and Johnnie (Jenkins) North [son of William Darke, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary, Annie Gibbs, Charles Donnelson and William.

121A841. **MARY NORTH** was born 17 Mar 1877 and married THOMAS IRVING **MOORE**. They lived in Marion, Alabama and had these known children:¹

121A8411. ANNIE GIBBS MOORE, b. 4 Mar 1908

121A8412. THOMAS IRVING MOORE, b. Oct 1910

121A8414. JOHN CALHOUN MOORE, b. early 1913

121A842. **ANNIE GIBBS NORTH** was born 8 Nov 1879 and married THOMAS MITCHELL **HOWZE**, an owner of cotton plantations in Alabama. They had two children:²

121A8421. MARY CLAYTON HOWZE, b. 16 Sep 1907

121A8422. CHARLES NORTH HOWZE, b. 15 Apr 1909

The children of [#121A91] William Darke and Elvira Jane (Stillings) North [son of Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Eliza Jane, Percie, George William, Leota, Della, Laura, Silver Brooks and Bertha.

121A911. **ELIZA JANE NORTH** married JACKSON **FULLER** who was killed shortly afterwards by a falling tree while working in a logging camp. Eliza lived in Lamoni, Iowa in 1912.³

121A912. **PERCIE NORTH** married HARLAN **CANNIFF**, a farmer. They had one son before he died. Percie (North) Caniff married Mr. **SPENCER** second, another farmer who died by 1912. Percie lived in Wexford Co., Michigan in 1912 and in Benzonia, Michigan later. Harlan and Percie Canniff had one child:⁴

121A9121. LYMAN (Mannie) CANNIFF, m. Ella Carroll

Mr. and Percie Spencer had one daughter:

121A9122. MARIE SPENCER.

121A914. **LEOTA NORTH** married P. COOS **HUFFMAN** and lived in Interlocken, Michigan. They had one son:⁵

121A9141. WYMAN HUFFMAN, m. Beulah Ballard

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 95, 216, 311, picture #330. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 96, picture #331. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 106. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 106, 206. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 106, 206. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121A915. **DELLA NORTH** married a steamboat engineer, ALBERT **MORSE**, and lived on a farm near Harlan, Michigan in 1912. They had these children:¹

- 121A9151. CLAUDE MORSE
- 121A9152. FAY MORSE
- 121A9153. BLOSSOM MORSE
- 121A9154. LAURA MORSE (twin)
- 121A9155. LAWRENCE MORSE (twin)
- 121A9156. OLGA MORSE

121A916. LAURA NORTH married Capt. THOMAS RUDECK who owned a steam tug that plied on Lake Michigan. They lived at Frankfort, MI and had five daughters:²

- 121A9161. CALLA RUDECK
- 121A9162. MADGE RUDECK
- 121A9163. PERCIE RUDECK
- 121A9164. FLORENCE RUDECK
- 121A9165. HELEN RUDECK

121A917. SILVER BROOKS NORTH married MARY MILLER and lived on a farm near Harlan and Copenish, Michigan in 1912. They had two daughters:³

121A9171. NEVA NORTH

121A9172. ESTHER NORTH

121A918. **BERTHA NORTH** married EDWARD **MILLER**, a farmer, had two children, and lived near Rockwood, Michigan in 1912.⁴

The children of [#121A92] Edmund and Emily Eliza (North) Rogers [daughter of Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A921. **THOMAS JEFFERSON ROGERS** was born Jun 1861. An attack of fever caused him to lose his hearing when about two years old. He was educated at the Deaf Mute Institute in Jacksonville, Illinois where, after graduation, he was elected Professor of Penmanship, which position he held until his death on 7 Dec 1905. In Jun 1895 he married ELEANOR **PARETTE** from Indianapolis who was also a deaf mute. Mrs. Rogers remarried after her husband's death. Their two sons both had normal hearing:⁵

121A9211. THOMAS PARETTE ROGERS 121A9212. EDMUND ROGERS

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 106, 206-207. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 106, 207. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 106, 207. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 106, 207. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 107. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

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121A922. ELIZA RACHEL ROGERS was born Sep 1864, married EDWARD AYLING in Jul 1885, and moved to Perry, Oklahoma. She died there 3 Jul 1897, leaving one son:¹

121A9221. CLARENCE ROGERS

121A923. **ADDIE PARMELIA ROGERS** was born Nov 1866 and married ALLEN **ALEY** in Nov 1893. They lived in Wichita, Kansas for a few years but returned to Yates City, Illinois for her health, where she died 25 Feb 1902.²

The children of [#121A93] Robert Ferguson and Martha Henkle (North) Anderson [daughter of Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Emily, John William, Charles David, Anna Eliza, Sarah Margaret, Lauretta Keyes and Florence Virginia.

121A931. **MARY EMILY ANDERSON** was born 14 Sep 1848 and married a farmer from Yates City, Illinois, LAUREN DEWEY **FLETCHER**, on 22 Feb 1871. They lived in Nebraska for several years but returned to Yates City. They had these children:³

121A9311. MAUDE ETHEL FLETCHER, b. 10 Nov 1872, m. Robert Nichols

121A9312. MARTHA LORINE FLETCHER, b. 4 Sep 1879, m. August Erickson

121A9313. MARGARET JOSEPHINE FLETCHER, b. 4 May 1881, m. T. Ramp

121A934. **ANNA ELIZA ANDERSON** was born 11 May 1854 and married RILEY C. **MILLER** on 20 Dec 1876. They lived in Brock, Nemaha Co., Nebraska where they owned several farms. Anna died 9 Nov 1898. They had these children:⁴

121A9341. CHARLES EDGAR ANDERSON, b. 20 Jun 1878, d. 20 Sep 1900

121A9342. ELEANOR ANDERSON, b. 11 Apr 1882, m. Ora Vandervoort

121A9343. MABEL ANDERSON, b. 10 Jul 1886, m. Althenas Asa

121A935. **SARAH MARGARET ANDERSON** was born 31 Mar 1857 and married EDWIN W. **WIDENER** on 6 Sep 1876. They lived in Lebanon, Red Willow Co., Nebraska and had these children:⁵

121A9351. CHARLES ELMER WIDENER, b. 16 Jun 1877, m. Grace Thompson 121A9352. MINNIE EDITH WIDENER, b. 15 Aug 1880, m. George Fritzsinger 121A9353. FLORENCE ETHEL WIDENER, b. 5 Nov 1882, m. Francis Pelton

121A936. LAURETTA KEYES ANDERSON was born 23 Sep 1859 and married WILLIAM M. PARKER on 12 Feb 1879. Lauretta married DAVID RAMP second, on

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 107. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 107. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 108. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

21 Oct 1903. They lived in Galesburg, Illiniois in 1912. Lauretta and William Parker had one child:¹

121A9361. JOHN WALTER PARKER, b. 23 Aug 1880, m. Mary Ramp

121A937. **FLORENCE VIRGINIA ANDERSON** was born 9 Feb 1862 and married LUTHER B. **BLISS** on 1 Dec 1887. They lived on a farm near Yates City, Illinois and had these children:²

121A9371. ETHEL MAY BLISS, b. 4 May 1893 121A9372. SARAH EDITH BLISS, b. 11 Feb 1896

121A9372. SARAH EDHH BEISS, b. 11 Peb 1890 121A9373. JOHN WILBUR BLISS, b. 19 May 1902

The children of [#121A9A] Robert Ferguson and Sarah Keyes (North) Anderson [daughter of Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Claude North, Robert Ferguson, Thomas Coke, Frank Pierce and George Washington.

121A9A1. CLAUDE NORTH ANDERSON was born 25 Jul 1866 and graduated from Lombard College in Galesburg, Illinois. After graduation in 1890, he married LIZZIE V. WIGLE on 10 Aug 1892. She also graduated from Lombard in 1890. He taught history at the State Normal College at Kearney, Nebraska. They had these children:³

121A9A11. ROBERT ROYCE ANDERSON, b. 1 Jul 1893, d. 14 Nov 1897

121A9A12. HELEN MARIE ANDERSON, b. 5 Jun 1895

121A9A13. BEN WIGLE ANDERSON, b. 2 Apr 1897

121A9A14. SARAH EDITH ANDERSON, b. 7 Feb 1899

121A9A15. CARROLL NORTH ANDERSON, b. 18 Feb 1905

121A9A16. ALLEN GRIFFITH ANDERSON, b. 18 Jun 1906

121A9A2. **ROBERT FERGUSON ANDERSON** was born 12 Jan 1869 and graduated from Lombard College in Galesburg, Illinois in 1893. On 1 Jun 1898 he married another graduate of Lombard, LUCY **TITUS**. He engaged in newspaper work then became a teacher in Peoria but moved to Phillipsburg, Kansas for his health. They had these children:⁴

121A9A21. EUNICE MARIAM ANDERSON, b. 19 Apr 1899 121A9A22. DELMAR COLLINS ANDERSON, b. 9 Feb 1901

121A9A4. **FRANK PIERCE ANDERSON** was born 4 Aug 1874 and graduated from Lombard College in Galesburg, Illinois in 1897. He married ANNA E. **RICE** on 19 Nov 1902. He taught school until failing eyesight forced him into a different occupation. He

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 110. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 110. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 110-111, picture #372. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 111. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

became a farmer in Red Willow Co., near Lebanon, Nebraska. They had these children:¹ 121A9A41. HORTENSE KEYES ANDERSON, b. 21 Mar 1904 121A9A42. ANNA ELIZABETH ANDERSON, b. 23 Sep 1905 121A9A43. ROBERT EDWARD ANDERSON, b. 27 Jan 1908

121A9A5. GEORGE WASHINGTON ANDERSON was born 20 May 1877 and was a delicate boy until twelve years of age. He moved to Nebraska, became an expert carpenter, and homesteaded 640 acres in North Platt Valley, Duel Co., NE. He married ETTA Z. SMITH on 9 Jan 1901 and they had these children:²

121A9A51. EDNA MARIE ANDERSON, b. 19 Jan 1902
121A9A52. CLARENCE WESLEY ANDERSON, b. 27 Feb 1904
121A9A53. MYRTLE ELIZA ANDERSON, b. 28 Oct 1905
121A9A54. MILDRED WINNIE ANDERSON, b. 21 Jul 1907
121A9A55. DORIS LUCILE ANDERSON, b. 4 Feb 1909

The children of [#121A9F] Charles David and Mary Sophia (Nicholson) North [son of Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Adah Catherine, Ralph Nicholson, Earl James Hasbrouck, Carl Clinton, Harold Edward and Elsie Louise.

121A9F2. **RALPH NICHOLSON NORTH** was born on 20 Aug 1879 and lived on a farm in 1912. He died 6 Jul 1970.³

121A9F3. **EARL JAMES HASBROUCK NORTH** was born 25 Jan 1881 and was a merchant in Yates City in 1910.⁴ He died 3 Aug 1969.⁵

121A9F4. CARL CLINTON NORTH was born 25 May 1882 and married EDITH VICTORIA SLAYTON. She was born 26 Jan 1889 in Elmwood, Illinois, a daughter of Alton Benjamin and Susie Belle (Wooten) Slayton. Carl and Edith resided on a farm. Carl died 13 Nov 1942. Edith died in 1976 in Yates City, IL. They had four children:⁶ 121A9F41. DOROTHY MARIE NORTH, b. 9 Jul 1912, m. Johnnie D. Jones

121A9F42. CHARLES ALTON NORTH, b. 30 Dec 1917, m. Mattie Elizabeth Lee

121A9F5. **HAROLD EDWARD NORTH** was born 25 Jul 1884, attended Lombard College, and was a book keeper at the Yates City Bank in 1912.⁷ He married MYRTA

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 111-112. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 112. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam01861.htm

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 206. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam01861.htm

⁶ Mary Cull, family research, e-mail of 31 Jan 2001

⁷ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 206. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

HENSLEY on 28 Apr 1915. Harold died 28 Jan 1957. They had one child:¹ 121A9F51. ELIZABETH NORTH

121A9F6. **ELSIE LOUISE NORTH** was born 9 Jun 1889 and married HARRY L. **HAMMER** on 21 Nov 1922. He was born 9 Jun 1889 and died 26 Sep 1939. Elsie died 24 May 1975.²

The child of [#121AB1] Nathaniel Green North and Nancy E. (Jordin) Cruzen [son of Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB11. **WEBSTER WINFIELD CRUZEN** was born 2 Jul 1856. His mother died three weeks later, and he was raised by his grandparents, Abram and Jane Jordin. About 1867 the family left Saline Co. and located in Cass Co., Missouri. In August or early Sepember, Webster married FLORENCE EDGAR **READ** who was born 28 Jan 1865, a daughter of Henry Walker and Nancy Ellen Reed. Webster and Florence lived in Ft. Collins, Colorado in 1914 and had one son:³

121AB111. GROVER CLEVELAND CRUZEN, b. 11 Dec 1885, m. Floy Darling

The children of [#121AB1] Nathaniel Green North and Mary E. (Gillilian)(Faulkner) Cruzen, his second wife, were Bettie Leonore, Richard Richardson, Aurelia Blanche, Nathaniel Greene, Harry Lee, Anna Mabel and Earl McAnally.

121AB12. **BETTIE LENORE CRUZEN** was born 13 Apr 1866 in Jamesport, Missouri and attended Missouri University. She taught school in Jamesport and Gallatin. On 26 Jan 1898 she married CHARLES A. **SAVAGE** of Kansas City. He was a son of James and Mary Savage of Vermillion Co., Illinois and Greenup Co., Kentucky. Charles taught school in Daviess Co., MO and was County Commissioner for one term. After their marriage he engaged in business in Kansas City.⁴

121AB13. RICHARD RICHARDSON CRUZEN, a twin to Bettie Lenore, was born 13 Apr 1866 in Jamesport, Missouri and died 22 May 1867 in Lafayette Co.

121AB14. AURELIA BLANCHE CRUZEN was born in 20 Jun 1869 in Daviess Co., Missouri. She attended Missouri University and married JESSE T. McCLURE on 3 Dec 1890 at Gallatin. He was born in Livingston Co., Missouri on 7 Oct 1863 to Abram and Mary (Litton) McClure. Jesse was a postoffice inspector, and they lived in Kansas City for a time but later acquired a home in Gallatin. He taught school for a few years

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04227.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04228.htm

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 250-251, 313. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 251. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

and was admitted to the bar, but he died 5 Oct 1894. He was knocked down while watching a parade in Kansas City, and his head hit a curb. It is likely that the accident was an intentional act instigated by some post office robbers that he had been tracking. Blanche and her two children lived with her parents in 1900, but she died on Thanksgiving day, 29 Nov 1900. Their children were:¹

121AB131. NATHANIEL PHILLIPS McCLURE, b. 15 Nov 1891 121AB132. JESSE T. CRUZEN McCLURE, b. 23 Dec 1894

121AB15. NATHANIEL GREENE CRUZEN was born 1 Aug 1871 and attended the Wentworth Military Academy at Lexington, Missouri. He graduated from a law school in Kansas City and worked for the Kansas City post office. He married EDNA GEARHART on 27 Jun 1896. She was a school teacher who was born in Denver, Colorado on 25 Sep 1875, a daughter of Harmon P. and Mary (Ball) Gearhart. In 1901 Nathaniel bought his father's interest in the abstract firm of Cruzen & Britton at Gallatin. They had these children:²

121AB151. RICHARD HAROLD CRUZEN, b. 28 Apr 1897 121AB152. MARY NATALIE CRUZEN, b. 10 Apr 1899

121AB16. **HARRY LEE CRUZEN** was born 14 Sep 1873 and attended the Wentworth Military Academy. He assisted his father with the abstract firm of Cruzen and Britton until his father's death. He then worked for the Rock Island Railway offices at Trenton. On 26 Jun 1900 he married CLARENCE **BROWN** who was born in Gallatin on 21 Dec 1880, a daughter of Moses and Elsie (Weldon) Brown who came from Kentucky to Missouri at an early day. Harry and Clarence had these children:³

121AB161. BLANCHE BRITTON CRUZEN, b. 20 Apr 1901

121AB162. FAULKNER WELDON CRUZEN (twin), b. 24 Apr 1906

121AB163. ANNA LEE CRUZEN (twin), b. 24 Apr 1906

121AB18. **EARL McANALLY CRUZEN** was born 16 Dec 1879. Shortly after leaving school, he went to Colorado where he married EDNA **KENNISON** on 1 Mar 1903. She was born 7 May 1887, a daughter of David J. and Clara E. (Dilkes) Kennison. Earl and Edna lived in Colorado, Kansas City and Walla Walla, Washington. They had these children:⁴

121AB181. ROBERT ANDREW CRUZEN, b. 4 Mar 1904 in Colorado

121AB182. AURELIA ELLEN CRUZEN, b. 3 Jun 1905 in Kansas City

121AB183. DELBERT JOSHUA CRUZEN, b. 28 Jan 1907

121AB184. JESSE EARLE CRUZEN

121AB185. Daughter CRUZEN, name unknown

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 250-252. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 252-253, picture #605. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 253. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 253-254. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

The children of [#121AB2] James Archibald and Mary Elizabeth (Cruzen) Steele [daughter of Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB21. **CYNTHIA ARELIA STEELE** was born 30 Mar 1853 and married THEOPHILUS BERRIAN **HEATH** on 24 Dec 1873. He was born 2 Mar 1846 in Burke Co., Georgia. They lived on a farm near Tarkio, Atchinson Co., Missouri until moving to St. Clair Co., Missouri in 1896. They had these children:¹

121AB211. WILLIAM OLIVER HEATH, b. 25 Oct 1874, m. Nellie Lee Dark

121AB212. LAURA LOU HEATH, b. 31 Aug 1876, m. William Robert Hopkins

121AB213. JOHN JAMES HEATH, b. 13 Jul 1881, m. Ella Maud Hopkins

121AB214. ROBERT CRAWFORD HEATH, b. 13 Jul 1881, m. Ella Schlueter

121AB22. **ROBERT RICHARDSON STEELE** was born 12 Oct 1854 and married ANNA HOPE **THOMPSON** on 1 Sep 1880. She was born 4 Aug 1860 in Strathroy, Canada, a daughter of William Alexander and Martha Lynn Thompson. Robert taught country school and attended Kirksville State Normal school until graduating in 1882. He was superintendent of Kirksville public schools 1882-1885, in charge of the Mounds City, MO schools 1885-1888, taught in Kansas City 1890-1895, principal of the Holmes Business College in Portland, Oregon for a year, teacher of high school mathematics for ten years, and finally principal of Stephens Grammar School. He was president of the Oregon State Sunday School Association for six years. Robert and Anna had one child:²

121AB221. CLARENCE ARTHUR STEELE, b. 21 Nov 1882, m. F. Williamson

121AB23. **JOHN JAMES STEELE** was born in Atchison Co., Missouri on 3 Sep 1860, and graduated from Kirksville State Normal school in 1885. He went to California and began teaching in Fresno Co. On 22 Aug 1887 he married CELESTA JANE (Jennie) **WREN** who was born in Sullivan Co., Missouri on 12 Dec 1866, a daughter of Theophilus B. and Mary Ellen Wren. John and Jennie taught school in Santa Clara Co., California, Achison Co., Missouri, Sidney, Washington before finally returning to farming the old Steele homestead in 1896. They had these children:³

121AB231. RAYMOND EMERY STEELE, b. 7 Apr 1890

121AB232. STELLA MAY STEELE, b. 9 Aug 1893

121AB233. MARY ELLEN STEELE, b. 17 Aug 1896

The children of [#121AB4] Ezekiel Henry and Hannah Emily (Cruzen) Stipes [daughter of Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 257-258. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 258-259. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 260-261. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121AB41. **MILLARD FILLMORE STIPES** was born 12 Nov 1851 at the old Cruzen home in Saline Co., Missouri and taught school for many years until acquiring the Jamesport Reporter in 1885 and the Jamesport Gazette in 1886. On 28 Dec 1881 he married EMMA LEE **KIEFFER** at the home of her parents near Miami, Ohio. She was born 13 Nov 1861 in Miami, Missouri, a daughter of George M. and Susan Kieffer. She first met him as a pupil of his in 1878. Emma, his wife, died 22 Apr 1891, and Milliard Fillmore married AMY LOUISE **RIED** second, on 6 Jun 1893 in Kirkwood, Missouri at the home of her parents, Joseph James and Florence (Osborne) Reid. She was born at Springfield, Ohio on 24 May 1865. Millard and Emma had one child:¹

121AB411. OPAL REGINA STIPES, b. 18 May 1884, m. Charles Lowe Arnold Millard Fillmore and Amy had these children:

121AB412. RUTH RIED STIPES, b. 22 Sep 1895

121AB413. IRVING MACLAREN STIPES, b. 1 Jan 1897

121AB414. FLORENCE HANNAH STIPES, b. 17 Jun 1899

121AB42. WILHELM CROSBY STIPES was born 10 Sep 1854 and farmed his entire life, first in Saline Co., Missouri and later in Carroll Co. In the fall of 1880, he married FANNIE STIPES, a daughter of John Stipes, a second cousin. Wilhelm and Fannie had these children:²

- 121AB421. CORA STIPES, m. Robert Moore, one daughter Emma Christina
- 121AB422. PRESTON STIPES
- 121AB423. ANNA STIPES, m. William Marple
- 121AB424. EDGAR STIPES
- 121AB425. WILLIE STIPES
- 121AB426. ARELIA STIPES

121AB43. **JEFFRIES STIPES** was born 23 Sep 1856 and farmed in Carroll Co., Missouri. He and brother Frederick owned and operated a steam grist mill and a saw mill and did blacksmithing, machine repair, and carpentry.³

121AB44. **CORA VERLINDA STIPES** was born 29 Sep 1860 and married Dr. LEROY **COLBY** on 28 Nov 1901. Leroy was born 15 Nov 1857, a son of George S. Colby of Maryland. The Dr. was a large landholder and stockman besides practicing medicine to some extent. The couple boasted that their betrothal lasted 25 years.⁴

121AB45. **FREDERICK WINFIELD STIPES** was born 16 Jan 1876 in Carroll Co., Missouri. He was unmarried and enjoyed mechanics and machinery more than farming.⁵

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), the author, pp. 263-264, 266-269, 299-300

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 265. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 265. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 265-266. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 266. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

The children of [#121AB5] Thomas Singleton and Mildred Lauretta (Cruzen) Steele [daughter of Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ida Fenella, an infant, Mary Ethel, Lee Montaville, Martha Jane, Lenora Blanche and Avarilla D.

121AB51. **IDA FENELLA STEELE** was born 16 Nov 1856 and attended Kirksville State Normal. She taught school several years and married THOMAS J. **WRIGHT** of La Belle, Missouri on 13 Dec 1882. He was a lumberman born 3 May 1856, a son of John Henry and Martha (Graves) Wright of Kentucky. They located in Quincy, Illinois and had one daughter:¹

121AB511. FLOY LAURETTA WRIGHT, b. 29 Oct 1886, studied voice & piano

121AB53. **MARY ETHEL STEELE** was born 14 Jan 1860 and married ELISHA F. **HITT** at the home of her parents on 23 Aug 1877. He was a son of Benjamin F. and Elvira J. (Riggs) Hitt of Kentucky and Illinois respectively. They lived in Marshall, Missouri in 1914. They had these children:²

121AB531. STELLA ETHEL HITT, b. 23 May 1880, m. Frank McDaniel Latimer

121AB532. IDA NELL HITT, b. 9 Jul 1883, m. Blanchard J. Schoregge

121AB533. MAYSIE D. HITT, b. 11 May 1886, d. 11 Jul 1886

121AB54. LEE <u>MONTAVILLE</u> STEELE was born 25 Feb 1862 and married MOLLIE GRAYSON in Aug 1884. She was a daughter of William Grayson. They lived at Stafford, Kansas for a time and later at Marshall, Missouri where Monta owned a creamery for some years and served as deputy county clerk.³

121AB55. **MARTHA JANE STEELE** was born 6 Feb 1864 and attended Kirksville State Normal. On 1 Jan 1884 she married EDWARD LAKEN **DORSEY** of Carroll Co., Missouri, a farmer and merchant. His parents were Laken and Henrietta (Williams) Dorsey of Barbour Co., Kentucky. Edward died suddenly at the Orpheum Theater in Kansas City on 6 Sep 1909. They had these children:⁴

121AB551. LENORA BLANCHE DORSEY, b. 11 Oct 1891

121AB552. EDWARD STEELE DORSEY, b. 13 Aug 1900

121AB57. **AVARILLA D. STEELE** was born 6 Sep 1872, received an A.B. from Missouri Valley College in 1896, earned advanced degrees and positions, and lived in Indianapolis, Indiana in 1914.⁵

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 270. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 270-271. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 271. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 271-272. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 272. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

The children of [#121AB6] Thomas Jefferson and Margaret Keyes (Cruzen) Winning [daughter of Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB61. LILLIAN ELIZA WINNING was born 9 May 1859 on a farm near Miami, Missouri. On 13 Oct 1880 she married FRANK LESLEY AYRES, youngest son of Benjamin and Martha Jane Ayres. They lived on his parents farm until 1884 when they moved to Slater, Missouri and engaged in the livestock business. They moved to Marshall, Missouri where he served as chief deputy sheriff 1901-1909. They moved to Kansas City where Frank entered the acetylene light business.¹

121AB62. **ARTHUR RICHARDSON WINNING** was born 9 Feb 1862 at the old Winning home near New Frankfort, Missouri. He farmed for a while then moved to Slater, Missouri, and on to Kansas City where he lived in 1914. On 19 Jan 1888 at Marshall, Missouri, he married IDA BELLE **ETTER**, eldest daughter of William S. and Sarah (Odell) Etter. They had these children:²

121AB621. THOMAS JAHLEEL WINNING, b. 5 Nov 1888, m. Sadie Conley 121AB622. LILLIAN MAY WINNING, b. 22 Mar 1890, m. B. Frank Belew

121AB63. ALLURA GRANTHAM WINNING was born 22 Dec 1863 on a farm near New Frankfort, Missouri and married S. MATT AYRES on 24 Feb 1886 at the Cruzen home. He was a brother of Frank Lesley Ayres who married her sister. Matt was deputy sheriff of Saline Co., MO at the time of his marriage and was later elected sheriff but died 24 Aug 1893. Allura married WILLIAM V. ROGERS second and lived at Slater where Will worked in the livery business. Allura and Matt Ayres had these children:³

121AB631. LESLIE LAGELLE AYRES, b. 9 Sep 1887, d. 23 Apr 1913

121AB632. NEVORA MARGARET AYRES, b. 7 Apr 1891, m. Clyde B. Allen

121AB64. **WILLIAM HIRAM WINNING** was born 29 Jul 1868 on a farm north of Slater, Missouri. He went to Marshall, Missouri in 1890 and served as deputy sheriff and constable for many years until moving to Kansas City and Fresno, California in 1902. He remained there until 1911 when he returned to Kansas City to a partnership with Frank L. Ayres in the acetylene light business.⁴

The children of [#121AB8] Isaac Chaplain and Mary E. (Hill) Cruzen [son of Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 275. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 275-276. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 276. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 277. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121AB81. **ODO ANDREW CRUZEN** was born 29 Nov 1870 in Carroll Co., Missouri and married PEARL **MIRICK** at Carrollton on 16 Dec 1896. She was a daughter of Maj. Mellville Mirick. Odo Andrew served three years as deputy county clerk then took charge of his Uncle Will Hill's cattle ranch in southwestern Kansas before returning to Carroll Co. to run the home farm with his brother Lloyd.¹

121AB82. MARVIN W. CRUZEN was born 10 Dec 1881 and served as deputy sheriff, then as deputy collector before taking charge of his father's farm near Hope, Arkansas.²

The children of [#121AB8] Isaac Chaplain and Mattie A. (Wolverton) Cruzen, his second wife.

121AB83. **LLOYD STERLING CRUZEN** was born 12 May 1891 and farmed in Arkansas and then at the home farm in Carroll Co., Missouri.³

121AB84. CORA AURELIA CRUZEN was born 11 Dec 1894.⁴

The children of [#121ABA] George Richardson and Lucinda Mildred (Elder) Cruzen [son of Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121ABA1. **RICHARD RICHARDSON CRUZEN** was born 14 Feb 1872 at Jamesport, Missouri and married MAY E. **GOLAY** at Warrensburg on 25 Sep 1902. She was born 10 Jan 188(?) at Sweet Springs, Missouri. Richard worked in a store at Warrensburg and was later a proprietor of a steam laundry there. They lived in Great Bend, Kansas in 1914. They had these children by 1914:⁵

121ABA11. GOLAY RICHARD CRUZEN, b. 12 Jun 1904

121ABA12. ISOBEL CRUZEN, b. 28 Nov 1906

121ABA13. ROBERT ELDER CRUZEN, b. 27 Dec 1908

121ABA2. MARGARET ELEANOR CRUZEN was born 26 Nov 1873 at Jamesport, MO and graduated from Warrensburg Normal. She married GEORGE C. DELAPLAIN in 1895. He was born in Grant City, Illinois on 15 Oct 1869 and was an engineer for the Missouri Pacific Railway. Maggie was a national officer of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Order of Trainmen. Their home was in Jefferson City, MO, and they had these children:⁶ 121ABA21. GLENN ALLEN DELAPLAIN, b. 14 Dec 1895 at Sedalia

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 280, picture #680. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 280-281. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 281. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 281, picture #683. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 291, picture #685. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁶ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 291, picture #686. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121ABA22. ROY RICHARD DELAPLAIN, b. 31 Jan 1898 121ABA23. MARY MILDRED DELAPLAIN, b. 25 Jul 1907 at Jefferson City

121ABA3. **IDA ELIZA CRUZEN** was born 26 Oct 1878 in Saline Co., Missouri and worked at a general store in Warrensburg until the death of her mother in 1911. She then went with the same store to Great Bend, Kansas where she met LEONARD **WOOD**, whom she married on 27 Oct 1912.¹

121ABA4. **MOLLIE MABEL CRUZEN** was born 19 Feb 1885 at Stafford, Kansas, graduated from the Normal at Warrensburg, and taught at Jefferson City. On 8 Jun 1910 she married CARL F. **SHULTZ**, a druggist at Jefferson City.²

The children of [#121AD2] Robert Worthington and Mary Amanda (Martin) North [son of Nathaniel Greene, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Worthington, William Hughes and Sarah Morrow.

121AD22. **WILLIAM HUGHES NORTH** was born 22 Oct 1876 and married ANNIE KER **RINGGOLD** on 22 Jun 1910 at Shreveport, Louisiana. She was a daughter of Thomas Baillio Ringgold. Their home was at "Corner Plantation" in Dixie, Louisiana, and they had this one known child by 1914:³

121AD221. MARY AMANDA NORTH, b. 4 Jun 1912 at Dixie

The children of [#121AE2] James Hamilton and Natalie Keyes (North) Cooper [daughter of George, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were George William, Haden Reynolds, Edward Trott, Sallie North, Joel Jefferson, Lizzie and Anna Ernestine.

121AE21. **GEORGE WILLIAM COOPER** was born 13 Nov 1869 in Washington Co., Arkansas and married MITTIE **LOWERY** of Little Rock in Jul 1900. He died in El Paso, Texas on 25 Dec 1904.⁴

121AE22. **HADEN REYNOLDS COOPER** was born 28 Nov 1871 and married MAUDE **JONES** of Fayetteville, Arkansas on 25 Apr 1907. They had two known children:⁵

121AE221. BURNIE COOPER 121AE222. LOUISE COOPER

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 292, picture #687. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 292, picture #688. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 117, 129, 216. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 123, picture #410. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 123, picture #411. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121AE23. **EDWARD TROTT COOPER** was born 13 Feb 1874 and married NELLIE (?) on 3 Oct 1900. He was in business in England, Arkansas.¹

121AE24. SALLIE NORTH COOPER was born 17 Sep 1877 and married W. T. McCLANAHAN on 27 Dec 1897. He was in the drug business in England, Arkansas. They had these children:²

121AE241. GEORGE WILLIAM McCLANAHAN, b. 17 Mar 1899 121AE242. NATALIE McCLANAHAN, b. Jul 1903

121AE25. **JOEL JEFFERSON COOPER** was a conductor on the steam railroad and a commercial traveler born 13 Jul 1880. He married PEARL E. **BIXLER** on 20 Jul 1905 in Washington Co., Arkansas. She was born 26 Aug 1884 in St. Louis, Missouri, a daughter of Franklin L. and Isabella (Shanks) Bixler. At the time of their marriage, Pearl lived in Eureka Springs, AR, and Joel lived in Fayetteville, AR. In 1910 they resided at Grove, Oklahoma. Pearl died 4 Jul 1924 in Monett, MO. They had no known children.³

121AE27. **ANNA ERNESTINE COOPER** was born 24 Nov 1885 in Washington Co., Arkansas. She married DON G. **MAXEY** of Missouri on 29 Sep 1908. They lived in Pine Bluff, Arkansas in 1910. Anna was a member of the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #142871 in *Lineage Book* vol. 143:276.

The one known child of Charles and Caroline (Tolbert) Emory [son of Ann (North) Emory, Caleb, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121B211. **ISABEL T. EMORY** married WALTER E. **REX** about 1885 and had these children:⁴

121B2111. CHARLES E. REX 121B2112. ISABEL M. REX

121B2113. HILARY B. REX

121B2114. WALTER REX, m. Barbara Clayton in 1923

The children of [#121B63] George Humphries and Harriet J. (Robbins) North [son of George Washington, Caleb, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Charles Robbins, Anna Church, Catherine Clemson, Edward and Margaret Young.

121B632. ANNA CHURCH NORTH was born 25 Dec 1872 and married LUTHER G.

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 123, picture #412. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 123-124. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Patricia Lovaas, e-mail of 16 Jul 2003

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04300.htm

BILLINGS about 1909 in Dubuque, Iowa. He was born in Iowa about 1870.¹

121B634. **EDWARD NORTH** was born 15 Sep 1876 and married KATHERINE M. **LEVETT** about 1912 in New York city.²

121B635. **MARGARET YOUNG NORTH** was born 2 Aug 1880 and married DAVID D. **BURRILL** about 1906 in Orange, New Jersey.³

The children of [#121C13] Thomas Jefferson and Jane Almira (Townley) North [son of Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were James Edward, Frank Joshua, Emily Jemima, Luther Hedden, Sarah Elizabeth, Alphonsine Hibbard and Fredd Sears.

121C131. JAMES EDWARD (Jim) NORTH was born 11 Sep 1838 in Richland Co., Ohio. He married NELLIE ARNOLD on 17 Feb 1859. She was born in Steuben Co., New York. J. E. North became the third Sheriff of Platte Co., Nebraska and was the County Surveyor for eight years. He married Mrs. LUCINDA B. SMITH of Hillsdale, Michigan second, on 10 Sep 1902 at St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Sioux City, Iowa.⁴ James North died 19 Jul 1913.⁵ James and Nellie had five children:^{6,7}

121C1311. EDWARD W. NORTH, b. 14 Jan 1862, d. 1942, m. Annie Lee Gillette

121C1312. LORENA ROSE NORTH, d. 8 Aug 1952, m. Dr. Carrol D. Evans

121C1313. FRANK J. NORTH, b. 7 Aug 1869, d. ca 29 May 1907, Washington, DC

121C1314. MARY A. NORTH, b. ca 1872, d. young, m. Charles B. (Bont) Speice

121C1315. NELLIE A. NORTH, b. ca 1875, d. Tuesday prior to 20 Jul 1896

121C132. FRANK JOSHUA NORTH was born 10 Mar 1840 in Ludlowville, New York. His father died near Omaha, Nebraska in 1857, and care of the family devolved onto Frank and his older brother James. They moved to Columbus, NE, and engaged in farming and freighting. Frank grew to a height of six feet two inches and presented a fine appearance. In 1861 Frank became an interpreter at the Pawnee reservation. In Aug 1864 he organized a company of Pawnee scouts and fought the hostile Sioux, Arapahoes, and Cheyenne tribes for more than a year. During that time he had several miraculously successful encounters with the enemy which caused his Pawnees to consider him charmed. Major North married MARY L. SMITH on 24 Dec 1865 in Columbus, Nebraska.⁸ She was born in Hartford Co., Connecticut on 3 Jun 1845.¹ In summer of

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03377.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03372.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03372.htm

⁴ Columbus Journal of 17 Sep 1902 on-line http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte. Thanks to Bonnie Polivka.

⁵ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁶ Andreas, *History of the State of Nebraska, Platte Co.* (1882) at http://www.kancoll.org/books/andreas_ne/platte/platte-p1.html

⁷ Columbus Journal of 17 Sep 1902 on-line http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte. Thanks to Bonnie Polivka.

⁸ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

1866 Frank was appointed post trader at the reservation, and in Mar 1867 he received a Major's commission for enlisting a battalion of Pawnees to protect the workmen building the Union Pacific railroad. During the next few years, his forces defeated the Sioux and Cheyennes at Plum Creek and at Summit Springs while safeguarding the railroad. From 1871 to 1876 he was interpreter at Fort Russell and Sidney Barracks. Afterwards, in civilian life, Maj. North engaged in the cattle business with W. F. Cody, Buffalo Bill, and indeed, his Pawnees toured with the "Wild West Show" in the 1880s. In fall of 1782 he was elected to the Nebraska legislature on the democratic ticket. Mary died 9 Feb 1883 at age 38,² and Maj. North died 14 Mar 1885.³ He had suffered from asthma since the age of two and succumbed to complications arising from a severe cold. Maj. and Mrs. North had one child:

121C1321. STELLA GERTRUDE NORTH, b. 16 Apr 1869, m. Edwin Chambers

121C134. LUTHER HEDDEN (Lute) NORTH was born 9 Mar 1846 and enlisted in the Second Nebraska Calvary during the Civil War.⁴ He later served as Captain in command of a troop of Pawnee scouts under his brother, Major Frank North. On 6 Jul 1898 at age 53 Luther North married Mrs. ELVIRA E. COOLIDGE.⁵ He died 17 Apr 1935 at the age of 89.

121C135. **SARAH ELIZABETH (Lib) NORTH** was born 17 Oct 1847/48 (sic) and on 24 Dec 1868, she married SYLVENUS E. **CUSHING**. Sylvenus died in Wenatchee, Washington before 5 Oct 1904, and the body was to be returned to Columbus, Nebraska for burial in 1908. Sarah died about 1925.⁶ They had four children: Phonnie, Luther, Jay, and Madge.

121C136. **ALPHONSINE HUBBARD NORTH** was born 17 Jan 1851, and she married CHARLES EDWARD **MORSE** on 24 Dec 1868, the same day that her sister Sarah married S. E. Cushing. Charles was born 6 Sep 1840 in New York, a son of Charles and Clarissa (Smith) Morse. Charles Jr. had gone to the California gold fields, and homesteaded south of the river in Platte Co., Nebraska in 1862. During 1867-68 he was captain of a company of Pawnee scouts under Major Frank North. In 1873 he and L. H. North built a livery stable which he ran for several years. In 1902 the family moved to Wenatchee, Washington where Charles owned a fruit farm seven miles from the city. He died 15 Oct 1908 in Wenatchee, Washington and was to be buried in Columbus, Nebraska.⁷ Alphonsine died 10 Aug 1926 at the age of 75. Charles and Alphonsine Morse had these children:⁸

¹ Andreas, *History of the State of Nebraska, Platte Co.* (1882) at http://www.kancoll.org/books/andreas_ne/platte/platte-p1.html

² Columbus Journal of 14 Feb 1883 on-line at http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte. Thanks to Bonnie Polivka.

³ Bonnie Polivka, e-mail of 2004 citing obituary on-line at http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/northobit.html.

⁴ Bonnie Polivka. Thanks for a copy of Alphonsine's story

⁵ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁶ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁷ Bonnie Polivka, e-mail 2004 citing obituary. *Columbus Journal* of 21 Oct 1908, http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte

⁸ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

121C1361. MYRA MYRTLE (May) MORSE, b. 24 Nov 1869, d. 14 Feb 1893
121C1362. ELSIE ALLEN MORSE, b. 1 Feb 1875, d. ca 1955, m. Peter Wheeler
121C1363. ZURA BROWN MORSE, b. 17 Jan 1876, m. Ellsworth Donati Scheble
121C1364. JENNIE JUNE MORSE, b. 1 Jun 1878, d. 3 Mar 1881
121C1365. MARY ROSE MORSE, b. 23 Jul 1880, m. Robert Campbell Osborn
121C1366. CHARLES JEFFERSON MORSE, b. 24 Dec 1889, m. E. McDonough

Alphonsine's story including a buffalo hunt. "In the fall of 1856 my Mother, with her four children came from Ohio to Omaha, Nebraska to join my Father and oldest brother there to make a new home for the family.

The oldest brother was James E. North, the next was Frank J., next Luther H., next Elizabeth and last myself, Alphonsine H. I was at that time not quite six years old, the youngest of the family. This immigration was made necessary by business reverses which my Father suffered in Ohio, so that we arrived in Nebraska very, very poor.".¹ Thanks to Bonnie Polivka for the copy.

The child of [#121C16] John Calvin and Abbie Jane (Gregory) North [son of Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121C161. LUCIAN GREGORY NORTH was born 29 Oct 1850 in Genoa, New York. He moved to Michigan with his parents and graduated from the University of Michigan Medical School in Jun 1877. He practiced medicine in Tecumseh, Michigan for forty years until he retired in 1917. Dr. North was superintendent of the Baptist Church Sunday School for more than 25 years and director of the Tecumseh Schools for 23 years. On 3 Sep 1878, he married IDA ANN STEVENS who was born 13 Sep 1853 at Cooperstown, New York, a daughter of Asahel and Lucia (Bowen) Stevens. "When the Doctor's children entered the schools of Tecumseh he was member of the school board and at the end of their twelve years' course had the satisfaction as secretary of the school board of presenting each with a certificate of graduation".² They had two children:

121C1611. NAOMI SUSAN NORTH, b. 7 Dec 1879, m. Charles Henry Williamson 121C1612. CUYLER STEVENS NORTH, b. 7 Sep 1882, d. 6 Jun 1903 at Albion

The children of [#121C18] Aaron and Mary Jane (Hedden) North [son of Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Alice Louise, Judson Hedden and Elle G.

121C181. ALICE LOUISE NORTH was born 12 Mar 1857 at Thompkins, New York and died 23 May 1863.³

¹ Bonnie Polivka, copy sent Nov 2004

² Mrs. Janis W. Reister, Hillsdale, MI, sent biography from *Illustrated History* ... *Lenawee County* by Knapp and Bonner (1903)

³ Lewis Summers, comp., Annals of Southwest Virginia, 1769-1800 (pub. 1929)

121C182. JUDSON HEDDEN NORTH was born 6 Oct 1862 and married EDITH MAY GATCHELL on 12 Dec 1900. She was born 7 Feb 1875 at Syracuse, New York.¹

121C183. ELLE G. NORTH was born 23 Aug 1864 and married THEADORE B. CALDWELL on 21 Jan 1887. They had four children:²

121C1831. EASTHER LEROY CALDWELL, b. 12 Oct 1888

121C1832. TRUMAN SAMUEL CALDWELL, b. 17 Jun 1890

121C1833. ELLSWORTH E. CALDWELL, b. 6 Jun 1897

121C1834. ELLA GUSTA NORTH CALDWELL

The known child of [#121C19] Levi Bodley and Sarah W. (North) Wilson [daughter of Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121C19X. **JOSHUA NORTH WILSON** was born 2 Jun 1854 in Ohio and married EMILY A. **NOBLE** in Kansas on 15 Feb 1876. She was born 16 Jan 1856. Joshua died in Texas on 1 Dec 1927, and Emily died 4 Jul 1947. They had one known child:³

121C19XX. HELEN R. WILSON, b. 26 Aug 1878, d. 1976, m. Hubert A. McArthur

The children of [#121C31] Henry Harrison and Almira (Buck) North [son of Joseph Exener, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Louisa Marion, Elmer D., Albert E., Henry Exener, James Seymour, Charles Howard, Hattie Belle, Myra L. and Theron Clare.

121C311. **LOUISA MARION NORTH** was born 20 Sep 1839 and married WASHINGTON ERVING **HOLMES** on 2 Aug 1859. Louisa died 15 Feb 1867. They had these children:⁴

121C3111. ANNA HOLMES, b. ca 1860, d. 10 Sep 1908 121C3112. CLARENCE HOLMES, b. ca 1863

121C313. ALBERT E. NORTH was born 21 May 1843 in Ingham Co., Michigan and married MARION J. FASSETT on 20 Mar 1866 at Sandstone, Michigan. She was born 29 Aug 1841 in Illinois and died 15 Feb 1916 at San Diego, California. Albert married NELLIE ARNOLD second. He died 10 Jan 1927 at San Diego, California. Albert and Marion had these children, most of whom were born in Delhi, Michigan:⁵

121C3131. AMIE NORTH, b. 3 Jan 1867, m. George W. Wright

Lewis Summers, comp., Annals of Southwest Virginia, 1769-1800 (pub. 1929)

² Lewis Summers, comp., Annals of Southwest Virginia, 1769-1800 (pub. 1929)

³ Rita H. Burke

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03163.htm

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03165.htm

121C3132. BERT NORTH, b. 24 Jan 1868, d. 1939, m. Mabel M. McCrea 121C3133. ELLA L. NORTH, b. 15 Dec 1869, d. 24 Oct 1920, m. Samuel Fassett

121C3134. STANLEY HALE NORTH, b. 24 Apr 1872, d. 1929, m. Gertrude Vogt

121C3135. JOHN PERRY NORTH, b. 2 Oct 1874, d. 1936, m. Mary G. Beatty

121C3136. MABLE CLARE NORTH, b. 6 May 1878, d. 7 Oct 1889

121C3137. MAURICE HENRY NORTH, b. 21 Jan 1881, d. 3 May 1893

121C3138. STERLING ERNEST NORTH, b. 14 Jun 1887, m. Anna Olofson

121C314. **HENRY EXENER NORTH** was born 26 Apr 1845 at Delhi, Michigan and married MARY A. **ROBERTS** there on 30 Nov 1867. She was born 6 Jul 1848 in Michigan, a daughter of Abel and Rachel (Fairbanks) Roberts. Mary died 30 Jul 1914 in Michigan, and Henry died 4 Feb 1921 at Delhi. They had these children:¹

121C3141. MINNIE C. NORTH, b. 1 Oct 1868

121C3142. WALTER O. NORTH, b. 8 Dec 1869, d. Oct 1899, m. Ida Ella Steinhoff

121C3143. HOWARD CHARLES NORTH, b. 19 Feb 1872

121C3144. GUY ARCHIE NORTH, b. 8 Feb 1873, m. Maria M. M. Froedtert

121C3145. Child NORTH, b. & d. 1 Jul 1879

121C3146. MARY EDITH NORTH, b. 26 Dec 1883

121C315. JAMES SEYMOUR NORTH was born 15 Feb 1847 and married KATIE E. SAXON first and KATHRYN PAULINE EVERETT second. James died 4 May 1913 in Lansing, Michigan. James and Kathryn had these children:²

121C3151. MARION NORTH

121C3152. CELIA ALIRA NORTH

121C317. **HATTIE BELLE NORTH** was born 5 Apr 1953 and married EUGENE **WILCOX** who was born about 1847 in New York. Hattie died about 1932 in Michigan, and Eugene died there in 1933. They had these children:³

121C3171. ROY A. WILCOX, b. ca 1876, m. 1) Jennie Fosdick, 2) May Shaw

121C3172. MARION IRENE WILCOX, b. 9 Dec 1881, m. Fred Arthur Palmer

121C3173. ADA MAY WILCOX, b. ca 1884, m. Herbert A. Moore

121C3174. FLORENCE ELMIRA WILCOX, b. 31 May 1895, m. Glen Ramsey

121C319. **THERON CLARE NORTH** was born 18 Jan 1856 and married ELIZABETH **WHEELER** on 29 Dec 1897. She was born 17 Aug 1874, a daughter of Charles and Kate (Hughs) Wheeler. Theron died 14 Nov 1921 in Lansing, Michigan and Elizabeth lived until 1961. They had these children:⁴

121C3191. WAYNE HARRISON NORTH, b. 22 Dec 1898, d. 14 Aug 1976

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03162.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03167.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03168.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03169.htm

121C3192. HAROLD KENNETH NORTH, b. 19 May 1902 in Ingham Co., MI

The children of [#121C34] John R. and Elizabeth (Skinner) North [son of Joseph Exener, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Jerome K., Alice, Edward P. and Arthur H.

121C341. **JEROME K. NORTH** was born 26 Aug 1845 and married CLARISSA A. **LAMOREAUX** on 27 Jan 1879 at Holt, Michigan. Jerome died on 26 Apr 1906.¹

121C342. ALICE NORTH was born 19 Apr 1851 and married ROBERT HEWITT on
11 Nov 1875. Alice died 15 Sep 1885 in Ingham Co., MI. They had these children:²
121C3421. HARRIET HEWITT, b. 9 Jan 1880, d. 28 Jun 1920
121C3422. ALICE DAE HEWITT, b. 14 May 1881, d. 26 Dec 1921
121C3423. MARY ELIZA HEWITT, b. 4 Nov 1884

121C344. **EDWARD P. NORTH** was born 11 Aug 1861 and married MAUDE **RANSOM** on 23 Nov 1886 in Ingham Co., Michigan. Edward died there 21 Feb 1930.³

The children of [#121C37] Seth Eugene and Elizabeth (Everett) North [son of Joseph Exener, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Frank E., Olive E., Isaac Douglas, Emma Rosamund, Emily Christiana and John Ford.

121C371. **FRANK E. NORTH** was born about 1846 and married CHARLOTTE **GUNN** on 27 Apr 1868 in Ingham Co., Michigan. Frank married PHOEBE **PATTEE** second. Frank died in 1893 in Butler, Indiana. Frank and Charlotte had two children:⁴

121C3711. SETH E. NORTH, b. 13 Apr 1869 in Michigan

121C3712. OLLIE S. NORTH, b. ca 1871

Frank and Phoebe had this child:

121C3713. FRANK RAY NORTH, b. 9 Jul 1885

The children of [#122215] Abraham and Rachel (Baughman) Koplin [son of Matthias, Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Jacob, Henry H., Joel C., Abraham B., Reuben D., Elias, Lydia, Isabelle and Mary.

1222151. JACOB KOPLIN was born 24 Jul 1828 in Doylestown, Wayne County, Ohio

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03970.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03971.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03969.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03972.htm

and married MARGARET HILE on 30 May 1849 at Johnsons Corner, Medina Co., Ohio [now Summit Co.]. She was born 30 Oct 1830 in Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania. Their first child was baptized at Emanuel Church, just across the county line in Wayne Co. Jacob enrolled as a private in Civil War Co. D, 29th Regiment, Ohio Volunteer Infantry and received a pension, as did his brother-in-law Joshua Hile who was in the same company. In his application for the pension, Jacob says he was a tailor, and he served from 1862 to 1865. They moved to Akron where Jacob was a deputy sheriff and jailor and was elected City Marshall in the 1870s. About 1880 he began working as a salesman and tailor for J. Koch & Co. Clothing House where he was still working in 1910, called the "oldest retail clerk in Ohio". The family Bible records that "Margaret Hile Koplin" died 23 Apr 1889 aged 58y 5m 23d. On 1 Jan 1890, at Akron, Ohio, Jacob married a second wife, LORINDA (Linnie) (LONG) BOLICK. She was born 23 Mar 1851 at Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. They lived in Akron until Jacob died 19 Oct 1914 aged 86y 2m 18d. A large tombstone in Glendale Cemetery, Akron records the names of Jacob, both wives, and all his children who preceeded him in death. His will is transcribed below. Jacob and Margaret had these children, all born in Summit Co. except Frank Leroy who was born in Medina Co., OH:¹

12221511. JENNIE MARGARET KOPLIN, b. 30 Mar 1850, m. Samuel Williams

12221512. FRANK LEROY KOPLIN, b. 4 Apr 1852, m. Delia Sophia Jones

12221513. EDISON S. KOPLIN, b. 10 Sep 1853, d. 17 May 1854

12221514. ORIN PULASKI KOPLIN, b. 13 Apr 1855, m. 1) Wetzel, 2) Carter, 3)

12221515. WILLIAM H. KOPLIN, b. 19 Nov 1857, d. 28 Sep 1862

12221516. GRACE L. KOPLIN, b. 21 Feb 1860, d. 27 Dec 1864

Jacob Koplin Will. Summit Co., Ohio Will Book 26 page 481

"I Jacob Koplin of Akron Ohio make this my last Will and testement. I give devise and bequeath my Real Estate and personal property as follows Item 1 I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Linnie L. Koplin all money received from the K of P, I.O.O.F, Clerks Union and Royal Purple Degree of Encamp_____ of Home Insurance of I.O.O.F. Item 2 I also give and bequeath to my beloved wife the use of my half of the house and lot in which we now live in. She is to pay the balance due on said house and lot we now live in. If at any time it is sold, she is _____ receive the same amount back, together with the one half received for said house and lot. Item 3 The balance of money left from the sale of my half of said property is to be devided as follows to my Wife I give the one third of said amount. Item 4 I give and bequeath to my daughter Jennie M. Williams, and my son Orin P. Koplin each Two Hundred dollars. Item 5 I also give and bequeath to my Grand son Roy J. Koplin and my Grand son Perry O. Koplin each Two Hundred dollars, the same to be paid in two years after my death. Item 6 If Roy J. Koplin should die before I do I bequeath his share of my estate to his sister Clare

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 20 Feb 2001, family Bible

Phillips. Item 7 If any of thees should try and make trouble or contest this my last Will and testement, they shall only receive one dollar for there share. Item 8 It is my desire there be no appraissel of said Estate. I appoing Linnie L. Koplin and Sherman J Huffman Executors of my last Will and testement with out bonds. Item 9 The balance of my estate I bequeath to my wife. In witness whereof I have signed sealed and publish and declare this instrument as my last Will at Akron Ohio this 22nd Day of October 1912. [signed] Jacob Koplin ... Subscribing Witness: M.B. Martin, C.P. Heller"¹

1222152. **HENRY H. KOPLIN** was a cooper born 9 Jun 1830 and is said to have traveled a lot before his marriage, as far as California and South America. He married LOUISA K. **HOSKINSON** on 13 Nov 1851. Henry worked for the Seiberling Co. in Akron, Ohio. Henry and Louisa and four of their children are buried at Mt. Peace Cemetery in Akron. Henry died 2 Mar 1914. Two of their children settled in the Cleveland area.²

1222153. **JOEL C. KOPLIN** was a cooper born 16 Aug 1833 and married to JULIA J. **DeHART**, a native of New York state, before 1863. Joel was postmaster at Sherman, Ohio. Henry, Louisa, and four of their six children are buried at Mt. Peace Cemetery in Akron, Ohio. Joel died 20 Mar 1914.³

1222154. **ABRAHAM BAUGHMAN KOPLIN** was a minister of the Reformed Church born 7 Jul 1835 and married to HARRIET A. **CUSTER** on 9 Jan 1857. She was a daughter of Philip Custer of Stoyestown, Pennsylvania, where one of Rev. Koplin's churches was located. He was probably the best educated of the family and served first as minister at several churches in Somerset Co., Pennsylvania. He then ministered for three years (1864-1867) in Defiance, Ohio and returned for a few more years in Somerset Co. before removing to Northampton Co., eastern Pennsylvania where he served in Hellertown, Saucon, and Williams Townships for forty years until his death 4 Mar 1917. He, his wife and three of their five children are buried in the Hellertown Cemetery.⁴

1222155. **REUBEN D. KOPLIN** was a carpenter born about 1838 and married KEZIAH S. **HEATH** on 25 Oct 1860. They lived in Summit Co., Ohio most of their lives. Three of their four children died young and were first buried at Johnson Corners Cemetery in Summit Co. but later were removed to Mt. Peace Cemetery, Akron. Reuben died 13 Dec 1904. He, his wife, and the fourth child are also buried at Mt. Peace.⁵

1222156. **ELIAS KOPLIN** was a carpenter born in Feb 1842 and married FELICIA **BURGNER** in Oct 1868. His Civil War pension papers say he was wounded "in pursuit

¹ Ruth E. Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley H. Behrens, Koplin research, copy of will

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁵ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

of General Morgan through Ohio." He lived in Bates Corners [now Loyal Oak] but had moved to Akron, Ohio by 1900. Elias, his wife, and two of their seven children are buried at Glendale Cemetery in Akron.¹ Elias died 5 Apr 1911.

1222157. **LYDIA KOPLIN** was born about 1844 and was married to GUILFORD DUDLEY (G.D.) **SEWARD** on 1 Jan 1880 in Summit Co., Ohio by her brother, Rev. Abraham Koplin. G. D. and Lydia were very active in the Koplin family reunions. They had no known children. Lydia died 5 Jan 1903.²

1222158. **ISABELLE KOPLIN** was born 29 Sep 1839, married JOSEPH **WEIDEMAN**, and had a child of his, born in Wisconsin. He is likely the Wisconsin volunteer killed in action 14 Sep 1862. Isabelle married GEORGE **SUTTON** second, on 3 Oct 1869. George and Isabelle are buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Wadsworth, Ohio as are two of their three sons. They had seven children.³

1222159. **MARY KOPLIN** was born 1 Oct 1830 and married SOLOMON **WEARY** on 11 Mar 1847 in Summit Co., Ohio. Solomon was a son of Jacob Weary by his first wife, so Mary's mother was Solomon's step-mother. Solomon and Mary were in Wisconsin the year following their marriage and moved to Harrison Co., Missouri by 1860. Mary died there 10 Jul 1882 and is buried at Morris Chapel Cemetery, Bethany, Missouri as is her husband.⁴

The known child of [#122218] John Reuben and Barbara (Koplin) Long [daughter of Matthias, Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1222181. JOHN R. LONG was a farmer born 6 Dec 1848 in Wadsworth Township, Medina Co., Ohio. He married JOSEPHINE PHELPS and died in Wadsworth Township of a cerebral hermorage on 19 May 1926. They had at least one child:⁵ 12221811. WARREN LONG, m. Florence Mills

The children of [#12221A] George and Margaret (Essig) Koplin [son of Matthias, Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Harriet, Phebe, Mary, Christian, William P. and Simon.

12221A4. CHRISTIAN KOPLIN was born about 1837 and married ANNA MARGARET STIVER on 17 Jun 1858. Christian was definitely the father of three

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁵ Kathleen Callum, e-mail of 29 Oct 2003 transcription of death certificate

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children and one source gives four more. They were probably in Whitley Co., Indiana by 1875 as Anna Margaret remarried then.¹

12221A5. WILLIAM P. KOPLIN was born about 1838 and married. His wife might have been CATHERINE KISTER. William P. Koplin died 18 Oct 1863 aged 25y 6m 10d. His will leaves his estate to his beloved wife except for one dollar each to his brothers and half brother.²

12221A6. **SIMON KOPLIN** was born 22 Feb 1844 and married ELIZABETH **KNISELY** on 26 May 1867. Simon was young when his mother moved her family to Indiana soon after his father died. Simon and Elizabeth and at least four of their six children are buried in Lake Prairie Cemetery, West Creek Cemetery, Lake Co., Indiana. Simon died 30 Mar 1929. Of their children, one died young, two did not marry, and only one left Indiana.³

The child of [#122411] Peter and Elizabeth (Ickes) Hench [daughter of Nicholas, Mary (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1224111. **GEORGE HENCH** was born 31 Jan 1810 and operated a tanning business in Madison Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania.⁴ He married MARY **HACKETT** of Sandy Hill, Perry Co., Pennsylvania on 29 Dec 1836. She died 7 Oct 1845, leaving three young children. George married REBECCA C. **McCORD** of Millerstown, PA second, on 30 Sep 1847, but she died 22 May 1850 shortly after the birth of their second child. George married MARTHA J. **BRANDON** of York Springs, Pennsylvania third, but she died childless on 13 Dec 1861. George Hench married REBECCA ANN **ALLISON** of Xenia, Ohio fourth, on 20 Sep 1863. She was born in 1830 and died in 1907. About 1880, they moved to Carlisle in Cumberland Co., and George died in 1892. George and Mary had these children:⁵

12241111. ATCHISON L. HENCH (m), b. 24 Jan 1838

12241112. THOMAS H. HENCH, b. 5 Apr 1840

12241113. ALEXANDER H. HENCH, b. 11 Aug 1842

George and Rebecca (McCord) Hench had these children:

- 12241114. MARY M. HENCH, b. 11 Aug 1848
- 12241115. REBECCA C. HENCH, b. 9 May 1850

George and Rebecca (Allison) Hench had the following children, all born in Perry Co.:

- 12241116. MARTHA B. HENCH, b. 26 Nov 1864
- 12241117. GEORGE ALLISON HENCH, b. 26 Oct 1866

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Weary, Ruth Jordan" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 524

⁵ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

12241118. ELIZABETH C. HENCH, b. 26 May 1869 12241119. MARGARET E. HENCH, b. 20 Dec 1874, m. Philip Stimson Gardiner

"It was our good fortune to have a good father and mother. Our father died when we were young, I, the eldest, only in my sixth year, yet I distinctly remember his advice to my mother, when near his end, to give his three sons each a trade, and (in his own words) as good an education as she could, which she did. At his decease his effects fell into the hands of an administrator, but subsequently he and his bail failed and left us penniless, which, on the whole may have been a blessing in disguise. I was no Politician, never aspired to prominence, nor had anything of note bestowed upon me, and have no doubt, am a better and happier man, having escaped the ensnarements subject to public life. In my business in the art of tanning, and curing, I may say I am the oracle of our art, as myself among others have made more advance in our art within the last 30 years than was made in a century before, as the letters of compliment sent to me from the leading leather men from New York, Philadelphia and elsewhere will show, when my family held my semi-centennial on the 10th of August, 1882. Very respectfully, George Hench, Carlisle, PA. Jan. 22, 1883."¹

1224112. NICHOLAS HENCH was born 26 Sep 1811 and married CATHARINE JANE HAMILTON 29 Dec 1831. "When grandfather's brother, Samuel Ickes, administrator of father's estate, failed, mother never received anything from the estate, which left her poor. Consequently we, three boys, were put out among strangers when young and had to work for our victuals and clothes until we were grown, till we could earn something. After we could earn something, we bought a house and lot in Ickesburg with mother's help, for her, which property I now own. When I was about ten years old I had the white swelling on my leg which caused me to lie in bed and walk on crutches about two years. Uncle or Dr. Jonas Ickes attended me during the time of my sore leg. He was then located in Ickesburg as Doctor. My schooling was limited; had to pay my schooling myself; it was before the free school system came in operation. Free schools were voted for in Pennsylvania and carried in the Fall of 1834 and became a law of the State. I was put out among strangers when I was six and a half years old. I was married to Catharine Jane Hamilton, Dec. 29, 1831. We were both poor in the things of this world, but I had good health and strong resolutions for the future, and we managed to get along." They had nine children, but only one is known at this time:²

12241121. ELIZABETH ANN HENCH, b. 18 Oct 1832

The children of [#122419] Michael and Sarah (Rice) Ickes [son of Nicholas, Mary (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were George Loy, William, Sarah, Catherine, Susan, Jane and Nicholas.

¹ Susan A. Ickes Harding, Echoes from Ickesburg (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

² Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

1224191. **GEORGE LOY ICKES** was a farmer born 10 Mar 1826 in Ickesburg, Pennsylvania and married to SARAH ANN **DELANCY** there on 12 Oct 1848. She was born 19 Feb 1826 in Ickesburg, a daughter of Peter and Rachel (Shope) Delancy. Rachel died 12 Dec 1872 at Sandy Hill, George died 24 Nov 1878, and they are buried at Emanuel Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery at Buffalo Mills in Saville Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania. George and Sarah had these children:¹

12241911. CALVIN H. ICKES, b. 28 Jun 1850, d. 28 Dec 1877, m. Annie I. Ernest 12241912. WILLIAM NEVIN ICKES, b. 6 Jul 1852, m. Frances Rusilla Kepner

1224192. WILLIAM ICKES was born about 1830 and married MARY WHITE first and ISABELLA MILLIKEN second, in 1855. Isabella was born about 1833.²

1224193. SARAH ICKES was born about 1833 and married JAMES L. MILLIKEN who was born 15 Dec 1831.³

1224195. **SUSAN ICKES** was born about 1838 and married BENJAMINE **RICE**. He was born 1840 and died 1906. Susan died 1908. They are buried at the Emanuel Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery at Buffalo Mills in Saville Township, Perry Co., PA.⁴

The children of [#12241B] Dr. John Loy and Mary Jane (Strode) Ickes [son of Nicholas, Alice (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Catherine, Edward, Ann, Albert, William and Jesse Boone Williams.

12241B1. **JOHN ICKES** was born 26 Jan 1829 and married HANNAH J. **DELANCY**. John died 16 Feb 1909. John and Hannah are buried at Emanuel Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery at Buffalo Mills in Saville Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania.⁵

12241B8. **JESSE BOONE WILLIAMS ICKES** was born 17 Feb 1848, and in 1872, he married MARTHA ANN **McCUNE**.⁶ She was born in 1852, the daughter of Seth R. McCune, a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature, and his wife, Julia Ann Wilson. Jesse Ickes was city comptroller for Altoona, PA and lived at 12039 9th Ave. in 1880. Martha died in 1890 and Jesse Ickes died 2 Feb 1901.⁷ They had the following children.

12241B81. JOHN LOY ICKES, b. ca 1873

12241B82. HAROLD LeCLAIR ICKES, b. 15 Mar 1874, m. Anna Wilmarth

¹ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

² Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

³ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁴ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁵ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁶ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Ickes, Harold L." in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 6, p. 319

⁷ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

12241B83. JULIA GERTRUDE ICKES, b. ca 1875, m. Clinton Hazard 12241B84. JESSE MERRILL (or MERYL) ICKES, b. ca 1876, d. 1893 12241B85. FELIX WHEELER ICKES, b. ca 1880, d. 1905 12241B86. MARY AMELIA ICKES, b. ca 1882, m. John B. Watson 12241B87. ADA KATRINA ICKES, b. & d. 1884

The child of [#123211] John and (?) Baldridge [son of Mary, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1232111. **JANE BALDRIDGE** lived with her family in Unity Township, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania and married ROBERT **COULTER** on 11 Feb 1836.¹

The children of [#123213] Thomas and Mary (?) Baldridge [son of Mary, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Jane, Margaret, Thomas, James C. and William.

1232133. **THOMAS BALDRIDGE** was born about 1833. He married but his wife died before 1880. He lived in Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

12321331. HANNAH BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1867

12321332. PHILIP H. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1871

12321333. ROBERT S. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1873

1232134. **JAMES C. BALDRIDGE** was born about 1835 and married SUE E. (?) who was born about 1843. They lived in Greensburg, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

12321341. JOSEPH G. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1864 12321342. IDA M. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1868

12321342. IDA W. DALDRIDGE, U. Ca 1000

12321343. EZRA M. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1870

1232135. **WILLIAM BALDRIDGE** was born about 1840. He married ELIZABETH (?) and they lived in Hempfield Township, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania. They had these children:

12321351. JOHN S. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1866

12321352. THOMAS BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1874

The children of [#123214] Joseph and Elizabeth (Niccolls) Baldridge [son of Mary, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Joseph, Catherine, William, John,

¹ Della Reagan Fischer, Marriage and Death Notices from Weekly Newspapers. LDS microfilm #844896 Item 2

Miscia and David.

1232146. **DAVID BALDRIDGE** was born about 1846. He may be the David married to ANNE (?) who was born about 1849. This family lived with Catherine Baldridge in Center Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

12321461. FRANK BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1875

12321462. LUCY BALDRIDGE, b. ca Mar 1880

The children of [#123215] Dr. David and Phoebe (?) Baldridge [son of Mary, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1232151. **CHARLES J. BALDRIDGE** was born about 1829. On 14 Oct 1854 he married M. E. **RAINEY**, the daughter of R. Rainey, Esq., of Salem Township, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania.¹

1232152. **WILLIAM BALDRIDGE** was born about 1832, and on 19 Nov 1857, he married LYDIA **MILLER**, the daughter of Samuel Miller of Unity Township, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania.² Lydia may have died a few years later. William Baldridge then married MARGARET E. (?) who was born about 1834. They made their home in Derry Township, Westmoreland Co. William and Lydia had these children:

12321521. MARGARET S. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1858

12321522. FRANKLIN BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1860

William and Margaret had these children:

12321523. THOMAS BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1866

12321524. JAMES BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1870

12321525. LYDIA KAY BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1871

12321526. BLACK C. BALDRIDGE, b. ca 1875

1232153. MARY J. BALDRIDGE was born about 1835.

The children of [#123232] William and Ann (Clark) Richards [daughter of Nancy, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1232321. MARTHA RICHARDS

1232322. NANCY RICHARDS married Mr. MOREHEAD.³

1232323. ELIZABETH RICHARDS married Mr. BENNETT.⁴

¹ Della Reagan Fischer, *Marriage and Death Notices from Weekly Newspapers*. LDS microfilm #844896 Item 2

² Della Reagan Fischer, Marriage and Death Notices from Weekly Newspapers. LDS microfilm #844896 Item 2

³ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁴ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

1232324. MARGARET RICHARDS married Mr. MOREHEAD.¹

The children of [#123233] Alexander and Jane (Armstrong) Clark [son of Nancy, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Nancy, Joseph, Alexander, Lena Ann, Martha Jane, Elizabeth, Lois and Sarah.

1232331. NANCY CLARK married BRICE HENDERSON.²

1232333. ALEXANDER CLARK Jr. was born about 1829 and lived with his parents, brothers, and sisters in Cowansham Township, Armstrong Co., Pennsylvania in 1850.
1232334. LENA ANN CLARK was born about 1832 and married Mr. RANKIN.³
1232337. LOIS CLARK was born about 1841 and married Mr. ARMSTRONG.⁴
1232338. SARAH CLARK was born about 1845 and married Mr. HENDERSON.⁵

The children of [#123235] John and Lois (Clark) Weamer [daughter of Nancy, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Joseph, John, David, William, Andrew, George, Lois and Alexander.

1232351. JOSEPH WEAMER married Miss LATEER.⁶

1232352. JOHN WEAMER married Miss MILLER.⁷

1232354. WILLIAM WEAMER was born about 1832 and was a clerk in his father's store in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania, 1850. He married Miss STEEL.⁸

The children of [#123236] Philip and Elizabeth Todd (Clark) Gallaher [daughter of Nancy, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1232361. **JOSEPH WALLACE GALLAHER** was born 12 Aug 1824 in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania, and in 1849 he joined the "gold rush" to California.⁹ His brother James also went west, but both returned to Pennsylvania by 1856. On 16 Mar 1858 he married ELIZABETH **DOUGHERTY** who was born in 1828, a daughter of John and Letitia (Sharp) Dougherty.¹⁰ The Joseph Gallaher's migrated to Dillon, Missouri where Joseph died 21 May 1902. Mrs. Gallaher died 13 Nov 1898. They had these children:

¹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

³ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁴ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁵ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁶ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁷ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁸ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

¹⁰ Daughters of the American Revolution. *Lineage Book: Vol. 54, 1905* (1919) & Vol. 75, 1909 (1925), p. 97

- 12323611. LETITIA GALLAHER, b. 28 Dec 1858, m. Christian Randall Winters
- 12323612. PHILIP CLARK GALLAHER, b. 5 Jun 1860, d. 1916, m. Francis Taylor
 - 12323613. JOHN SHARP GALLAHER, b. 2 May 1865
 - 12323614. BESSIE CLARK GALLAHER, b. 21 Jun 1868, m. Sterling Smith
 - 12323615. DAISY BELLE GALLAHER, b. 25 Feb 1862, d. Jun 1864

1232362. CHARLOTTE ANN TODD GALLAHER was born 15 Jul 1829 in Pennsylvania and died 29 Dec 1904.¹ On 7 May 1857 at Monroe, Wisconsin, she married GEORGE WASHINGTON LUTTS, the son of Samuel and Catherine (Grove) Lutz. He was born 4 Jul 1826 in Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania and was a '49er who rode horseback to California during the great gold rush but returned to Wisconsin before his marriage. He died 28 Jan 1888 in Stephenson Co., Illinois. They had these children:

12323621. SARAH ELIZABETH LUTTS, b. 19 Feb 1858, d. 1859

12323622. KATE M. LUTTS, b. 5 Jan 1860, d. 4 Dec 1940, m. Perry Wilsey

12323623. WILLIAM WALLACE LUTTS, b. 27 Aug 1862, m. Bessie Mary Fowler

12323624. CORA BELLE LUTTS, b. 3 Aug 1864, d. Nov 1937, m. Erwin Richards

12323625. GEORGE W. LUTTS, b. 25 May 1871, d. 23 Mar 1950, m. Grace Smith

1232363. NANCY JANE GALLAHER was born 23 Nov 1831 and did not marry.² She died 16 Feb 1917 at St. Joseph, Missouri.

1232364. **JAMES M. GALLAHER** was born 18 Sep 1834 in Pennsylvania, and in 1851 (1854?) he took a six month voyage around the horn to San Francisco to join his brother Joseph in searching for gold.³ They returned east by 1856 where he married ELIZA J. **MURPHY** on 13 Sep 1856. She was born 15 Nov 1838, the daughter of George and Martha (Dickey) Murphey. James served as a Pvt in 20th Reg. Wisconsin Infantry Volunteers during the Civil War. The family moved about several times before they settled in Washington State where he died 10 Jul 1909 and she died 28 Nov 1901. They had these children:

- 12323641. PHILIP GALLAHER, b. 26 Jul 1857
- 12323642. GEORGE W. GALLAHER, b. 14 Oct 1860
- 12323643. EDWARD DICKEY GALLAHER, b. 14 Oct 1862
- 12323644. FLORA BELLE GALLAHER, b. 10 Dec 1864
- 12323645. HATTIE ELIZABETH GALLAHER, b. 6 Aug 1867
- 12323646. LAURA M. GALLAHER, b. 6 Jun 1869, m. James Russell
- 12323647. WILLIAM JOHN GALLAHER, b. 6 Oct 1870, m. Mary Callicotte
- 12323648. GEORGE WALLACE GALLAHER, b. 15 Mar 1873

1232365. WILLIAM GALLAHER was born 7 Mar 1837 and married MARY ANN

¹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

³ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

SMITH.¹ He died 8 May 1909, and she died 14 Jan 1928. Both were buried in Arlington, Washington. They had four children.

1232366. **ELIZABETH C. GALLAHER** was born 6 Aug 1838, and on 22 Oct 1865, she married ANANIAS M. **SYPHER** in LaFayette Co., WI.² He was a railroad engineer born in 1843. He died in a train accident in the Eagle Gorge on the Green River, WA on 28 Oct 1888. His widow died 30 Sep 1914 in Tacoma, WA. They had six children:

12323661. JESSIE SYPHER, b. 29 Sep 1866
12323662. FRANK SYPHER, b. 24 Sep 1868
12323663. ANDREW M. SYPHER, b. 12 Feb 1870
12323664. MATILDA MAE SYPHER, b. 17 Mar 1872
12323665. DAVID R. SYPHER, b. 6 Feb 1874
12323666. WILLIAM G. SYPHER, b. 27 Jan 1878

1232367. MARY TODD CLARK GALLAHER was born 30 Oct 1841, and on 29 Oct 1866, she married her second cousin, JOHN GALLAHER Jr., at Janesville, Wisconsin.³ He was born 4 Jul 1837 and died 2 Mar 1912. Mrs. Mary Gallaher preceded him in death on 18 Aug 1900. They had no children.

1232368. **JOHN PHILIP GALLAHER** was born 1 Oct 1844 in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania, and on 24 Dec 1867 he married MARY JANE **VIVERS** in Shullsburg, Wisconsin.⁴ She was born 1 Jun 1849, the daughter of William and Janet (Skilling) Vivers and granddaughter of Lord Thomas Vivers of Anan, Scotland. John Gallaher was a carpenter and contractor. Sometime after 1879, they moved to St. Joseph, Missouri where he died 6 Feb 1902 and she died 17 Apr 1907. They had seven children:

- 12323681. ANNA LOIS GALLAHER, b. 13 Nov 1868
- 12323682. VIVA GALLAHER, b. 19 Feb 1871
- 12323683. WILLIAM WALLACE GALLAHER, b. 25 Mar 1873
- 12323684. JAMES PHILIP GALLAHER, b. 13 Nov 1876, d. 1878
- 12323685. JENNET GALLAHER, b. 6 Jan 1879, d. Jul 1879
- 12323686. ELIZABETH CLARK GALLAHER, b. 17 Oct 1885
- 12323687. CHARLOTTE TODD GALLAHER, b. 30 Apr 1888

1232369. **MATILDA STEWART GALLAHER** was born 22 Mar 1847 and married JAMES A. **CAMPBELL** who was born in 1853.⁵ Mrs. Tillie Campbell died 16 Jan 1908, and her husband died 6 Nov 1918 at St. Joseph, MO. They had two daughters:

12323691. MAYBELLE E. CAMPBELL, b. 20 Mar 1878

12323692. CORA ANGELA CAMPBELL, b. 17 Aug 1883

¹Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

³ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁴ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁵ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

The children of [#123237] William and Margaret (Clark) Bell [daughter of Nancy, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Ann, Jane, Elizabeth, Harry, Clark and Samuel.

1232371. MARY ANN BELL married CLIFFORD REED.¹

1232372. JANE BELL married WILLIAM LYDICK.²

1232373. ELIZABETH (Lizzie) BELL married Mr. LIGHTCAP.³

1232375. CLARK BELL married Miss KINTER.⁴

The child of [#123251] John and Nancy (Walkinshaw) Sloan [son of Rebecca, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1232511. **REBECCA J. SLOAN** was born about 1840 in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania and married MARSHALL S. **SMITH** in 1860. He was born in 1837. Rebecca died in 1892. Marshall and Rebecca had these children born in Indiana County:⁵

12325111. NANCY SMITH, m. William Smitten

12325112. ALICE TAYLOR SMITH

The children of [#123421] Joseph and Ann (Davis) Abraham [daughter of Jemima (Roberts) Davis, Alice (Rambo) Roberts, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Anna, Sarah, James, Benjamin D., Isaac George, Thomas D., Eliza, Ann, Matilda, Emma, and Joseph.⁶

1234211. ANNA ABRAHAM was born 1820 and married JAMES SHANNON.

1234212. SARAH ABRAHAM was born 1822 and married JONATHAN PHILLIPS.

1234213. **JAMES ABRAHAM** was born 7 Feb 1824 and married SUSAN **EASTBURN** first and ELIZABETH C. **RAMBO** [#1914A6] second.

1234214. **BENJAMIN D. ABRAHAM** was born 1826 and married JANE **EASTBURN**.

1234215. ISAAC GEORGE ABRAHAM was born 1827 and married MARY C.

¹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

³ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁴ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁵ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book: Vol. 154, 1920* (1937), p. 290 & Vol. 145, 1919 (1935), p. 158

⁶ Ellwood Roberts, ed., Biographical Annals of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (pub. 1904), vol 2, p. 509. Available on web

WAGER. Their children include these:¹ 12342151. GEORGE C. ABRAHAM 12342152. GRACE C. ABRAHAM, m. Kellam

1234216. THOMAS D. ABRAHAM was born 1830 and married EMILY SCOTT first.
 She died April 19, 1880, and Thomas married Mrs. MARY RAMBO PECHIN
 [#1123631] second. Thomas was father to at least this one child:
 12342161. WILLIAM L. ABRAHAM

1234217. ELIZA ABRAHAM was born 1831 and married JONATHAN SUPPLEE.

1234218. **ANN ABRAHAM** was born 1837 and married OWEN **EVANS**. Owen died 26 Apr 1903.

1234219. MATILDA ABRAHAM was born 1836 but died in infancy.

123421A. EMMA ABRAHAM was born 1842 and died in 1860.

123421B. JOSEPH ABRAHAM was born 1842 and died in infancy.

The children of [#123441] David and Margaret (Van Fossen) Johnson [son of Elizabeth, Alice (Rambo) Roberts, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Nathan D., Hophni V. and Ellen J.

1234412. **HOPHNI V. JOHNSON** was born about 1838 and married ELIZABETH **SHRAWDER**, the daughter of Joseph and Catharine (Custer) Shrawder.² She was born in 1843 and died in 1922. Hophni died in 1896. They lived in Lower Providence, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

12344121. DAVID BROOK JOHNSON, b. ca 1866

12344122. RALPH L. JOHNSON, b. 1873, m. Cora B. Pennypacker

The children of [#123521] William and Mary (Jamison) Rambo [son of Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Margaret, Elizabeth, David, Rebecca, James J., Thomas and John Calvin. They lived in Logan Co., Ohio.

1235211. **MARGARET RAMBO** was born in Bellefontaine,³ Ohio in 1833 and married JOHN **GEBBY** Jr.⁴ He was a farmer in New Richland Township from 1845-1868. They had these two children:⁵

¹ Ellwood Roberts, ed., *Biographical Annals of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania* (pub. 1904), vol 2, p. 509. Available on web

² Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

³ David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003

⁴ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

⁵ David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003 citing on line Gebby Genealogy by Bob Gebby

12352111. SAMUEL GEBBY, b. ca 1872 12352112. ROBERT WILLIAM GEBBY, b. 16 Mar 1875, m. Alice M. McPherson

1235214. **REBECCA RAMBO** was born Dec 1838. In 1900 Rebecca lived with her brother John and his family in Logan Co., Ohio. She died in 1926 and is buried at Northwood Cemetery, southeast of Belle Center, Ohio.

1235215. **JAMES J. RAMBO** was a farmer born 12 Jan 1843 in Logan Co., Ohio. He was a Cpl. in Co. B., 88th Ohio Inf. during the Civil War.¹ His application for pension stated that his first wife was MALINDA **FRENCH** who died 11 Aug 1870. They had one child who died in 1871. He then married ELLEN **MORRISON** who was born in Ayr, Scotland on 12 Aug 1847, a daughter of Ronald and Ellen (Davidson) Morrison.² The family settled on 160 acres in Blue Earth Co., Minnesota before 1874.³ James died 28 Mar 1916 in Fairmont, Minnesota, and his widow filed for a pension on 5 Apr 1916. She died 12 Jul 1935 in Vernon Center, Minnesota. They are buried in Vernon Center Cemetery.⁴ James and Ellen Rambo had two children:

12352151. WILLIAM DAVIDSON RAMBO, b. 22 Oct 1874, m. Drusilla Bossuet 12352152. WALTER ALEXANDER RAMBO, b. 18 Mar 1877, m. Pearl F. Childs

1235217. **JOHN CALVIN RAMBO** was born at Mad River, Ohio on 22 Feb 1849. On 14 May 1873 he married MARTHA ISABELLE **SHIELDS** who was born in Ohio in Aug 1848, the daughter of Robert and Jane (Torrance) Shields. John C. Rambo lived in Teague, Texas at the time of his death in Dallas, Texas on 25 Jan 1909. Mrs. Martha Rambo died 19 Nov 1914 in Belle Center, Ohio, and they are buried there. In 1900 John and Mattie lived in Rushcreek Township, Logan Co., Ohio and had these children:⁵

12352171. ROBERT MARTIN RAMBO, b. 14 Apr 1874, m. Mary Elinor Speer 12352172. WILLIAM THORNTON RAMBO, b. 19 Mar 1876, m. A. Campbell 12352173. IRA AUGUSTUS RAMBO, b. 7 Aug 1879, m. Miscia June Tappan 12352174. TORRENCE CALVIN RAMBO, b. 9 Sep 1883, m. Pauline Ward 12352175. MARY LUCILLE RAMBO, b. 27 Oct 1885, m. 1) Wallace, 2) Straw 12352176. LAURA BELLE RAMBO, b. 8 Oct 1892, m. Raymond Pierson

The children of [#123524] Hugh and Nancy (Rambo) Selders [daughter of Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth, Mary, Martha, John, Esther Ann, Nancy, Harvey and Hugh.

1235241. ELIZABETH SELDERS was born 28 Mar 1831 and married BRYCE

¹ United States Veterans Administration, General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934. National Archives microfilm #T-288

² David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003

³ Mrs. Ron Rambo, Vernon Centre, MN 56090, family records

⁴ David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003

⁵ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

JOHNSON **WOOD** on 4 May 1848. He was born 27 Jun 1820, the youngest child of Matthew and Mary Ann (Wallis) Wood. Bryce died four years later on 25 Sep 1852 aged 32 years. On 5 Sep 1854 Elizabeth then married ALEXANDER **McMILLAN**. He also died four years later in Feb 1858. After the death of her second husband, Elizabeth married TOBIAS BRITT **COLE** on 24 Apr 1862. He was born 16 Jan 1821 in Greene County, NY, a son of Orrin and Jane (Dederick) Cole. His first wife, Anna Cowden, had died 22 Aug 1860 in DeKalb Co., IL leaving him with six children: Orrin, Isaac Newton, Clark Graham, Laura Arminda, Marcus Dedrick and Elliott Lund. His son Clark G. Cole married Elizabeth's daughter Mary A. Wood. Tobias died 5 Oct 1883, and Elizabeth survived until 3 Sep 1892. Elizabeth and Bryce Wood had these children:¹

12352411. MARY ANN WOOD, b. 25 Oct 1849, d. 1932, m. Clark Graham Cole

12352412. SAMANTHA AGNES WOOD, b. 12 Sep 1851, m. William C. Ferguson

12352413. RANSOM BRYCE WOOD, b. 12 Sep 1851, m. Nannie McCammon Elizabeth and Alexander McMillan had two children:

12352414. JOHN A. McMILLAN, b. 5 Jul 1855, d. 1930, m. Nettie Wood

12352415. ELIZABETH A. McMILLAN, b. Oct 1857, d. 1892, m. John Coffelt Elizabeth and Tobias Cole had these children:

12352416. ANNA EMMALINE COLE, b. 17 Feb 1863, m. Edward Huston Vance

12352417. RUTH COLE, b. 11 Dec 1864, d. 3 Oct 1865

12352418. CHASE COLE, b. 5 Aug 1866, d. 3 Feb 1956, m. Margaret Bennett

12352419. HUGH MOFFATT COLE, b. 28 Nov 1868, d. 1948, m. Emma Hurst

1235241A. RALPH E. COLE, b. 21 Jan 1870, d. 11 Aug 1870

1235241B. ABNER GRAHAM COLE, b. 18 Jul 1871, d. 1934, m. Easter Ella Hurst

The children of [#123527] Thomas E. and Mary Jane (Houge) Rambo [son of Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William, Jasper P., Benton Houge and Mary Jane.

1235273. **JASPER P. RAMBO** was born 13 Dec 1852 and died 16 Jun 1924. He married SARAH J. **FREDRECK** in Allen Co., Ohio in 188?. She was 54 years old when she died 26 Sep 1905 and was buried in Auglaize Cemetery. They had a daughter: 12352731. DORA ELLEN RAMBO, b. 7 Oct 1893

1235274. **BENTON HOGUE RAMBO** was born in 27 May 1855 in Ohio and married MARGARET **BECKEM** on 2 May 1879 in Allen Co.² They lived in Lima, Ohio, but Margaret may have died before 1900. Benton died in 1931. They had two children: 12352741. JAMES ALLEN RAMBO, b. 2 Mar 1881, m. Cecile O'Brien in 1912.³ 12352742. CLARA ETHEL RAMBO, b. 8 Apr 1890, m. William McClurg in 1913.¹

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² "Vital Statistics." See International Genealogical Index. Can search on-line at www.FamilySearch.org

³ Allen County, Ohio, Marriages P:370

1235275. **MARY JANE (Jennie) RAMBO** was born 25 Nov 1858 and married BRANSON HOLMES **LEPLEY** in Allen Co., Ohio in 1879.² They had these children:³ 12352751. MAUDE ALICE LEPLEY, b. 29 Jan 1884

12332751. MAODE ALICE LEI LEI, 0. 29 Jah 100

12352752. CLYDE E. LEPLEY, b. 10 Feb 1888

12352753. CLIFFORD LEPLEY, b. 12 Sep 1890

12352754. MADELINE LEPLEY, b. 1894

The children of [#123527] Thomas E. and Mary Jane (Ashing) Rambo, his second wife, were Nancy C., Winfield Scott, James Melvin, Georgiana, Liuna, Samuel Ashing, Alexander Hamilton, Thomas Henry, Noah and Vashti.

1235277. **WINFIELD SCOTT RAMBO** was born 17 Mar 1862 in Westminister, Ohio. He married ESTELLA **MANAHAN** in Allen Co. in 1884.⁴ She was born in 1866. Estella was buried 20 Feb 1944 at Salem/Westminister Cemetery in Auglaize Township. W. S. Rambo died 28 Jul 1956 and was buried beside her. They had these children:⁵

12352771. LEWIS A. RAMBO, b. 13 Aug 1886

12352772. ETHEL RAMBO, b. 23 May 1889

12352773. CECIL RAMBO, b. 3 Nov 1892, m. Frank Gabler in 1907.⁶

1235278. **JAMES MELVIN RAMBO** was a boiler maker who was born 10 May 1865 in Westminister, Ohio and died of obstruction of the bowels on 15 Oct 1907 in Lima, Ohio.⁷ He married LYDIA **GUIDER** (or GILDER)⁸ in 1890 and later married LOUISE J. (?). He had at least two children:⁹

12352781. HELEN I. RAMBO, b. 29 Jul 1891

12352782. HERBERT E. RAMBO, b. 18 Feb 1894, d. 3 Feb 1972

123527A. LIUNA RAMBO was born 1 Jan 1868 and married CORY S. COOKINGHAM on 9 Sep 1888 in St. Mary's, Ohio. She died in Feb 1930. They had nine children:¹⁰

123527A1. MELVIN DEROY COOKINGHAM, b. 12 Jun 1889, d. 22 May 1970 123527A2. ERNEST JACOB COOKINGHAM, b. 12 Jul 1890, d. 19 Feb 1962 123527A3. CECIL AGNES COOKINGHAM, b. 26 Jan 1892, d. 22 Mar 1919 123527A4. CORY SMITH COOKINGHAM, b. 15 Nov 1894, d. 29 Dec 1970

¹ Allen County, Ohio, Marriages P:517

² Allen County, Ohio, Marriages C-2:265

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁴ Allen County, Ohio, Marriages D:286

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁶ Allen County, Ohio, Marriages P:70

⁷ Allen County, Ohio, Deaths vol. 2, p. 228

⁸ Allen County, Ohio, Marriages E:78

⁹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing Allen County, Ohio, probate 2:281, case #9887

¹⁰ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

- 123527A5. VERNON COOKINGHAM, b. 7 Jul 1896, d. 19 Feb 1974
- 123527A6. GEORGE MARTIN COOKINGHAM, b. 13 Jul 1899
- 123527A7. TOMAS EDWARD COOKINGHAM, b. 22 Mar 1901
- 123527A8. RICHARD COOKINGHAM, b. 31 Mar 1904
- 123527A9. VICTOR JAY COOKINGHAM, b. 9 May 1912, d. 30 Jan 1973

123527B. **SAMUEL ASHING RAMBO** was born 12 Apr 1869 in Auglaize Township, Allen Co., Ohio. He married CORA ELLEN **SMITH** who was born 22 May 1876 in Ross Co., Ohio, a daughter of William and Mary Sylcia (Tillet) Smith. Cora died 27 Jun 1920 in Lima, Ohio and is buried at Salem/Westminister Cemetery in Auglaize Township. Samuel Rambo died in Alger, OH on 3 May 1952. They lived in Allen Co., OH and had five children:¹

123527B1. MARY EDNA RAMBO, b. 19 Jan 1898, m. Ray Thomas P. Symonds

- 123527B2. JACOB ELMAR RAMBO, b. 1 Nov 1900
- 123527B3. PEARL ALICE RAMBO, b. 23 Feb 1902, m. Mr. Whitwan
- 123527B4. RUSSELL EDWARD RAMBO, b. 31 Oct 1906, d. 25 Oct 1985, m. ?

123527C. ALEXANDER HAMILTON RAMBO was born 22 Mar 1873 and died 6 Dec 1947. On 16 Jan 1898 he married Mrs. MAUDE INDEZ (McANINCH) SALES who was born in Dec 1875 and died in 1958. They lived in McGuffey, Ohio with a stepdaughter, Leona Sales, who was born in Sep 1890. They are buried in New Lexington Cemetery, Perry Co., Ohio.² They had these children:³

- 123527C1. FELIX DANIEL RAMBO, b. 11 Dec 1898, d. 1 Jul 1945
- 123527C2. GEORGE EDWARD RAMBO, b. 14 Feb 1901, d. 25 May 1910
- 123527C3. CARL ALEXANDER RAMBO, b. 8 May 1903, m. Elsie M. (?)
- 123527C4. WESLEY PAUL RAMBO, b. 19 Oct 1905, d. 7 Sep 1960
- 123527C5. FRANK KENNETH RAMBO, b. 22 Aug 1907, d. 10 Feb 1963
- 123527C6. EARL EDWARD RAMBO, b. 3 Apr 1911
- 123527C7. MAUDE INEZ RAMBO, b. 19 Jan 1913
- 123527C8. Unnamed son RAMBO, b. & d. 16 Sep 1916

123527D. **THOMAS** <u>**HENRY</u></u> RAMBO** was born 23 Aug 1875 in Allen Co., Ohio and married REBECCA JANE (Mabel) **PORTER** there in 1894.⁴ In 1910 he was a laborer, and they lived in Hardin Co., Ohio. The Lantz Funeral Home records Mabel's birth 29 Jul 1881 and death 2 Nov 1946. Henry died 2 May 1942 aged 66y 8m 9d. They are buried in West Newton Cemetery, Auglaize Township, Allen Co. They had these children:^{5,6}</u>

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

² Mrs. Louise Howison, Richwood, OH 43344, family records, tombstone pictures

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁴ Allen County, Ohio, Marriages O:455

⁵ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Snaps and Scraps* (Feb 1987), p. iii. by Barclay Manning

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing probate court birth records

123527D1. VAN DELBERT RAMBO, b. 21 Jun 1897, d. 26 Mar 1962
123527D2. FRED LUZERNE RAMBO, b. 12 Sep 1900, m. 1) Tracy, 2) Shaver
123527D3. JOHN THOMAS RAMBO, b. 10 Sep 1902, d. 1974, m. Lillie King
123527D4. DONALD HARRY RAMBO, b. 13 Mar 1905, m. Ida W. Shulaw
123527D5. ROGER OWEN RAMBO, b. 6 Nov 1905, d. 4 May 1946
123527D6. RUTH LAVINA HADESSAH RAMBO, b. 10 Jun 1910, d. 18 Oct 1972
123527D7. RUBY ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 12 Dec 1912, m. Harold B. Marling
123527D8. GLENDOLE TIMOTHY RAMBO, b. 13 Sep 1916, m. Ruby Ladd
123527D9. HENRY ALFRED RAMBO, b. 14 Jan 1919, d. 18 Jan 1920

123527E. **NOAH RAMBO** was born 21 Sep 1877 in Auglaize Township, Allen County, Ohio.¹ He married PEARL MAY **STUBBS** in 1910 in Allen County, Ohio.² Her tombstone in Auglaize Cemetery records her birth in 1874 and death in 1946. Noah married Mrs. JULIA ANN (**HEIGHT**) PORTER second. He died 18 Mar 1962 in Bellefountaine, Ohio and is buried beside both of his wives.³

123527F. **VASHTI RAMBO** was born 29 Mar 1880 in Auglaize Township, Allen County, Ohio.⁴ She married WILLIAM HENRY **HUGHES** in Apr 1900. He was born 24 Mar 1878 in Alger, Ohio, a son of Calvin and Charlotta Elizabeth (Shaver) Hughes. Vashti died 14 Sep 1965; William died 15 Aug 1970 in Hardin Co. and is buried beside his wife in Preston Cemetery, Alger, Ohio. They had these children:⁵

123527F1. RUSH WILLIAM HUGHES, b. 11 Feb 1901, m. Ruth N. F. Gossard

123527F2. MILDRED CHLOE HUGHES, b. 9 Apr 1903, d. 12 Aug 1904

123527F3. AUDRA MAE HUGHES, b. 26 Nov 1905, d. 1995, m. Edwin Carey

123527F4. HERBERT CLAYTON HUGHES, b. 14 Jun 1908, m. 1) Wineman, 2)

123527F5. RUBY ARVILLA HUGHES, b. 5 Nov 1911, m. Jacob Paul Kohli

123527F6. EVERETT WRIGHT HUGHES, b. 13 Jan 1914, d. 1993, m. Helen (?)

123527F7. WALTER HENRY HUGHES, b. 6 Feb 1916, m. 1) Wolford,2) Miller

123527F8. CALVIN THOMAS HUGHES, b. 5 May 1919, d.? before 1930

123527F9. RALPH MAURICE HUGHES, b. 13 Dec 1921, d. after 1990

123527FA. ROBERT STANLEY HUGHES, b. 28 Aug 1923, m. C. Stephenson

The child of [#123529] Hamilton and Hannah (?) Rambo [son of Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1235291. CALVIN RAMBO was born Nov 1851 in Logan Co., Ohio. In 1880 he lived in the family home in Lane Co., Oregon. He married MARTHA E. (?) who was born Jan

¹ Allen County, Ohio, Births 1:471

² Allen County, Ohio, Marriages

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁴ Allen County, Ohio, birth records

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

1860 and died 15 Nov 1907. They had one known child: 12352911. BERTHA M. RAMBO, b. Jun 1891

The children of [#123529] Hamilton and Mary Jane (?) Rambo, his second wife.

1235292. **MATTIE RAMBO** was born in Mar 1863 in Iowa. She was single in 1900 and lived with her brother William in Marion Co., Oregon.

1235293. **GEORGE RAMBO** was born in Jan 1868 in Iowa. He married ELVA (?) who was born in Jul 1875. In 1900 his mother Mary lived with them in Marion Co., OR.

1235294. **WILLIAM S. RAMBO** was born Apr 1869 in Iowa. He married LOTTIE (?) who was born Oct 1861 in Illinois. In 1900 the couple lived in Marion Co., Oregon, and his sister Mattie lived with them. Lottie died in Multnomah Co. on 27 Aug 1915.

1235295. MAMIE RAMBO was born about 1875 in Iowa.

The children of [#123531] David T. and Nancy (Findley) Porter [daughter of Mary (Rambo) Findley, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were David Findley, George Washington, William and Rachel.

1235312. **GEORGE WASHINGTON PORTER** was born 26 May 1826, and on 1 Jun 1856 he married SARAH ANN **PARKER**, daughter of Rev. Sanford Parker. George was a staunch Republican and a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He died 28 Nov 1885. George and Sarah had five children:¹

- 12353121. WILLIAM F. PORTER 12353122. SANFORD C. PORTER
- 12555122. SANFORD C. PORTER
- 12353123. HARRY S. PORTER
- 12353124. MATTIE PORTER
- 12353125. GEORGE W. PORTER, d. by 1886

The children of [#1235A3] George Michael and Margaret Jane (Rambo) Zahniser [daughter of David, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1235A31. **MALINDA S. ZAHNISER** was born 1868 in Mercer Co., Pennsylvania and married WESLEY W. **WHIELDON** in 1886. He was born in 1859 and died in 1912. Malinda joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #157156 in *Lineage Book* vol. 158:49. They were the parents of one known child:

¹ William S. Garvin, *History of Mercer County, Pennsylvania* (Chicago: Brown, Runk & Co., Publishers, 1889), pp. 749-750

1235A311. M. LUCILE WHIELDON, m. Virgil W. Thomas

1235A32. **SARAH E. ZAHNISER** was born about 1874 in Coolspring, Pennsylvania and married Mr. D. A. **BROWN**. She joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #154025 in *Lineage Book* vol. 155:8.

The children of [#124211] James and Mary Jane (Larimore) McCall [son of Nancy Rambo, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John Montgomery, William, Samuel, Nathan Mathew, Sarah, Thomas M., Nancy Jane and Robert.

1242111. **JOHN MONTGOMERY McCALL** was a farmer born 31 Mar 1842 in Washington Co., Virginia.¹ On 9 Jan 1867 in Washington Co., he was married to MARGARET **REED** by Alex. L. Hogshead.² She was born there about 1843, daughter of Hugh and Nancy Reed.³ John M. McCall died 17 Nov 1886 at age 44 years and Margaret McCall died 8 Oct 1911.⁴ The inventory of his estate was recorded in Washington Co. will book 23:76 on 6 Oct 1887 and valued at \$856.96; it included a table and chest valued at 25 cents each, a sewing machine, safe, 2 mares, 5 cows, 3 pigs, 4 hogs, 6 hives of bees, etc. A Masonic emblem decorates his grave. The John McCalls had these children:

12421111. HUGH J. T. McCALL, b. 1870, m. Mary (?)

12421112. BETTY J. McCALL, b. 23 Mar 1871, m. L. C. Cole

12421113. ISAAC NEWTON McCALL, b. 27 Dec 1872, m. Laura Alice McCann

12421114. MARY MAY McCALL, b. 15 Feb 1875, d. 16 May 1875

1242113. **SAMUEL McCALL** was a farmer born 12 Oct 1845 in Washington Co., Virginia. He married RUANER (Rosannah) **LARIMER** there on 24 Jan 1867.⁵ She was born there 20 Nov 1845, daughter of William and Phebe Larimer. Rosannah died 1 Jul 1890 and is buried in the Rock Spring Cemetery in Washington Co., VA.⁶ Samuel McCall then married MARY E. **RICHARDS**, daughter of Thos. and Nancy Richards, on 13 Apr 1897. Samuel died 9 Mar 1924 and is also buried in the Rock Spring Cemetery. Samuel and Rosannah had these known children:

12421131. WILLIAM J. McCALL, b. 21 Dec 1871, d. 28 May 1872

12421132. Infant McCALL, b. 25 Oct 1879, d. 25 Nov 1879

12421132. CHARLES S. McCALL, b. 30 Oct 1882, d. 6 Jan 1911

1242114. NATHAN MATHEW McCALL was born about 1847 and married ANN

¹ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records

² Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages D-M through 1902, p. 300

³ Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 224

⁴ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 208

⁵ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages D-M through 1902, p. 300

⁶ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 208

HOCKETT on 13 May 1869 in Washington Co., Virginia. Ann was the daughter of Isaac and Elza Hockett.¹

1242115. **SARAH McCALL** was born Mar 1849 and lived with her brother Thomas and his family in 1880. When her brother Robert's wife died, Sarah lived with the family to help care for the children.

1242116. **THOMAS M. McCALL** was a carpenter born in Washington Co., Virginia about 1852. There on 28 Jan 1875, he was married to MARGARET **HICKOCK** by J. C. Carson.² She was born there about 1853, daughter of Chas. Hickock.³ They lived in the Goodson District of Washington Co., VA and had these children:

12421161. FLOYD E. McCALL, b. ca 1877

12421162. EVA J. McCALL, b. Jan 1880

1242118. **ROBERT McCALL** was born in Sep 1855 and married ROSA **EDMONDSON** on 20 Dec 1881 in Washington Co., Virginia.⁴ She was born about 1856. They moved to Texas where all their children were born. Rosa apparently died between 1896 and 1900, as Robert returned to Virginia and his sister Sarah, age 51, lived with his family. He and Rosa had these children:

- 12421181. BLANCHE MCCALL, b. Dec 1882
- 12421182. NANNIE K. McCALL, b. May 1884
- 12421183. ROSA M. McCALL, b. Nov 1885
- 12421184. SALLIE B. McCALL, b. Oct 1887
- 12421185. ROBERT E. McCALL, b. Jul 1891
- 12421186. VIRGIA S. McCALL, b. 3 Sep 1896

The children of [#124211] James and Charlotte Melissa (West) McCall, his second wife, were Elizabeth, Andrew, Rachel, James, Lewin N., Arthur A. and Betsey.

124211B. **RACHEL McCALL** was born 16 Feb 1861, died at the age of twenty two, on 15 Sep 1883, and was buried in the Rock Spring Cemetery, Washington Co., VA.⁵

124211E. **ARTHUR A. McCALL** was born in 1870 and married ORA **MOUNTAIN** on 10 Dec 1896 in Washington Co., Virginia.⁶ She was born about 1877. Ora McCall was mentioned in the will of David Mountain recorded 20 May 1927 in Washington Co. will book 33:119.

¹ Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 225

² Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages D-M through 1902, p. 302

³ Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 225

⁴ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages D-M through 1902, p. 303

⁵ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," *High on a Windy Hill* (pub. 1968), p. 208

⁶ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages D-M through 1902, p. 307

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124211F. **BETSEY McCALL** was born 8 Oct 1874 and died 20 Jun 1881 with burial in the Rock Spring Cemetery.¹

The children of [#124221] Francis Kincannon and Mary Burgess (Harden) Rambo [son of Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Martin Van Buren, Elias K., Thomas H., Benjamin F., David, John W., Francis K., Bryant W., William W., George W., and Lucy Elizabeth. The Francis Kincannon Rambo family Bible is recorded in the *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 5, # 1, p. 23.

1242211. **MARTIN VAN BUREN RAMBO** was born 6 Jan 1830 in Tennessee. On 20 Aug 1853 in Marshall Co., Tennessee, he married TARISSA F. (or Teresa) **TALLEY**. She was born about 1838, a daughter of Abraham Tally. During 1861 M. V. B. Rambo was a private in Co. H, 17 Tennessee Inf., CSA but was discharged on a surgeons certificate of disability 14 Sep 1861. After the Civil War, the family moved to Hunt Co., Texas. Martin died 27 June 1877 in Hunt Co. Tarissa was living in 1911 when her picture was taken with her twin granddaughters. Martin and Tarissa had these children:²

- 12422111. ELIZABETH A. RAMBO, b. 27 Dec 1855, m. Peter Donaldson Bethel.³
- 12422112. JOHN F. RAMBO, b. ca 1859, lived in Hunt Co., Texas in 1899
- 12422113. WILLIAM L. RAMBO, lived in Hunt Co., Texas in 1899
- 12422114. WALTER P. RAMBO, b. 13 Jan 1861, d. 3 Feb 1903, m. Mary (?)
- 12422115. GEORGE RILEY RAMBO, b. 1 Dec 1873, m. Pearl Idell Nicholson
- 12422116. THOMAS EDGAR RAMBO, b. 2 Oct 1871, m. Dora Ann Strange
- 12422117. ADA RAMBO, m. J. L. Howell and lived in Wood Co., TX in 1899

1242212. ELIAS K. (Daddy) RAMBO was born 18 Feb. 1832 in Marshall Co., Tennessee. He married MARTHA M. McCONNELL on 15 Aug 1853. Martha died 18 May 1856, eight days after the birth of Joseph.⁴ Elias married second, in Marshall Co. on 21 Sep 1859, MARY J. WILLIAMS who was born about 1830, daughter of Benjamin Williams. In 1860 in a divorce suit in Chancery Court it was stated that the child she had 6 1/2 months after their marriage could not be his. The Court agreed and granted a divorce. It is not known where Mary J. and her son Benjamin went afterwards. Elias K. was a Pvt. and 1st Cpl. in Co. C, 17 Tennessee Inf. CSA. On 26 Dec 1867 in Marshall Co., Elias married MARY LEE FOWLER who was born 15 Apr 1842, daughter of W. N. Fowler. Elias was a groceryman in Lewisburg in 1880 and soon afterward moved to McKinney, Collin Co., Texas where he became a prominent business owner.⁵ Elias Rambo died there of cancer in his ear on 1 Feb 1907 and was buried in

¹ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 208

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), pp. 20-21

³ Yvette Thornton, e-mail of 29 Jul 2006

⁴ Rick Rambo, family research, e-mails of 8 Feb 1999 and 7 Jun 2000, RICK.RTF, obituary in REPORT02.RTF

⁵ Rick Rambo, family research

Pecan Grove Cemetery.^{1,2} Mary Rambo survived Elias, but there is no date of death shown for her grave. Elias and Martha were the parents of at least these two children:³

12422121. RICHMOND RAMBO, b. 31 Mar 1854, d. 1908, m. Sarah J. Malone

12422122. JOSEPH H. RAMBO, b. 10 May 1856, alive in 1900

Elias was married to Mary when her son Benjamin was born:

12422123. BENJAMIN F. RAMBO, b. Apr 1860

Elias and Mary had these children:⁴

12422126. SARAH (Sallie) RAMBO, b. ca 1872, d. about 16 years old

12422127. ELIAS A. RAMBO, b. ca 1874

12422124. WILLIAM A. RAMBO, b. Dec 1876

12422125. THOMAS F. RAMBO, b. Mar 1879

From the *Daily Courier-Gazette* published in the City of McKinney, Collin Co., TX:⁵ PASSING OF E. K. RAMBO (Elias K. Rambo)

(Saturday Evening, February 2, 1907)

The announcement of the death of E. K. (Daddy) Rambo, at his home on South Chestnut street yesterday afternoon, was received with deep regret by his hundreds of friends, though it did not come as a surprise, as it was known that his condition had for some time been extremely critical.

Mr. Rambo was born in Marshall county, Tennessee, February 8, 1833, and therefore lacked just one week of being seventy four years of age. In 1852 he married Miss Martha McConnell in Tennessee, and to them two children were born, Richmond and Joe Rambo, of this city. His wife died in 1856 when the latter was but eight days of age, and in 1867 he married Miss Mary Fowler, who survives her husband. To them three children were born. Sallie, who died when about sixteen years of age, Ed, who has for the past nine years been in the United States army, being a member of Co. L, 20th Infantry regiment, now stationed at Tacoma, Washington, and At Rambo, of this city.

Mr. Rambo served for four years in the Confederate army, having been with the 17th Tennessee regiment, serving with Bragg in Kentucky and in other campaigns when the stars and bars of the Confederacy floated, often in victory, sometimes in defeat, but always with honor, over some of the bloodiest battlefields in the history of warfare.

Twenty-two years ago Mr. Rambo moved from Tennessee to McKinney, since which time he has been a substantial citizen of this city, and by his genial manner and cheerful disposition soon won hosts of steadfast friends, by whom his death is deeply deplored. For the past four years he has been a sufferer from cancer on his left ear, which from a small beginning continued to grow and towards the latter part of his illness his suffering was most intense.

He had been confined to his bed for the past six weeks and despite the most careful

¹ Alice W. O'Roark Potts and D. Posey, *Collin County (Texas) Cemetery Inscriptions*, vol. 1 (pub. 1975)

² Rick Rambo, family research, obituary in *Daily Courier Gazette*, 2 Feb

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

⁵ Rick Rambo, family research, e-mail of 7 Jun 2000, REPORT02.RTF

nursing and best medical skill, continued to grow worse until the end.

The funeral took place from his late residence at 3 o'clock this afternoon, a large number of friends following the remains to Pecan Grove cemetery, where they were laid to rest, services being conducted at the grave by Eld. John McKinney.

1242213. **THOMAS H. RAMBO** was born 15 Apr 1834. He was a Pvt. in Co. C, 17 Inf., CSA. On 28 Oct 1861 he was discharged for disability. He died 17 Nov 1862 and was buried in Hardin Cemetery.¹

1242214. **BENJAMIN F. RAMBO** was born 27 Oct 1836 and was one of a committee to organize New Hope Church in 1847. On 8 Sep 1853 in Marshall Co., Tennessee, he married ARAMINTA S. **WILSON** who was born 20 Sep 1834, the daughter of Thomas Wilson. She was named in her father's will probated Jan 1857 in Marshall Co.² Her portion was put in trust for her needs, and her husband was to have no control over it. She died on 30 Aug 1855, before her father's will was probated, and is buried in the Fowler Cemetery outside Cornersville, TN. On 13 Nov 1859 in Marshall Co., Benjamin married SARAH TENNESSEE **LUNA** who was born 18 Apr 1840, daughter of Jackson Luna. In the 1860 Census Benjamin Rambo was 23 years old and lived alone in Marshall Co. He served as a Pvt. Co. C, 17th Tennessee Infantry, C.S.A.³ Benjamin died 3 Aug 1905; Sarah died 18 Jul 1917; they are buried in the New Hope Cemetery at Cherry Corner, near Ostella, Tennessee. Benjamin and Araminta had this child:⁴

12422141. MARCUS H. RAMBO, b. ca 1855, m. Dixie L. V. Cochran Benjamin and Sarah had these children:

12422142. MARY E. RAMBO, b. ca 1860, m. W. S. Chiles

12422143. ROBERT H. L. RAMBO, b. Jun 1863, m. Mary Frances Hastings

1242215. **DAVID RAMBO** was born 28 Dec 1839 and was living with his parents in 1860. On 25 Oct 1863 in Marshall Co., Tennessee, he married ELIZABETH B. **WEBSTER** who was born there on 10 Jun 1844. During the Civil War, David served as a Pvt., Co. C, 17th Tennessee Infantry.⁵ In 1880 the family lived in Lewisburg, Marshall Co. David died 3 Mar 1900, and in 1908 Mattie Endsley and husband sold her 1/2 interest in the David Rambo homeplace, encumbered by the life estate of their mother, Mrs. Bettie Rambo. Elizabeth applied for a Tennessee Civil War pension.⁶ Elizabeth died after 1921 when she sold her dower interest to her son Wm. Henry Rambo in return for care during her declining years. David and Elizabeth are buried in the Cochran Cemetery, near Cornersville, Tennessee.⁷ They had these children:⁸

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

² Deane Porch, Marshall County Tennessee Wills, 1835-1865 (pub. 1978), p. 62

³ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

⁵ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

⁶ Tennessee State Library & Archives, Index to Tennessee Confederate Pension Applications (pub. 1964), p. 279, #986

⁷ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 4 (Jul 1985), p. 6

⁸ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), pp. 21-22

12422151. MARTHA R. RAMBO, b. 30 Jul 1864, m. Silas Milton Endsley 12422152. WILLIAM HENRY RAMBO, b. 27 Sep 1868, m. Artie Missie Davis 12422153. J. T. RAMBO (m), b. 20 Jan 1877, d. 13 May 1896, buried Cochran Cem

1242216. **JOHN F. RAMBO** was born on 17 Aug 1842 and served in the Confederate forces during the Civil War, as did his brothers.¹ He was a Pvt. in Co. C, 17th Tennessee Infantry. After the war, on 22 Feb 1869, in Marshall Co., Tennessee, he married BARSHEBA ARZELLA **RUSSELL** who was born about 1852. In 1877 they lived near Blanch P.O. in Lincoln Co., Tennessee, and in 1880 his widowed mother, Polly Rambo, lived with the family. After 1880 they moved to Benton Co., Arkansas, near the border of the Indian Territory [now Oklahoma]. John Rambo died there 7 May 1888, and Arzella lived at Brent P.O. near Sallison in 1899. John and Arzella Rambo had these children while living in District 1, Marshall Co., Tennessee:²

12422161. FRANCES RAMBO, b. ca 1871, d. before 1880 in Marshall Co.

12422162. BENJAMIN C. RAMBO, b. ca 1873, lived Ridge P.O. in 1899

12422163. GEORGE F. RAMBO, b. ca 1875, lived Tucker P.O. in 1899

12422164. PERCY C. RAMBO, b. ca 1877, lived Ridge P.O. Northern District

12422165. MIRTLE M. RAMBO, b. ca 1880, lived Tucker P.O. Central District

12422166. WM. D. RAMBO (twin), b. ca 1884

12422167. LILLIE RAMBO (twin), b. ca 1884

1242217. **FRANCIS KINCANNON RAMBO** was born 28 Aug 1845 and died 25 Oct 1863 in the Civil War. He is buried in Hardin Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.³

1242218. **BRYANT W. RAMBO** was born 12 Feb 1847. He married NANCY **STILWELL** in Marshall Co., Tennessee on 6 Jan 1864. During the Civil War, he was a private, Co. G. 32nd Tenn. Inf., Confederate Army.⁴ He died 12 Sep 1866.⁵

1242219. **WILLIAM WORTH RAMBO** was born 3 July 1849 and married DEMARIUS A. **RONE** on 11 Jan 1872 [sic]. She was born in 1853 and died in 1871! William married LEOTA FRANCES **COLLINS** less than a month later, on 1 Feb 1872, in Marshall Co., Tennessee. Leota was born in Feb 1854. They lived in Marshall Co., TN. William died 2 Sep 1934, and Leota died 28 Apr 1938. They and several of their children are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery. William and Leota had these children:⁶

12422191. MARY EMMA RAMBO, b. 29 Sept 1873, d. 29 Apr 1965

12422192. ELLA FOUNT RAMBO, b. 31 Mar 1876, m. Edgar Bruce Malone 12422193. THOMAS RAMBO, b. about 1879

¹ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21, p. 22 citing several depositions of Nov 1900

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

⁴ United States War Department, Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers ..., National Archives microfilm

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

⁶ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

12422194. BURCH W. RAMBO, b. May 1881, moved to Texas
12422195. HETTIE L. RAMBO, b. May 1884, d. 1968, buried Pleasant Hill
12422196. BENJAMIN HARRIS RAMBO, b. May 1889, m. Nell McConnell
12422197. ANNIE MAI RAMBO, b. 4 Nov 1891, d. Jun 1962, m. Jesse Morgan Hill
12422198. LENA ERCELL RAMBO, b. 11 Sept 1894, m. William Gaston London
1242219A. DAISY C. RAMBO, b. Aug 1896
1242219B. ODELL P. RAMBO (m), b. Dec 1899, buried Round Hill Cemetery

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124221A. **GEORGE W. RAMBO** was born 3 Jul 1851. He married a cousin, ELIZA J. **WELCH** [#124223A], on 18 Nov 1869. She was born 12 Apr 1852, daughter of Harvey Birch and Eliza H. (Rambo) Welch. In June of 1870 George lived with his grandfather Elias Rambo Sr. in the Lewisburg area where he helped with the farming. He died 4 May 1932, Eliza died 15 Nov 1939, and they are buried in Welch Cemetery. Their children were:¹

124221A1. ANGELA RAMBO, b. ca 1872

124221A2. FRANCIS HARVEY RAMBO, b. 24 Mar 1873, m. Ada Anna Stewart

124221B. LUCY ELIZABETH RAMBO was born 11 Mar 1855, died 3 Jul 1855, and is buried in Hardin Cemetery.²

The children of [#124222] Murdock McKenzie and Martha (Rambo) Malone [daughter of Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Wm A., Elias Rambo, John S., Murdock McKenzie Jr. and George W. B.

1242221. WM. A. MALONE was born about 1831 and on 20 Oct 1851 married HARRIETT LUNA who was born about 1834, a daughter of Jackson Luna. Wm. was a Pvt. in Co. I, 8 Inf., CSA. They lived in Pulaski in 1870 and 1880. Their children were:³

12422211. JACKSON MALONE, b. ca 1853

12422212. WRIGHT MALONE, b. ca 1855

12422213. DAVID N. MALONE, b. ca 1857

12422214. CALVIN MALONE, b. ca 1861

12422215. JOHN MALONE, b. ca 1868

 1242222. ELIAS RAMBO MALONE was born about 1835 and married REBECCA ANN HAISLIP on 31 Jul 1855. She was born about 1837. Elias was also a Pvt. in Co.
 I, 8 Inf. CSA. He was a grocery clerk in Pulaski in 1870. Their children were:⁴ 12422221. SARAH J. MALONE, b. ca 1857

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

12422222. WM. T. MALONE, b. ca 1859 12422223. JAMES MALONE, b. ca 1862 12422224. CHARLES M. MALONE, b. ca 1864 12422225. MARTHA J. MALONE, b. ca 1866 12422226. ALBERT MALONE, b. ca 1868 12422227. ELIZABETH MALONE, b. ca 1870

1242223. JOHN S. MALONE was born about 1838 and married EMALINE LUNA on 31 Dec 1856. He was in Co. C, 17 Inf., CSA.¹

1242224. **MURDOCK McKENSIE MALONE** Jr. was born 24 Oct 1840 and married SARAH JANE **HARRIS** on 5 May 1864. She was born 27 Jul 1847, daughter of Wm Lindsey and Mary Ann Harris who are buried in Cochran Cemetery. Murdock M. Malone was a Pvt. in Co. C, 17th Inf., CSA. He died 14 Jun 1903, and Sarah died 11 Apr 1923. They had these two children:²

12422241. MARTHA A. MALONE, b. 30 Mar 1865, m. G. Worth Hobby 12422242. EDGAR BRUCE MALONE, b. 15 Jun 1874, m. Ella Fount Rambo

1242225. **GEORGE W. B. MALONE** was born in 1850 and was a grocery clerk in Pulaski in 1870.³

The children of [#124223] Harvey Birch and Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch [daughter of Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William H., Elias S., Charles F., William Harvey, John B., Elizabeth W., Mary H., Martha Ann, S. F., Eliza J. and G. W.

1242234. **WILLIAM HARVEY WELCH** was born 17 Jan 1837 and died 30 Jul 1905. He married LEMIRA ELLEN **LEONARD** on 10 Jan 1850 (when he was 13! and she was 12!!). She was born 28 Jun 1838 and died 15 Oct 1863. He married second, ELIZABETH HARRIETT DAVIS **JOHNSON** on 14 Jul 1869. She was born 18 Feb 1842 and died 29 Mar 1893. William and both wives are buried in Welch Cemetery. His first child was born in 1868, (when he was not married?) These were his children:⁴

- 12422341. ELLEN E. WELCH, b. ca 1868
- 12422342. Wm. L. WELCH, b. 2 Jan 1871, d. 12 Sep 1903, m. Janie E. (?)
- 12422343. LINTON A. WELCH, b. ca 1873
- 12422344. GEORGE A. WELCH, b. ca 1874, d. 1952, buried Welch Cemetery
- 12422345. MARGARET WELCH, b. ca 1876
- 12422346. OLIVER C. WELCH, b. 29 Jul 1877, d. 6 Jan 1968, m. Lamyra M. (?)

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), pp. 23-24

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

1242236. **ELIZABETH W. WELCH** was born 3 Apr 1841 and married CHARLES JAMES **CRUTCHER** on 11 May 1856. He was born in Robertson Co., Tennessee on 16 Jan 1834, a son of Rev. Larkin and Amelia (Clark) Crutcher. Elizabeth died 16 Feb 1925. They and most of their children are buried in Welch Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. She and Charles had these children:¹

12422361. JOHN FRANKLIN CRUTCHER, b. ca 1858, m. Hattie P. Cunningham

12422362. CHARLES JEFFERSON CRUTCHER, b. 20 Aug 1859, d. 23 Feb 1862

12422363. MARY ELIZABETH CRUTCHER, b. 2 Feb 1862, d. 2 Mar 1876

12422364. IDA LEE CRUTCHER, b. 21 Jun 1867, d. 2 Apr 1933, m. Walter Drake

12422365. GEORGE HARVEY CRUTCHER, d. 1944, m. Jennie Kimbrough

12422366. Daughter CRUTCHER, b. & d. 15 Feb 1875

12422367. Son CRUTCHER, b. & d. 1 Jan 1878

1242237. **MARY H. WELCH** was born 20 Oct 1843 and married JOHN J. LaFAYETTE **BRYANT** on 5 Jan 1860. He was born 24 Aug 1837, a son of Thomas W. and Elizabeth W. (Ritchie) Bryant. John died 23 Feb 1898, and Mary died 23 Dec 1908. They and several of their children are buried in Welch Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. They were parents of these children:²

12422371. JOCIE A BRYANT, b. 4 Sep 1863, d. 26 Jun 1870

12422372. ELIZA T. BRYANT, b. 28 Feb 1868, d. 13 Jun 1877

12422373. GEORGE BIRCH WELCH BRYANT, b. 13 Oct 1870, m. Nannie Baxter

12422374. SALLIE BRYANT, m. Nick G. Andrews

12422375. JOHN W. BRYANT, b. 19 Nov 1875, d. 13 Dec 1875

1242238. **MARTHA ANN WELCH** was born 14 Apr 1846 and married Wm. FREDERICK **FINLEY** on 22 Sep 1864. He was born 19 Feb 1841, a son of James and Malinda P. (Fisher) Finley. Martha died 5 Nov 1910; Wm. died 14 Feb 1918; they are buried in Welch Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. They had these children:³

12422381. NANCY PENINA FINLEY, b. 15 Jul 1865, d. Mar 1951, m. J. N. Green

12422382. JAMES H. FINLEY, b. 1867, d. 1940, m. G. G. (?)

12422383. LEONARD FINLEY, b. ca 1872

12422384. ALBERTA FINLEY, b. ca 1874

12422385. DENNIS FINLEY, b. ca 1876

1242239. **SARAH F. WELCH** was born 29 Dec 1849 and married GEORGE W. **RONE**. He was born 6 Nov 1846 and died 9 Jun 1905. She died 21 Oct 1844. They are buried in Welch Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.⁴

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25, also vol 2, p. 85

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

124223A. **ELIZA J. WELCH** was born 12 Apr 1852 and married her cousin GEORGE. W. **RAMBO** [#124221A] on 18 Nov 1859. He was born 3 Jul 1851, a son of Francis K. and Mary Burgess (Harden) Rambo. George died 4 May 1932, and Eliza died 15 Nov 1938. They had these children:¹

124221A1. ANGELA RAMBO, b. ca 1872

124221A2. FRANCIS HARVEY RAMBO, b. 24 Mar 1873, m. Ada A. Stewart

124223B. **GEORGE W. WELCH** was born 10 Apr 1855 and married ELIZABETH F. (Bettie) **BARRON** on 17 Dec 1879. She was born 7 May 1861. George died 7 Aug 1914, Bettie died 30 Jan 1950, and they are buried in Welch Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. These are their children as recorded in the family Bible:²

124223B1. IRIS MABLE WELCH, b. 19 Nov 1881

124223B2. CHARLES HERMAN WELCH, b. 29 Feb 1884, d. 1947

124223B3. WILLIAM VIRGIL WELCH, b. 29 Mar 1888

124223B4. BIRCH BARRON WELCH, b. 18 Nov 1895

The children of [#124224] James E. and Margaret E. (Rambo) Sansom [daughter of Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Samuel D., Elizabeth J., Eliza R., Mary Ann, Elias M., Caroline F., George W. J. and Sarah F.

1242241. **SAMUEL D. SANSOM** was born about 1834 and married FRANCES E. **PAGE** on 30 Aug 1855. He was a Pvt. in Co. C, 17th Inf., CSA.³

1242246. **CAROLINE F. SANSOM** was born about 1844 and married THOMAS WHITE on 10 Jun 1863.⁴

The children of [#124225] Richard and Mary Ann (Rambo) Daugherty [daughter of Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Basil Manley, George W. and Mary E.

1242251. **BASIL MANLEY DAUGHERTY** was born about 1839 and married M. J. **HAISLIP** on 7 Jan 1864. He was a Pvt. in Co. C, 17 Inf., CSA and died before 1872.⁵

1242252. **GEORGE W. DAUGHERTY** was born about 1841 and died before 1872. He was also a Pvt. in Co. C, 17 Inf., CSA.⁶

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), pp. 25-26

² "Rambo Bible," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 5 (1), p. 23 (Spring 1974)

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

⁶ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

1242253. **MARY E. DAUGHERTY** was born 18 Jul 1843 and married LEVI MONROE **COOK** on 3 Jul 1864. He was born in Nov 1843, a son of William and Emily (Hall) Cook. It is said that Mary E. Daugherty Cook named her two sons for her two brothers who were killed during the Civil War. Levi died 8 Apr 1924, and Mary died soon after on 14 Jan 1925. They are buried in Cochran Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. They had these two children:¹

12422531. GEORGE W. COOK, b. Dec 1865, d. 1940, m. Ada Pyles

12422532. BASIL MANLEY DAUGHERTY COOK, b. 24 Aug 1867, m. O. Willis

The children of [#124226] Elias and Mary T. (Harden) Rambo Jr. [son of Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were David H., William Wallace, Elias Martin, Martha E., Mary Ann, George W., Lucy T. and Margaret.

1242261. **DAVID HENRY RAMBO** was born 19 Oct 1844 at Lawrenceburg, Tennessee. He enlisted in Civil War in the spring of 1861 in the 48th Tenn. Inf. Reg., served in Co. H, 17th Regt. Tenn. Inf, and later served in the calvary. He moved to Brown Co., Texas in 1871 and commensed farming in Steppes Creek near Brownwood. In Johnson Co., Texas on 8 Oct 1876, he married Mrs. MARY JANE (**BILLS**) DAVIS. She was born 29 Mar 1853 in Dyer Co., TN, daughter of William Hezekiah and Sarah G. (Hardin) Bills. Mary Jane was a descendant of Strangeman Hutchins of early Virginia;² and of the Bills and Twining families of early Massachusetts and New Jersey.³ She had two daughters by her earlier marriage to Nathan Davis: Sarah (Sallie) Davis b. 30 Mar 1871 m. John Mashburn and Martha Davis b. 17 Jun 1873 m. Dave Scott. David H. and Mary Jane Rambo settled in Brown Co., Texas where their children were born. David H. died in Brownwood, Texas on 18 Apr 1916.⁴ Mary Jane died there of coronary heart disease on 3 Dec 1942, and they are buried in Greenleaf Cemetery.⁵ Their children were all born in Steppes Creek Community, Williams Ranch Road, Brown Co., Texas:⁶

12422611. WILLIAM E. RAMBO, b. 1878, d. 1881 in Johnson Co., Texas

12422612. JOHN H. RAMBO, b. 1880, d. 1881 in Johnson Co., TX

12422613. GEORGE DAVID RAMBO, b. 26 Feb 1881, d. 10 Jun 1925

- 12422614. MAMIE RAMBO, b. 2 Apr 1882, d. 24 Dec 1956, m. Will Goats
- 12422615. ALBERT SIDNEY RAMBO, b. 3 Mar 1884, m. Mary Garrett

12422616. ELMA P. RAMBO, b. 1 Jan 1887, d. 1981, m. Luther Woods

12422617. BEULAH NELL RAMBO, b. 5 Jun 1889, m. Ernest Bascom Clardy

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

² Rita Hineman Townsend, Hutchins--Hutchens: Descendants of Strangeman Hutchins, born 1707, ... (1979), p. 194

³ L. Len Clardy, Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills (1992), Rambo Traveling Papers 2003

⁴ L. Len Clardy, *Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills* (1992), p. 29; copy of pension application in Rambo traveling papers 2003

⁵ L. Len Clardy, Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills (1992), pp. 29-42, Bible record

⁶ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

12422618. DEE BRANSON RAMBO, b. 28 Nov 1893, d. 1956, m. Inez Norton 12422619. MARY ESSIE RAMBO, b. 11 Jun 1897, d. 1964, unmarried

1242262. **WILLIAM WALLACE RAMBO** was born 23 Oct 1845 and married MARINA J. **BEARD** on 24 Nov 1875. She was born 30 Jul 1858 and died 2 Nov 1902. William died 13 Oct 1923. They are buried in Garrett Cemetery in Marshall Co., Tennessee. In his will, he left his estate to his nephew Luther Nichols "who lives with me and has cared for me in my declining years."¹

1242263. ELIAS MARTIN RAMBO was born about 1848 and married TENNESSEE LEWIS on 19 Feb 1884.²

1242264. **MARTHA ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born about May 1850 and married R. L. **TAYLOR** on 2 Sep 1872. He was born in 1850 and died 1939. Martha died in 1925. They are buried in Beechwood Cemetery, Cornersville, Tennessee.³

1242265. MARY ANN RAMBO was born about 1853 and married JOHN H. NICHOLS on 26 Oct 1876.⁴

1242267. LUCY FRANCES RAMBO was born about 1857 and married C. F. COOK on 5 Feb 1878.⁵

The child of [#124227] Thomas and M. S. Rambo [son of Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1242271. **J. R. RAMBO** was born about 1849 in Tennessee. In 1870 he was a blacksmith with his father in Marshall Co., Tennessee.

The children of [#124241] John and Isabella (Neal) Rambo Jr. [son of John, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Lydia, Dorcas, Bartholomew and Amanda.

1242413. **BARTHOLOMEW RAMBO** was born about 1844. He married MARGARET COUCH on 19 Mar 1868 in Johnson Co., Tennessee.⁶

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

⁶ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records

The children of [#124243] William Davis and Mary Ann (Widener) Rambo [son of John, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Nancy Florence, Dorcus Ellen, Martha J., Sarah E., John F., James W., Alice B. and Lillie May.

1242431. NANCY FLORENCE RAMBO was born in Nov 1864 and did not marry. She lived with her mother in the Holston District of Washington Co., Virginia and died in 1944. She was buried in Wrights Chapel Cemetery.¹

1242432. **DORCUS ELLEN RAMBO** was born in 1865 and did not marry. She lived at home with her mother, brother, and sisters. She died in 1917 and was buried in Wrights Chapel Cemetery.²

1242434. **SARAH E. RAMBO** was born about 1869 in Washington Co., Virginia. On 10 Jun 1899 she married WILLIAM D. **HAND** who was born about 1871, the son of Jas. E. and Eliza E. Hand.³ In the estate of W. D. Hand, Sallie E. Hand was granted letters of H in Apr 1936, Washington Co. will book 37:58,111.

1242435. **JOHN FRANKLIN RAMBO** was born in May 1870 in Washington Co., Virginia. He married NORA **VAIL** on 16 Feb 1903. She was born in 1881, the daughter of John and Mattie Vail.⁴ John Rambo died in 1944 and was buried in Wrights Chapel Cemetery.⁵ They were the parents of at least nine children:

- 12424351. MARY O. RAMBO, b. 1904, d. 1949
- 12424352. SAMUEL L. RAMBO, b. 29 Nov 1914, d. 28 May 1916
- 12424353. Infant RAMBO, b. 4 Jul 1922, d. 4 Jul 1922
- 12424359. EWIN VAIL RAMBO, b. 11 Feb 1920, d. 21 Jan 2000

1242437. ALICE B. RAMBO was born in Oct 1878 and lived with her mother and siblings in the family home in Damascus, Virginia in 1900. She was a school teacher.

1242438. LILLIE MAY RAMBO was born 21 Feb 1880, and at age 16 on 1 Jan 1896 she married JOHN W. SCOTT of Bluefield, West Virginia. He was the son of Wm. E. and M. R. Scott.⁶ John died 19 Oct 1906 at the age of 37, and Lillie died 3 Mar 1917, also at the age of 37. Both were buried in Wright's Chapel Cemetery with a son.⁷ They may have had more than one child:

12424381. JAMES W. SCOTT, b. 26 Oct 1900, d. Nov 1905

¹ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," *High on a Windy Hill* (pub. 1968)

² Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968)

³ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records

⁴ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records

⁵ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 225

⁶ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records

⁷ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968)

The children of [#124251] Thomas H. and Sarah C. (Briney) Rambo [son of Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1242511. **ELIAS WILLIAM RAMBO** was born in Jul 1848 in Hickman Co., Kentucky and was living in 1900 but died before 1910. He was known as Elias when young but as an adult used the name William. On 21 Jan 1873 he married MARTHA F. **DODSON**, the daughter of Isaac Cruise and Martha (Hickerson) Dodson of Hickman Co.^{1,2} Martha was born 7 Oct 1853 and died 23 Mar 1939 at the age of 85. She is buried in Milburn, Kentucky. William and Martha Rambo had five children:

12425111. OLIVER RAMBO, b. ca 1874

12425112. ELLA RAMBO, b. Nov 1877, m. Mr. Cottrell

12425113. ISAAC RAMBO, b. Feb 1882

12425114. CORNELIUS RAMBO, b. Jan 1886

12425115. PRINTISS RAMBO, b. 15 Feb 1889, d. 1966, m. Bessie Lee McCormick

1242512. **MARY JANE RAMBO** was born 22 Nov 1853. She married JAMES **O'NEAL** on 28 Oct 1873 at her mother's home.^{3,4} He was born 2 Sep 1854. They lived in Hickman Co., Kentucky in 1880 and had one known child:

12425121. WILLIAM M. O'NEAL, b. ca 1879

1242513. **JOHN DAVID RAMBO** was born 12 Nov 1856 in Hickman Co., Kentucky.⁵ He married MARGARET E. **O'NEAL** on 7 Jan 1875. She was born 17 Jul 1857 and died 26 Feb 1881 with burial in Milburn, Kentucky. About 1890 John married his second wife, ALICE **ROBINSON**, who was born 21 Oct 1872. John David Rambo died 9 Nov 1894 at the age of 38, and Alice married Benjamin Hughes. She died 26 Nov 1958 and was buried in the Beulah Church Cemetery, Hickman Co. John and Margaret had these children:

12425131. JAMES ISAAC RAMBO, b. 22 Nov 1876, m. Myrtle (?)

12425132. ROSA ANN RAMBO, b. before 1880, m. W. H. Sams

John and Alice Rambo had these children:

- 12425133. TIZZIEBURR RAMBO, b. 23 Sep 1891, d. 1977, m. Roy Gertrude Tharp
- 12425134. IRVIN ROY RAMBO, b. 21 Oct 1892, d. 1957, m. Bessie Opal Wilson
- 12425135. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. Nov 1890
- 12425136. THOMAS RAMBO, b. 3 May 1894, d. 15 Oct 1894

1242516. **BUENAVISTA RAMBO** was born 4 Mar 1866 and married JEFF L. **LEDFORD** on 21 Nov 1888. He was born 16 Jul 1864 and died 28 Mar 1949.

¹ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

² Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

³ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁴ Hickman County, Kentucky, County Clerk, Vital Records

⁵ Hickman County, Kentucky, "Vital Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm # 1191. [Obsolete film number.]

Buenavista was in bed following the birth of her child when fire engulfed the house. She was forced to get out and complications resulted in her death on 12 Mar 1894. Buenavista and her husband were both buried in Milburn, Kentucky. On the 1920 census Jeff appears with second wife, Lizzie Thomas aged 51, whom he married 6 Oct 1897, and children: Christine, a son Ella Bee, Thomas Gary, and Una Mae aged 6. On 25 Oct 1925, Jeff married a third wife, Mrs. Effie Lee (?)(Jones) Donaldson who was born 17 May 1912.¹ Buenavista and Jeff Ledford had these children:²

12425161. BYRON LEDFORD, b. ca 1890

12425162. LETTIE MAE LEDFORD, b. 30 Mar 1891, m. Joseph Leonard Carrico 12425163. CARRIE LEDFORD, b. Mar 1894, d. ca 1984, m. Raymon Hastin

The children of [#124252] Ezekiel and Louisa (Jones) Rambo [son of Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1242521. **ALBERT NEWTON RAMBO** was born in Apr 1847. He married ENDORA (?) who was born in Aug 1846. In 1880 they lived in Hickman Co., Kentucky and adopted two Williams children: G. and W. both born in Missouri about 1872. In 1900 they lived in Arlington, KY. Albert Rambo died 7 Dec 1906.

1242522. MARY D. RAMBO was born about 1850 and married SAMUEL S. KIRBY on 10 Oct 1867 in Hickman Co., Kentucky.³ As a widow, she married Mr. BONE and died 27 May 1917.

1242523. **NANCY ANN RAMBO** was born about 1852 and married twice. Her first husband was Mr. **WILLIS** and the second was AMERICUS **JOHNSON** [#1242572].⁴

1242524. **SARAH ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born 15 Jan 1854 in Obion, Hickman Co., Kentucky.⁵ She married WILLIAM **BERRY**.⁶ In 1900 they lived in Marshall Co., Kentucky and had these children:

12425241. ADELL BERRY, b. Mar 1878

12425242. NORA A. BERRY, b. Jan 1882

12425243. MALLARD D. BERRY, b. Mar 1884

12425244. CALVIN BERRY, b. Aug 1888

12425245. WAYMAN BERRY, b. Feb 1892

¹ Sue Walkup, suziewalkup@qwest.net, e-mail of 3 Feb 2001

² Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

³ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁴ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records, letter of Jun 2000

⁵ Hickman County, Kentucky, "Vital Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm # 1191. [Obsolete film number.]

⁶ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

1242525. **JAMES E. RAMBO** was born 14 Sep 1856 and died 15 Nov 1857.¹ He was buried in the Rambo Cemetery.

1242526. **ELIZA J. RAMBO** was born 18 May 1858 in Obion, Kentucky.² She married W. M. **WATTS** on 6 Apr 1881 and died a few months later on 7 Sep 1881.³

1242527. **RHODA RAMBO** was born about 1865 and married twice. On 16 Nov 1881 she married WILLIAM **LATHAM**. Her second husband was MARCUS LAFAYETTEE **JOHNSON** [#1242571].⁴

1242528. ENDORA J. RAMBO was born about 1866. She married Mr. HOPKINS.⁵

1242529. **JULIA FLORIDA RAMBO** was born 16 Apr 1867 in Hickman Co., Kentucky and married EDMOND TAYLOR **BROOKS** on 5 Feb 1885.⁶ He was born 29 Oct 1857. They lived in Marshall Co., Kentucky about 1898 and moved to Whitney, Hill Co., Texas prior to 1904. Edmond Brooks died 9 Apr 1941, and Julia died 17 Dec 1954. Both were buried in the Kopperl Cemetery. Their children were:

12425291. MYRTLE MINNIE BROOKS, b. 19 Nov 1886, m. Howey Lonzo Brown

- 12425292. ALBERT TOMMY BROOKS, b. 21 Nov 1888, d. 1889
- 12425293. TAYLOR MAY BROOKS, b. 16 May 1890, m. 1) Erastus, 2) Graham
- 12425294. JENNIE LOU BROOKS, b. 29 Jan 1892, d. 1918
- 12425295. ERNEST LLOYD BROOKS, b. 25 Apr 1895, d. Feb 1918
- 12425296. VESTER FRANCIS BROOKS, b. 26 Feb 1898, m. 1) Little, 2) Bledsoe
- 12425297. MASON DOCTOR BROOKS, b. 21 Sep 1900, m. LaNora Broswell
- 12425298. BEULAH BROOKS (twin), b. 31 Mar 1904, m. William F. Rich
- 12425299. EULA BROOKS (twin), b. 31 Mar 1904, m. 1) H. Payne, 2) J. Chandler
- 1242529A. HERBERT BRUCE BROOKS, b. 18 Nov 1906, m. 1) Bolin, 2) Stephens

124252A. **MINNIE OLLIE RAMBO** was born in 1869, and on 24 Mar 1887 she married RICHARD THOMAS **COURTNEY**.⁷ He was born 6 Jan 1863, the son of Lorenzo and Nancy E. (Rozzell) Courtney of Beulah, Kentucky. Richard died 15 Mar 1934, and Minnie Courtney died 23 Aug 1934. They were buried in the Beulah Cemetery, near Milburn, Kentucky. They had these children:

124252A1. WALTER HAYS COURTNEY, b. 1888, d. 1958, m. Kate O'Neal 124252A2. AVERY E. COURTNEY, b. 20 Jul 1890, m. 1) Sullivan, 2) Wooley 124252A3. ELVIS SYLVESTER COURTNEY, b. 10 Sep 1892, m. Dixie Burgess

¹ Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

² Hickman County, Kentucky, "Vital Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm # 1191. [Obsolete film number.]

³ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁴ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records, letter of Jun 2000

⁵ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁶ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁷ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

124252A4.	LEELAND KELLO COURTNEY, b. 1897
124252A5.	EFFIE COURTNEY, b. 1894
124252A6.	LOYD LOW COURTNEY, b. 4 Sep 1899
124252A7.	ALBERT HOWARD COURTNEY, b. 11 Dec 1903
124252A8.	JEWELL COURTNEY, b. 1 Sep 1906
124252A9.	TENNIE RACHEL COURTNEY, b. 3 Jun 1909

The children of [#124253] Elias and Margaret Frett (Hickerson) Rambo [son of Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Moses Shelton, Nancy E., Mary F., Fredonia, Thomas Christopher, Sarah Ellen, Ezekiel, Melissa S. and George David.

1242531. **MOSES SHELTON RAMBO** was born 12 Dec 1852 in Beulah, Kentucky and, at age 57, married MATTIE C. **O'DANIEL** on 11 Apr 1909 in Hickman Co., Kentucky.^{1,2} They later lived in Carlisle Co., and he died 29 Jul 1917.

1242532. NANCY E. RAMBO was born Jan 1854 and married LEWIS JACKSON on 24 Dec 1868.³ At the time of the 1900 Census, she lived at home with her mother, brothers and sisters in Hickman Co., Kentucky.

1242533. **MARY F. RAMBO** was born 20 Jan 1856 and married JAMES ISAAC **DODSON** on 14 Mar 1878.^{4,5} In 1900 she lived at home with her mother, brothers, and sister. She died on 28 Jun 1911. She and James Dodson had one known child: 12425331. MARGARETTA DODSON, b. Jan 1879

1242534. **FREDONIA RAMBO** was born 14 Jul 1861 in Hickman Co., Kentucky and married JAMES C. **BAKER** there on 14 Nov 1877. He was born in Jun 1855. They moved frequently as children were born in Milburn, Carlisle Co., KY in 1879, in Clark Co., KY in 1882, and in Indian Territory in 1885, and died near Kemp, Bryan Co., Oklahoma in 1897, and the census records them in Polk Co., Arkansas in 1900, in Scott Co., AR in 1910, and in LeFlore Co., Oklahoma in 1920. They had these children:⁶

12425341. MOSES SIDNEY BAKER, b. 29 Mar 1879, m. Myrtle Lee Howerton

- 12425342. NANCY JANE BAKER, b. 23 Mar 1882, m. Andrew Jackson Ward
- 12425343. LILLA D. BAKER, b. 31 Aug 1885, m. Clarence A. Box
- 12425344. JAMES THOMAS BAKER, b. 23 Mar 1889, m. Pearlie Mae Hawkins
- 12425345. CHARLES BAKER, b. 17 Oct 1894, d. 4 Aug 1897
- 12425346. ELIAS BAKER, b. 25 Jun 1897, d. 23 Jul 1897

¹ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

² Hickman County, Kentucky, County Clerk, Vital Records

³ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁴ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁵ Hickman County, Kentucky, "Vital Records," Mormon Genealogical Library, microfilm # 1191. [Obsolete film number.]

⁶ Joyce Lesoing, family research, e-mail of 4 Jan 2002

12425347. DONEY LILBURN BAKER, b. 15 Jan 1898, m. Myrtle Wright 12425348. ROSE MILDRED BAKER, b. 29 Aug 1905

1242537. **EZEKIEL RAMBO** was born 20 Dec 1865.¹ Census records May 1861. He lived in Milburn, Kentucky with his brother George in 1900. He never married and died 18 Sep 1938.

1242539. **GEORGE DAVID RAMBO** was born 1 Mar 1876 in Hickman Co., Kentucky and married DOCIE **VIVETTE**.² In 1900 George lived in Milburn, Carlisle Co. with his brother Ezekiel. Docie died prior to 1924, and George died 15 Aug 1957. He was buried in Beulah Cemetery, Hickman Co., Kentucky. They had these children:

12425391. THEODORE RAMBO, b. 1906, m. Marinda Redford

12425392. MODINE RAMBO, m. Minnie Beatrice Patrick

12425393. E. Z. RAMBO, m. Christine Bivens

12425394. HENRY RAMBO, b. 10 Dec 1910, m. Alice Hayden

The children of [#124255] David and Eda Ellen (House) Rambo [son of Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Thomas H., Sarah A., James L., Nancy Belle, Eliza, Margaret E., Mary J. and John W.

1242552. **SARAH A. RAMBO** was born about 1859 and married WILLIAM **HOBBS** on 2 Aug 1880.³

1242554. NANCY BELLE RAMBO was born about 1864 and married S. D. DAY on 10 May 1881.⁴

1242557. **JOHN W. RAMBO** was born in Aug 1872 (or 1874) and married ALICE (?) who was born in Missouri in Feb 1874. The family lived in Cass Township, Stone Co., Missouri in 1900. They had these known children:

12425571. CHARLES A. RAMBO, b. Feb 1897

12425572. MARTHA L. RAMBO, b. Aug 1899

The children of [#124262] Hezekiah and M. Jane (Rudy) Wilson [son of Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William, Harriet, Delilah, John A., Nancy J., David N., Mary Jane and Elizabeth E.

¹ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

² Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

³ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁴ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

1242624. **JOHN A. WILSON** was born 21 Jul 1849 in Washington Co., Virginia and married the widow Mrs. LOUISA A. (**MINK**) RAMBO on 17 Oct 1872.¹ She was 25 years old, born about 1843 in Washington Co. John was a teacher at that time. He died 29 Jun 1917, and his will was recorded on 17 Apr 1928 in Washington Co. will book 33:314. Mrs. Rambo died about 1918. They had these children:²

12426241. HARRIET ELIZABETH JANE WILSON, b. 17 Aug 1873, m. J. Dunn

12426242. JAMES SAMUEL WILSON, b. 27 Apr 1876, d. 1943, m. Annie Gentry

12426243. MINERVA WILSON, b. ca 1880, m. William Clark

12426244. MARTHA E. WILSON, b. ca 1885, d. 7 Sep 1924, m. Oscar Gentry

1242626. **DAVID N. WILSON** was born 2 Aug 1859 and married MILLA E. **GILBERT**. She was born 2 Jun 1860 and died 27 Jul 1944. David died 18 Sep 1918. They had these children:³

12426261. WILLIAM M. WILSON, b. 22 Jun 1880, d. 1956, m. Nettie G. Greer 12426262. OLLIE B. WILSON, b. ca 1885, m. 1) John Forrester, 2) Robert Greer

12426263. BLANCHE WILSON, b. ca 1890, d. 1932, m. Daily Widener

12426264. LOU ELLA WILSON, b. 1893, d. 1932, m. Arthur E. Eggers

1242628. ELIZABETH E. WILSON was born about 1862/3 and married JAMES C. REECE. They had this one known child:⁴

12426281. DAVID EUGENE REECE, b. ca 1885, d. 1963, m. Bertie M. Phillippi

The children of [#124263] David Rambo and Nancy Susannah (Wright) Wilson [son of Nancy (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were James Hugh, Ruth Ann, John Bruner, Virginia Elizabeth, Margaret Jane, Mary Catherine, Martha E., Jefferson, Mack R., William Allen Patterson, W. Clifton and M. F.

1242631. **JAMES HUGH WILSON** was a merchant born 31 May 1859 in Washington Co., VA. On 9 Jul 1902 he married 19-year-old LULA MAE **WRIGHT**. She was born 26 Sep 1883,⁵ the daughter of William H. and Florence Wright. They had these children:⁶

12426311. HARPER WILSON, m. Mary Canter

12426312. JAMES WILSON, m. Blanche (?)

12426313. DAVID WILSON, m. Jeanette Anderson, went to Knoxville, TN

1242633. JOHN BRUNER (Jack) WILSON was born 26 May 1861 and married

¹ Thomas Colley, Washington County Virginia Marriages 1853-1880 (1997), p. 399

² Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002

³ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

⁴ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

⁵ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, .RTF file

⁶ Virginia C. Smith, Cornett (printed 1984), p. 94

LAURA ALICE **NEAL** about 1892. She was born 2 Aug 1873 and died 13 Dec 1933. Jack died earlier, on 1 May 1930.¹ They had eleven children, but three died in infancy:²

- 12426331. Infant WILSON, d. 1893
- 12426332. HENERY WILSON, b. 13 Jan 1895
- 12426333. ISABELLE WILSON, b. 17 Dec 1897, m. George McCann
- 12426334. EVA WILSON, b. 4 Aug 1901, m. Bill Rudy
- 12426335. Infant WILSON, d. 1903
- 12426336. RUTH WILSON, b. Oct 1905, m. Bernard McCray
- 12426337. JOHN WILSON, b. Dec 1907, m. Ann Gilland

1242634. VIRGINIA ELIZABETH (Bett) WILSON was born 1 Sep 1863 and did not marry. She died 3 Feb 1941 at the age of 78.³

1242635. **MARGARET JANE WILSON** was born 7 May 1865.⁴ She married WILLIAM J. **CORNET** who was born 10 Dec 1861 at Wards Forge, Johnson Co., Tennessee, the son of John M. and Cynthia Cornet. William died 12 Feb 1921, and Margaret died 26 Jul 1944. They were buried in the Mock Cemetery, Damascus, Virginia. They had these children:

- 12426351. MARY LEE (DOLLY) CORNETT, b. 28 May 1887
- 12426352. HUGH GRANT CORNETT, b. 26 Feb 1889
- 12426353. SAMUEL JONES CORNETT, b. 12 Dec 1891
- 12426354. LENNA GAY CORNETT, b. 17 Jun 1894
- 12426355. WALKER McKINLEY CORNETT, b. 4 Dec 1896
- 12426356. MABEL CORNET, b. 1 Mar 1900
- 12426357. AUDREY PEARL CORNETT, b. 13 Oct 1902

1242636. **MARY CATHERINE (Molly) WILSON** was born 23 May 1867 and married DUSTIN **MILLSAP**. She died 9 Mar 1956. They had one child:⁵

12426361. VERONICA MILLSAP, b. 12 Apr 1906, d. 1971, m. H. H. Harris

1242637. MARTHA E. (Matt) WILSON was born 10 Dec 1868 and about 1891 married HARMON JONES BAKER who was born 6 Mar 1868. Martha died 19 Aug 1893, and Harmon Baker died 30 Aug 1951. They had one son:⁶

12426371. DAVID BLAIN BAKER, b. 10 Jun 1892, m. Addie Greer

1242638. D. JEFFERSON (Jeff) WILSON was born 27 Dec 1871 and was

¹ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, .RTF file

² Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), pp. 94-95

³Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 95

⁴ Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 95

⁵ Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 95

⁶ Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), pp. 95-96

unmarried.¹ For unknown reasons, he shot and killed David Baker in 1953 then killed himself.

1242639. **MACK R. WILSON** was born 23 Aug 1873 and married PEARL LANE who was born 23 Aug 1887. Mack Wilson died 4 Oct 1942, and Pearl died 13 Jun 1956. They had two children:²

12426391. THOMAS EDGAR WILSON, m. Matilda Rambo

12426392. MILDRED WILSON, unmarried

124263A. WILLIAM ALLEN PATERSON (Doc) WILSON was born 14 Apr 1877 and married MARGARET (Maggie) WRIGHT, Mary Wright's twin sister. She was born 20 May 1889 and died 31 Jan 1943. Doc died 4 Oct 1953. They moved to Colorado Springs, Colorado and had six children.³

124263B. **W. CLINTON WILSON** was born 15 May 1880.⁴ He died tragically in back of the house from a gunshot wound, most probably an accident, on 6 Nov 1900.

The children of [#124265] Isaac Allen and Nancy (Wilson) Grant [daughter of Elizabeth Rambo, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1242651. **GARDINER GRANT** was born in Washington Co., Virginia in 1847. He graduated from medical school and practiced as a physician. On 21 Oct 1888 he married VIRGINIA **MOREFIELD** who was born in 1865. Dr. Grant died in 1912, and his widow, Virginia Grant, died in 1937. They had these children:

- 12426511. PETER HOLLAND GRANT, b. 1891
- 12426512. JANE GRANT, b. 1893
- 12426513. IDA GRANT, b. 1894
- 12426514. JOHN GRANT (twin), b. 1898
- 12426515. BERT GRANT (twin), b. 1898
- 12426516. BELVA GRANT

The children of [#124266] Leonard Napolean and Elizabeth (Wilson) Speer [daughter of Elizabeth (Rambo) (Lindsey) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John Alexander, David Arthur, Mose W., Columbia, William Banks, Laura, Joseph and Minnie.

¹ Virginia C. Smith, Cornett (printed 1984), p. 96

² Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 96

³ Virginia C. Smith, Cornett (printed 1984), p. 96

⁴ Virginia C. Smith, *Cornett* (printed 1984), p. 96

1242661. **JOHN ALEXANDER SPEER** was born in Damascus, VA on 21 Dec 1851.¹ He married HARRIET **McGAUGHY** on 22 Mar 1877 and passed away in May 1939.

1242662. **DAVID ARTHUR SPEER** was born 2 Feb 1854, probably in Damascus, Virginia.² On 24 Dec 1874 he married SARAH ANN **KIRKPATRICK**. He died 15 Nov 1919.

1242664. **COLUMBIA SPEER** was born in Whitfield Co., Georgia about 1860.³ She married WALTER **SMITH**.

1242666. LAURA SPEER was born about 1866 in Georgia and married Mr. DAVIS.⁴

1242668. MINNIE SPEER was born about 1873 and married CHARLES TENDALL.⁵

The children of [#124282] James Kelly and Virginia Eleanor (Edmondson) Rambo [son of David, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Thomas Buchanan and Nancy Matilda.

1242821. **THOMAS BUCHANAN RAMBO** was born about 1865 in Glade Springs, Washington Co., Virginia. He settled in Dayton, Ohio and married ANNA **DOPF**.⁶ Anna died in Dayton on 15 Oct 1953.⁷ Thomas and Anna had three children: 12428212. THOMAS RAMBO, b. 12 Nov 1928, d. 1989, m. Marjorie Louise Pontis

1242822. NANCY MATILDA (Met) RAMBO was born in 1870 in Washington Co.,

Virginia and married AMBROSE PYLES of Pyrmont, Indiana. They had no issue.

The children of [#124286] Samuel Kelly and Sarah Jane (Edmondson) Rambo [son of David, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Joseph R., Rachel Ida, Sally B., Charles E., Martha J., David A., Elizabeth Blender and James Kelly.

1242861. **JOSEPH T. RAMBO** was a carpenter who was born 17 Apr 1862 in Washington Co., Virginia and was married there on 28 May 1885 to SARAH V. **STUART**. She was born 9 Feb 1867, a daughter of Thomas & Sarah Stuart.⁸ Sarah died 17 Dec 1926, and Joseph died 15 Oct 1930. Both were buried in the Mt. Olivet

¹ Nona Nunnelly, Muncie, IN 47304, family records

² Nona Nunnelly, Muncie, IN 47304, family records

³ Nona Nunnelly, Muncie, IN 47304, family records

⁴ Nona Nunnelly, Muncie, IN 47304, family records

⁵ Nona Nunnelly, Muncie, IN 47304, family records

⁶ Who's Who in America, 42nd ed. 1982-83, vol. 2 (1982), p. 2739

⁷ Jennifer Ann Rambo, e-mail of 15 Aug 2004 citing *Dayton Daily News*

⁸ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 402

Methodist Church Cemetery south of Glade Springs.¹ They had these children: 12428611. CLINTON RAMBO, b. Oct 1887 12428612. WILLIAM A. RAMBO, b. Jul 1889 12428613. MATTIE RAMBO, b. Aug 1893

1242862. RACHEL IDA RAMBO was born 21 Sep 1866 and died 20 Dec 1945.²

1242864. CHARLES M. RAMBO was a farmer who was born in May 1871 and was married to BETTIE ST. JOHN on 21 Nov 1899 in Washington Co., Virginia.³ She was born in Sep 1874, daughter of A. D. and Eliza St. John. In 1900 the Rambos lived in the Holston District of Washington Co., VA with a sister-in-law, Cora St. John, age sixteen.

1242866. **ELIZABETH BLENDER RAMBO** was born 17 Nov 1876 and died 26 Oct 1923. She was buried in Kelly's Chapel Cemetery near Glade Springs, Washington Co., Virginia.⁴

The children of [#124287] Isaac C. and Francis Virginia (Grant) Rambo [son of David, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1242871. **CORA MAY RAMBO** was born about 1870. She married Mr. M. FLOYD **MOORE** on 22 Dec 1891 in Washington Co., Virginia.⁵ He was a farmer and stock dealer born about 1861, son of Andrew and Mattie Moore.

1242872. **MALCOLM C. RAMBO** was born in Jan 1872 in Washington Co., Virginia. He married MINNIE **WARD** who was born in Dec 1875, and they settled in Grangeville, Idaho. In 1900 her mother, Minnie Ward age 54, lived with the family. Malcolm and Minnie Rambo had these known children.

12428721. MALCOLM RAMBO, b. Aug 1897 12428722. BERT RAMBO, b. May 1900

1242873. **WADE H. RAMBO** was born 29 Sep 1872. He married ETTA **JONES** who was born 16 Jan 1878. Wade died 7 Jun 1951, and his wife died 28 Jun 1948. Both were buried in the Sinking Spring Cemetery, Abingdon, Virginia.⁶ They were the parents of one known child:

12428731. LOIS RAMBO

¹ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," *High on a Windy Hill* (pub. 1968)

² Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 194

³ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records, Register of Marriages N-Z through 1902, p. 410

⁴ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 194

⁵ Washington County, Virginia, Marriage and Birth Records

⁶ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968)

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1242874. **OTHO H. RAMBO** was born in Jul 1878. He married HELEN E. (?) who was born in 1886. Otho died in 1947 and was buried in Bethel Cemetery, Washington Co., Virginia.¹ They probably were the parents of more children than the one infant buried in the same cemetery:

12428741. AUDRY H. RAMBO, b. 14 Nov 1911, d. 18 Jul 1912

The children of [#124288] Andrew T. and Sarah Ann (Scott) Rambo [son of David, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mattie D., Henry Bascom, Thomas Stone, Eva L., Edgar W., and two stillborn sons.

1242882. **HENRY BASCOM RAMBO** was born 8 Aug 1877 and lived in Grangeville, Idaho near his cousin Malcolm Rambo. He died at St. Manes, Idaho on 14 Oct 1914, according to a tombstone inscription in Zion Methodist Cemetery, Washington Co., VA.²

1242884. **THOMAS STONE RAMBO** was born 20 Oct 1880 and married BYRDIE ETHEL **LEWIS** on 30 May 1914.³ He died 26 Jun 1948 and was buried in the Mock Cemetery in Damascus, Virginia.⁴ They lived in Damascus and had two children. 12428841. ELLA SCOTT RAMBO, b. 23 Jun 1918, d. 8 Aug 2006, m.

The children of [#126413] Abel and Jane (Gross) Rambo [son of George, X, X, X, Peter] were Charles Gross, Mary Tillie, Vincent James, George Herbert, Cora Kate, Dexter Lovelle, Mary Gross and Frank Gross.

1264136. **DEXTER LOVELLE RAMBO** was born in Trappe, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania on 9 Nov 1860. He graduated from Muhlenberg College in 1883 with an A.B. degree and earned a masters degree the following year. He taught school until 1897 when he became principal of the high school in Chester, South Carolina. He was an influencial educator and served on the SC State Board of Education for many years. He was a Democrat, and a member of the Lutheran Church in Trappe, and the Associate Reformed Church in Chester, where he was director of music. He was an avid baseball fan, and interested in other types of sports, including fishing. He married LIDIE **HAYES** in Philadelphia in Oct 1894. She was born in Philadelphia on 23 Jul 1873, the daughter of Henry L. and Elizabeth (Knowles) Hayes. She died at Trappe on 12 Sep 1919.⁵ They had these children:⁶

12641361. JANE GROSS RAMBO, b. 11 Sep 1898, d. 25 Nov 1903

¹ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 251

² Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 256

³ Mrs. Ella Scott Wright, Damascus, VA 24236, family records

⁴ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 232

⁵ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), p. 1106

⁶ Clifton S. Hunsicker, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania: A History (pub. 1923), vol. 2, pp. 112-113

12641362. DEXTER L. RAMBO Jr. 10 Apr 1900, graduated from Erskine
12641363. ESTER RAMBO, b. 26 Jun 1904, died in infancy
12641364. CHARLES ABEL RAMBO, b. 28 Apr 1907
12641365. GUNNAR LLOYD RAMBO, b. 15 Apr 1908, m. Sarah Cowan

1264137. **MARY GROSS RAMBO** was born 4 Oct 1864 and married WARREN Z. **ANDERS** on 23 Jan 1908. He was born 28 Oct 1875 in Worcester, Pennsylvania, the son of Hiram M. and Araminta (Zimmerman) Anders. He was a graduate of the Medico-Chirurgical College in Philadelphia in 1898. He practiced medicine in Trappe, PA where Mary (Rambo) Anders died 13 Aug 1915. They had no children.^{1,2}

1264138. **FRANK GROSS RAMBO** was born 17 Mar 1867 and married KATE **SLATER**. They lived in Philadelphia where he was a realtor and treasurer of the Penrose B. & L. Association. They had no children.³

The children of [#126521] John and Abigail (Isett) Knox [daughter of Mary (Rambo) Isett, Eli, Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Ann, Jehu, Andora and John.

1265214. **JOHN KNOX** was born about 1851 and was a carpenter in Lower Providence, Pennsylvania in 1870. He married SARAH **EISENBERG** in 1877 at the home of her parents, Frederick and Susanna (Custer) Eisenberg of Norristown, Pennsylvania. Sarah was born in 1859 and died in 1941; John died a year earlier in 1940. John and Sarah had children, one was:⁴

1265214x. WELLSZETTA SARAH KNOX (1878-1956), m. Charles Seidel Deisher

The known children of [#126531] Frederick and Elizabeth (Rile) Peterman [son of Susanna (Rambo) Peterman, Eli, Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Minerva, Morris R., Margaret Jane and Emma Virginia.

1265311. MARY MINERVA PETERMAN was born 18 Apr 1854 and married JAMES LOVEGROVE MARLIN on 5 Sep 1872. He was born 25 Sep 1844, a son of James Lovegrove and Elmira (Van Fossen) Marlin. Mary died in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on 5 Apr 1919, and James died there 23 Jan 1933. They had these children:⁵

12653111. ELIZA ELMIRA MARLIN, b. 13 Jul 1874

12653112. MARGARET LOVEGROVE MARLIN, b. 19 Mar 1876, d. 19 Dec 1950 12653113. JAMES LOVEGROVE MARLIN, b. 22 Jul 1878, m. Cora Eveline Baker

¹ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, *Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families* (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), pp. 1304, 1293

² Clifton S. Hunsicker, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania: A History (pub. 1923), vol. 2, p. 266

³ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), p. 1106

⁴ Robert Parvin, e-mail of 22 Apr 2004

⁵ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 31 May 2004

12653114. EMMA VIRGINIA MARLIN, b. 19 Jun 1880, d. 1885

12653115. RACHEL ANN MARLIN, b. 18 Oct 1882, d. 31 Oct 1962

12653116. FREDRICK RAMBO MARLIN, b. 19 Nov 1884, d. 3 Jan 1954

12653117. MORRIS ROLANDO MARLIN, b. 28 Nov 1886, d. 5 Sep 1952

12653118. EMMA MAUD MARLIN, b. 28 May 1890, d. 24 Nov 1939

12653119. HERMAN LAWRENCE MARLIN, b. 2 Dec 1892, d. 24 Aug 1942

1265312. **MORRIS R. PETERMAN** was born about 1857 and married AGNES (?) who was born about 1856. In the 1880 census he lived in Upper Providence Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania and worked on railroad. They had these two known children:¹

12653121. FREDERICK JOHN PETERMAN, aged 3 in 1880 12653122. HOWELL RAYMOND PETERMAN, b. 1880

1265314. **EMMA VIRGINIA PETERMAN** was born about Jan 1865 and married ALBERT BERTLE **WAGER** about 1883. He was born about Aug 1859, a son of Hiram and Rebecca A. (Priest) Wager. Albert worked as a laborer in Philadelphia until getting a job as a mail carrier. He died 27 Dec 1931. Emma died about 1936. They had eight children:²

12653141. WINFIELD SCOTT WAGER, b. ca Feb 1885, m. Elizabeth Roberts

- 12653142. HARRY F. WAGER, b. ca May 1887
- 12653143. JESSIE R. WAGER, b. Jun 1890, m. Mr. Messimer before 1910
- 12653144. ALBERT BERTLE WAGER, b. Feb 1890, living in 1910
- 12653145. Child WAGER
- 12653146. Child WAGER
- 12653147. FRED P. WAGER, b. ca 1901, m. Beatrice McCauley
- 12653148. MARGARET ESTHER WAGER, b. 12 Jan 1907, m. E. Van Arsdale

The children of [#152112] Anning Asbury and Sarah Nitzel (Lincoln) Ogden [daughter of John, Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

1521121. **JOHN LINCOLN OGDEN** was born 29 Jan 1843 and married JENNIE **WRIGHT** who was born in Nov 1844.³ They lived in Lansdowne, Pennsylvania and had one known child.

15211211. SARAH E. OGDEN, b. Jun 1878

1521122. GEORGE LYBRAND OGDEN was born 12 Nov 1845 and married

¹ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 31 May 2004

² Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 31 May 2004

³ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

SELINA **SHARP** who was born in Jul 1847.¹ In 1900 they lived on Paschall Ave., Philadelphia and had these children:

- 15211221. WILLIAM A. OGDEN, b. 1868
- 15211222. GEORGE B. OGDEN, b. Mar 1872
- 15211223. ANNIE D. OGDEN, b. Nov 1876
- 15211224. SARAH L. ODGEN, b. Jan 1881
- 15211225. HOWARD OGDEN, b. 12 Dec 1887, m. Rebecca C. Righter

1521123. JAMES ASBURY OGDEN was born 7 Mar 1848 and married HELEN V. NORTON.²

The children of [#152121] Joseph and Eliza (Lincoln) Paschall [son of Catherine, Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter, and daughter of George, Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were George Henry, Joseph, Beulah Worth, Catharine Lincoln, Joseph Albin, Moses Lincoln, Anna Frances and Eliza Irene.

1521211. **GEORGE HENRY PASCHALL** was born 26 Sep 1845 at Paschallville, Pennsylvania.³ He married MARY N. **LANE** who was born about 1846. They lived in Upper Hanover Township, Montgomery Co., PA in 1880 and had these children:

15212111. BESSIE L. PASCHALL, b. ca 1869

15212112. CHARLES H. PASCALL, b. ca 1870

1521213. **BEULAH WORTH PASCHALL** was born 9 Sep 1849 at Paschallville, Pennsylvania. She married ERSKINE **BECKER**.⁴

1521214. **CATHARINE LINCOLN PASCHALL** was born 24 May 1852 at Concordville, Pennsylvania and married GEORGE W. **GILKINSON**.⁵

1521215. **JOSEPH ALBIN PASCHALL** was born 31 Dec 1854. He married first NELLIE **SHERMAN**, and after her death, he married ELLEN **WEISE**.⁶

1521216. **MOSES LINCOLN PASCHALL** was born 15 Dec 1857 at Concordville, PA.⁷ He married JANE M. LANE, possibly a sister of his brother George's wife, Mary.

1521217. ANNA FRANCES PASCHALL was born 19 Sep 1860 and married

¹ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

 ⁴ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)
 ⁵ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁶ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁷ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

ABRAHAM WISE.¹

The children of [#152131] Benjamin and Elizabeth (Smedley) Paschall [son of Ann, Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were William Wright, Thomas Smedley, Benjamin, Elizabeth and Hannah Ann.

1521312. **THOMAS SMEDLEY PASCHALL** was born 17 Jul 1845, and on 24 Dec 1867 he married ANNA ELIZA **ROSS** of Crabtree, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania.² She was born 8 May 1849, the daughter of Alexander and Ann (Hawkins) Ross. Thomas and Anna Paschall moved to Belvue, Pottawatomie Co., Kansas where he operated a farm. They had these children:

15213121. OLIVE EMMA PASCHALL, b. 17 Nov 1868 15213122. BENJAMIN ROSS PASCHALL, b. 16 Jul 1870 15213123. OPHELIA ANN PASCHALL, b. 13 Feb 1873 15213124. THOMAS WRIGHT PASCHALL, b. 24 Jun 1877 15213125. JENNIE ELIZABETH PASCHALL, b. 21 Jan 1883

The children of [#152141] John and Elizabeth (Lincoln) Chenoweth [daughter of Isaac, Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were Isaac Lincoln, Margaret Ellenor, Eliza Jane, John William H. and Charles Absolom.

1521412. **MARGARET ELLENOR CHENOWETH** was born 7 Jan 1845 and married JOHN HISEY **GARD**.³

1521413. **ELIZA JANE CHENOWETH** was born 22 Jun 1847. She married ELI SMITH **CARROLL**.⁴

1521415. CHARLES ABSOLOM CHENOWETH was born 11 Feb 1860. He married MARY ADELINE WHITE.⁵

The children of [#152143] John Robertson and Harriet Ann (Zell) Lincoln [son of Isaac, Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

1521431. EUNICE ELIZA LINCOLN was born 22 Jul 1872. She married FRANK MILTENBERGER on 21 Sep 1898. He was the son of Christopher and Jane (Decker)

¹Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family*... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁴ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁵ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

Miltenberger of Franklin, Ohio.¹ They made their home in Lytle, Ohio where Frank engaged in farming. They had two children:

15214311. MILDRED MILTENBERGER, b. 28 Aug 1902

1521432. GRACE ANN LINCOLN was born 10 Mar 1876, and on 10 Jun 1899 she married JOHN HENRY SMITH.² He was born 20 Dec 1869, the son of Nathaniel and Susan (Ellis) Smith of New Vienna, Ohio. He was a barber and Grace was a milliner. They had no children.

1521433. ISAAC WILBER LINCOLN was born 12 Oct 1877, and on 3 Nov 1915, he married Mrs. MABEL (ANSON) HAMMER. She was born 17 Mar 1893, the daughter of Frank Anson of Waynesville.³

The children of [#152162] Albert and Elizabeth (Lincoln) Warwick [daughter of Abraham Jr., Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

1521621. EVELYN OPHELIA WARWICK was born 5 Mar 1854 in Waynesville, Ohio.⁴ She married CASSIUS CLAY CLEAVER who was born in Nov 1849. They lived in Dayton, Ohio and had these children:

15216211. EARL CLEAVER, b. Feb 1880 15216212. MABEL CLEAVER, b. Sep 1885 15216213. JOSEPH CLEAVER, b. Mar 1888

1521622. JOSEPH WILKINS WARWICK was born 16 Feb 1856 in Waynesville.⁵ He married ELLA TURNER.

1521623. CLAYTON RAYMOND WARWICK was born 9 Jan 1858 and married CATHERINE **BLOOM**.⁶ She was born in May 1859, the daughter of Stephen and Louisa Bloom. In 1900 her parents lived with the family. Clayton and Kate Warwick were the parents of one child:

15216231. LOUISE WARWICK, b. Mar 1886

1521624. CARRIE EMMA WARWICK was born 3 Jun 1860 and married ALBERT SAMUEL TAYLOR.⁷

¹ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁴ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923) ⁵ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁶ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁷ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

1521625. LIZZIE ADA WARWICK was born 5 Jan 1862 in Waynesville, Ohio. She married GEORGE WILLIAM GOODLE.¹

The child of [#152181] Levi and Mary Elizabeth (Shaffner) Lukens [son of Sarah, Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

1521811. **JOHN LUKENS** was born in Jan 1867 in Pennsylvania.² He married ELIZABETH (?) who was born in Dec 1868 in Iowa. The couple lived with John's parents in Upper Darby, Delaware Co., Pennsylvania in 1900. They had these children:

15218111. MARY L. LUKENS, b. Jul 1897

15218112. LEVI C. LUKENS, b. Jul 1899

The child of [#152621] John and Maria (Brandt) Lincoln [son of George, Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

1526211. ALFRED LINCOLN was born in Darby, Pennsylvania and married IDA YOUNG, the daughter of George and Mary Young.³ About 1889, he disappeared and was never heard from again. His wife Ida married again a few years later and died at Paschallville, Pennsylvania on 7 Apr 1907. Alfred and Ida had two sons:

15262111. JOHN LINCOLN, b. ca 1875

15262112. ALFRED WILES LINCOLN, b. 12 Nov 1880

The children of [#152625] Moses and Amanda (Ogden) Lincoln [son of George, Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Rebecca, George Henry, Anna Phoebe, Amer Ogden, Joseph Howard, Sadie Countas, William Ogden, Paschall Hoopes, Clara Gilbert, Horace McKee and Jessie Amanda.

1526251. **MARY REBECCA LINCOLN** was born 5 Sep 1859 at Darby, Pennsylvania.⁴ She married JESSE SHARPLESS **GARRETT** on 16 Jun 1881. He was born in Oregon on 27 July 1857, the son of Edwin T. and Alice (Priest) Garrett. His parents had journeyed west to search for gold but later returned to Williston, Pennsylvania. Jesse Garrett worked in his father's paper-making mill and died 19 Jun 1907. Jesse and Mary Rebecca lived in Lansdowne, Pennsylvania with their children:

15262511. LAURA ALICE GARRETT, b. 10 Feb 1883

15262512. FRANKLIN LINCOLN GARRETT, b. 5 Jun 1885

¹ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁴ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

15262513. FLORENCE AMANDA GARRETT, b. 19 Apr 1887

- 15262514. ROBERT PUSEY GARRETT, b. 15 Nov 1889
- 15262515. JESSE SHARPLESS GARRETT, b. 5 May 1892
- 15262516. GEORGE SHARPLESS GARRETT, b. 27 Oct 1893
- 15262517. HENRY LYNDALL GARRETT, b. 2 Apr 1896
- 15262518. EDNA MAY GARRETT, b. 25 Nov 1898

1526252. GEORGE HENRY LINCOLN was born 23 Jan 1861 at Darby, Pennsylvania and married FANNY YOUNG. The family lived in Darby where George Lincoln was a motorman. Fanny Lincoln died in childbirth on 8 Mar 1898 at West Philadelphia. George married HANNAH JANE TAYLOR second, on 26 Jun 1904 at Darby. She was a daughter of Washington and Margaret (Dawson) Taylor of Oxford, Pennsylvania and the widow of George Hammond Wiser. George Lincoln died 4 Jul 1911 at Darby. George and Fanny had these children:¹

- 15262521. MARY ELLEN LINCOLN, b. 16 Nov 1891, m. Alexander Founds
- 15262522. GEORGE HENRY LINCOLN Jr., b. 10 Nov 1893
- 15262523. IDA LINCOLN, b. and d. infancy
- 15262524. WILLIAM WEAVER LINCOLN, b. 8 Mar 1898

ANNA PHOEBE LINCOLN was born 23 Nov 1862 at Darby, 1526253. Pennsylvania.² She married WILLIAM McCONNELL on 23 Nov 1881. He was born 28 Sep 1854, the son of John and Mary McConnnell of Darby. The family lived in West Philadelphia where Mr. McConnell was a machinist. Their children were:

- 15262531. BESSIE AMANDA McCONNELL, b. 24 Dec 1882
- 15262532. HARRY BONSALL McCONNELL, b. 15 Dec 1884

15262533. SUSAN BAILEY McCONNELL (twin), b. 29 Dec 1886

- 15262534. LOUISA JONES McCONNELL (twin), b. 29 Dec 1886
- 15262535. CHARLES MAXWELL McCONNELL, b. 14 Jan 1888

1526254. AMER OGDEN LINCOLN was born 25 Dec 1864 at Darby, Pennsylvania. On 24 Dec 1887 he married MARTHA EMMA COVINGTON who was born 7 Oct 1865, the daughter of George and Margaret Covington of Chester Co., Pennsylvania. Amer Lincoln and his family lived in Darby where he was employed in the family paper mill at Lansdowne. They had these children:

- 15262541. CLARENCE AMER LINCOLN, b. 25 Nov 1888
- 15262542. HORACE WILLIAM LINCOLN, b. 23 May 1890
- 15262543. RAYMOND TAYLOR LINCOLN, b. 14 Feb 1894
- 15262544. HERBERT RANDOLPH LINCOLN, b. 4 Apr 1897
- 15262545. NORMAN COVINGTON LINCOLN, b. 17 Jan 1899

¹ Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts*, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923), p. 593 citing Mrs. George Henry Lincoln ² Waldo Lincoln, *History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920* (pub. 1923)

1526255. **JOSEPH HOWARD LINCOLN** was born 20 Nov 1866 at Darby, Pennsylvania and married HARRIET COOK **FITHIAN** on 22 May 1892. She was born 14 Feb 1873 to Ephraim and Harriet (Cook) Fithian of Camden, New Jersey. The family lived in Darby, Pennsylvania where Joseph Lincoln was a teamster in 1915. They had six children:¹

15262551. MARY AMANDA LINCOLN, b. 10 Oct 1893, m. John Dougherty

15262552. JOSEPH HOWARD LINCOLN, b. 9 Sep 1895

15262553. OSCAR MOSES LINCOLN, b. 18 Aug 1897

15262554. CHARLES HERMAN LINCOLN, b. 31 Oct 1903

15262555. JESSIE FLORENCE LINCOLN, b. 21 Aug 1907

1526256. **SADIE COUNTAS LINCOLN** was born 10 Jan 1869 at Darby, Pennsylvania.² On 28 Aug 1891 she married LOUIS DANIEL **BLYTHE** in Camden, New Jersey. He was born 3 Jul 1871, the son of John and Eliza (Carver) Blythe of Darby. The family lived in Darby where Louis was a painter. They had these children:

15262561. AMANDA LINCOLN BLYTHE, b. 31 Jul 1893

15262562. HORACE LINCOLN BLYTHE, b. 3 Jul 1896

15262563. ROY LOUIS BLYTHE, b. 17 Mar 1899

15262564. IDA MAY BLYTHE, b. 11 Oct 1902

15262565. LIDIE CARVER BLYTHE, b. 14 Sep 1905

15262566. LOUIS WILMER BLYTHE, b. 17 Jun 1907

1526257. **WILLIAM OGDEN LINCOLN** was born 21 Oct 1871 at Darby, Pennsylvania.³ On 4 Sep 1892 he married LILLIAN **TAYLOR**. She was born 21 Mar 1874, the daughter of Edmond and Elizabeth (Stewart) Taylor of Darby. The family lived in Darby where William Lincoln was a mason. Lillian Lincoln died 29 May 1905. They had these children:

15262571. WILLIAM EDMOND LINCOLN, b. 16 Aug 1893

15262572. ROBERT HERMAN LINCOLN, b. 10 Feb 1895

15262573. RUSSELL PHIPPS LINCOLN, b. 29 Jun 1898

15262574. HARRY LEWIS LINCOLN, b. 18 Dec 1899

1526259. **CLARA GILBERT LINCOLN** was born 6 Jan 1874 at Darby, Pennsylvania.⁴ She married CHARLES EDWARD **BLYTHE** of Darby who was born in Nov 1871. He was a machinist and died in 1900. After the death of Charles Blythe, his widow married CHARLES M. **STALEY** on 3 Jul 1907. He was born 19 Oct 1865, the son of Caleb and Sarah (Markley) Staley of Darby. Charles Staley and his family

¹ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923), p. 594

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

⁴ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

lived in Darby where he was in the real estate business. They had no children. Charles and Clara Blythe had these children, all born at Darby:

15262591. WILLIAM LINCOLN BLYTHE, b. 25 Jun 1892

15262592. CHARLES BAIRD BLYTHE, b. 24 Jul 1896, d. 1897

15262593. RALPH EDWARD BLYTHE, b. 18 May 1898

152625A. HORACE McKEE LINCOLN was born 16 Mar 1875 and died unmarried on 23 Aug 1898.

152625B. **JESSIE AMANDA LINCOLN** was born 9 May 1878 and married JOHN **BLEACHER** on 15 Mar 1899. He was born 14 Sep 1878, the son of Oram and Mary Jane (McClain) Bleacher of Darby. The family lived in Darby where John was a granite cutter. They had these children:¹

152625B1. MAZIE JANE BLEACHER, b. 31 Aug 1900 152625B2. LEROY CLYDE BLEACHER, b. 19 Jul 1903 152625B3. ALBERTA MAY BLEACHER, b. 6 Jan 1906 152625B4. OHRAN ABRAM BLEACHER, b. 14 Sep 1908

The children of [#152631] Isaac R. and Elizabeth (Noble) Lincoln [son of Michael, Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

1526311. ANNA E. LINCOLN was born about 1848 and married a Mr. FIELDS. They lived in North Woodbury, New Jersey in 1915.²

1526312. **SUSANNAH LINCOLN** was born about 1850. In 1915, she was reported as unmarried and living in California.

The children of [#171214] Nathan and Martha (Robinson) Rambo [son of John, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were John Robinson, David, William, Isabella G., Hugh Wilson and Margaret Ellen.

1712141. **JOHN ROBINSON RAMBO** was born 10 Feb 1837 in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania and was apprenticed as a miller at age 12. He worked at this trade in Lancaster Co. and later in Perry Co., Pennsylvania.³ On 2 Jan 1868 John married

¹Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923)

³ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), pp. 1096-1097

MARGARETTA **COMP**, daughter of Samuel and Catherine (Baer) Comp.¹ She was born 28 Feb 1842. John died 11 Dec 1910. The family was Lutheran and consisted of the parents and three sons:²

17121411. NATHAN GILBERT RAMBO, b. 17 Jan 1870, d. 24 Feb 1870

17121412. SAMUEL COMP RAMBO, b. 18 Sep 1871, m. Hannah Elizabeth Adams

17121413. FRANK W. RAMBO, b. ca 1875, m. Catherine Comp

1712142. **DAVID W.³ RAMBO** was born 28 Aug 1839. He was in the Union forces during the Civil War and died 20 Dec 1862 aged 23y 3m 22d.⁴

1712144. **ISABELLA G. (Belle) RAMBO** was born 18 Sep 1844⁵ and married ANDREW B. **COMP** on 26 Dec 1867.⁶ He was born 26 Feb 1845 at New Bloomfield, Pennsylvania, the son of Samuel and Catherine (Barr) Comp. Andrew and Isabella (Comp) Rambo lived in Center Township, Perry Co., PA and had 8 children:

17121441. JOHN W. COMP, b. ca 1869

17121442. NATHAN EDGAR COMP, b. ca 1870

- 17121443. FRANK F. COMP
- 17121444. MARGARET R. COMP, b. ca 1874
- 17121445. ROBERT N. COMP, b. May 1883
- 17121446. SAMUEL COMP
- 17121447. ANDREW B. COMP Jr.
- 17121448. Infant COMP

The Chester *Village Record* of 7 Jan 1868 reported: "Marriage COMP - RAMBO - on the 26th inst., by Rev. Thomas S. Long, Mr. A.B. COMP, of Perry County, Pa., to Miss BELL G. RAMBO, of Pequea Valley, Pa."

1712145. **HUGH WILSON RAMBO** was born 29 May 1847 in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. He later moved to Perry Co., Pennsylvania where he was a prominent and prosperous farmer. He was joined in matrimony with NANCY C. **HENDERSON** on 22 Dec 1874. She was the daughter of John and Elizabeth (McCord) Henderson. H. W. Rambo was an elder of the Presbyterian church and taught a Bible class. There were two children in their family:⁷

17121451. MARTHA ELIZABETH (Lizzie) RAMBO, b. Nov 1877 17121452. JAMES R. McCORD RAMBO, b. Aug 1879

¹ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 1342

² Mary Thomas e-mail of 20 Feb 2003

³ Mary Thomas e-mail of 20 Feb 2003

⁴ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), p. 1096

⁵ Mary Thomas e-mail of 20 Feb 2003

⁶ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), pp. 1341-1342

⁷ R. H. Schively, ed., Commemorative Biographical Encyclopedia of the Juniata Valley ... (pub. 1897), pp. 1095-1096

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1712146. MARGARET ELLEN RAMBO was born 16 June 1850 and died 6 Aug 1860 aged 10y 2m 20d.

The children of [#171218] John W. and Elizabeth Colbreath (Pine) Rambo [son of John, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were John Calvin, Charles Whitfield, Catherine Stirling, Eleanor, Rinsing Pritchette, Anna Ash, Sarah Margaret and Edgar M.

1712182. CHARLES WHITFIELD RAMBO was born 15 May 1849 and married ELIZABETH MOSER on 26 Apr 1877. Elizabeth was born in Apr 1856, the daughter of Charles and Catharine (Whitman) Moser.¹ Charles and Elizabeth Rambo lived in Pottstown, Pennsylvania, where he first worked as a clerk in a drygoods store. In 1887, he formed a partnership, and assumed the management of the thriving business. They were members of the Baptist church and had three children:

17121821. OSCAR NAYLOR RAMBO, b. Aug 1878

17121822. KARL MOSER RAMBO, b. June 1884

17121823. JOHN RALPH RAMBO, b. and died in infancy

1712184. **ELEANOR M. RAMBO** was born 30 Nov 1852 and married J. WARREN **DURNALL**. They lived in West Chester in 1894.² Eleanor was a widow before 1904.

1712186. **ANNA ASH RAMBO** was born 13 Dec 1855 and married Rev. N. C. **NAYLOR**. At the time of her mother's death in 1894, they lived in Washington, D.C.³

1712187. **SARAH MARGARET (Maggie) RAMBO** was born 26 Oct 1859 and married HENRY J. **CORBETT**. They lived at 328 Cherry St., Pottstown in 1900, and her widowed father lived with them. The Corbetts had these children:

17121871. P. WEBSTER CORBETT, b. Jun 1880

17121872. HOWARD E. CORBETT, b. Jul 1883

17121873. ELLEN E. CORBETT, b. Oct 1886

17121874. EVA E. CORBETT, b. Jul 1889

17121875. WILLIAM B. CORBETT, b. Nov 1899

1712188. EDGAR M. RAMBO was born in May 1864 and married ELIZABETH H. SHANER on 18 Mar 1886 in Pottstown, Pennsylvania.^{4,5} She was born Jul 1862 and died in 1927. They lived in Coventry Township, Chester Co., PA and had these children 17121881. J. CHESTER RAMBO, b. Dec 1886

17121882. HAROLD S. RAMBO, b. Jul 1888, m. Florence Marie Friz

¹ Ellwood Roberts, ed., *Biographical Annals of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania* (pub. 1904), vol 1, pp. 231-232

² "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

³ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

⁴ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Rambo, Harold S." in *The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy: ...*, vol. 3, p. 389

⁵ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

17121883. BELLE H. RAMBO, b. Jan 1890

The children of [#171222] Morris and Barbara Ann (Wunder) Rambo [son of Joseph, Ezekiel, Matluas, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1712221. **WILLIAM G. RAMBO** was born 7 Mar 1836 in Reading, Pennsylvania, baptized in the Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, married and had two children, but their names are not known.

1712222. **HULDAH RAMBO** was born 26 Mar 1837 in Reading, Pennsylvania and was baptized at the Trinity Lutheran Church on 7 Sep 1838. She married JOHN FRIZ **BOYER** in Reading on 14 Oct 1856. He was born in 1834, the son of Henry B. and Susanna (Fritz) Boyer. John and Huldah Boyer lived in Reading where she died 10 Nov 1895 and John died in 1900.¹ They had 14 children.²

- 17122221. MORRIS RAMBO BOYER, b. 12 Jul 1857, m. Lillie Sweitzer
- 17122222. HENRY KEELY BOYER, b. 13 Oct 1858, m. Mrs. Frederick Townsend
- 17122223. ELIZABETH RAMBO BOYER, b. 2 Jul 1860, m. Jacob W. Wampler
- 17122224. IDA LOUISA BOYER, b. 23 Oct 1861, m. Alexander James D. Haupt
- 17122225. KATIE LUCRETIA BOYER, b. 10 Aug 1863, m. David D. Milburn
- 17122226. BARBARA ANN BOYER, b. 21 Jul 1865, m. Walter Sterling Hamaker
- 17122227. SUSAN VALERIA BOYER, b. 19 Dec 1866, d. Sep 1896
- 17122228. ELLA MAY BOYER, b. 19 Nov 1868.
- 17122229. HULDAH BOYER, b. 20 Feb 1871, unmarried.
- 1712222A. LAURA VIRGINIA BOYER, b. 21 Apr 1872, m. George W. Sargent
- 1712222B. BLANCHE BOYER, b. 10 Mar 1877, m. Charles Williams
- 1712222C. JOHN BOYER, died in infancy
- 1712222D. BELLE BOYER, died in infancy
- 1712222E. CHARLES ROBERT BOYER, died in infancy

1712223. **ELIZABETH (Lizzie) RAMBO** was born 12 Aug 1838 at Reading, Pennsylvania and was baptized in the Trinity Lutheran Church there. In 1877 she acquired use of the Seyfert Mansion at the SE corner of 5th & Cherry Streets in Reading and took in boarders. She moved to New York in 1884 and died unmarried in New York City on 26 Aug 1894 aged 56 according to the City of Reading Death Records of 1894.³

1712224. **JOHAN RAMBO** was born 16 Nov 1839 in Reading, Pennsylvania and was baptized at the Trinity Lutheran Church on 30 May 1841 with Johan Wunder as sponsor. Johan Rambo was a soldier in the Civil War and settled in Wilkes Barre, Luzerne Co.,

¹ Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 67, 1908 (1923), p. 114

² Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 108-109

³ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

Pennsylvania.¹ He married ELIZABETH (Lizzie) **DELAY** who was born about 1845.² They had two children or more:

17122241. ESTELLA RAMBO, b. ca 1870 17122242. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. ca 1873

1712225. **JOSEPH THEOPHILUS RAMBO** was born 3 Nov 1841 in Reading, Pennsylvania and married MARY **HOYER** there on 27 Oct 1860. Joseph died in Evansville, Indiana during the Civil War. Joseph and Mary had one child:³

17122251. RAYAL SOUTHWICK CRANE RAMBO, b. 23 Dec 1861

1712226. **ALEXANDER H. RAMBO** was born Sep 1843 and served four years in the Civil War in Co. F. 32nd PA Inf. and M. & D. 54th PA Inf.⁴ His wife was named CATHERINE (?) and was born Sept 1847 in Pennsylvania. By 1900 they had moved to Coles Co., Illinois. Alexander died before Dec 1913 when Catherine filed for a widow's pension. They had two known children:

17122261. ALEXANDER RAMBO Jr., b. Aug 1870

17122262. GERTRUDE RAMBO, b. Oct 1877

1712227. **HOWARD RAMBO** was born in Jan 1850 and married HANNAH (?) who was born in May 1855 in Pennsylvania. Their two oldest children were born in Pennsylvania, but the family moved to Illinois before the fall of 1881. They resided in Coles Co. in 1900 and had these children:

17122271. MORRIS H. RAMBO, b. Aug 1878

17122272. HARRY A. RAMBO, b. Nov 1879

17122273. RAYMOND W. RAMBO, b. Oct 1881

17122274. ELIZABETH E. RAMBO, b. Nov 1883

17122275. SAMUEL S. RAMBO, b. Aug 1883

17122276. LUCY A. RAMBO, b. Jul 1891

The children of [#171224] Robert and Elizabeth Ann (Rambo) Jenkins [daughter of Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were John William, Catherine Elizabeth, Margaret Jane, George Franklin, Hulda Ann and Robert Edwin.

1712241. **JOHN WILLIAM JENKINS** was born 13 Jan 1838 on the family farm near Chambersburg, Clark Co., Missouri and assumed management of the farm at age 20 after the death of his father. He married MASSEY ANNIE **HENSHAW** on 11 Apr 1865 at her father's residence in Alexandria, MO. She was born 9 Sept 1842 in Winchester, MO,

¹ United States Veterans Administration, General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934. National Archives microfilm #T-288

² Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

³ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

⁴ United States Veterans Administration, *General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934*. National Archives microfilm #T-288

a daughter of Charles and Virlinda Ann (Beall) Henshaw. John William Jenkins died 30 Sep 1910, and Annie died 8 Aug 1935 in Keokuk, Iowa.¹ They had these children:^{2,3}

17122411. CHARLES ALBERT JENKINS, b. 30 July 1866, of Keokuk in 1925 17122412. JAMES THOMAS JENKINS, b. 18 Feb 1868, m. Elsie Bond Cherry 17122413. NELLIE M. JENKINS, b. 27 Aug 1870, d. 1920, m. Albert Rose Black 17122414. WALTER LYNN JENKINS, b. 11 Nov 1874, m. Margaret Boulware

1712242. **CATHERINE ELIZABETH JENKINS** was a twin born 23 Apr 1840 on the family farm near Chambersburg, Clark Co., Missouri, and on 15 Oct 1863 in a double wedding with her twin sister on the Jenkins homestead, she married SAMUEL ALEXANDER LYNN, a dentist. This was his second marriage. Samuel was born 12 Oct 1829, a son of John W. and Sarah (McKinney) Lynn. Samuel Lynn was also a farmer, a Presbyterian, and a member of the Missouri Legislature. He died in Brunner, Texas on 10 May 1895. Their children, all born in Clark Co., were:⁴

17122421. ROBERT JENKINS LYNN, b. 9 Aug 1864, m. Ollie Lewis Allen 17122422. SAMUEL ALEXANDER LYNN, b. 11 Feb 1868, d. 20 Jan 1882 17122423. MASSIE MAY (Maggie) LYNN, b. 25 Feb 1875

1712243. **MARGARET JANE JENKINS** was a twin born 23 Apr 1840 on the family farm near Chambersburg, Clark Co., Missouri and married DAVID NELSON **LAPSLEY**, a lawyer, on 15 Oct 1863. He was a son of John A. and Mary Wear (McKee) Lapsley of Rockbridge Co., Virginia and Kentucky. David Nelson was a graduate of Washington College in Pennsylvania and became a judge in 1902.⁵ They lived in Missouri and had two children:

17122431. MARY ELIZABETH LAPSLEY, b. 2 Mar 1865, m. Robert C. McKee 17122432. ROBERT McKEE LAPSLEY, b. 22 Jan 1870, Dr. in Keokuk in 1925

1712244. **GEORGE FRANKLIN JENKINS** was born 15 Jul 1842⁶ on the family farm near Chambersburg, Clark Co., Missouri and married CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH VAN **WAGENEN** at her father's residence in Fulton, New York on 29 Dec 1870. She was born 13 Sep 1847, a daughter of Frederick Devoe and Ann (Page) Van Wagenen. George was a physician in Keokuk, Iowa and a president of Keokuk Medical College by 1890.⁷ They were the parents of five children:⁸

17122441. ANNA PAGE JENKINS, b. 1 Dec 1871, d. 31 Jul 1872

17122442. MARCIA LOUISE JENKINS, b. 16 July 1873, m. Hazen Irwin Sawyer

17122443. FLORENCE EASTON JENKINS, b. 8 Sept 1874, m. H. Boyden Blood

¹ Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003 citing cemetery inscriptions

² Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 38, 41-42

³ Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003

⁴ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), p. 42-43

⁵ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 43-47

⁶ Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003

⁷ Marion Jenkins Daly, obituary of nephew sent of 12 Dec 2003

⁸ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 33, 47-48

17122444. GEORGE VAN WAGENEN JENKINS, b. 20 May 1877, d. 29 Aug 1898 17122445. CATHERINE ELEANOR JENKINS, b. 19 Apr 1886

1712246. **ROBERT EDWIN JENKINS** was born 6 Feb 1846 on the family farm near Chambersburg, Clark Co., Missouri and, after the death of his mother when he was only eight months old, was cared for by his aunt, Margaret Jenkins Hendricks in Fairfield, Iowa. Following the death of her husband in 1855, Margaret took Robert and went to live with her brother (who was the boy's father) until she died in 1860. Robert became a lawyer in Chicago, Illinois and married MARCIA **RAYMOND** at her father's residence there on 2 Sep 1869. She was born 29 Apr 1847, second child of Edward and Mary Putnam (Hamilton) Raymond. Robert was an officer in many legal organizations including treasurer of the Chicago Bar Association and president of the Chicago Law Institute. He was a member of the Congregational Church, served in the Sunday School for 20 years, and was an organizer of the Chicago City Missionary Society. He wrote *The Jenkins Family Book* in 1904 and died 5 Mar 1907. The Jenkins lived in Chicago, Illinois and had the following children:¹

17122461. GEORGE RAYMOND JENKINS, b. 26 Jul 1870, m. May L. Rice

17122462. MARCIA JENKINS, b. 2 Sep 1872, d. 21 Jul 1873

17122463. HELEN MARY JENKINS, b. 5 Aug 1874, m. Edgar Lee Masters

17122464. WILLIAM JENKINS, b. 28 Jul 1876, d. 13 Aug 1876

17122465. EDITH DAISY JENKINS, b. 7 Apr 1879, m. 1) W. Logan, 2) J. Shreve

The children of [#171227] Thomas J. and Elizabeth (Richards) Rambo [son of Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Sarah Jane, Emma Elizabeth, Ellen Amelia, Clara Amelia, Elmira, Thomas Jefferson, Morris, Anna R., Anna E., Charles Henry and Thomas J.

1712271. **SARAH JANE RAMBO** was born 10 Oct 1843 and married AMOS **BOYER**. His 1875 estate records are in the Reading courthouse, Earl Township.²

1712272. **EMMA ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born 26 Sep 1844 and married CHARLES AUGUSTUS **SPANGLER** in 1865.³ He was born 11 Sep 1840 and died 8 Oct 1904. Emma was a consistant member of the Trinity Lutheran Church.⁴ Mrs. Emma Spangler died of Brights Disease and complications on 21 Feb 1907 in Reading. Their wills are recorded in Berks Co. Will Books 22:479 and 23:606. They had one known child:

17122721. PERRY THOMAS SPANGLER, b. 23 Sep 1867

¹ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 38, 49-50

² Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, e-mail of 14 Jul 2002

³ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing obituary in *Reading Eagle*

1712274. **CLARA AMELIA RAMBO** was born 23 Sep 1846 and married JOHN J. **DARRAH**.¹ John's estate papers dated 1864 are in the Reading courthouse. Clara died of consumption on 8 Nov 1872 and is buried at Chas Evans Cemetery, Reading, Pennsylvania.² They had one known child:³

17122741. SUSAN DARRAH

1712278. ANNA R. RAMBO was born 20 Oct 1854 and married WINFIELD S. McMICHAEL in Feb 1878 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, Pennsylvania. He was a machinist aged 27.

1712279. AGNES E. RAMBO was born 19 Dec 1856 and married ISAAC **KISSINGER** on 3 Feb 1880 in Reading, Pennsylvania. He was born 26 May 1848 in Tulpehocken Township, Berks County, Pennsylvania, a son of Amos and Mary A. (Wagner) Kissinger.⁴ Isaac worked in a brickyard, then boating on the canal, police sergeant, watchman, then at the railway roundhouse, and finally opened his own grocery in 1891 until retirement in 1908. Agnes died at age 95 in the Reading Hospital.⁵ Agnes and Isaac were members of the Trinity Lutheran Church but had no children.⁶

171227A. **CHARLES HENRY RAMBO** was a machinist, born 29 Dec 1858 in Reading, Pennsylvania. He died of typhus in Reading on 18 Mar 1880 aged 21 years and single. He was buried in Charles Evans Cemetery, Reading. City of Reading Deaths Record 1880. Obit in Daily Eagle of 19 Mar 1880.⁷

171227B. **THOMAS J. RAMBO** was a machinist, born 19 Jun 1860 who married 21year-old MAHALA **FIX** on 22 Nov 1888 in Reading, Pennsylvania. She was born in Feb 1864, daughter of John H. and Maria (?)(Fox) Fix. Mahala had a twin brother named John Fix. Thomas and Mahala resided in Berks Co., Pennsylvania and had a daughter. Mahala died in 1925, Thomas died 23 Feb 1947 in Reading, and they are buried in the Charles Evans Cemetery in Reading. They had one child:

171227B1. ANNA RAMBO, b. 4 Feb 1890, baptized Trinity Lutheran Church

The children of [#171227] Thomas J. and Ellen E. (Englehart) Rambo, his second wife, were John E., Elizabeth E., Joseph E., William F., Elizabeth E., Howard E., Jennie B., Lottie May, Florence E. and Adeline W.

² Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, e-mail of 14 Jul 2002 citing family Bible and obituary in *Reading Eagle* of the 9th

¹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, e-mail of 14 Jul 2002 citing Trinity Church records

³ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, e-mail of 14 Jul 2002

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/kissinger.html ⁵ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, copy of obituary

⁶ Morton L. Montgomery, Historical and Biographical History of Berks County, Pennsylvania (1909), p. 1043

⁷ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

171227E. **JOSEPH E. RAMBO** was born 14 Sept 1873 and died of appendicitis 31 Jul 1905 aged 31y 2m 14d. He is buried at Charles Evans Cemetery in Reading, PA.^{1,2}

171227F. WILLIAM F. RAMBO was born 27 Jun 1876 and married ANN ESTELLE OBENHAUSER. He was a tobacconist and lived at 14 N. 2nd Street from 1917 to 1956. The tobacco Indian from his store is now at the Berks Co. Historical Society. William died 11 May 1966 in Reading and is buried there at Charles Evans Cemetery.³

171227G. **ELIZABETH E. RAMBO** was born 15 Feb 1879 and married a 34-year-old boltmaker, WILLIAM H. **RITZIE**, in the city of Reading, Pennsylvania on 3 Oct 1900. He was a son of William and Sarah Ritzie, and his previous wife had died 16 May 1892. They lived in Shoemakersville, Pennsylvania and had one known child:⁴

171227G1. EVELYN RITZIE, m. Herbert L. Clark

171227H. **HOWARD E. RAMBO** was born 1 Nov 1881 and married LAURA M. **HOFFMASTER** on 4 Nov 1905 in the city of Reading, Pennsylvania. She was 18, the daughter of Daniel and Annie B. (Romig) Hoffmaster. Howard was a moulder who died of a heart attack on 27 Nov 1941, aged 60, at West Lawn, Pennsylvania and was buried at Charles Evans Cemetery in Reading. They had two children:⁵

171227H1. BRUCE H. RAMBO, b. 3 Oct 1914, d. 1984, m. Margaret Nowotarski 171227H2. MYRTLE RAMBO, b. 30 Jun 1906, d. at birth ?

171227I. **JENNIE B. RAMBO** was born 20 Apr 1882 and married CHARLES H. **HAAG** on 28 May 1903 in the city of Reading, Pennsylvania. He was a 28-year-old machinist from Allentown, Pennsylvania, the son of Adam W. and Savilla (Eck) Haag.⁶ They lived in Shoemakersville, Pennsylvania where Charles had a car dealership. Jennie died 12 Oct 1953 in Reading, aged 71y 5m 22d, and was buried in Laureldale Cemetery. they had no children.^{7,8}

171227J. LOTTIE MAY RAMBO was born 12 Mar 1886 and died 4 Jul 1887 in Reading aged 1y 3m 22d.^{9,10}

171227K. FLORENCE E. RAMBO was born 15 Nov 1890 and died of croup on 8

¹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing death notice in *Reading Telegram* of 1 Aug 1905, p. 8 ² Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html citing death notice in *Reading Telegram* of 1 Aug 1905, p. 8

³ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing Reading marriage license application

⁵ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing obituary in *Reading Eagle* of 28 Nov 1941

⁶ Reading, Pennsylvania Marriage records

⁷ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

⁸ Morton L. Montgomery, Historical and Biographical History of Berks County, Pennsylvania (1909), p. 607

⁹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing death records of Trinity Lutheran Church

¹⁰ Reading, Pennsylvania Death Records

Aug 1894.^{1,2}

The children of [#171228] Joseph and Mary Ann (Young) Rambo [son of Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1712281. **AMELIA RAMBO** was born in May 1844. She married HENRY **HOOVER** who was born in Aug 1840.³ They lived in Reading, PA in 1900 and had these children:

17122811. JOSEPH R. HOOVER, b. ca 1865

17122812. EDWARD HOOVER, b. ca 1867

17122813. HARRY HOOVER, b. Sep 1868

17122814. EDW. J. HOOVER, b. 1869

17122815. BESSIE H. HOOVER, b. May 1872

17122816. AMELIA HOOVER, b. Oct 1873

17122817. LAURA A. HOOVER, b. Feb 1876

1712282. **HENRY RAMBO** was born in 1846 and was baptized at Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, Pennsylvania on 25 Aug 1847. He married CAROLINE (Connie) **BOWMAN** on 31 Dec 1866 in Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, Pennsylvania. She was born about 1847, the daughter of William and Elizabeth (Soder) Bowman.⁴ Henry was a drover and butcher in Reading, Pennsylvania along with his father. Caroline died in Reading of apoplexy on 23 May 1895 at age 48. Henry died in the Harrisburg Asylum of paresis 28 Aug 1898 aged 51y 1m 6d, and they were buried in Aulenbach's Cemetery in Reading. Henry and Caroline had these children:⁵

17122821. MARIE RAMBO, b. ca 1871

17122822. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. 18 Feb 1875, d. Sep 1910, m. Alonzo Gilmore 17122823. ANNE RAMBO, b. 1 Jan 1878, m. 1) Howard Grove, 2) Chas. H. Eudy

1712284. **EMILY J. RAMBO** was born in May 1850 and married MARTIN **WENRICH** who was born in Sep 1859.⁶ They lived in Marion Township, Berks Co., Pennsylvania in 1900 but had no children.

1712285. **REBECCA ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born 16 Mar 1853 and married JOHN **BISHOP**.⁷ He died before 1894 when Rebecca was described in her mother's obituary as his widow. In 1900 Rebecca Bishop lived in Reading, Pennsylvania with her daughter Catherine. The children were listed in Rebecca's mother's will:

¹Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

² Reading, Pennsylvania Death Records

³ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

⁵ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁶ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁷ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

17122851. MAMIE BISHOP

17122852. SUSAN BISHOP, perhaps b. 25 Jul 1884

17122853. CATHERINE BISHOP, b. Oct 1879

1712286. **MARY CATHERINE RAMBO** was born 9 Jul 1854 and married W. SCOTT **DICKINSON** on 2 Feb 1872 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, Pennsylvania.¹ They lived in Reading, PA in 1900 and had these children:²

17122861. JOSEPH RAMBO DICKINSON, b. 31 Jul 1872, m. Eva M. Moyer

17122862. NELSON HARRY DICKINSON, b. Aug 1874, a molder of Reading

17122863. WILLIAM S. DICKINSON, b. Jan 1889, a teller at Berks Co. Trust

1712287. **ANDREW RAMBO** was born in 1856 and was baptized at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, Pennsylvania. He married AGNES **STOUT**. Agnes died of tuberculosis in the Norristown Asylum on 9 Jun 1897 aged 41y 5m 16d. Andrew died in Philadelphia and was buried 7 Sep 1914 at the Charles Evans Cemetery in Reading. Andrew and Agnes had at least one child recorded in Reading Death Records 1884:^{3,4}

17122871. JOSEPH RAMBO, b. & d. 12 May 1884

1712288. **SUSANNAH RAMBO** was born 14 Jul 1857 and was baptized on 26 May 1860 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, Pennsylvania. She married JOSEPH **JOHNSON**.⁵

1712289. **SARAH ANN (Sallie) RAMBO** was born 1 Dec 1858 and was baptized on 26 May 1860 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, Pennsylvania.. At age 23, she married ROBERT W. **VOGT** on 1 May 1883 in Reading.⁶ He was a 25-year-old printer residing in Philadelphia.⁷

171228A. **BARBARA ANN RAMBO** was born 1 Feb 1860 and was baptized at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading on 26 May 1860. She married WALTER **MUNSON** and later JAMES O. **HODGE**. Barbara was a widow living in Philadelphia at the time of her mother's death in 1894.⁸ Walter's will is on file at the Berks Co. court. Barbara and Walter Munson had one known child:⁹

171228A1. MARY ANN MUNSON, b. 1 Mar 1881, d. 27 Jul 1881 in Brooklyn

171228B. CLARA RAMBO was born 21 Sep 1861 and was baptized at the 2nd

¹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing church records

² Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

³ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

⁵ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁶ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁷ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, citing Berks Co. marriage records

⁸ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

Reformed Church in Reading, Pennsylvania on 4 Feb 1864. She married CHARLES G. **SCHWARTZMAN**.¹ Clara died 10 Mar 1921 in Reading and was buried in the Charles Evans Cemetery there.²

171228D. **NORMA RAMBO** was born in Aug 1864 and married HOWARD F. **BALTHASER** of Reading, Pennsylvania on 24 Feb 1887.³ He was born 3 Aug 1860 in Upper Bern Township, Berks Co., Pennsylvania, a son of Jacob and Lena (Faust) Balthaser. Howard entered the butcher business at age 12 and worked for the same family throughout his career. Howard and Norma were members of the Lutheran Church and had no children.⁴ In 1900 her uncle Jacob Young, age 76, lived with them.

171228E. **HULDA RAMBO** was born 17 Jun 1867 and was baptized at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Reading, Pennsylvania. She married HARRISON **BOYER** of Philadelphia who was born in Sep 1864.⁵ They lived in Philadelphia in 1900 but had no children. Her brother Andrew Rambo and sister Clara Rambo lived with the couple.

The children of [#17122B] Isaiah and Ebezeniah (Sands) Rambo [son of Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17122B1. **ISAIAH RAMBO Jr**. was a merchant born 29 Jun 1858. He married S. JENNIE JANE **BEYLER** on 14 Sep 1893 in Reading, Pennsylvania. She was born in Sep 1868, the daughter of Daniel and Margaret Beyler.⁶ Isaiah Rambo was a vestryman of the First Baptist Church of Reading for 18 years and a successful businessman as decorator, costumer, and operator of the family Toy Store. He died 5 Aug 1928 aged 71, Jennie S. died 13 Feb 1953 aged 85, and they are buried in Aulenbach Cemetery. Isaiah and Jennie had these children:

- 17122B11. ESTHER RAMBO, b. Jul 1894, m. Ralph Houck
- 17122B12. HELEN MAY RAMBO, b. 2 May 1896, d. 18 Jan 1991 aged 94y
- 17122B13. WARREN (Ike) RAMBO, b. Nov 1897, m. Helen Kathryn Kochard
- 17122B14. MARTHA S. RAMBO (twin), b. 26 Jul 1899, m. Joseph Saylor
- 17122B15. MARY JANE RAMBO (twin), b. 26 Jul 1899, d. 20 Apr 1987

17122B2. **ELIZABETH (Lizzie) RAMBO** was born about 1861 in Reading, Pennsylvania and was married there at age 23 to J. HERBERT **GORMLEY** on 29 Mar 1884 at the Trinity Lutheran Church by J. Fry. Herbert was a 27-year-old merchant of Parkersburg, born in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. (City of Reading Marriage Records

¹ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

² Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

³ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁴ Morton L. Montgomery, Historical and Biographical History of Berks County, Pennsylvania (1909), p. 1438

⁵ Linda Waters, Fleetwood, PA 19522, family records

⁶ Cyrus T. Fox, ed., "Isaiah Rambo, Jr." in *Reading and Berks County, Pennsylvania, A History*, vol. 3 (1925), pp. 438-39

1884, #109)

17122B3. **GEORGE WASHINGTON RAMBO** was born 29 Sep 1863 and was baptized at the Trinity Lutheran Church on 26 Aug 1869. He married ANNIE L. **SCHEARER** on 3 Feb 1898 in Reading, Pennsylvania. Annie was born in Reading in Dec 1873, daughter of Solomon Schearer. They lived in Reading, Pennsylvania in 1900. George died 13 May 1932 and was buried at the Charles Evans Cemetery.

The children of [#17122C] Francis and Louisa (Koch) Rambo [son of Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Aaron, Margaret L., Louisa, James G., Katie and Miriam.

17122C5. **JAMES G. RAMBO** was born 4 Apr 1870 and died 20 Jul 1906 aged 36. He is buried at Aulenbach Cemetery (in the city of Reading, Pennsylvania?) beside ABBIE (?) Rambo who was buried 9 Sep 1929 aged 58. They had one known child:¹

17122C51. JAMES B. RAMBO, b. 3 Dec 1906, buried 1 Feb 1907 aged 1 month

The children of [#171231] Robert and Ann (Rambo) Moore [daughter of Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1712311. **ANN ELIZABETH MOORE** was born 16 Jan 1834 and married JOHN M. **MAXWELL** in 1864. John was born in Aug 1826. They were Quakers and belonged to the Whitewater Monthly Meeting, Wayne Co., Indiana. Ann died 3 Aug 1867 and was buried in West Grove.^{2,3} They had these children:⁴

17123111. ROBERT M. MAXWELL, b. 1865

17123112. STELLA H. MAXWELL, b. Dec 1866

1712312. NATHAN ANDREW MOORE was born 3 May 1838 and married ANN GILBERT.⁵

1712313. MARY ANN MOORE was born 9 Oct 1839 and married her brother-in-law JOHN M. MAXWELL in 1868. They lived in Richmond, Wayne Co., Indiana in 1900 with his daughter Stella. John and his wife Mary were the parents of one child:⁶ 17123131. MIRIAM A. MAXWELL, b. ca 1870

¹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

² Willard Heiss, "Wayne Co., Indiana" in American Quaker Genealogy, vol. 7, p. 43 "Moore" and p. 50 "Rambo"

³ Beverly Yount, Tombstone Inscriptions, Wayne County, Indiana (Fort Wayne), vol. 3 (1969), p. 270

⁴ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 345, 401

⁵ Samuel Lamborn, comp., Genealogy of the Lamborn Family (pub. 1894), p. 345

⁶ Samuel Lamborn, comp., Genealogy of the Lamborn Family (pub. 1894), pp. 345, 401

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The children of [#171232] William Ash and Sarah (Moore) Rambo [son of Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1712321. **SARAH SYLVANUS RAMBO** was born 21 May 1840 and married BENJAMIN F. **MAXWELL** on 29 Aug 1860.¹ He was born 22 May 1836, the son of Hugh and Anna (Talbert) Maxwell of Richmond, Indiana. They were Quakers and attended the Silver Creek Monthly Meeting in Union Co., Indiana.² In 1871 the family transferred to the Milton MM. Benjamin was a farmer and owned 150 acres near Monroe City, Monroe Co., Missouri. He died 4 Apr 1900, and Sylvia died 19 Jan 1909.³ See the transcribed biography for Helen Rollins Maxwell [#171232141]. Sarah and Benjamin had these children:⁴

17123211. WILLIAM R. MAXWELL, b. & d. 17 Jul 1861

- 17123212. LINNETTA S. MAXWELL, b. 11 Dec 1863
- 17123213. NAOMI R. MAXWELL, b. 11 Jun 1867, m. George W. See
- 17123214. PERCY FRANCIS MAXWELL, b. 31 Dec 1872, m. Ida Helen Crim

The children of [#171232] William Ash and Miriam Allison (Coffin) Rambo, his second wife, were Elijah Coffin, Edward Burough, James Parnell, Naomi Coffin and Francis Howgill.

1712324. **EDWARD BURROUGHS RAMBO** was born 5 May 1845 and married MARY AMELIA **TAYLOR** on 1 Jun 1870.⁵ She was born in Ohio 4 Apr 1847, a daughter of H. S. F. and Judith (Kellogg) Taylor. Mr. Edward Rambo was the Pacific Coast manager of the Winchester Repeating Arms Co. which manufactured the famous Winchester repeating rifle. Mary died 5 Jun 1888, and Edward died 16 Aug 1897 in Chicago, Illinois.⁶ They had these children:⁷

17123241. ALICE MIRIAM RAMBO, b. 1 Apr 1871, m. Andrew G. Griffin

- 17123242. MARTHA FAYE RAMBO, b. 15 Mar 1875, m. Gustavus R. A. Brown
- 17123243. WILLIAM TAYLOR RAMBO, b. 6 May 1876, m. Marietta Hall

1712326. NAOMI COFFIN RAMBO was born 8 Aug 1850 and married CALVIN B. WALKER.⁸

1712327. **FRANCIS HOWGILL RAMBO** was born 17 Jul 1853 in Cincinnati, Ohio. On 24 Nov 1886 he married DORA **BUTLER** at Lyons, Kansas. She was born 16 Mar

¹ John Andrew Moore Passmore, Ancestors and Descendants of Andrew Moore, 1612 (1897), p. 472 LDS microfilm #824364

² Willard Heiss, "Wayne Co., Indiana" in American Quaker Genealogy, vol. 7, p. 43 "Moore" and p. 50 "Rambo"

³ Tama News Herald, et. al., comps., History of Tama County, Iowa (1987), family #F1028, p. 793

⁴ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 345, 401

⁵ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 27 by Katherine B. Rambo

⁶₇ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 27 by Katherine B. Rambo

⁷ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 345, 401

⁸ Samuel Lamborn, comp., Genealogy of the Lamborn Family (pub. 1894), p. 345

1865 in Howard Co., Indiana, daughter of William Henry and Esther (Wickersham) Butler. "Francis Howgill was a cowboy in Kansas, who lived in the town of Sterling, Rice Co. He also worked for the railroad on the cattle cars. He was once gored in the leg while attempting to separate two fighting bulls. After his marriage, he and Dora moved to California by train. In the San Jose City directories, his profession was listed and orchardist."¹ Francis Rambo died 19 Mar 1929, and Dora died 27 Sep 1934 in San Jose. They are buried at Oak Hill Cemetery, San Jose where they lived and had these children:²

17123271. WILLIAM EDWARD RAMBO, b. 26 Sep 1887, d. 22 Feb 1888

17123272. FRANCIS RALPH RAMBO, b. 16 May 1894, m. Katherine Edna Coker

The child of [#171235] Warner and Rachel Lunetta (Rambo) Shearon [daughter of Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1712351. ELIZABETH CHAFFIN SHEARON was born 25 Jan 1848 and married JOSIAH B. GILBERT on 5 Nov 1867. He was born 15 Feb 1840, the son of Morris and Elizabeth (Elliott) Gilbert. He was a merchant and owned property too. Mrs. Elizabeth Gilbert died 5 Oct 1907 and was buried in Earlham Cemetery in Wayne Co., Indiana. Josiah married Mrs. Clara (Stegall) Noggle second. He died 14 Dec 1915 and was also buried at Earlham.³ They lived in Richmond, Wayne Co., Indiana and had two sons:⁴

17123511. WARNER M. GILBERT, b. 20 Jan 1870, m. 1) Bennett, 2) Miller, 3).

17123512. HARRY W. GILBERT, b. 26 Feb 1872, m. Indiana Gaar

The children of [#171236] William Thomas and Sarah Jane (Rambo) Shearon [daughter of Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1712361. CALEB SHEARON was born about 1845.

1712362. WILLIAM RAMBO SHEARON was born in 1848 and died in 1913. In 1867, he married REBECCA KING. She was born in 1848 and died in 1924. They had a daughter:⁵

17123621. ELIZABETH RAMBO SHEARON, b. 1880, m. Lee Steele Walters

1712363. **MARY SHEARON** born in 1851. She married GEORGE **MURPHY** in 1871. He was born in 1832, a son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Smith) Murphy. They lived

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 9 (Jan 1987), p. 27 by Katherine B. Rambo

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 3 (Nov 1984), p. 20 by Katherine B. Rambo

³ Beverly Yount, *Tombstone Inscriptions, Wayne County, Indiana* (Fort Wayne), vol. 1, p. 91

⁴ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 345, 401

⁵ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946, pp. 243-244

in Sioux City, Iowa, and may have had more than the following child:¹ 17123631. SARAH ELIZABETH MURPHY, m. George Horace Bliven

The children of [#171237] Samuel Ash and Lucinda (Twogood) Rambo [son of Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1712371. LUCY ANN RAMBO was born about 1848.

1712372. **SAMUELETTA ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born 30 Jul 1850. She married WILLIAM HENRY **PRUYN** on 20 Apr 1871. He was born 4 Jan 1851, the son of William Putnam and Helen Mar (Farrington) Pruyn of East Schuyler, New York. William Pruyn was a merchant in New York but later moved to Chicago, Illinois where he engaged in real estate business. They had two sons:²

17123721. WILLIAM HENRY PRUYN, b. 8 June 1872 17123722. SAMUEL RAMBO PRUYN, b. 10 Oct 1875

The children of [#171241] Peter and Eliza (McClellan) Rankin [daughter of Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Thomas, Margaret, Ann, Elizabeth, Henry, William M., Sarah, Henry Clay and Eliza Jane.

1712412. **MARGARET RANKIN** was born on Christmas Day 1828 in Reading, Pennsylvania.³ She married OLIVER CROMWELL **YOUNG** on 16 Sep 1847 in Phoenixville, PA. He was born 26 Jan 1825, the son of Peter and Rachael (Ivester) Young. Oliver Young was a merchant in Phoenixville until 1857 when he moved his family to Jackson Co., MI with the Peter Rankin family. Mrs. Maggie Young was a member of the United Brethren Church and died 1 May 1899. They had these children:

17124121. GEORGE YOUNG, b. 3 Aug 1848, d. 26 Apr 1880, m. Alida Spring
17124122. IVESTER YOUNG, b. 8 Mar 1850, d. 17 Apr 1923, m. Charlotte St. John
17124123. RANKIN YOUNG, b. 11 Mar 1852, m. Minnie L. Austin nee Burr
17124124. JOHN PENNYPACKER YOUNG, b. 7 May 1854, m. 1) Nichols , 2) ...
17124125. ADDISON VANDERSLIGHT YOUNG, b. 19 Nov 1856, m. V. Babcock
17124126. ANNIE YOUNG, b. 23 Oct 1858, d. 1918, m. Sumner Edwin St. John
17124127. MARGARET YOUNG, b. 20 Mar 1862, d. Mar 1923, m. George Styles
17124128. SOPHIE UBER YOUNG, b. 7 Aug 1863, m. Walter Dorr Freeman
17124129. CLYDE E. YOUNG, b. 21 Feb 1866, d. 1931, m. Angeline Smith Wood
1712412A. HENRY O. YOUNG, b. 14 May 1869, m. 1) Grace True, 2) Eva Berry
1712412B. ELIZA YOUNG, b. 9 Jul 1872, d. 24 Sep 1872

¹ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 61, 19*07 (1922), p. 310

² John V. L. Pruyn, "Pruyn Family," New York Genealogical and Biographical Record (1898), vol. 29, pp. 229, 236

³ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

1712416. **WILLIAM M. RANKIN** was born 3 Dec 1836 in Pennsylvania. He went to Michigan and married PENINA **KIRBY**, the daughter of Stephen Kirby. They had one child before their divorce, and her remarriage to Mr. Wood.¹ William Rankin enlisted in Co. C, 4th PA Infantry in the spring of 1861 but was discharged a short time later because of ill health. He married ELLEN **STRIEBY** second, on 6 Sep 1861. She was the daughter of William and Eliza (Haizell) Strieby. William Rankin was a teacher and a carpenter by trade. He was a Republican and a member of the Masonic Order. The family lived in Philadelphia at the time of the Centennial Exposition of 1876 but returned to Michigan where he settled on a farm in Jackson Co. Mrs. Ellen Rankin died 24 Mar 1893. In 1902, William Rankin married his cousin NANCY **McINTOSH** who had come from Ohio to keep house for him. He died 12 Mar 1904 and is buried in East Rives Cemetery. William and Penina had one child:

17124161. HERBERT RANKIN

William and Ellen had these children:

17124162. EVA RANKIN, b. 1862, d. 24 Jan 1928, m. Heman A. Evans

17124163. WILLIAM PETER RANKIN, b. 1 Oct 1863, d. 14 Jan 1937

1712417. **SARAH RANKIN** was born 23 Dec 1839 in Reading, Pennsylvania. She moved to Michigan with her parents in 1856 and married JOSEPH K. **COMPTON** on 24 Dec 1857.² Joseph was artistic and landscaped their home which was unusual for those times. He was a teacher, as well as farmer, and a Democrat in politics. Sarah loved music and had a good soprano voice. They adopted a baby boy, Maurice, the son of their cousins James and Mary Charters of Lisbon, Ohio. Mrs. Sarah Compton died 10 May 1900 of Addison's disease, and Joseph died 23 Aug 1900.

1712418. **HENRY CLAY RANKIN** was born 1 Dec 1843 in Reading, Pennsylvania.³ In 1861 he enlisted in Co. C. 9th MI Infantry and served for three years. He then enlisted in the 5th U.S. Veterans Volunteers. He attended Michigan State Normal School at Ypsilanti for three years and was superintendant of schools. He returned to Olivet College and earned his M.A. degree. Henry Rankin mastered Latin and Greek, and studied French, German and Spanish. He was an editor for Funk and Wagnall, a fund raiser for charities, and a member of the Michigan House of Representatives in 1911-12. He married LOTTIE **GRAHAM** on 23 May 1878. She was born 24 Mar 1860, the daughter of Samuel and Emma (Deacon) Graham. Henry C. Rankin died 13 Jul 1915 in Ypsilanti, and Mrs. Lottie Rankin died 2 Mar 1930. They had five children, but two died in infancy.

17124181. VERA RANKIN, b. 27 Jun 1880, m. Frank A. Grawn 17124182. ESTABROOK RANKIN, b. 2 Nov 1887

¹ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

² Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

³ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

17124183. PAUL TORY RANKIN, b. 2 Feb 1897, d. 1969, m. Dorothea Callback

1712419. **ELIZA JANE (Lida) RANKIN** was born 18 Jun 1847 in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania.¹ On 13 Mar 1869 she married E. J. GUY **LYMAN**. He was born 23 Jun 1842, the son of Elijah and Sarah (Dyer) Lyman. He served in Co. C, 9th Michigan Infantry along with his friend Henry C. Lyman. After marriage the family lived in Rives Township, Jackson Co., Michigan but moved to a small farm in Allegan Co. in 1889 and engaged in raising fruit. They were members of the United Brethren Church, and Lida Lyman was secretary for the Ladies Aid Society for many years. Mr. Lyman taught school for many years and sang bass in the church choir for most of his life. Mrs. Lida Lyman died 12 Apr 1916, and her husband died one year later on 21 Feb 1917. Their children were:

17124191. CECILE BELLE LYMAN, b. 1 Aug 1870, d. 1959, m. Lauren Paquin

17124192. RANKIN GUY LYMAN, b. 12 Sep 1872, d. 1956, m. Maude Hammond

17124193. ANNA LYMAN, b. 22 Feb 1875, d. 1957, m. George E. Breidenstein

17124194. EDWIN D. LYMAN, b. 25 Feb 1877, m. 1) M. McNutt, 2) M. Galbreath

17124195. ROY LYMAN, b. 16 Feb 1879, d. 1 Jan 1961, m. Etta Garris

17124196. GRACE LYMAN, b. 24 Oct 1881, m. Charles E. Rice

17124197. NINA LYMAN, b. 18 May 1884, d. 1976, m. William R. Irey

17124198. HARRY LYMAN, b. 7 May 1889, d. 22 Mar 1893

The children of [#171271] Aaron and Catherine (Gicker) Rambo [son of Ezekiel Jr., Ezekiel Sr., Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Ritter Samuel C., Mary Elizabeth Catherine, William T. G. and Viola Jane.

1712711. **RITTER SAMUEL C. RAMBO** was born 26 June 1846. On 14 Oct 1867 he married LAVINIA **BAKER** who was born in Jun 1848 and called Fannie in the 1900 Census. Ritter worked as a photographer, and the family lived at 4080 Lancaster St., Philadelphia. They had one known child:

17127111. ELIZABETH RAMBO, b. Oct 1879

The Chester *Village Record* of 22 Oct 1867 and 2 Nov 1867: "Marriage RAMBO - BAKER - on the 17th ult., in Oxford, by the Rev. F.B. Harvey, RITTER S.C. RAMBO, of York county, to SAVINA BAKER, of Chester country."

1712712. **MARY ELIZABETH CATHERINE RAMBO** was born 15 Feb 1848, married JOHN WESLEY **WALTER**, and died 30 Jul 1889 in Baltimore, Maryland.²

1712713. WILLIAM T. G. RAMBO was born 19 May 1850 and lived alone in East

¹ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 6 (Aug 1986), p. 28 citing Judy A. Nelson

17127131. WILLIAM RAMBO, b. Oct 1873

The known children of [#171272] Moses and Elizabeth Jane (Graham) Rambo [son of Ezekiel Jr., Ezekiel Sr., Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Elmer Ellwood, H. Graham, Isabella Graham and Mary Graham.

1712721. ELMER ELLWOOD RAMBO was born about 1861 and was married to MARY JEFFERIS on 25 May 1891 by Rev. H. A. MacKubbin of the Presbyterian Church.¹ Mary was born in Chester Co., Pennsylvania, a daughter of Maris and June Hannah Jefferis of Coatesville. Elmer joined his father in the coal and lumber business, was a lifelong resident of Coatesville, Pennsylvania, and was active in civic affairs. He was a member of the Coatesville Presbyterian Church for 40 years and was the oldest member of Washington Fire Company #1. Elmer died [ed: 22 Nov 1947] the Saturday before 24 Nov 1947 at the Carlisle Hospital aged 86, Mary died 10 Aug 1951 in Media, Pennsylvania in her 90th year, and they were buried in the Fairfield Cemetery. Elmer and Mary had these children who survived them:²

17127211. Miss RAMBO, m. John David Lindsay

17127212. MARGARET GRAHAM RAMBO, m. William Bixler Barnitz

1712722. **H. GRAHAM RAMBO** was born 21 Nov 1864 and died 17 Dec 1945. "The Autoists' Adventure" by Mary P. Livingston documents the trip Coatesville to Boston of a group including H. Graham Rambo, son of Moses and Elizabeth Jane (Graham) Rambo. (Moses lived to be over 82 years old.) H. Graham Rambo was born in Coatesville on 21 Nov 1864 and died 17 Dec 1945. His siblings who survived him were Elmer E. Rambo, Isabella G. Rambo who lived with H. Graham Rambo, and Mrs. Mary Graham Ridgeway who was the widow of William H. Ridgeway (obituary). There are two contemporary William S. Youngs. One is a Rambo cousin, William Stewart Young who was born 11 Jul 1859 in Parkesburg, Chester Co., son of Ezekiel Rambo and Sarah Ann (Parke) Young. The other is the druggist and traveling companion, William S. Young who was born 26 Aug 1865, son of Robert M. and Margaret J. Young, and died 17 Jul 1914; is he also a cousin?

The children of [#171273] Silas and Hester J. (?) Rambo [son of Ezekiel Jr., Ezekiel Sr., Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Henry L., Ezekiel T. and Margaret J.

1712731. HENRY L. RAMBO was born Jul 1847 in Chester Co., Pennsylvania. He

¹ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

² "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

married MARGARET (?) who was born in Jan 1846. They made their home in Philadelphia and had one known child:

17127311. CLARENCE RAMBO, b. Aug 1883

1712732. **EZEKIEL T. RAMBO** was born in Nov 1848. He married MARY O. (?) who was born Dec 1848. They made their home in Philadelphia where E. T. worked as a boilermaker. They had these children:

17127321. FLORENCE RAMBO, b. Mar 1878

17127322. CHARLES A. RAMBO, b. Dec 1880

The child of [#171278] Thomas H. and Esther (?) Rambo [son of Ezekiel Jr., Ezekiel Sr., Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1712781. **MARGARET J. RAMBO** was born in Mar 1871. By 1889 she was engaged as a music teacher at 611 Brooklyn St. Philadelphia. She was unmarried in 1900 and lived with parents.

The children of [#171432] Mark and Hannah (Rambo) DeHaven [son of Abigail, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter and daughter of John, John, Michael, John Jr., Gunnar, Peter] were Jonathan Rambo and Rachel.

1714331. **JONATHAN RAMBO DEHAVEN** was born 2 Jun 1839 in Upper Merion, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania.¹ At age 23, he began the successful DeKalb Nurseries, specializing in fruit, shade, and ornamental trees. He developed a number of varieties of special fruits and ornamental trees using the farm where he lived with his father, Mark. He was a skilled taxidermist and had a natural gift as an artist, preparing illustrations and designing landscapes and gardens. Locally he held a number of township offices and was an active member of Christ Church (Old Swedes) at Swedesburg. He died unmarried 31 Dec 1904.²

" J. Rambo DeHaven, proprietor of the well known DeKalb nurseries, is a son of Mark and Hannah DeHaven, and was born in Upper Merion township, Montgomery county, Pennsylvania, June 2 1839. The DeHavens are of French lineage, and in the early part of the last century, February 19, 1745, Andrew DeHaven, one to the first of the American line, was born. He was a son of William DeHaven, who had five children: Margaret, born August 13, 1739; Peter, born January 31, 1741; Sarah, born September 21, 1743; and Andrew, the great-grandfather of the subject of this sketch. Andrew DeHaven was a native of Whitpain township, this county, and was united in marriage with Elizabeth

¹ Henry Wilson Ruoff, Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa., Part 1 (pub 1895), pp. 165-166

² Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 164

McGlathery, by whom he had seven children: Deborah, Elizabeth, Mordecai, Peter, Sarah, Nathan and Henry. Mordecai (grandfather) resided in Plymouth township, was born in the year 1786, and died April 5, 1852, at the age of sixty-six years. He was a farmer by occupation, and in addition to this, was an extensive lime dealer.

He held membership in the old Swedes church of Upper Merion township, in which he was and active and influential member. He married Abigail Rambo, a daughter of Nathan Rambo, who was born July 8, 1790, and died December 15, 1874."

Both husband and wife are buried near Old Swedes Church. Son, Mark DeHaven b. December 10, 1813, brought up on farm, limestone manufacturer and cattle dealer. large mine operator, member Old Swedes Church and with father member of the second troop of Montgomery Co. calvery. Died Sept 9, 1889. Mark DeHaven married Hannah Rambo, daughter of John and Elizabeth Rambo (Elizabeth Rambo b. May 11, 1771, d. Dec 18, 1850) Mrs DeHaven b. Sept 22, 1811, d. Mar 16, 1890.

Mr and Mrs DeHaven parents two children J. Rambo and Rachel (who b. Dec 19, 1841, d. Jan 27, 1857).

J. Rambo DeHaven embarked in nursery business successfully. Speciality of fruit, shade and ornamental trees, most grown on farm where his father now resides. Extensively engaged in farming and skilled taxidermist.¹

The children of [#171436] Mordecai and Elizabeth C. (Smith) DeHaven [son of Abigail, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Abigail S., Sarah S., John, Robert Harvey, George Henry and Lewis.

1714361. **ABIGAIL S. (Abbie) DEHAVEN** was born about 1844 and married Civil War veteran HENRY HARRISON **SHAINLINE** [#1671317] on 18 Sep 1866 in Norristown, Pennsylvania. See his record for further details. Henry and Abbie had these children, all born in Montgomery and Chester counties, Pennsylvania:

- 16513171. SALLIE DeHAVEN SHAINLINE, b. 31 Jul 1868
- 16513172. ERNEST MANNING SHAINLINE, b. 2 Jul 1870
- 16513173. FLORENCE ELLA SHAINLINE, b. 20 Feb 1872, m. Harvey H. Smith
- 16513174. ELIZABETH DeHAVEN SHAINLINE, b. 19 Feb 1874
- 16513175. FRANKLIN HOWARD SHAINLINE, b. 29 Oct 1875
- 16513176. BURTON TOLEN SHAINLINE, b. 1 Feb 1878 in Montgomery Co.
- 16513177. GEORGE HENRY SHAINLINE, b. 28 Sep 1879 in Chester Co.
- 16513178. CHARLES R. SHAINLINE, b. 21 May 1882
- 16513179. BEULAH MAY SHAINLINE, b. 20 May 1884

1714362. **SARAH S. DEHAVEN** was born 5 Dec 1847 and died of bronchial pneumonia in Upper Dublin Township on 4 Mar 1921 aged 73. Her brother, R. Harvey

¹ Henry Wilson Ruoff, Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Montgomery County, Pa., Part 1 (pub 1895), pp. 165-166

DeHaven, signed the death certificate. She is buried at Whitmarsh.¹

1714364. **ROBERT HARVEY DEHAVEN** was born about 1853 and signed his sister's death certificate in 1921 at which time he lived in Ambler, Pennsylvania.²

1714365. **GEORGE HENRY DEHAVEN** was born 24 Dec 1856 and married ANNA BARBARY **LEBOLD** on 1 Aug 1883 at the Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. She was born 6 Jun 1860, daughter of Joseph and Anna (Rodenback) Lebold. George Henry was a farmer and lived near Lancasterville, Pennsylvania. Anna DeHaven died 17 Mar 1922 of lobar pneumonia, George Henry died 26 Apr 1927, and they are buried at St. Thomas Episcopal Church Cemetery in Whitmarsh Township. They had one child:³

17143651. GEORGE CLARKE LEBOLD DEHAVEN, b. 7 Jun 1889, m. Heffelfing

1714366. LEWIS DEHAVEN was born 1859 and married ELIZABETH WEIR.

The children of [#171437] Nathan and Susan (Miller) DeHaven [son of Abigail, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Catherine Jane, Rebecca Ann, Mary Emma, Hester, Rees Rambo, Hannah, Nathan, John Franklin and William Henry.

1714371. **CATHERINE JANE (Kate) DEHAVEN** was born 30 May 1852 and married WILLIAM HENRY LOVE on 14 Aug 1874. She died 31 Jan 1901.⁴

1714372. **REBECCA ANN DEHAVEN** was born 8 Aug 1854 in Swedesburg, Pennsylvania and married SEPTIMUS **WOOD** on 1 Jan 1873. He was born 23 Sep 1844, a son of Aaron Wood, and died 23 Aug 1926 at Swedeland. Rebecca Ann died 13 Jan 1923. They had these eleven children born in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania:⁵

- 17143721. WILLIAM MICHAEL WOOD, b. 9 Nov 1873, d. 2 Feb 1938
- 17143722. SUSAN DEHAVEN WOOD, b. 14 Feb 1876, d. 5 Mar 1957
- 17143723. CLARENCE EMERY WOOD, b. 8 Apr 1878, d. 9 May 1945
- 17143724. ELWOOD CORSON WOOD, b. 30 Dec 1878 (?), d. 17 Aug 1881
- 17143725. SEPTIMUS ELMER WOOD, b. 12 Mar 1883, d. 2 Aug 1883
- 17143726. HENRY PAINTER WOOD, b. 1 Sep 1884, d. 29 Dec 1962
- 17143727. NATHAN DEHAVEN WOOD, b. 23 Dec 1885, d. 22 Jan 1960
- 17143728. MARGARET B. WOOD, b. 16 Sep 1888, d. 19 Feb 1895
- 17143729. JOHN RAMBO WOOD, b. 13 May 1890, m. Emma Elizabeth Keebler
- 1714372A. ELSIE WOOD, b. 28 Sep 1892, d. 23 Mar 1895

- ³ N. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H.Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, pp. 165-166
- ⁴ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 166

¹Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 165

² Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 165

⁵ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

1714372B. NADINE REBECCA WOOD, b. 1 Feb 1894, d. 2 Aug 1976

1714373. **MARY EMMA DEHAVEN** was born 19 May 1856 and married JOSEPH **WINTERBOTTOM**. She died 11 Aug 1881 and is buried at Old Swedes with her infant daughter aged 20 days.¹

The children of [#17143A] John C. and Abigail (DeHaven) Cleaver [daughter of Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary, George Ephraim, Annie and Fremont John.

17143A2. (GEORGE) EPHRAIM CLEAVER (BENNETT) was born in 1848 in Plymouth Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania. He was listed in the 1850 census as Ephraim Cleaver and was in Norristown, Pennsylvania in 1860. On 15 Sep 1863 at age 15, he enlisted for three years in Co. D, 35th Reg. of the New Jersey Volunteers as Ephraim Smith (his stepfather was Albert Smith). He was wounded in the Battle for Mobile on 9 Apr 1865. He used the name George E. Bennett and married LUCY ANN (JONES) RACE in Dallas, Texas on 12 May 1874. She was born 3 Oct 1856 in Missouri, a daughter of John and Lucy Ann Jones. Her first husband, John Coe Race, had died in March of 1872 or 1873. George stated in a pension application that he had used the name George E. Bennett before the Civil War. It may have been the name of his guardian in Philadelphia after the death of his father. The Pension Office accepted the name change and granted him a Civil War pension. His discharge reads George E. Bennett, serving as Ephraim Smith. He and Lucy Ann lived in Kiowa, Indian Territory where he had a freight business between Dallas and the mines at Pittsburgh, Indian Territory. Lucy Ann was a wise, neat, attractive, and very benevolent woman. She owned her own 40-acre farm. Never was a hungry person refused food or clothing from her house. Many children other than her own shared her love and home. Her fame as a "light bread" maker was great, and she always made many loaves for campmeetings. In the 1890s George wrote letters to Philadelphia stating that his father was John C. Cleaver and corresponded with his sister. George died 9 May 1898 at Kiowa (or Stringtown), Indian Territory. Lucy died of cerebral hemorrhage on 19 Apr 1927 in Madill, Oklahoma. See Ancestors and Descendants of Lucy Ann and George Ephraim Cleaver *Bennett* by Nina K. Bennett Wikerson. They had these ten children:²

17143A21. WILLIAM (Willie) BENNETT, b. 22 May 1875, d. 1896 unmarried

17143A22. ROBERT FREMONT BENNETT, b. 16 May 1877, m. Dora Roy Farris

17143A23. SARAH ANN BENNETT, b. 8 Jan 1879, m. 1) Jordon, 2) West, 3) ...

17143A24. GEORGE EPHRAIM BENNETT, b. 22 Aug 1881, m. Ivy Smart

17143A25. MARY JANE BENNETT, b. 18 May 1883, m. Joseph Edd Brown

17143A26. AMELIA BENNETT, b. 18 Feb 1885, m. 1) Thomason, 2) Dewbre

¹ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 166

² Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

17143A27. ANNIE BENNETT, b. 8 Feb 1887, d. Apr 1924, m. Joel Delbert Terry 17143A28. KATIE BENNETT, b. 29 Sep 1889, d. Sep 1967, m. David E. Thomason 17143A29. JAMES BENNETT, b. 18 Jun 1893, d. 1945, m. Mary Etta Waggoner 17143A2A. NINA KEORTINKA BENNETT, b. 14 Mar 1896, m. Oliver Wilkerson

17143A3. **ANNIE CLEAVER** was born 1852 and died after 1896. She had a daughter Sarah and granddaughter Annie. In the 1890s she wrote several letters and sent pictures to her brothers from Allegheny City, Pennsylvania. She writes well and appears to be a handsome woman.¹

17143A4. **FREMONT JOHN CLEAVER** was born in a house on Cherry Street in Norristown, Pennsylvania in 1856 and married MARGARET **MUELLER** in 1878. She was born about 1858 in Germany and died in Pittsburgh in 1943. Fremont was an electrical contractor during his productive years but worked on a lily farm shipping bulbs after retirement. He was personable and charming, quite the ladies man according to his grandchildren. Fremont and Margaret divorced after 1910. Fremont died in Allegheny Co., PA in 1937. They had thirteen children:²

- 17143A41. ANNIE MARIE CLEAVER, b. 1879, d. 25 Aug 1895
- 17143A42. JOSEPH CLEAVER, b. 1880
- 17143A43. JOHN CLEAVER, b. 1883
- 17143A44. CHARLES CLEAVER, b. 1886
- 17143A45. FREMONT JOHN CLEAVER, b. 1888, m. 1) B. Parker, 2) E. Mueller
- 17143A46. AGNES CLEAVER, b. 1889
- 17143A47. MARGARET CLEAVER, b. 1891, d. 1986, m. Vlockas
- 17143A48. JAMES CLEAVER, b. 1893
- 17143A49. SADIE (Sarah) CLEAVER, b. 1895
- 17143A4A. FRANK CLEAVER, b. 1897
- 17143A4B. HARRY CLEAVER, b. 1899, d. after 1988, m. Margaret (Peggy) (?)
- 17143A4C. WILLIAM CLEAVER, b. 1902
- 17143A4D. MERLE CLEAVER, b. 1905, d. 1928

The children of [#17143B] Elwood and Rebecca (Thompson) DeHaven [son of Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Luther, Margareth, Mary, Alfred and Abigail.

17143B1. LUTHER DEHAVEN was born about 1858 and was married to 18-year-old REBECCA J. (?) by 1880 when they are recorded as living in Reynoldsville, Pennsylvania.³

¹ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 12 Jun 2000

² Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

³ Joe Patterson, e-mail of 19 Dec 2004

17143B4. **ALFRED DEHAVEN** was a tailor born in Mar 1866 and to married Anne (?) who was born in Jul 1863. In 1900 they had been married twelve years and were living in Brookville Borough, Pennsylvania. Anne was the mother of three children, two of whom were still living:¹

17143B41. GRACE DEHAVEN, b. ca Jun 1888

17143B42. TORRANCE DEHAVEN, b. ca Feb 1893

The children of [#171451] Theodore B. and Sidney Anna (Mathaney) Rambo [son of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Isaac, Anna M., Clara L., Emma Jane and George.

1714512. **EMMA JANE RAMBO** was born in Jun 1851 and married SAMUEL A. **REES** on 4 Jan 1872 at the First Presbyterian Church of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. He was a farmer born on 15 Aug 1842 in West Brandywine, Chester Co., PA, a son of Joseph and Tamar Burgoin (Coffa) Rees. Samuel and Emma Jane had no children:²

1714515. **ANNA M. (Annie) RAMBO** was a cloth weaver, born 22 Feb 1860 in Chester Co., PA. She never married but had a son by Benjamin Griffith. Annie died 1 Dec 1911 aged 51 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and was buried at the Grove Methodist Church Cemetery in Whitford Station, PA. Her son carried the Rambo name but adopted the name Rees, perhaps in order to inherit the farm of his uncle Samuel Rees:³

17145151. HARVEY L. REES, b. 16 Feb 1878, d. 1916, m. Mary Frances Daley

The children of [#171452] George W. and Ann Elizabeth (Sweeten) Rambo [son of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1714521. **THEODORE RAMBO** was born 8 Jan 1853 at Brandywine Manor, PA.⁴ He married JENNIE **PIERCE** on 3 Oct 1881 in West Chester. Theodore died 22 Oct 1932 at Concordville, Pennsylvania. They lived in Philadelphia where they had these children:

17145211. MARY RAMBO, b. 3 Jul 1882, m. Edward Barnett

17145212. HARRY C. RAMBO, b. 3 Mar 1885, m. Ella Bacon

1714522. **KATE RAMBO** was born 25 Mar 1854 at Brandywine Manor, Pennsylvania.⁵ She married OLIVER M. **EMERY** at East Pikeland, Pennsylvania on 25 Jan 1881. Kate died 29 Dec 1927 in West Vincent, Pennsylvania. The Emerys had these

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

¹ Joe Patterson, e-mail of 19 Dec 2004

² Sue Ellen Keenan, Hatfield, PA 19440, family research, GenForum posting

³ Sue Ellen Keenan, Hatfield, PA 19440, family research, GenForum posting, e-mail of 11 Jan 2002 citing death certificate

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

children:

17145221. GEORGE C. EMERY, b. 3 Jun 1883, m. Jeanette Fenstermacher 17145222. THEODORE ROSCOE EMERY, b. 29 Aug 1886, m. Effie Humes 17145223. EVA M. EMERY, b. 27 Nov 1893, d. 14 Nov 1933, m. J. Calvin Miller

1714523. **GEORGIE RAMBO** was born 5 Oct 1855 in Brandywine Manor, Pennsylvania.¹ On 25 Jan 1882 she married HADLEY JACKSON **LEMON** at Merlin, PA. She died 15 Feb 1933 at Malvern, PA. They were the parents of these children:

17145231. H. IOLA LEMON, b. 13 Apr 1890

17145232. WALTER RAMBO LEMON, b. 5 May 1895, m. Emily Thompson

17145233. CHANDLER H. LEMON, b. 21 Jan 1897, m. Katherine Lisenberg

1714524. **MARY JANE RAMBO** was born 28 May 1858 at Brandywine Manor, Pennsylvania.² On 4 Feb 1886 she married LIVINGSTON ORLANDO **FRIDAY** at West Chester, PA. He was a son of John and Susanna (Emery) Friday. Mary Jane died 2 Jan 1936 in Phoenixville, PA. They lived in Phoenixville and had these children:

17145241. IRA J. FRIDAY, b. 13 Jan 1887, d. 28 Aug 1887 at Merlin, Pennsylvania 17145242. EDNA MAY FRIDAY, b. 15 Aug 1888, d. 1958 at West Chester, PA 17145243. LEROY LIVINGSTON FRIDAY, b. 22 Nov 1890, m. Estella S. Wagner

The children of [#171453] Thomas B. and Esther (Rambo) Townsend [daughter of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1714531. **JOHN W. TOWNSEND** was born 10 Aug 1859 in Grove, Pennsylvania,³ and married SARAH R. **CLARK** at Coatesville, Pennsylvania on 9 Nov 1881. He died at Marshallton, Delaware on 2 Jun 1932. They lived in Coatesville until 1899 when they made their home in Wilmington, Delaware. They had these children:

- 17145311. GERTRUDE TOWNSEND, b. 21 May 1883, m. ?
- 17145312. FLORENCE TOWNSEND, b. 5 Mar 1887, d. 3 Nov 1891
- 17145313. HERBERT TOWNSEND, b. 2 Dec 1892, d. 7 May 1893
- 17145314. J. ERNEST TOWNSEND, b. 18 Mar 1897, m. Sarah Vernon
- 17145315. HAROLD C. TOWNSEND, b. 28 Oct 1899, m. M. Ellen Trimble
- 17145316. B. LILLIAN TOWNSEND, b. 24 Dec 1900, m. William G. Fanning

1714532. **ELMER E. TOWNSEND** was born 4 Jul 1861 in Coatesville, PA.⁴ He married FRANCINA **HALL**, the daughter of C. W. Hall, on 10 Mar 1892 in Philadelphia. They lived in Birdsboro, Pennsylvania until late 1903 and then moved to

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² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

Wilmington, Delaware where Elmer Townsend died on 20 Nov 1931. They had these children:

17145321. FLORENCE TOWNSEND, b. 26 Aug 1892, m. Earl Smyth

17145322. LA RUE TOWNSEND, b. 9 Jul 1894, d. 4 May 1899

- 17145323. RUTH ANN TOWNSEND, b. 18 Apr 1897, m. Marshall Wendell Hall
- 17145324. HELEN TOWNSEND, b. 20 Apr 1899
- 17145325. CLARENCE TOWNSEND, b. 6 May 1903, d. 1926, m. Ruby Carpenter
- 17145326. ELIZABETH TOWNSEND, b. 4 Mar 1904, m. Harry White
- 17145327. CHARLES S. TOWNSEND, b. 28 Aug 1909, m. Evelyn Galloway

1714533. OSCAR (or Thomas?) TOWNSEND was born in 1863 and died in infancy.

1714534. **MARY S. TOWNSEND** was born 3 Aug 1870 in Downingtown, Pennsylvania.¹ She married NORMAN **AMES** on 3 Jan 1889, and they lived in Wilmington, Delaware. On 23 Feb 1904 at Wilmington, Mary Townsend Ames married her second husband, JOHN FRANK **RUTTER**. Norman and Mary Ames had one child:

17145341. PAUL AMES, b. 3 Dec 1889, d. 1918, m. Margie Baker

John and Mary Rutter were the parents of these children:

17145342. ESTHER K. RUTTER, b. 8 Jul 1905, m. Howard Hulse

17145343. GRACE A. RUTTER, b. 9 Nov 1910

The children of [#171454] Jacob and Angeline (Rambo) Webster [daughter of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were William H., Mary B., Frank L., Jacob Diem, George T., Isaac E., Daniel T. and Thomas B.

1714543. **FRANK L. WEBSTER** was born 18 Dec 1865 at Downingtown, PA.² He married ELIZABETH **TARBIT** on 17 Sep 1887 at Columbia, Pennsylvania. She was born 9 Jun 1867, the daughter of William and Mary Tarbit, and died 1 Mar 1910. After the death of his wife, Frank Webster married GERTRUDE **GILBERT** in a Lutheran ceremony on 20 Sep 1910 at Lancaster, Pennsylvania. She was born 19 Sep 1881, the daughter of Aaron and Lucy Gilbert. Frank and Gertrude Webster lived in Enola, Pennsylvania and had an adopted son: James Gilbert, born 28 Oct 1903 at Columbia, PA. Frank and Elizabeth (Tarbit) Webster lived in Enola, PA and had these children:

17145431. LESLIE WEBSTER, b. 23 Jan 1896, d. 23 Nov 1988, m. Anna Neuer

17145432. RALPH JOY WEBSTER, b. 30 Oct 1898, m. Marion E. Matchuer

17145433. FRANKLIN WEBSTER, b. 7 Oct 1899, d. 28 Feb 1903

17145434. ROY L. WEBSTER, b. 5 Jun 1901, d. 31 May 1989, m. Florence Neidig

- 17145435. FRANCES WEBSTER, b. 29 Sep 1903, d. 1996, m. Charles L. Kunkle
- 17145436. THEODORE WEBSTER, b. 14 Sep 1905, m. Lavina Brewbaker

¹George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

1714544. **JACOB DIEM WEBSTER** was born 4 Mar 1868 at Downingtown, Pennsylvania.¹ He married Mrs. CLARA (**DOUGHERTY**) KENNA in 1892. She was born 12 Aug 1872, the daughter of Robert and Catherine Dougherty. The Websters lived in Columbia, Pennsylvania where Jacob was a farmer. He died 22 Nov 1929 at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. Jacob and Clara had these children:

17145441. RUTH NAOMI WEBSTER, b. 16 Jan 1893, m. Sterling Francis Fair

17145442. ALFRED DIEM WEBSTER, b. 2 Nov 1894, d. 8 Mar 1899

17145443. CHARLES ELMER WEBSTER, b. 15 Feb 1896, m. 1) Musser, 2) Kulp

17145444. CLARA MAY WEBSTER, b. 15 Apr 1899, m. William F. Cline

17145445. EDWARD SHARPLESS WEBSTER, b. 12 Jun 1902, m. E. Bateman

17145446. THOMAS LIVINGSTON WEBSTER, b. 26 Dec 1903, m. A. Whitman

17145447. ROBERT MARCUS WEBSTER, b. 8 May 1906, m. Margaret McFaddin

1714545. **GEORGE T. WEBSTER** was born 18 Oct 1870 at Downington, Pennsylvania.² He married FLORA S. **BARNES** on 27 Feb 1894. She was born 22 Sep 1872, the daughter of George and Sarah Barnes. Flora Webster died on 12 Apr 1901 at Columbia. George Webster married his second wife, ESTHER M. **KLINGBEIL** on 17 Dec 1906. Esther was born 22 Nov 1875, the daughter of John and Elizabeth Klingbeil. George and Flora had two children:

17145451. ESTHER P. WEBSTER, b. 27 Apr 1898, d. 29 Apr 1898

George and Esther lived in Columbia, Pennsylvania and had three children.

The children of [#171455] Matthew S. and Harriet E. (Tompkins) Rambo [son of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were George, Charles, Howard, William, Harry, Morton T., Jehu, Mary V., Frank, Matthew, Taylor G., Eli A., Clifford, Susanna E. and Hattie E.

1714553. **HOWARD RAMBO** was born 26 May 1867 at Paoli, Pennsylvania.³ He married MAGGIE **GADSLEY** on 26 May 1891. They had no children. His second marriage was to ANNA **HOFFMAN** on 26 Jun 1907 in a Lutheran ceremony in Philadelphia. She was a daughter of Mrs. Sarah Seiberling. Howard and Ann Rambo lived in Philadelphia and had one son.

1714555. **HARRY RAMBO** was born 15 Oct 1869 in Paoli, Pennsylvania.⁴ He married BESSIE **CUMMINGS** on 22 Nov 1893 at Philadelphia. Bessie was born in

^{17145452.} GEORGE C. WEBSTER, b. 21 Oct 1900

¹ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

June 1874, and her mother, Hannah Cummings age 65, lived with the couple in 1900. Harry and Bessie Rambo had one child:

17145551. WILBUR RAMBO, b. 16 Jul 1900, m. Constance Kershaw

1714557. **JEHU RAMBO** was a general contractor born 8 May 1872 and married to MARY A. (Mame) **McKEENAN** in a Methodist ceremony on 10 Feb 1898 in Sugartown.¹ She was born 27 Jan 1877 at Warehouse Point, Connecticut, the daughter of Thomas and Jane (Lamont) McKeenan. Jehu and Mame lived in Paoli for 50 years. Jehu died Mar 1958. Mary A. died in Paoli on 20 Apr 1961, aged 84, and is buried in the Grove M.E. Cemetery. She was survived only by nieces and nephews.²

1714558. **MARY V. RAMBO** was born 23 Dec 1873 in Paoli, Pennsylvania.³ In 1890, she married EDMUND T. **WELLS** at Camden, New Jersey. He died 20 May 1926. They lived in East Chicago, Indiana and had these children:

17145581. EDNA M. WELLS, b. 14 Feb 1891, m. Edward J. Davis

17145582. THORNTON E. WELLS, b. 20 Apr 1892, m. Ethel B. Whiting

17145583. PEARL L. WELLS, b. 19 Oct 1893, m. Morge A. Sheeler

17145584. ORVILLE M. WELLS, b. 24 May 1904, m. Rose Rybenski

171455B. **TAYLOR G. RAMBO** was born 24 Jul 1877 at East Goshen, Pennsylvania.⁴ He was married to ANNA E. **SWEADES** on 21 Jun 1905 by Rev Jos. Evans, a Baptist minister. She was the daughter of George and Emma Sweades. The Rambos lived in Philadelphia and later in Darby and had these children:

171455B1. RODMAN RAMBO, b. 24 Mar 1906

171455B2. GEORGE E. RAMBO, b. 4 Nov 1909

171455C. **ELI A. RAMBO** was born in Goshenville, Pennsylvania on 2 Sep 1880.⁵ He married MARGARET L. **MOORE** on 12 Nov 1902, with Rev. Wm. Needham (Baptist) officiating. Margaret was born in Radnor, the daughter of P. Morris and Marietta Moore. Eli and Margaret Rambo lived in Paoli, Pennsylvania but moved in 1940 to Brandywine Manor, Pennsylvania where he operated a general store and gas station until he retired in 1953. Eli died the Saturday preceding 24 Jun 1963 in Honey Brook, Pennsylvania, aged 82, Margaret died [ed: 24 Jan 1952] the Thursday before 31 Jan 1952, and they are buried in Brandywine Manor Presbyterian Cemetery.⁶ They had four children.

171455D. CLIFFORD E. RAMBO was born in Goshenville, Pennsylvania on 21 May

¹George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

1883.¹ He married EMMA J. **MOORE** on 12 May 1904. The Rambo brothers married sisters, as Emma was also the daughter of P. Morris and Marietta Moore. The Clifford Rambos lived in Philadelphia, later Upper Darby, and had five children.

171455E. **SUSANNA E. RAMBO** was born 14 Jun 1886 at East Goshen, Pennsylvania.² On 28 Aug 1902, she married GEORGE R. **SMILEY** at Berwyn, Pennsylvania. Susanna died 15 Aug 1933. They had five children.

171455F. **HATTIE E. RAMBO** was born 16 Dec 1889 at East Goshen, Pennsylvania.³ She was married to CHARLES J. **ASH** on 27 Feb 1907 by Rev. Hanna (Methodist) at Philadelphia. Charles was the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Pfifer) Ash. Charles and Hattie Ash lived at 5410 Spring St. in Philadelphia and had no surviving children.

The children of [#171456] Jacob and Susanna (Rambo) Diem [daughter of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1714561. **WESLEY F. DIEM** was born 17 Feb 1871 at Downingtown, Pennsylvania.⁴ He married LULU **KURTZ** on 22 Jun 1895. She died 26 Mar 1932. They lived at Gap, Pennsylvania and had these children:

17145611. LESTER DIEM, b. 10 Oct 1895, m. Sara Ellinger 17145612. PAUL DIEM, b. 18 Aug 1902, d. 6 Aug 1933, m. Emma Neuhauser 17145613. EARL DIEM, b. 7 Nov 1904, d. 20 Mar 1924

1714562. **MARY E. DIEM** was born 27 Oct 1877 in Chester Co., Pennsylvania.⁵ In Philadelphia on 19 Mar 1901, she married PHILIP **TRIMBLE**, the son of Samuel and Rachel Trimble. They lived in Coatesville, PA and had three children, including: 17145621. RUTH TRIMBLE, b. 22 Nov 1902

1714563. **MABEL DIEM** was born 10 Feb 1880 at Elverson, Chester Co., Pennsylvania.⁶ On 25 Jun 1901, she married J. PARKE **BARNETT**, son of Joseph and Harriet Barnett. They lived in Lancaster Co. and had three children, including these:

17145631. JAMES BARNETT, b. 27 Jun 1902

17145632. BRUCE BARNETT, b. 22 Oct 1904

The children of [#171457] Asa and Matilda (Freeman) Rambo [son of Eli, Nathan,

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² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1714571. **WARDEN RAMBO** was born 6 Oct 1867 at North East, Maryland.¹ He married RACHEL FALLS on 10 Dec 1892. She was born 23 Apr 1867 in Philadelphia and died there on 17 Jun 1910. In 1900 the family lived at North East, Maryland and had these children:

17145711. JOHN RAYMOND RAMBO, b. 25 Apr 1893

17145712. MARGARET RAMBO, b. 3 Nov 1894

17145713. RACHEL RAMBO, b. 24 Apr 1895, m. Charles Lamb

1714572. **CLARA RAMBO** was born 25 Mar 1872 at North East, Maryland.² She married JESSE **SIMPERS** of North East on 21 Jan 1889. Clara Rambo Simpers married FREDERICK W. **MULLER** on 17 Aug 1927 in Philadelphia. They lived at North East but had no children. Clara and Jesse Simpers had one son:

17145721. JOHN SIMPERS, b. 5 Nov 1900, m. Gertrude Payne

1714573. **FANNY RAMBO** was born 11 Jun 1874 at North East, Maryland.³ She was married to ELI **COULSON** on 2 May 1899 at Philadelphia by Rev. F. B. Short (Methodist). Eli was the son of William P. and Anna Coulson. Fanny Rambo Coulson died 20 Jul 1914. They were the parents of four children including these:

17145731. ANNA M. COULSON, b. 25 Apr 1900

17145732. CLARA W. COULSON, b. 18 Oct 1902, m. James W. Foote

17145733. GEORGE W. COULSON, b. 2 Sep 1905, m. Sara Mears

1714574. **HARVEY RAMBO** was born 8 Apr 1876 at North East, Maryland,⁴ and was married to ANNA **EBERHARDT** on 6 Mar 1901 by Rev. James Easley (Methodist) at Wilmington, Delaware. She was the daughter of Frank and Catharine Eberhardt. The Rambos lived in Wilmington and had one child:

17145741. STELLA RAMBO, b. 22 Apr 1902

1714575. **GEORGE RAMBO** was born 3 Dec 1880 at North East, Maryland.⁵ He married BLANCHE **McKOWEN** on 25 Mar 1908 at Wilmington, Delaware in an Episcopal service. She was the daughter of Joseph and Frances McKowen. They had two children born in Wilmington but later made their home in Baltimore.

The children of [#171458] Eli and Martha (Famous) Rambo [son of Eli Sr., Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

1714581. **MARY M. RAMBO** was born 17 Jun 1873 at Paoli, Pennsylvania.¹ She was unmarried and lived at Multown, PA until moving to West Chester four years before her death at age 84 on 17 Nov 1957. She was buried at Malvern Baptist Cemetery.²

1714582. WILLIAM RAMBO was born 18 Mar 1875 at Paoli, Pennsylvania, married JOSEPHINE WEISS, lived in Thorofare, New Jersey, and had eight children including:³ 17145821. FRANCIS RAMBO, b. 24 Jul 1903 17145822. MARY RAMBO, b. 3 Sep 1905

The children of [#171459] Jehu and Mary Elizabeth (Emerson) Rambo [son of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

1714591. **GEORGE JEHU RAMBO** was born 26 May 1878 in West Chester, Pennsylvania and married KATHRINE L. **ENGLERTH**.⁴ They lived in Philadelphia where he worked for the Philadelphia Transportation Co. and was a member of numerous clubs and fraternal organizations. He died 6 Sep 1964 at the Osteopathic Hospital in Philadelphia, aged 86, and was buried in Pequea Baptist Cemetery. His wife died earlier.⁵

1714592. **ELMER N. RAMBO** was born 13 May 1880 in West Chester, Pennsylvania.⁶ He married ANNIE **MOORE** on 8 Jul 1905, the daughter of Oscar and Lydia Moore. They lived in Lancaster, Pennsylvania and had one child.

The children of [#17145A] Isaiah and Sara Lavina (Lawrence) Rambo [son of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Morris, Clarence, William, Elwood, Charles, Myrtle and Mary.

17145A1. **MORRIS RAMBO** was born 27 Mar 1875 at Philadelphia.⁷ He was married to BLANCHE **CLEMENSON** on 19 Mar 1896 by Rev. Millison, a Methodist clergyman. They lived in West Chester in 1900 when her mother, Sarah Clemenson age 45, and sister Myrtle Clemenson lived with the family. Morris and Blanche Rambo had one son:

17145A11. MAURICE B. RAMBO Jr., b. 2 Feb 1900, d. 1961, m. Helen Robinson

¹George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

³ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934) ⁵ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁷ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

17145A2. **CLARENCE RAMBO** was born 13 Jun 1877 at West Chester, PA.¹ He married MARGUERITE **HITE** on 9 Jun 1898, the daughter of Peter and Rosanna Hite. She died 15 Dec 1930. They lived in West Chester, Pennsylvania.

17145A3. **WILLIAM RAMBO** was born 19 Oct 1879 in West Chester, Pennsylvania.² He married CORA **STEELE** on 27 Sep 1901 at Camden, New Jersey. They lived in Coatesville, Pennsylvania and had one son:

17145A31. WILLARD RAMBO, b. Apr 1902

17145A6. **MYRTLE RAMBO** was born 29 Sep 1887 in West Chester, Pennsylvania.³ She married ANDREW **GOETZ** in Camden, New Jersey in 1907. After he died, she married JOHN W. **MOORE** on 7 Mar 1932. They lived in Downingtown, Pennsylvania but had no children.

17145A7. **MARY RAMBO** was born 1 Nov 1889 at West Chester and married JOHN F. **SNYDER** on 12 Feb 1911 at Bryn Mawr.⁴ They lived in Downingtown and had two children.

The child of [#17145B] Nathan and Annie (Davis) Rambo [son of Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145B1. ALICE B. RAMBO was born 13 Mar 1888 in Honey Brook, Pennsylvania. She married BLAINE SHAW, the son of William and Caroline Shaw. Alice had one child before she died in Feb 1919:⁵

17145B11. VESTA SHAW, b. 25 Dec 1907, m. Cecil Lammy

The child of [#191461] David and Rachel Rambo (Dehaven) Jones [daughter of Elizabeth (Rambo) DeHaven, Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter].

1914611. **ROBERTS DEHAVEN JONES** was born 9 Feb 1856 at Bristol, Pennsylvania and married MARY **SARGENT**` about 1875. They had no children, and Mary died in San Francisco before 1939.⁶

¹George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 218, thanks to Duncan Ely

The children of [#191462] James and Mary Emily (DeHaven) Comly [daughter of Elizabeth (Rambo) DeHaven, Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth DeHaven, James I. and Cora Emma.

1914621. **ELIZABETH DeHAVEN COMLY** was born 25 Nov 1863 at Byberry, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania and was married to FRANCIS XAVIER **DERCUM**, M.D., on 5 Aug 1891 in Germantown, Pennsylvania by Rev. Dr. J. DeWolf Perry.¹ Francis was born in Philadelphia on 10 Aug 1856, a son of Ernest Jacob Adebert von Dercum and Susanna Earhart. The earliest known ancestor, Werner Dercum, fled England during the reign of Henry VIII for religious reasons and settled in Germany, where successive generations lived until 1848, when Jacob (Jacques) Dercum and his family emigrated to the United States. Dr. Dercum was an international authority on nervous diseases and an author of a number of medical works. He was a Chevalier of the French legion of Honor, a consultant in the long illness of Pres. Woodrow Wilson, and was President of the American Philosophical Society for seven years. He died of a heart attack on 23 Apr 1931, just as he was preparing to open the annual meeting in Philadelphia. He was aged 74y 8m 13d. Elizabeth died of arteriosclerosis on 28 Jun 1942 at Gladwyne in Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, aged 78y 7m 4d.² They lived in Philadelphia and had these children:^{3,4}

19146211. ELIZABETH COMLY DERCUM, b. 18 Dec 1892, m. Samuel Mifflin 19146212. ERNEST COMLY DERCUM, b. 11 Mar 1895, d. 10 Apr 1914 19146213. MARY DEHAVEN DERCUM, b. 25 Sep 1896, m. Malcolm Lloyd Jr.

1914622. **JAMES ISAAC COMLY** was born 26 Oct 1865 at Byberry, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania and married KATHERINE FIELD **HAMMER** in 1888 at St. Stephens Church in Philadelphia, PA. James was an attorney and a president of Lincoln Savings and Trust Co. They lived in Germantown, PA but divorced, and James died on 11 Apr 1930 at Haverford, Pennsylvania. James and Catherine had these children:⁵

19146221. JAMES COMLY, died young

19146222. SAMUEL HAMMER COMLY, b. 7 Mar 1893, m. Dorothy D. Deacon

19146223. MARION COMLY, b. 3 Sep 1895, m. Frank Delaney

1914623. **CORA EMMA COMLY** was born 18 Dec 1868 at Byberry, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania and married JOHN RIDGWAY **DEACON** on 6 Jun 1889. He was born 23 Nov 1869, a son of John and Deborah (Woodward) Deacon. In the 1930s, John and Cora lived in Pass-a-Grille, Florida. Cora died 27 Oct 1951 in St. Petersburg, Florida. They had these children:⁶

19146231. ANNA CHAMBERS DEACON, b. 5 Jun 1890, m. Harry B. V. Mecke

¹ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible transcription & DAR application

² Duncan Ely, family research, showed copies of death certificates

³ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 543-544, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁴ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible transcription

⁵ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 544, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁶ George Norwood Comly, Comly Family in America and Supplement, p. 544, thanks to Duncan Ely

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19146232. DOROTHY DEHAVEN DEACON, b. 25 May 1895, m. Samuel Comly 19146233. J. COMLY DEACON, b. 20 Jun 1892, d. 13 Mar 1898 19146234. JOHN RIDGWAY DEACON, b. 24 Apr 1907, m. 1) Hastings, 2) ...

The child of [#191481] Andrew J. and Helen S. (Rambo) Anderson [daughter of R. Roberts, Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter].

1914811. **EMILY RAMBO ANDERSON** was born about 1863 in Bridgeport, Pennsylvania. She married C. COLKET **WILSON**, and they had these children, all baptized at Christ (Old Swedes) Church in Upper Merion Township, Montgomery Co.¹

- 19148111. HELEN ANDERSON WILSON, b. 30 Jan 1889
- 19148112. COLKET WILSON, b. 10 Jun 1891
- 19148113. WINFIELD WILSON, b. 5 Jun 1893
- 19148114. JACKSON ANDERSON WILSON, b. 5 Aug 1895
- 19148115. EMILY RAMBO WILSON, b. 28 Jan 1898
- 19148116. DAVID WILSON, b. 8 Feb 1902

The children of [#191482] J. Roberts and Lydia Caroline (Shearer) Rambo [son of R. Roberts, Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Richard Roberts, Charles Norris, Milton Howard and Alfred Donald.

1914822. **CHARLES NORRIS RAMBO** was born 13 Jul 1873 in Norristown, Pennsylvania. In 1900 he lived with his mother and younger brothers in Norristown. He organized the Mutual Fire, Marine & Inland Insurance Co. of Philadelphia where he remained manager until 1917.² During WWI, he was head of the fire protection in the U. S. R. R. Administration and in 1925 was manager of the R. R. Insurance Association. He married HELEN **URQUHART**, and they lived on Park Ave. in New York City. He died 10 Feb 1941, and Mrs. Helen Rambo died in 1948. They had no children.

1914823. **MILTON HOWARD RAMBO** was born 6 May 1876 and was single in 1900, living in Norristown. In 1941, he lived in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, the only surviving brother of Charles Rambo.

The children of [#192121] Mathias Pennypacker and Elizabeth Ann (Rambo) Walker [daughter of Nathan, Jonas, George, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Nathan Rambo, Anna Broades, John O. Stearns, William Colket, Athalia L. Tiernan, Winfield Wilson, Mary Schall, Mathias Pennypacker and Sarah Pennypacker.

¹ Montgomery County, PA, "Church records, marriages, family Bible ...," LDS Family History Library, microfilm F6008

² Charles Norris Rambo, "Obituary of Charles Norris Rambo," New York Times, 11 Feb 1941.

1921211. **NATHAN RAMBO WALKER** was born in Aug 1856. He married SARAH ELLA **STEPHENS** who was born Oct 1856 in New York. They lived in Tredyffrin Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania but had no children.

1921212. **ANNA BROADES WALKER** was born 11 Jan 1861 and married JAMES ARTHUR **McFARLAND**, son of George and Mary (Cornog) McFarland of Gulph Mills, on 22 Apr 1880.¹ They had these children:^{2,3}

19212121. MARY C. McFARLAND, b. 23 May 1881

19212122. ELIZA WALKER McFARLAND, b. 21 Oct 1882

19212123. EMMA MERRITTMcFARLAND, b. 13 Dec 1884

19212124. GEORGE MATTHIAS McFARLAND, b. 18 Oct 1889, d. 20 Dec 1889

1921216. **WINFIELD WILSON WALKER** was born 3 May 1867 and was a thresherman residing in RFD Wayne, Pennsylvania when he married ANNA **TAGGART** on 26 Mar 1908. Anna was born 9 Jul 1859, a daughter of Austin L. and Sarah (Rudy) Taggart. Winfield and Anna had no children.⁴

The children of [#192122] William Broades and Elizabeth A. (Arundel) Rambo [son of Nathan, Jonas, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were E. Pauline, William A., Evelyn and Albert Sidney.

1921222. WILLIAM A. RAMBO was born in Mar 1863 and married MARY (?) who was born in Aug 1863. William and Mary lived in Philadelphia in 1900. William A. Rambo married Mrs. KATHERINE L. (GREGG) WATTS second and died 22 Jan 1945 in PA according to the Norristown *Times Herald*. William and Mary had these children:

19212221. WALTER RAMBO, b. Apr 1887

19212222. WILFRED RAMBO, b. Jul 1889

19212223. CLARENCE RAMBO, b. Feb 1892

19212224. ELMER RAMBO, b. Sep 1895

1921224. ALBERT SIDNEY RAMBO was born about 1872 and married GERTRUDE LEVICK. They lived at "Whitewood" in Ogontz, Pennsylvania in 1919 and at "The Squirrels" in Elkins Park, Pennsylvania in 1924-1940. They had at least this one son: 19212241. PHILIP L. RAMBO

¹ Moses Auge, Lives of the Eminent Dead ... Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (pub. 1879), pp. 583-586

² Pricilla Walker Streets, Lewis Walker of Chester Valley and his Descendants (Alfred J. Ferris, Printer, 1896), p. 354

³ Emily Todd Helm, "Todd Family," in *Kittochtinney Magazine*, vol. 1 (4), p. 367

⁴ Samuel Kriebel Brecht, Genealogical Record of the Schwenkfelder Families (New York: Rand McNally, 1923), p. 800

The child of [#192123] David and Mary Jane (Rambo) Schall [daughter of Nathan, Jonas, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter].

1921231. **WILLIAM SCHALL** was born 5 Mar 1861 in Norristown, Pennsylvania. He married JEANNETTE GORDON **BROMLEY** on 12 Apr 1887 in Philadelphia. She was born 5 Apr 1963 and died in Norristown on 28 Feb 1919. William died there 6 Oct 1934. They had two known children:¹

19212311. JEANNETTE SCHALL, b. Dec 1892

19212312. REBECCA RAMBO SCHALL, b. 16 Feb 1896, m. Andrew Y. Drysdale

The children of [#196111] George and Sara Ann (Kreider) Rambo [son of George, Jesse, Gunnar, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Nathan Hall, Elizabeth, Lydia, Emma S. and Alfred K.

1961111. NATHAN HALL RAMBO was born 4 Dec 1849 in Philadelphia and married JULIA ANN PARKER McLAIN.² She was born 31 Jul 1851 in Delaware, the daughter of Archibald and Mary (Juell) McLain. In 1900 the family lived in Philadelphia. Nathan died 25 Mar 1928, and Julia Rambo died of pneumonia on 24 Jul 1926. Both were buried in Mt. Moriah Cemetery, Delaware Co., Pennsylvania. They had these children:

19611111. GEORGE RAMBO, b. Dec 1872, d. 1918, m. Magdaline (?)

19611112. HARRY McLAIN RAMBO, b. Aug 1875, d. 1914, m. Sarah McCullen

19611113. MARGARETTA RAMBO, b. Mar 1879, d. 1956, m. Walter Staats

19611114. FRANK RAMBO, b. Jun 1884, m. Ethel Knox

19611115. NATHAN HALL RAMBO, b. Jul 1885, m. Louise Achuff

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 5 (Jul 1985), p. 1

² Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

http://sites.google.com/site/RamboFamilyTree

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The children of [#1211711] Francis and Mary L. (LeBaron) Reno [son of Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Charles LeBaron, Mary Lora, Smith C., and Lorraine Smith.

12117111. **CHARLES LeBARON RENO** was born 15 Oct 1841 and married MARY M. **STETZEL** about 1863. She was born about 1842 in Pennsylvania, a daughter of Philip and Sarah Stetzel. Charles died 14 Jun 1889 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, and Mary died there about 1920. They had these children:^{1,2}

121171111. BERTHA RENO, b. ca 1865 in Pennsylvania, m. Alva Kale

121171112. FRANK W. RENO, b. ca 1867

121171113. GEORGIANNA RENO, b. ca Jan 1870 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania

121171114. CHARLES RENO, b. ca May 1875, d. 1949, m. Bessie B. (?)

121171115. LILLIAN MABLE RENO, b. ca Jun 1881, m. Albert Clyde Wilson

121171116. BEULAH M. RENO, b. ca 1884, d. 1965, m. Jacob Otto Miller

12117112. **MARY LORA RENO** was born 2 Oct 1847 in Pennsylvania and married PERRY **GRAHAM** on 4 Nov 1866 in Rochester, Pennsylvania. He was born there about 1842, a son of John and Sarah Graham. In 1880 Perry lived in Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania. Mary died 25 Sep 1904. They had one known child:^{3,4}

121171121. ETTA GRAHAM, b. ca 1868 (age 12 in 1880, born in PA)

121171122. CHAS. GRAHAM, b. ca 1873 (aged 7 in 1880, born in PA)

12117113. **SMITH C. RENO** was born in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania in Jan 1850 and married ELLA **BOGGS** who was born in West Virginia about 1851. They were in Beaver Co. in 1880 but apparently moved to Seneca Co., Ohio and then to Hamilton Co., Ohio. Smith died before 1900 when Ella was a widow living in Muncie, Indiana with her daughter Addah Brotherton. In 1910 Ella was still living with the Brothertons, but now in Cincinnati, Ohio. There are deeds involving a Mary Boggs from the Reno estate between 22 Dec 1882 and 16 Sep 1918. They had these children, all born in PA:^{5,6}

121171131. JOHN RENO, b. 28 Oct 1869, d. 7 Apr 1951, m. Catharine R. McCoy 121171132. ADDAH MAE RENO, b. 7 Jul 1871, m. Robert Lewis Brotherton 121171133. FRANCIS RENO, b. 30 Mar 1874, d. May 1954, m. Clara Adele Knecht

Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS06/PS06_062.HTM

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁴ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS02/PS02_396.HTM

⁵ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 17 May 2004

⁶ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS02/PS02_396.HTM

121171134. HERBERT RENO, b. 28 Mar 1875, m. Dora Knecht 121171135. WILLIAM RENO, b. 3 Sep 1879, m. Addie McCamy

The children of [#1211713] Socrates Adam and Cynthea Hemphill (Irvin) Reno [son of Willie Ann, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ann Olivia, Caroline A., Nellie Irving, Mary, Florence, and Joseph Irvin.

12117131. ANN OLIVIA RENO was born in 1849 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania and married GEORGE W. ROGERS first and LEWIS C. FOSTER second.¹

12117132. CAROLINE A. RENO was aged 19 in 1870 census and married WILLIAM BACHELOR on 14 Sep 1871 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He was born about 1840 in Steubenville, Ohio and died 22 Dec 1908 in Monaca, Ohio. Caroline died there in 1922. They had these children:²

121171321. NELLIE BACHELOR, b. ca 1875, m. C. C. Aughenbaugh

121171322. ALONZO SOCRATES BACHELOR, b. 15 Feb 1877, d. 13 Apr 1941

121171323. JOSEPH BACHELOR, b. ca 1879, d. 20 Jul 1898

121171324. FRANK MARRATA BACHELOR, b. 6 Nov 1881, d. 10 Aug 1968

12117133. NELLIE IRVING RENO was born in 1856, and on 11 May 1875 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, she married JAMES HAMILTON CUNNINGHAM who was born 12 Dec 1846 in Beaver, Pennsylvania. He enlisted in 1864 in Co. F, 140th Regt. PA Volunteers, was captured at Cold Harbor and imprisoned at Andersonville, but was exchanged after 6 months, rejoined his regiment, and served until the end of the war. Afterwards he studied law and was admitted to the bar 31 Jul 1872.³ Mrs. Nellie Cunningham died in 1914, and her husband died in 1926.⁴ They lived in Beaver Co. and had these known children:⁵

121171331. CHARLES S. CUNNINGHAM

121171332. CAROLINE MAY CUNNINGHAM, m. Eugene Hooper

- 121171333. ANNIE R. CUNNINGHAM, m. Edward T. McIlvain
- 121171334. JAMES H. CUNNINGHAM

121171335. NELLIE CUNNINGHAM, m. Morford Throckmorton

12117136. JOSEPH IRVIN RENO was born 20 Aug 1862. In 1874 he started the first paper route in Monaca [then Phillipsburg], Pennsylvania delivering the Pittsburgh evening papers. He married CAROLINE P. PIERCE on 26 Dec 1900 in Mahoning Co.,

defunct website at http://members.aol.com/RQStephns/famtre4.htm

² Mindee Forman, "Descendents of Nicholas Seaver," on web in 2009 at http://mindeeclem.tripod.com/saviers/pafg11.htm#4712 ³ J. Fraise Richard, et. al., History of Beaver County Pennsylvania (A. Warner & Co. Pub., 1888; reprint, 1980), p. 636

⁴ Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., Lineage Book: National Society of Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931, p. 154

⁵ Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., Lineage Book: National Society Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931, p. 268-269

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Ohio. She was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania on 3 Aug 1875. Joseph's father willed him the Madison Street furniture business in 1890. In the early 1940s Joseph was in retirement at Buckeye Lake, Ohio. Joseph died Feb 1945 and is buried in Irvin Cemetery in Rochester, Pennsylvania, and Caroline died in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania in 1962.¹

The children of [#1211762] John Ralston and Mary (Shoemaker) Evans [son of Jonathan, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Jonathan A., David Augustus, and Christiana R.

12117622. DAVID AUGUSTUS EVANS was born 9 Sep 1869 in PA and married FLORENCE HARBISON. He died 22 Feb 1949. They had two known children:²
 121176221. EDMUND HARBISON EVANS, b. 22 Aug 1897, m. Cristena Fisher
 121176222. RALPH D. EVANS, b. 20 Sep 1900, m. Geraldine McElroy

12117623. CHRISTIANA R. EVANS was born about 1872 in Lawrence Co., PA and married CHARLEY E. ZEIGLER. Member of Daughters of American Colonists.³

The children of [#1213122] Robert Bull and Emaline (Crossett) Jordan [son of Francis, Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Caroline Jane, Amos, Francis, Robert Bull, Samuel Gantt, Laura Cecelia, and an infant.

12131221. **CAROLINE JANE JORDAN** was born 8 Jun 1837 in Newport, Pennsylvania and married FRANCIS MARION **POWER** on 27 Jun 1858 in Iola, Kansas. They lived in Iola. She died 11 Feb 1916 in Archer City, Texas.⁴

12131222. **AMOS JORDAN** was born 2 Nov 1839 in Havre de Grace, Maryland. He was a soldier in the Federal Army who died in the Union Army Hospital in Mound City, Illinois on 21 Sep 1862.⁵

12131223. **FRANCIS (Frank) JORDAN** was born 21 Jun 1842 in Havre de Grace, Maryland and died in service with the Home Guard during the Civil War on 6 Feb 1863.⁶

12131225. **ROBERT BULL JORDAN**, Jr was a farmer born 24 Mar 1849 in Gloucester Co., New Jersey. He married ALICE D. (**OLIVER**) BISHOP in 1898. She

¹ defunct website at http://members.aol.com/RQStephns/famtre4.htm_

² Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

³ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946, p. 266

⁴ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, letter of 31 Jan 2001

⁵ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, letter of 31 Jan 2001

⁶ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants,

was born in Kansas Feb 1878. The family story is that Robert and Alice put their children into an orphanage. Some time later Robert told his wife to go take two of their kids back from the orphange but to leave one -- and the one they left was the youngest, Rachel.¹ Robert died 7 Apr 1921 at the home of his sister Mrs. Laura Howard in Iola, Kansas and is buried in the Iola Cemetery.² They had at least these two children:^{3,4}

121312251. LEONA JORDAN, b. 15 Apr 1899 in Garnett, Kansas

121312252. JAMES EARL JORDAN, b. 23 May 1900 in Iola (census Robert Jr.)

121312253. RACHEL RUTH JORDAN, b. 5 Nov 1910 in Garnett

The Iola Register, 7 Apr 1921 and 9 Apr 1921:

"Mr. Robert Jordan passed away this morning at 5:30 at the home of his sister, Mrs. Laura Howard, 222 South First street at the age of 72 years. The funeral services will be held from the family home tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 with the Rev. H.G. Mathis officiating. Interment will be made in the Iola Cemetery."

"Obituary -- R.B. Jordan.

Robert B. Jordan was born in Gloucester, N.J., March 24, 1849. He departed this life April 7, 1921, being 72 years, 14 days old. With his parents he came to Centerville, Iowa, at the age of one year, at which place he remained 7 years. In 1857 the family came to Allen County, Kan., where he remained until the time of his death. He was a man that had passed through great sorrow, but through it all he had an abiding faith in Christ.

Of the family of eight children only two survive: Mrs. J.O.W. Howard and Mr. S.G. Jordan of Iola, Kan."

Thanks to Scott Jordan for the transcriptions.

12131226. **SAMUEL GANTT JORDAN** was a twin born 24 Mar 1849 in Gloucester, New Jersey, but his family migrated to Centerville, Iowa in 1850 and to Allen Co., Kansas in 1857. He had a first cousin named Samuel Jordan Gantt, son of his mother's sister Matilda Crossett and her husband Samuel Gantt who lived nearby in Allen Co. Samuel Gantt Jordan married REBECCA JEMIMA (Jennie) **DEMAREE** of Waveland, Indiana on 29 Oct 1872 in Rossville, Illinois. She was born 10 Sep 1847. Family tradition asserts that she held a college degree from an Ohio institution. They were members of the Presbyterian Church. Jennie died in Allen Co., Kansas on 10 Nov 1886, aged 39, leaving four young children. Samuel married widow DEBORAH (**BROWN**) BOZARTH second, on 10 Jun 1890 in Iola, Kansas. She was born 27 May 1860 in Allen Co., a daughter of William Martin and Nancy Emily (Hayes) Brown. Her first husband was Robert Bozarth, a Civil War veteran who died of war wounds and tuberculosis a

¹ Carrie Farnes, family research, email of 10 Feb 2003

² Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, Iola Register, 9 Apr 1921

³ Carrie Farnes, family research

⁴ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, 1900 US Census p. 6A

year after their marriage. She died of an abscess on the liver 25 Jul 1899 in Iola. Samuel still lived in Iola when his twin brother Robert died in 1921, but he moved to Tulsa, Oklahoma in 1932 to live with his son until his death of arteriosclerosis on 1 Jul 1934. He is buried in Iola. Samuel and Jennie had these children:¹

121312261. ERNEST ALLISON JORDAN, b. 4 Aug 1874, m. Louise Sargeant

121312262. RALPH JORDAN, b. 1875, d. before 1880

121312263. CLARA BELLE JORDAN, b. 11 Feb 1876, m. Gilbert Breckenridge

121312264. FRANCIS BURTON JORDAN, b. 15 Apr 1878, m. Marie Hawk

121312265. SAMUEL HARVEY JORDAN, b. 16 Aug 1880, m. Grace G. Jones

121312266. Infant JORDAN, b. 1886

Samuel and Deborah had these children:

- 121312267. LEWIS JORDAN, b. 1891, d. 1892
- 121312268. ALBERT WILSON JORDAN, b. 7 Dec 1893, m. Dorothy Deems
- 121312269. ROSCOE ESMOND JORDAN, b. 20 Jan 1896, m. Marie Annette Ward
- 12131226A. OLIN LYNN JORDAN, b. 8 Jan 1898, d. 1989, m. Leona Fern Scott

Andreas' History of Kansas, 1883:

"SAMUEL G. JORDAN, farmer and stock raiser, Section 12, P.O. Carlyle, was born at Gloucester, N.J., March 24, 1849, and came to Allen County with his parents in the Spring of 1857. He owns 120 acres of land on Deer Creek, on which are a large orchard and good farm buildings. He was married, October 29, 1872, to Miss Jennie D. Demaree of Waveland, Ind. They have four children, and are both members of the Presbyterian Church. Robert B. Jordan, father of the subject of this sketch, was born in Mexico, Perry Co., Pa., in 1811, and moved to Appanoose County, Iowa, in 1850. In the spring of 1857 he moved to Allen County, Kas., and settled in Deer Creek Township, where he lived until his death February 22, 1876. His widow, Mrs. Emeline Jordan, survives him and lives with her son, Samuel G. She was born in Juniata County, Pa., December 9, 1817, was married September 6, 1836, and had eight children, four of whom are now living. Both she and her husband united with the church at an early period of their married life."

Obituary clipping dated 1934, no month, no date, newspaper not identified; but almost certainly a Tulsa newspaper:

"Wagon Trail Echo Samuel G. Jordan, Kansas Pioneer, Dies at Home of Tulsa Son. Western wagon trails of three-quarters of a century ago were recalled here early Sunday with the death of Samuel G. Jordan, 85, Kansas pioneer, at the home of his son, F.B. Jordan, 1717 S. Newport av.

The elder Jordan, with his parents, made the trip from Centerville, Iowa, to Kansas by prairie schooner in 1856. He lived in Allen county, Kansas, until is health began to fail and he came to Tulsa two years ago.

The Tulsa son, now in the insurance and real estate business, was a pioneer dry goods

¹ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, letter of 31 Jan 2001

merchant in Tulsa, coming here in 1904. Four other sons and a daughter living elsewhere also survive. Funeral services will be at Iola, Kan., Tuesday. The Stanley and McCune funeral home is in charge of the body."(July 1, 1934 was a Sunday, July 3, 1934 was a Tuesday.) Thanks to Scott Jordan for the transcriptions.

12131227. **LAURA CECELIA JORDAN** was born 19 May 1852 in Appanoose Co., Iowa and married JOHN OSGOOD WELSH **HOWARD** on 1 Jan 1869 in Allen Co., Kansas. He was born in Oxford, Ohio on 1 Nov 1847. Her mother lived with the family in 1880. Laura died in Allen Co. on 29 Oct 1929. They had these seven children:^{1,2}

121312271. ELIVIRA LORETTA HOWARD, b. 18 Oct 1872, m. 1) Day, 2) Knake
121312272. CLIFFIE LEONE HOWARD, b. 26 Jan 1875, m. John Henry Chilcote
121312273. CAROLINE JANE HOWARD, b. 15 Sept 1878, m. Louis S. Mogel
121312274. ROBERT OSGOOD HOWARD, b. 8 Oct 1880, m. Nellie Alice Reeve
121312275. SAMUEL MORTON HOWARD, b. 10 Jul 1882, d. 9 Jan 1883
121312276. BESSIE MAY HOWARD, b. 5 Dec 1883, m. Harry Grieve
121312277. JOHN ROY HOWARD, b. 27 Sept 1885, m. Ida H. Martin

The children of [#1213144] James and Amanda Jane (Foster) Sanderson [son of Catherine (Jordan) Sanderson, Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Sarah Agusta, Flora E., Olive V., James J., and Minnie D.

12131441. **SARAH AGUSTA SANDERSON** was born May 1847 in Wooster, Ohio and married DAVID **PRYOR** there on 2 Apr 1879. David was a farmer born in Ohio in Dec 1830.³

12131443. **OLIVE V. SANDERSON** was born in 1856 in Ohio and married JAMES F. **COE** on 27 Nov 1873. James was a farmer born Jul 1851 in Ohio.⁴

12131444. **JAMES J. SANDERSON** was born 21 Oct 1859 in Vermillion Township, Ashland Co., Ohio and married FLORANCE IDA **HAMMER** on 9 Nov 1880. She was born in 1859 in Wayne Co., Ohio and died about 1890 in Wooster, Ohio. They had at least one daughter. When his first wife died, James J. sent his eldest daughter to live with his uncle Robert Sanderson in Chicago. James J. married MARY ALICE **BOWMAN** second, about 1890. She was born 5 Sep 1870 in Wooster and died 4 Jun 1931 in Akron. James J. died 31 Jan 1941 in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.⁵

¹ Carrie Farnes, family research

² Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, 1880 US Census p. 10

³ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

⁴ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

⁵ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

The children of [#1213146] William and Catherine Ann (Sanderson) Bollinger [daughter of Catherine (Jordan) Sanderson, Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary L., William S., Richard N., Catherine M., and James.

12131461. **MARY L. BOLLINGER** was born 1856 in Wooster, Ohio. She was a seamstress in 1880.¹

12131462. WILLIAM S. BOLLINGER was born 1861 in Millerstown, Pennsylvania and married MARTHA B. (Mattie) McCRUM at her uncle's house in Moosic, PA on 15 Dec 1887. William died 29 Nov 1916; Mattie died a few months later on 11 Apr 1917.²

12131463. **RICHARD N. BOLLINGER** was born 1869 in Millerstown, Pennslyvania and moved to Duncannan as an adult.³

The children of [#1213168] William Amos and Clara (Harding) Jordan [son of Jeremiah, Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Riverda Harding, Helen, Ruth, Loring Kenneth, and William Amos.

12131681. **RIVERDA HARDING JORDAN** was born 12 Apr 1873 and married MARY VINETTE **HOOVER**.⁴ She was born 18 Jul 1878. Riverda died 11 Sep 1950.⁵

12131682. HELEN JORDAN was born 3 Nov 1876 in Missouri and died in Aug 1967.

12131683. **RUTH JORDAN** was born 6 Oct 1886 in St. Joseph, Missouri and graduated from the Missouri State Normal School. She married FRANKLIN G. **WEARY** on 9 Sep 1909.⁶ He was born 2 Oct 1886. Franklin and Ruth Weary lived in Richmond, Missouri, and the family was Methodist. Ruth died in Jan 1974, and Franklin died in Mar 1976.⁷ They had two children.

12131684. LORING KENNETH JORDAN was born 1 Nov 1888, graduated from Yale with degrees in engineering and mining, moved to California, and sent money home so that his younger brother could also attend Yale. Loring courted GRACE WILMA HOOVER by mail. Grace was born 26 Nov 1887, a sister of Mary Vinette who married

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² William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

³ William Jordan Welch materials, research by Vi. P. Limric. Thanks to Scott Jordan

⁴ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Weary, Ruth Jordan" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 524 ⁵ Susan Seymour, e-mail of 21 Sep 2007

⁶ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Weary, Ruth Jordan" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 524

⁷ Susan Seymour, e-mail of 21 Sep 2007

Loring's older brother Riverda. Loring died 27 Dec 1966, and Grace died 5 Oct 1977.¹

12131685. WILLIAM AMOS JORDAN, II, was born 11 Jan 1893, attended Yale University, married MARION PORTER, and died in Aug 1986.²

The children of [#1214112] Thomas and Catherine Lydia (Kremer) Bower [daughter of Catherine (Evans) Kremer, Frederick, Elizabeth (North) Evans, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12141121. **FREDERICK EVANS BOWER** was born 21 Jan 1846 in Selensgrove, Pennsylvania and married HARRIET RUTH **HARRIS** on 31 Mar 1875 in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania. She was born 20 Mar 1851 near Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania, a daughter of Reese and Isabelle (Coleman) Harris. Frederick was an attorney and a minister in Lewisburg, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania. He died in Kelly township, Union Co., PA on 30 Nov 1927. Harriet had preceded him, dying on 30 Aug 1918 in Pittsburgh. They are buried in Lewisburg and had these children, all born in Middleburg, Pennsylvania:³

- 121411211. HARRY HARRIS BOWER, b. 8 Mar 1876, d. 1920
- 121411212. BRYANT EVANS BOWER, b. 23 Jan 1878, d. 28 Jan 1906
- 121411213. THOMAS RUSSELL BOWER, b. 24 Jan 1879, alive in Nov 1919
- 121411214. CATHERINE RUTH BOWER, b. 8 Jul 1881
- 121411215. FLEMING CLAUDE BOWER, b. 25 Jan 1883, m. Catherine Haldeman
- 121411216. MARY ISABEL BOWER, b. 6 Oct 1884, d. 9 Apr 1969
- 121411217. FREDERICK RUSSELL BOWER, b. 24 Sep 1886, d. 28 Jun 1958
- 121411218. HARRIET KREMER BOWER, b. 19 Sep 1890, m. Edward Gahagan

12141126. **R. EDWIN BOWER** was born about 1867 in PA and married JESSIE BELL **YOUMAN** who was also born about 1867. He died 27 May 1932 in Middleburg, Snyder Co., PA, and Jessie died 27 Feb 1952 in Snyder Co., PA. They had one child:⁴ 121411261. THOMAS HERVEY BOWER, m. ?

The child of [#1215385] Isaac and Mary Elizabeth (Neal) Brown [son of Sophia, Elizabeth, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12153851. **SOPHIA RANDOLPH BROWN** was born 1 Aug 1850 in Ohio Co., Kentucky.⁵ On 7 Feb 1867, she married WILSON KELLY **TAYLOR**. He was born 23 Nov 1836 in Ohio Co., Kentucky, the son of Alfred and Mary Ann (Mahon) Taylor.

¹ Susan Seymour, e-mail of 21 Sep 2007

² Susan Seymour, e-mail of 21 Sep 2007

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁵ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

During the Civil War, he saw service as a Pvt., 26th Kentucky Volunteers. He was a farmer and belonged to the Baptist church. They settled in Cowley Co., Kansas shortly after 1870. In 1900 Wilson and Sophie Taylor were divorced. She then married JOSIAH **CURFMAN**. Mrs. Sophia (Brown) Curfman died in Winfield, Kansas on 13 Mar 1917. Wilson Taylor passed away 1 Feb 1914 at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Sophia and Wilson Taylor had these children:

121538511. NANCY ELIZABETH TAYLOR, b. 6 Sep 1868, d. 1870

121538512. ARCADIA ANN TAYLOR, b. 30 Jun 1870, d. 1936, m. Verdon David

121538513. VIRGIL CAREY TAYLOR, b. 14 Jan 1873, m. Marion Cunningham

121538514. JOSEPH WIGGEN TAYLOR, b. 16 Dec 1874, d. 1875

121538515. ORLO CHRISTIE TAYLOR, b. 1 Oct 1876, d. 1949, m. Clara Weakley

121538516. ELLA SOPHIA TAYLOR, b. 19 Apr 1878, m. Wallace Holmes

121538517. ALFRED KELLY TAYLOR, b. 25 Feb 1881, m. 1) Clemma (?), 2)...

121538518. RUTH TAYLOR, b. 2 Jul 1885, d. 23 Jul 1963, m. James Silas Harbour

121538519. CELINA NADINE TAYLOR, b. 15 Jan 1888, m. 1) Miller, 2) Voorhees

12153851A. ROSCOE TAYLOR, b. 30 Jun 1890, d. Jan 1959, m. Mabel Passmere

The children of [#1215388] Rev. Alfred and Marjory Jane (Brown) Taylor [daughter of Sophia, Elizabeth, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12153881. **SUSAN RANDOLPH TAYLOR** was born 13 Apr 1854 in Ohio Co., KY and married MILLARD <u>FRANKLIN</u> **GRUBB** there on 25 Dec 1877. He was born 22 Oct 1856 in Butler Co., Kentucky, a son of Leander and Mary (Hargrove) Grubb. Susan died 8 Jan 1922. Frank died 22 Aug 1936 in Butler Co. and was buried there in Point Pleasant Cemetery. Frank and Susan had eight children:¹

121538811. LESLIE VIRGIL GRUBB, b. Oct 1878, left home early

121538812. ANNIE GRUBB, b. 21 Oct 1881, d. 1 Mar 1970, m. A. L. Flowers

121538813. ALFRED T. GRUBB, b. 26 Aug 1884, d. 1966, m. Anna L. Taylor

121538814. PINIE EARLE GRUBB, b. 8 Sep 1886, m. Cleveland Harreld

121538815. CLEONOUS GRUBB, b. 26 Jul 1888, d. 1953, m. Orville G. Read

121538816. ROSCOE GRUBB, b. 4 Mar 1891, d. 24 Nov 1944, m. Effie Taylor

121538817. ROY GRUBB, b. Jun 1894, d. 25 Oct 1955, m. Myrtle Bishard

121538818. McKINLEY GRUBB, b. Oct 1896, m. Iva Bollin

12153882. **JANE TAYLOR** was born about 1854 in Ohio Co., Kentucky. She married JACOB **WILLIAMS** on 21 Oct 1872 in Ohio Co.²

The children of [#1215A21] John Josephus and Angeline (Randolph) North [son of

¹ Gladys Martin Brooks, e-mail attachment of 7 Nov 2011

² Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

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Amos J., John, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ella Elizabeth, William C., George Monfort, John Randolph, and Mary Alta.

1215A211. ELLA ELIZABETH NORTH was born 13 Dec 1876 and married D. P.
 BARKER on 16 Jan 1901. They had one known child:¹
 1215A2111. FLOYD J. PARKER

1215A212. WILLIAM C. NORTH was born 4 Aug 1878 in Wood Co., Ohio and married JESSE PEARL CURRY on 15 Jun 1907. They had one known child:² 1215A2121. GEORGE PAUL NORTH, b. 13 Apr 1917, d. 16 Jan 1918

1215A213. **GEORGE MONFORT NORTH** was born 30 Aug 1880 in Wood Co. and married GERTRUDE **WILSON** on 8 Sep 1906.³

1215A214. **JOHN RANDOLPH NORTH** was born 26 Jul 1887 in Ellsworth, Kansas and married EDITH **WATSON** on 19 Nov 1914. She was born about 1891 in Fairfield Co., Ohio.⁴

1215A215. **MARY ALTA NORTH** was born 9 Oct 1889 in Kenoma, Missouri and married HERBERT RAYMOND **WOOLEY** on 27 Aug 1914 in Missouri. They had four children including:⁵

1215A2151. HERBERT HOWARD WOOLEY, b. 26 Sep 1919, d. 16 Nov 1967

The children of [#1215A22] William I. and Mary Elizabeth (Woodruff) North [son of Amos J., John, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ethel Margaret, Walter Amos, Mary Elizabeth, Dorcus R., Alice Woodruff, and Noel Woodruff.

1215A222. WALTER AMOS NORTH was born 8 Sep 1892 and married OPAL PENCE on 22 Dec 1926. She was a daughter of Otis and Christina (Bickle) Pence.⁶

1215A223. **MARY ELIZABETH NORTH** was born 2 Mar 1894 and married CORWIN **BOWERS** on 27 Nov 1919. He was a son of Jacob and Massie (Hutton) Bowers.⁷

1215A225. ALICE WOODRUFF NORTH was born 12 Feb 1897 in Hocking Co. and

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⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

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died there 16 Oct 1900.¹

The children of [#1216181] Nathaniel and Nancy (?) North [son of James, James, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth, Martin, John H., Clara, and David.

12161813. JOHN H. NORTH was born in Mar 1872 in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania and married LAURA (?) who was born in May 1873. They had these children: 121618131. MARGARET NORTH, b. Mar 1896 121618132. NATHANIEL NORTH, b. 2 Feb 1898

The children of [#1216183] Washington S. and R. Olive (?) North [son of James, James, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were James K., Nellie, and Mary E.

12161831. JAMES K. NORTH was born in Jul 1870 and married M. G. (?) who was born in Oct 1869. They lived in Patterson, Juniata Co., PA and had these children: 121618311. OLIVIA NORTH, b. May 1895 121618312. ELIZABETH M. NORTH, b. Jun 1899

The children of [#1216192] William Cloyd and Eleanor Bailey (Wilson) North [son of Amos J., James, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Jennette Macklin, Eleanor Rebecca, David Jordan, and Sarah Ann.

12161922. ELEANOR REBECCA NORTH was born 23 Jun 1876 and married ALBERT HUTCHINSON on 1 Nov 1900.²

12161923. DAVID JORDAN NORTH was born 6 Feb 1883 in Atchinson, Kansas, married MARGARET MAHAN, and had two children:³

121619231. JOHN DAVID NORTH, m. Helen (?) 121619232. WILLIAM NORTH

The children of [#1216225] William and Jane Elizabeth (Hamlin) Banks [daughter of Philo, Caleb, Joshua, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William Hamlin, James Alonzo, Andrew, Ella Kate, Philo Howard, Rebecca Jane, and Annie May.

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03381.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03384.htm

12162251. WILLIAM HAMLIN BANKS was born 16 Nov 1862 and married BESSIE JACOBS PARKER on 27 Jan 1892 in Pennsylvania. William died 24 Dec 1947 in Mifflintown, PA.¹

12162252. JAMES ALONZO BANKS was born 15 Oct 1864 and died 23 May 1944 in Mifflintown, Pennsylvania.²

12162253. ANDREW BANKS was born 21 Mar 1866 and died 20 Jun 1959 at Lewistown, Pennsylvania.³

12162254. ELLA KATE BANKS was born 6 May 1868 and married JOHN HOWARD **NEELY** on 31 Dec 1891. Ella died 6 Mar 1951 in Montclair, New Jersey.⁴

12162255. PHILO HAMLIN BANKS was born 30 Sep 1870 and died 23 Nov 1901 in New Orleans, Louisiana.⁵

12162256. **REBECCA JANE BANKS** was born 18 Jul 1872 in Mifflintown, Pennsylvania and married EZRA DOTY PARKER on 30 Jun 1896. He was born 15 Aug 1872. Rebecca died 14 Jul 1953 in Mifflintown, and Ezra died on 5 Nov 1965. They had these children:⁶

121622561. EDMUND SOUTHERN PARKER, b. 30 May 1893, d. 16 Jul 1983 121622562. HELEN WILSON PARKER, b. 26 Aug 1900

12162257. ANNIE MAY BANKS was born 14 Jul 1879 in Mifflintown, Pennsylvania and died 10 May 1880.⁷

The children of [#1219241] David English and Frances Melvina (Goode) Humphreys [son of George, David, Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

JANET LINGEN HUMPHREYS was born in 1855 and married 12192411. CHARLES A. BATTERTON.⁸

12192412. MARTHA STANLEY HUMPHREYS was born 3 Jul 1858 in Cole Co.,

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03385.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03385.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03385.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03385.htm

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03385.htm ⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03389.htm

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03389.htm

⁸ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Maltby, Martha Stanley Humphreys" in The Compendium of American Genealogy: ..., vol. 4, p. 375

Missouri.¹ She married ARTHUR NORMAN MALTBY on 6 Oct 1886. They lived in Sedalia, Missouri and had one child:

121924121. LOUISE MALTBY, b. 15 Nov 1889, m. Maurice J. McNellis

12192413. LOUISE MINOR HUMPHREYS was born in 1865 and married WILLIAM HANCOCK POWELL.²

The children of [#1219637] Andrew Kennedy and Margaret Burnett (Kearsley) Selden [son of George Washington Tate Kearsley, Anna Rambo (Humphreys) Kearsley, Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Andrew Kenneth, George Kearsley, and Anne Rebecca.

12196371. ANDREW KENNETH SELDEN was born 26 Nov 1880 in Charlestown, West Virginia and married AIMEE WHYTE of New York, New York. Andrew died 3 Oct 1940. They had one child.³

12196372. GEORGE KEARSLEY SELDEN was born 27 Aug 1882 in Charlestown, West Virginia and married JENNIE ESTELLE STEWART on 6 Dec 1911. She was born in Conyers, Georgia on 21 May 1878, a daughter of Joseph Alexander and Carrie Julia (Robinson) Stewart of Covington, Georgia. George died in Atlanta, Georgia on 23 Dec 1955. They had these children:

121963721. CAROLINE ROBINSON SELDEN, b. 9 Jan 1913, d. 28 Apr 2001 121963722. GEORGE KEARSLEY SELDEN Jr., b. 27 Jun 1917, m. Mary Hoge

ANNE REBECCA SELDEN was born in Aug 1884 and married 12196373. CLARENCE **HOBART** who was born 27 Jun 1870.⁴

The children of [#121A111] Alexander Washington and Eunice (Robbins) Morehead [daughter of Margaret, Elizabeth, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Oliver Wesley, Margaret Jane, Alexander Washington, Elizabeth, Ida Caroline, and Edward G.

121A1111. OLIVER WESLEY MOREHEAD was born about 1855 in Illinois City, Illinois, and in 1877 he married FRANCIS DIANNA PIERSON who was born in 1856.5 They lived in Wessington Springs, South Dakota where Oliver died 20 Aug 1919.⁶ They

¹ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Maltby, Martha Stanley Humphreys" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 375

² Frederick Adams Virkus, "Maltby, Martha Stanley Humphreys" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 375 ³ Andrew K. Selden, e-mail of 3 Jun 2004

⁴ Andrew K. Selden, e-mail of 3 Jun 2004

⁵ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 148, 1919* (1936), p. 233

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04801.htm

had one child: 121A11111. GRACE M. MOREHEAD

121A1112. **MARGARET JANE MOREHEAD** was born about 1858 and married LEANDER **TODD** on 17 Feb 1875 in Marshalltown, Iowa.¹

121A1115. **IDA CAROLINE MOREHEAD** was born in 1866, and on 21 Nov 1888 she married CHARLES CLARK **WOODS** who was born in 1861. Charles died in 1930.² They lived in Woonsocket, South Dakota and had these children:³

121A11151. ADRIA ALMIRA WOODS

121A11152. EDNA EUNICE WOODS

121A11153. MARJORIE BELL WOODS

121A11154. CHARLES CLARK WOODS

The children of [#121A121] James F. and Elizabeth (Speer) Bunton [daughter of Mary, Elizabeth, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary, Sarah Ann, Isaac N., Wilson, James, and William.

121A1212. **SARAH ANN BUNTON** was born 8 Nov 1838 and married WILLIAM **RUSSELL** on 2 Jul 1863.⁴ He was born 2 Jul 1833 and died 4 Jan 1900. They had one known child:

121A12121. HARRY C. RUSSELL, b. 5 Jun 1864

121A1213. **ISAAC N. BUNTON** was born in 1841 in Alleghany Co., Pennsylvania. On 11 Oct 1866 he married JENNIE **HENDRICKSON** who was born in 1849.⁵ They had these children:

121A12131. CHARLES CLIFFORD BUNTON, b. 22 Mar 1872

121A12132. HARRY RUSSELL BUNTON, b. 13 May 1881

121A12133. WILLIAM KENNEDY BUNTON, b. 27 Mar 1886

The children of [#121A122] Robert Joseph and Harriet (Speer) Coyle [daughter of Mary, Elizabeth, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William L., Mary E., Margaret, Robert Joseph, Reed B., and Harriet W.

121A1223. MARGARET COYLE was born 7 Mar 1858 in Pennsylvania, and on 26

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04802.htm

² Alice C. Hendricks, comp., Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 5, 1939, p. 36

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04803.htm

⁴ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

⁵ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

Jun 1879 she married ROBERT WILLIAM **SCOTT** who was born 37 Mar 1851.¹ They had one known child:

121A12231. WALTER A. SCOTT, b. 28 Oct 1887

The children of [#121A123] William Alexander and Nancy (Strohm) Speer [son of Mary, Elizabeth, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Gunnar, Peter].

121A1231. **MARY SPEER** was born in Nov 1854, and in 1881 she married WILLIAM C. **BAILEY** who was born in Oct 1849.² They lived in Armstrong Co., Pennsylvania and had these children:

121A12311. IDA E. BAILEY, b. Aug 1882121A12312. FLORENCE J. BAILEY, b. Feb 1884, m. Chris K. Leard121A12313. LAURA A. BAILEY, b. Mar 1887121A12314. RICHARD A. BAILEY, b. Jan 1890

121A1232. **JOHN STROHM SPEER** was born in 1859 and married HELEN **FRYLING** in 1901. She was born in 1875. They lived in Elk Co., Pennsylvania and had one known child:³

121A12321. MARGARET FRANCES SPEER, m. Grant Herrick

The children of [#121A241] Mahlon Hopkins and Williamina H. (Jameson) Janney [son of Elizabeth, Ann, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Gunnar, Peter].

121A2411. **ELIZABETH M. JANNEY** was born about 1871. She joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #60140 in *Lineage Book* vol. 61.

121A2412. **MAHLON HOPKINS JANNEY** Jr. was born at Alexandria, Virginia on 12 Oct 1881.⁴ He graduated from the Potomac Academy and worked in the office of the Chief of Ordnance, War Department during World War I. He was a writer of articles, stories, verse, and a genealogist. He lived in Washington, D. C. and was single.

The child of [#121A263] Robert Emmett and Charlotte Elizabeth (Cook) Funsten [daughter of Hortensia (Mark) Cook, Ann (North) Mark, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

² Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 143, 1918-1919 (1935), p. 204

³ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 157, 1920* (1936), p. 126

⁴ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Janney, Mahlon Hopkins" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, pp. 309-310

121A2631. **HORTENSE FUNSTEN** was born in 1876 and married ARTHUR **FORBES**. He was born in 1872, a son of Arthur Page and Theresa Otis (James) Forbes. Arthur died in 1900 at the age of 28. The lived in St. Louis, Missouri and had one known child:¹

121A26311. FLORENCE FUNSTEN FORBES, b. in St. Louis, Missouri

The children of [#121A311] Charles Gibbs and Jessie Elizabeth (Engle) Johnson [son of Sarah Elizabeth Jane (Gibbs) Johnson, Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William Herbert, Sarah Cornelia, and Garland Reiley.

121A3111. WILLIAM <u>HERBERT</u> JOHNSON was a chief dispatcher for the Norfolk and Western Railroad and was superintendent of the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway by 1914. He married CORINNE ASHBY ANDERSON, and they had these children:²

121A31111. CORNELIA JOHNSON

121A31112. MARY DARKE JOHNSON

121A31113. CHARLES GIBBS JOHNSON

121A31114. CORRINE ANDERSON JOHNSON, b. 14 May 1911

121A31115. FREDA WINTERS JOHNSON, b. 21 Jan 1913

121A3112. **SARAH CORNELIA (Sadie) JOHNSON** married MARK **REID**. He was a son of Mark and Alice (Catlett) Reid of Rappahannock Co., Virginia. Mark was commissioner of revenue for the city of Radford, VA. He and Sarah had these children:³

121A31121. JESSIE ALICE REID

121A31122. GARLAND MARK REID, b. 29 Dec 1906

121A3113. **GARLAND REILEY JOHNSON** was a sales agent for the Lynchburg Foundry Co. and married NANCY **KAVANAUGH** MANN of Allerton, West Virginia on 4 Dec 1909. Nancy was the adopted daughter of Frank Mann. The Garland Johnsons lived in Lynchburg, Virginia and had this known child by 1914:⁴

121A31131. NANCY MANN JOHNSON, b. 29 Aug 1910 at Lynchburg

The children of [#121A322] William McKendree and Fanny (Baker) Reiley [son of Susan (Gibbs) Reiley, Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Henry Baker, James McKendree, Eleanor Susan, Rebecca, Ray W., William Edgar, Alcesta B., and Wilson Hendrix.

¹ Daughters of the American Revolution, Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 158, 1920 (1937), p. 264

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 67, 216, 310, picture #274. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 67, 310, pictures. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 67, 174, 216, 310, picture #274

121A3221. **HENRY BAKER REILEY** was born 18 Feb 1875 at Shirleyburg, Pennsylvania and graduated from Baltimore City College in 1896. He married NAOMI **KESSLER** [#12166611] in Altoona, Pennsylvania on 29 Jun 1900. She was his third cousin, a daughter of John and Elizabeth Kessler. He was editor of the True American published at Trenton, New Jersey until 1908 when he became editor and general manager of the Daily and Weekly Herald in Waynesboro, Pennsylvania. They had these children by 1910, all born in Trenton, New Jersey:¹

121A32211. JAMES McKENDREE REILEY, b. 6 Apr 1901 121A32212. WILLIAM KESSLER REILEY, b. 29 Sep 1905 121A32213. HENRY BAKER REILEY, b. 24 May 1908

121A3222. **JAMES McKENDREE REILEY** was born 4 Sep 1876 at Hopewell, Pennsylvania. He graduated from Baltimore City College in 1897 and from Drew Theological Seminary in 1902. He served as pastor of Eleventh Street M.E. Church, Clearfield, Pennsylvania until 1909 and of the M.E. Church at State College.²

121A3223. **SUSAN ELEANOR REILEY** was born at Hopewell, Pennsylvania on 24 May 1878, graduated from Lock Haven State Normal School, and taught several years in public schools of Blair Co., Pennsylvania. She married JAMES W. **LOWTHER**. They lived in Bellwood, Pennsylvania and had one known child by 1910:³

121A32231. ELEANOR LOWTHER

121A3225. WILLIAM EDGAR REILEY was born 23 Dec 1882 in Hanover, Pennsylvania and graduated from Southern Homopathic Medical College in Baltimore. He was practicing medicine at Clearfield, PA in 1910.⁴

121A3227. **WILSON HENDRIX REILEY** was born 30 Oct 1888 at Centralia, Pennsylvania and drowned in a canal at Trenton, New Jersey on 6 Aug 1906. His obituary mentions siblings Henry Baker, editor of the Trenton True American; William Edgar, senior in the Southern Homeopathic Medical College, Baltimore; James McKendree, pastor of the Eleventh Street M.E. Church, Clearfield, PA; and Mrs. James W. Lowther, Bellwood, Pennsylvania.⁵

The children of [#121A33B] Benjamin Franklin and Ellen Drusilla (Gibbs) Wilder [daughter of George William, Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Florie Etchingson and William A.

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 182-183, picture #421. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 182. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 75, 182. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 182-183. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 75. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121A33B1. FLORIE ETCHINGSON WILDER was born on 11 Oct 1885 and married WILEY RICHARD WAGNON on 17 Jan 1906. He died of tuberculosis in 1910 at Meridian, Mississippi, and Florie married Mr. DEMENT second, prior to 1914. Florie and Wiley Wagnon had at least this child:¹

121A33B11. DRUE JOSEPHINE WAGON, b. 28 Mar 1907

The child of [#121A33C] John Jenkins and Letitia (Rossman) Gibbs [son of George William, Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A33C1. **DRUE IRVINE GIBBS** married Dr. CHARLES L. **GOODWIN** on 20 Aug 1913. They lived at Meggett, South Carolina.²

The children of [#121A734] Samuel Dorsan and Charley Ellen (Gibbs) Harper [son of George William, Sarah Keyes (North) Harper, George, Ann (Rambo) North,Peter, Gunnar, Peter and daughter of Ellen Lousia (Elder) Gibbs, Lydia (North) Gibbs, George, Ann (Rambo) North, ...] were Mildred, Ellen, Anna, and Charley.

121A7341. **MILDRED HARPER** married EDWARD **O'BIERN** of Elgin, Illinois and had these children:³

121A73411. FRANK O'BIERN121A73412. MILDRED O'BIERN121A73413. EDWARD O'BIERN121A73414. SAMUEL O'BIERN, d. 1904 in Jackson, Mississippi.

The child of [#121A912] Harlan and Percie (North) Canniff [daughter of William Darke, Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A9121. LYMAN (Mannie) CANNIFF married ELLA CARROLL and lived in Pomona, Michigan in 1910. They had these children:⁴

121A91211. NAOMI CANNIFF 121A91212. CARROLL CANNIFF

The child of [#121A914] P. Coos and Leota (North) Huffman [daughter of William

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 74, 81, 216, 310. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 74, 310, picture #296. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04447.htm

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 206. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

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Darke, Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A9141. **WYMAN HUFFMAN** married BEULAH **BALLARD** in May 1911 and lived at Harlan, Michigan.¹

The children of [#121A931] Lauren Dewey and Mary Emily (Anderson) Fletcher [daughter of Martha Henkle (North) Anderson, Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A9311. **MAUDE ETHEL FLETCHER** was born 10 Nov 1872 and married ROBERT **NICHOLS** on 5 Mar 1902. They lived in Nemaha Co., Nebraska and had two children:²

121A93111. LLOYD FLETCHER NICHOLS, b. 26 Aug 1903

121A93112. MARY ALICE NICHOLS, b. 19 Mar 1907

121A9312. **MARTHA LORINE FLETCHER** was born 4 Sep 1879 and married AUGUST **ERICKSON** on 12 Apr 1905. They had these two children:³

121A93121. EMILY LORINE ERICKSON, b. 1 Feb 1906

121A93122. DORIS MARIE ERICKSON, b. 28 Jul 1909

121A9313. **MARGARET JOSEPHINE FLETCHER** was born 4 May 1881 and married THOMAS **RAMP** on 5 Oct 1904. They lived on a farm near Yates City, Illinois and had these two children:⁴

121A93131. EUNICE EMILY RAMP, b. 12 Feb 1907 121A93132. WILBUR FLETCHER RAMP, b. Jun 1909

The children of [#121A934] Riley C. and Anna Eliza (Anderson) Miller [daughter of Martha Henkle (North) Anderson, Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A9341. CHARLES EDGAR ANDERSON was born 20 Jun 1878 and died of consumption on 20 Sep 1900.⁵

121A9342. ELEANOR ANDERSON was born 11 Apr 1882 and married ORA VANDERVOORT on 28 Nov 1901. They lived on a farm near Brock, Nebraska and

¹Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 206. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 108. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 108. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

had these two children:¹

121A93421. RAYMOND EDGAR VANDERVOORT, b. 5 Aug 1902 121A93422. LINNIE VANDERVOORT, b. 23 Oct 1905

121A9343. **MABEL ANDERSON** was born 10 Jul 1886 and married ALTHENAS **ASA** in Sep 1904. They homesteaded in northwest Nebraska and had these two children:²

121A93431. ALTON MILLER ASA, b. 19 Jul 1906 121A93432. Son ASA, b. Apr 1909

The children of [#121A935] Edwin W. and Sarah Margaret (Anderson) Widener [daughter of Martha Henkle (North) Anderson, Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A9351. CHARLES ELMER WIDENER was born 16 Jun 1877 and married GRACE THOMPSON on 1 Jan 1901. They had these four children:³

121A93511. LAUREN WIDENER

121A93512. DOUGLASS WIDENER

121A93513. ROBERT WIDENER

121A93514. LOVELL WIDENER

121A9352. **MINNIE EDITH WIDENER** was born 15 Aug 1880 and married GEORGE **FRITZSINGER** on August 30 1904.⁴

121A9353. FLORENCE ETHEL WIDENER was born 5 Nov 1882 and married FRANCIS PELTON on 22 Feb 1905. They had these two children:⁵

121A93531. CHARLES PELTON, b. 1906

121A93532. ROBERT FRANCIS PELTON, b. Dec 1909

The child of [#121A936] William M. and Lauretta Keyes (Anderson) Parker [daughter of Martha Henkle (North) Anderson, Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121A9361. JOHN WALTER PARKER was born 23 Aug 1880 and married MARY RAMP on 24 Jun 1903. The lived on a farm in Nebraska and had this one son:⁶

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 109. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁶ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 110. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121A93611. WILLIAM RAYMOND PARKER, b. 14 Jan 1906

The children of [#121A9F4] Carl Clinton and Edith Victoria (Slayton) North [son of Charles David, Thomas Jefferson, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Charles Alton, Dorothy Marie, Catherine Louise, and Phillip Roger.

121A9F41. **DOROTHY MARIE NORTH** was born 9 Jul 1912 and married JOHNNIE D. **JONES** on 4 Aug 1937. He was born 9 Aug 1909 and died 10 Sep 1974. Dorothy died 4 Mar 1977. They had two children:¹

121A9F411. JERRY JOE JONES, m. 1) Marie Elsie Rist, 2) Ann Elizabeth Claus 121A9F412. NICHLAS JON JONES, b. 30 Dec 1942, d. 5 Jul 1947

121A9F42. **CHARLES ALTON NORTH** was born 30 Dec 1917 at Yates City, Illinois and married MATTIE ELIZABETH **LEE** on 26 Aug 1937 in Kentland, Indiana. Mattie was born 27 Oct 1921 in Salem, Iowa, a daughter of Roy Leonard and Murrel Faye (Watson) Lee. Mattie died 25 Oct 1966 at Lacrosse, Wisconsin, and Charles died 13 Feb 1981 at Boscobel, Wisconsin. They had four children.²

The children of [#121AB21] Theophilus Berrian and Cynthia Arelia (Steele) Heath [daughter of Mary Elizabeth (Cruzen) Steele, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB211. WILLIAM OLIVER HEATH was born 25 Oct 1874 and married NELLIE LEE DARK on 6 Aug 1902 in St. Clair Co., Missouri. They resided near Stafford, Kansas.³

121AB212. LAURA LOU HEATH was born 31 Aug 1876 and married WILLIAM ROBERT HOPKINS at Osceolo, Missouri. She died 15 Jun 1909. They had these children:⁴

121AB2121. EDNA GLADYS HOPKINS, b. 16 Apr 1896

121AB2122. MAUD ARELIA HOPKINS, b. 10 May 1901

121AB2123. BESSIE MILDRED HOPKINS, b. 9 Feb 1907

121AB213. **JOHN JAMES HEATH** was born 13 Jul 1881 and married ELLA MAUD **HOPKINS** at Montrose, Missouri in 1902. They resided near Stafford, Kansas. They had these children:⁵

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04230.htm

² Mary Cull, family research, e-mail of 31 Jan 2001

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 258. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 258. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 258. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

121AB2131. FLOYD ALVA HEATH, b. 22 Dec 1902 121AB2132. JESSIE JEWELL HEATH, b. 18 Aug 1905 121AB2133. REXIE THEOPHILUS HEATH, b. 20 Sep 1907

121AB214. **ROBERT CRAWFORD HEATH** was born 13 Jul 1881 and graduated from a school of telegraphy at Janesville, Wisconsin in 1904. He married ELLA **SCHLUETER** on 7 Sep 1910 at Morrisonville, Wisconsin. In 1910 they resided at Abernathy, Texas and in 1914 at Fullerton, North Dakota where he was a station agent and telegrapher. They had one son.¹

The children of [#121AB22] Robert Richardson and Anna Hope (Thompson) Steele [son of Mary Elizabeth (Cruzen) Steele, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB221. CLARENCE ARTHUR STEELE was born 21 Nov 1882, graduated from Oregon State University in 1910, and worked for the Y.M.C.A. He married FLORENCE WILLIAMSON on 6 Sep 1911. A month later they sailed for Bangkok, Siam where they were missionaries. Clarence was general secretary for the Boon Itt Memorial Institute for young men.²

The children of [#121AB23] John James and Celesta Jane (Wren) Steele [son of Mary Elizabeth (Cruzen) Steele, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB231. **RAYMOND EMERY STEELE** was a farmer born 7 Apr 1890 in Fresno Co., California.³

121AB232. **STELLA MAY STEELE** was born 9 Aug 1893 at Sidney, Washington. She attended Park College, Missouri in 1914.⁴

121AB233. MARY ELLEN STEELE was born 17 Aug 1896 in Madera Co., California.

The child of [#121AB41] Millard Fillmore and Emma Lee (Kieffer) Stipes [son of Hannah Emily (Cruzen) Stipes, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North,

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), pp. 258, 310. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), pp. 259-260. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 261. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 261. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

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Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB411. **OPAL REGINA STIPES** was born 18 May 1884 and married CHARLES LOWE **ARNOLD** on 10 Feb 1903. He was born 25 Aug 1875 in Carroll Co., Illinois, the youngest son of John S. and Hannah (Strickler) Arnold of Lissie, Texas. Charles was a member of the grocery firm of Arnold Brothers in Jamesport, Missouri in 1914. Opal and Charles had these children:¹

121AB4111. VIRGINIA CHRISTINE ARNOLD, b. 15 Aug 1906 121AB4112. DOROTHY MUNDELL ARNOLD, b. 2 Oct 1913

The children of [#121AB42] Wilhelm Crosby and Fannie (Stipes) Stipes [son of Hannah Emily (Cruzen) Stipes, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Cora, Preston, Anna, Edgar, Willie, and Arelia.

121AB423. ANNA STIPES married WILLIAM MARPLE and had two children:² 121AB4231. OLLIE MAY MARPLE 121AB4232. MILDRED ELIZABETH MARPLE

The children of [#121AB53] Elisha F. and Mary Ethel (Steele) Hitt [daughter of Mildred Lauretta (Cruzen) Steele, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Stella Ethel, Ida Nell, and Maysie D.

121AB531. **STELLA ETHEL HITT** was born 23 May 1880 and married FRANK McDANIEL **LATIMER** on 26 Aug 1907. He was a highway engineer and surveyor. They lived in Marshall, Missouri in 1914.³

121AB532. **IDA NELL HITT** was born 9 Jul 1883 and married BLANCHARD J. **SCHOREGGE** on 8 Aug 1909. He was a state bank examiner for North Dakota.⁴

The children of [#121AB55] Edward Laken and Martha Jane (Steele) Dorsey [daughter Mildred Lauretta (Cruzen) Steele, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Lenora Blanche and Edward Steele.

121AB551. **LENORA BLANCHE DORSEY** was born 11 Oct 1891, graduated from Warrensburg State Normal in 1912, and taught in the Jefferson City public schools.

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 264, pictures. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 265. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 271. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 271. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

The children of [#121AB62] Arthur Richardson and Ida Belle (Etter) Winning [son of Margaret Keyes (Cruzen) Winning, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB621. THOMAS JAHLEEL WINNING was born 5 Nov 1888 and married SADIE CONLEY on 29 Nov 1910. He went to Fresno, California where he worked for the Santa Fe Railroad. They had one child by 1914:¹ 121AB6211. IDA BELLE WINNING, b. 8 Dec 1912

121AB622. LILLIAN MAY WINNING was born 22 Mar 1890 and went to Fresno to visit her brother, Jahleel. There she met B. FRANK **BELEW**, a jeweler, whom she married on 18 Sep 1912. They lived in Fresno in 1914.²

The children of [#121AB63] S. Matt and Allura Grantham (Winning) Ayres [daughter of Margaret Keyes (Cruzen) Winning, Arelia (North) Cruzen, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121AB631. **LESLIE LAGELLE AYRES** was born 9 Sep 1887 and spent the year of 1907 in California. He traveled widely and became a painter and decorator, but he died 23 Apr 1913 in Kansas City.³

121AB632. **NEVORA MARGARET AYRES** was born 7 Apr 1891 and married CLYDE B. **ALLEN** of Moberly, Missouri on 22 Sep 1913.⁴

The children of [#121C131] James Edward and Nellie (Arnold) North [son of Thomas Jefferson, Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Edward W., Lorena Rose, Frank J., Mary A., and Nellie R.

121C1311. **EDWARD W. NORTH** was a bank cashier born 14 Jan 1862 in Columbus, Nebraska. He married ANNIE LEE **GILLETTE** on 15 Jul 1907 in Omaha.⁵ Edward died 4 Apr 1942 and was buried by the Gass Haney Funeral Home. Annie's obituary appeared in the Columbus Telegraph of 5 Dec 1954.

121C1312. LORENA ROSE NORTH married DR. CARROL D. EVANS 27 May

¹ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 276. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

² Millard Stipes, Keyes, North and Cruzen Families (pub. 1914), p. 276. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

³ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 277. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁴ Millard Stipes, *Keyes, North and Cruzen Families* (pub. 1914), p. 277. Thanks to Gloria Motter.

⁵ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/whoplabios.html

1886 at home of bride's parents.¹ The couple lived in Columbus and appear in the 1930 city directory. Dr. C.D. Evans died 12 Aug 1938, Lorena Rose Evans died 8 Aug 1952, and they were buried by the Gass Haney Funeral Home.²

121C13121. RACHAEL NELL EVANS, m. George McHenry 27 May 1910 at Grace Episcopal Church - home to Dennison, IA.3

121C13122. Son EVANS, b. Saturday a week before 30 Mar 1892.4

121C13123. CARROLL D. EVANS, b. Columbus, NE 19 Jul 1898, physician & surgeon, BPOE, m. Margaret McHenry 6 Apr 1918.

121C13124. JAMES NORTH EVANS, b. Columbus, NE 30 Mar 1890, d.(obit) 5 Nov 1952, physician & surgeon, m. Carol Edna Hill 18 Jun 1938 in Denver, ch. James, Edward, Helen Wall.⁵

(Research needed: An Edward North Evans died(obit) 11 Jan 1996.)

121C1313. FRANK J. NORTH was born 7 Aug 1869 and died the Thursday prior to 29 May 1907 in Washington, D.C.⁶ (Research needed: probate in Platte Co., NE.)

121C1314. MARY A. NORTH (at age 22), married CHARLES B. (Bont) SPEICE (age 25) 19 Mar 1894 in San Diego, CA.

(Conflicting information: Charles B. Speice was born 8 Jan 1869 in Columbus, NE, married Alice Elias 19 Oct 1898 & had 3 ch.⁸)

(Conflicting information: C.B. Speice married May Hart 30 Mar 1892.9 He was a son of Charles A. Speice (born 10 Nov 1830 in Altuna, PA, died 9 Jul 1909? His youngest son, W. Irving Speice, b. 18 Apr 1875 (by wife, Katherine Beacher)).¹⁰)

121C1315. NELLIE R. NORTH, b. ca 1875, d. Tuesday prior to 20 Jul 1896.¹¹

The child of [#121C132] Maj. Frank Joshua and Mary L. (Smith) North [son of Thomas Jefferson, Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

STELLA GERTRUDE NORTH was born 16 Apr 1869 and married 121C1321. EDWIN H. CHAMBERS on 4 Jan 1888 at Grace Episcopal Church in Columbus, Nebraska. After the wedding, they relocated to Niobrara, Nebraska. Edwin was born in

¹ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/vitals1886b.html ² www.gasshaney.com

³ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/vitals1886b.html

⁴ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/vitals1892a.html

⁵ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/whoplabios.html

⁶ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/vitals1907b.html ⁷ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/vitals1894a.html

⁸ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/vitals1909a.html

⁹ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/vitals1892a.html

¹⁰ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/bar2.html

¹¹ http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte/vitals/vitals1896.html

Rambo Family Tree: Ninth Generation

Dakota Co., Nebraska.¹

The children of [#121C136] Charles Edward and Alphonsine Hubbard (North) Morse [daughter of Thomas, Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Gunnar, Peter] were Myra Myrtle, Elsie Allen, Zura Brown, Jennie June, Mary Rose, and Charles Jefferson.

121C1361. **MYRA MYRTLE (May) MORSE** was born 24 Nov 1869 and died 14 Feb 1893 at home three miles north of Columbus, Nebraska.²

121C1362. **ELSIE ALLEN MORSE** was born 11 Feb 1875 and married PETER **WHEELER**. She died about 1955.³

121C1363. **ZURA BROWN MORSE** was born 17 Jan 1876 and married ELLSWORTH DONATI **SCHEBLE**. She died about 1950.⁴

121C1365. **MARY ROSE MORSE** was born 23 Jul 1880, and on 2 Apr 1913 she married ROBERT CAMPBELL **OSBORN** Jr. She died 21 Dec 1962. They had one child.⁵

121C1366. **CHARLES JEFFERSON MORSE** was born 24 Dec 1889 in Columbus, Nebraska and married ETHEL **McDONOUGH** on 10 Jul 1921. She was born 14 Jan 1902 in Coulee City, Washington and died in 1929 in Wenatchee, Washington. Charles died there 20 Jun 1946.⁶ They had three children, all born in Wenatchee.⁷

The children of [#121C161] Lucian Gregory and Ida Ann (Stevens) North [son of John, Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Gunnar, Peter].

121C1611. NAOMI SUSAN NORTH was born 7 Dec 1879 and married CHARLES HENRY WILLIAMSON on 10 Mar 1904.⁸ He was the son of Charles and Louise (Moore) Williamson. They had five children including these:

121C16111. MARION IONE WILLIAMSON, b. 1905, m. Mr. Childs 121C16112. CHARLES LUCIAN WILLIAMSON

121C1612. CUYLER STEVENS NORTH was born in Sep 1882 and was a student at

¹ Columbus Journal of 6 Jan 1888 on-line with quite a long description & gifts: http://www.usgennet.org/usa/ne/county/platte

² Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

³ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁴ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁵ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁶/₇ Mrs. June Johnson, Denver, CO 80231, North family records

⁷ Bonnie Polivka, e-mail of 16 Jul 2004

⁸ Mrs. Janis W. Reister, Hillsdale, MI 49242, family records

Kalamazoo College when he was killed in an automobile/train accident.¹

The known child of [#121C19X] Joshua North and Emily A. (Noble) Wilson [son of Sarah W. (North) Wilson, Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121C19XX. **HELEN R. WILSON** was born 26 Aug 1878 in Kansas and married HUBERT A. **McARTHUR** there on 10 Sep 1896. He was born in Vermont on 3 Aug 1869 and died 10 May 1938 in Kansas. Helen died on 18 Nov 1976 in Kansas City, Missouri. They had one known child:²

121C19XXX. CLEO REED McARTHUR, b. 28 Nov 1903, m. James C. Yeager

The children of [#121C313] Albert E. and Marion J. (Fassett) North [son of Henry Harrison, Joseph Exener, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Amie, Bert, Ella L., Stanley Hale, John Perry, Mable Clare, Maurice Henry, and Sterling Ernest.

121C3132. **BERT NORTH** was born 24 Jan 1868 at Delhi, Michigan and married MABEL M. **McCREA** on 2 Dec 1898 in Spink Co., South Dakota. Mabel was born 22 Sep 1877 in McComb Co., Michigan. Bert died in 1939 in Erskine, Alberta Providence, Canada. They had five children including these:³

121C31321. FRANK VINCENT NORTH, b. 3 May 1901, d. 24 Aug 1978

121C31322. LOIS MABEL NORTH, b. 9 Sep 1902 in South Dakota, d. 1904

121C31323. EVA D. NORTH, b. 12 Sep 1905, d. 28 Oct 1973

121C31324. ROY THEODORE NORTH, b. 11 Oct 1907 in South Dakota, d. 1985

121C3134. **STANLEY HALE NORTH** was born 24 Apr 1872 at Delhi, Michigan and married GERTRUDE **VOGT** on 5 May 1900 in Newton, Iowa. Stanley died 6 Mar 1929 in Montana. They had three children:⁴

121C31341. MORRIS VICTOR NORTH, b. 15 Mar 1901, d. 25 Jan 1961

121C31342. ALBERT HENRY NORTH, b. 19 Jul 1902, d. 16 May 1970

121C31343. ROBERT E. NORTH

121C3135. **JOHN PERRY NORTH** was born 2 Oct 1874 at Lansing, Michigan and married MARY G. **BEATTY** on 18 Feb 1896 in Huron, South Dakota. Mary was born 24 Jul 1873 and died in 1933. John died 22 May 1936 in Canada. They had these children:⁵

¹ Mrs. Janis W. Reister, Hillsdale, MI 49242, family records

² Rita H. Burke

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03174.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03176.htm

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03177.htm

121C31351. ARTHUR CLAIR NORTH, b. 1 Mar 1897, d. 6 Nov 1960 121C31352. BEALUH LOUISE NORTH, b. 5 Dec 1898

121C3138. **STERLING ERNEST NORTH** was born 14 Jun 1887 at Hitchcock, South Dakota and married ANNA **OLOFSON** who was born 1 Nov 1887 in Montana and died 27 Oct 1909 in Beadle Co., South Dakota. Sterling died 27 Oct 1918 in Montana.¹

The children of [#121C314] Henry Exener and Mary A. (Roberts) North [son of Henry Harrison, Joseph Exener, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Minnie C., Walter O., Howard Charles, Guy Archie, Mary Edith and a stillborn child.

121C3142. WALTER O. NORTH was born 8 Dec 1869 at Delhi, Michigan and married IDA ELLA STEINHOFF on 16 Nov 1892 in Lansing, Michigan. She was born 16 Mar 1875 in Canada. Walter died 3 Oct 1899 at Delhi, and Ida died in 1929 in Ingham Co., Michigan. They had this one child:²

121C31421. MAUDE MARGARET NORTH, b. 13 Jul 1985, m. Earle Richmond

121C3144. **GUY ARCHIE NORTH** was born 8 Feb 1873 in Delhi Township, Ingham Co., Michigan and married MARIA MAGDALENA MAXIMILLIANA **FROEDTERT** on 25 Apr 1901 in Ingham Co. Guy died 27 Jun 1919 in Delhi Township. They had two children:³

121C31441. RAY ERNEST NORTH

121C31442. KATHERINE ELLA NORTH, m. Arthur Lewis Knecht

The children of [#121C317] Eugene and Hattie Belle (North) Wilcox [daughter of Henry Harrison, Joseph Exener, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Roy A., Marion Irene, Ada May, and Florence Elmira.

121C3171. **ROY A. WILCOX** was born about 1876 in Michigan and married first, JENNIE **FOSDICK** in 1901, and second, MAY **SHAW**.⁴

121C3172. **MARION IRENE WILCOX** was born 9 Dec 1881 in Ingham Co., Michigan and married FRED ARTHUR **PALMER** in 1904. Fred was born 11 Jun 1883 and died 17 Jan 1956 at Lansing, Michigan. Marion died 11 Feb 1968 at Delhi, Michigan. They had two children:⁵

121C31721. ELSIE PALMER, b. ca 1909, d. 1918

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03178.htm

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03171.htm

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03172.htm

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03168.htm

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam03166.htm

121C31722. RICHARD E. PALMER, b. & d. 1920

The children of [#1222151] Jacob and Margaret (Hile) Koplin [son of Abraham, Matthias, Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Jennie Margaret, Frank Leroy, Edison S., Orin Pulaski, William H., and Grace L.

12221511. **JENNIE MARGARET KOPLIN** was born 30 Mar 1850 and married SAMUEL G **WILLIAMS** on 16 May 1872. He had been wounded several times during the Civil War and received a pension. He was in the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Home from 1908 until 1918. Samuel and Jennie lived with a married daughter in Hudson, Ohio until his death in 1920. Afterwards, Margaret received a widow's pension until her death on 26 Mar 1923. They are buried in Markille Cemetery, Hudson as are the daughter & husband.¹

12221512. **FRANK LEROY KOPLIN** was born 4 Apr 1852 and married DELIA SOPHIA (Dede) **JONES** on 12 Sep 1883. Frank died of consumption on 27 Feb 1897 when less than 45 years old. He was a merchant in Akron, Ohio where he lived all his life. An Akron directory says he manufactured a "Catarrh Cure" in addition to other jobs. His widow moved to Cleveland where several censuses show her relatives living with her. Frank and Dede's son said his mother's father, James Monroe Jones, owned lake freighters and a shipyard in Detroit, Michigan. Frank and Dede had this one known child:²

122215121. ROY JAMES KOPLIN, b. 8 Nov 1890, d. 22 Nov 1968

12221514. **ORIN PULASKI KOPLIN** was born 13 Apr 1855, probably in Norton Township, Summit Co., Ohio, and married MARY ELIZABETH (Lizzie) **WETZEL** on 7 Dec 1875 in Akron, Ohio. They had four children before Lizzie died in 1896 although the third child died of diptheria a year earlier. After Lizzie died, the family broke up. The older son soon married, the daughter moved to Mansfield, Ohio to live with her mother's sister, and the youngest son lived with his grandfather Koplin and his second wife until 1910 when he went to live with his now-married sister. Orin married ELLA S. **CARTER** second, in Akron 17 Aug 1901 and SARAH L. (**WALL**) WILSON third, on 17 Sep 1910. He had no more children. Orin died 3 Nov 1926, Sarah in 1930, and their crypts are in the mausoleum at East Akron Cemetery. Orin and Lizzie's children were:³

122215141. WILLIAM E. KOPLIN, b. 7 Dec 1876, m. Nettie May Hawsman 122215142. MAUDE CLARE KOPLIN, b. 6 Jul 1881, m. Clarence W. Phillips 122215143. EDITH KOPLIN, b. 2 Nov 1886, d. 12 Jun 1895 aged 8y 6m 21d 122215144. PERRY ORIN KOPLIN, b. 13 May 1891, m. Jennette Sevilla Thomas

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letters of 20 Feb 2001, 11 Oct 2002

The children of [#1224111] George and Mary (Hackett) Hench [son of Elizabeth, Nicholas, Mary (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Atchison L., Thomas H., and Alexander H.

12241111. **ATCHISON L. HENCH** was born 24 Jan 1838 and "is doing an extensive business in the tannery at Alum Bank, Bradford Co., PA".¹

12241112. **THOMAS H. HENCH** was born 5 Apr 1840, graduated from Princeton College and Seminary, and became a Presbyterian minister in charge at Middletown, Ohio.²

12241113. ALEXANDER H. HENCH was born 11 Aug 1842 and joined his brother in the tannery business.³

The children of [#1224111] George and Rebecca C. (McCord) Hench, his second wife, were Mary M. and Rebecca C.

12241114. **MARY M. HENCH** was born 11 Aug 1848 and graduated from the Bordentown Female College in New Jersey.⁴

The children of [#1224111] George and Rebecca Ann (Allison) Hench, his fourth wife, were Martha B., George Allison, Elizabeth C., and Margaret E.

12241116. **MARTHA B. HENCH** was born 26 Nov 1864 and attended the Wilson Female College in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.⁵

12241117. **GEORGE ALLISON HENCH** was born 26 Oct 1866 and attended Lafayette College, Easton, Pennsylvania.⁶

12241118. **ELIZABETH C. HENCH** was born 26 May 1869 and attended Metzger Academy in Carlisle, Pennsylvania.⁷

12241119. **MARGARET ELEANOR HENCH** was born 20 Dec 1873 in Center, Perry Co., Pennsylvania. She was a graduate of the University of Michigan and married

¹ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

² Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

³ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

⁴ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

⁵ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

⁶ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

⁷ Susan A. Ickes Harding, *Echoes from Ickesburg* (1892). Thanks to Marjorie Crofts

PHILIP STIMSON **GARDINER** on 9 Jul 1895. He was born in Clinton, Iowa on 23 Feb 1872, the son of Silas Wright and Louisa Catharine (Henkel) Gardiner. Philip Gardiner was a graduate of the U. of Michigan class of 1893. He was a mechanical engineer and lumberman. They lived in Laurel, Mississippi and had two children:¹

122411191. JOHN LYON GARDINER, b. 23 May 1896, m. 1) Salsman, 2) ...

122411192. ELEANOR HENCH GARDINER, b. 28 Oct 1898, m. Socrates Barozzi

The children of [#1224191] George Loy and Sarah Ann (Delancy) Ickes [son of Michael, Nicholas, Mary (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Calvin H. and William Nevin.

12241911. CALVIN H. ICKES was born 28 Jun 1850 and married ANNIE I. ERNEST who was born 12 Jun 1853. Calvin died 28 Dec 1877, Annie died 25 Dec 1928, and they are buried at Emanuel Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery at Buffalo Mills in Saville Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania.²

12241912. WILLIAM NEVIN ICKES was born 6 Jul 1852 in Loysville, Pennsylvania and married FRANCIS RUSILLA KEPNER there in 1871. She was born 30 Nov 1854 in Kistler, Pennsylvania, a daughter of Henry and Catherine (Rice) Kepner. William died of consumption and typhoid in Loysville on 7 Jan 1899, Francis died there 1 Mar 1933, and she is buried at Restland Cemetery in Loysville. They had these children:³ 122419121. GEORGE H. ICKES, b. 10 Nov 1876, d. 8 Oct 1966, m. Mary J. Ritter 122419122. FLORENCE M. ICKES, b. 28 Aug 1878, m. Charles Hollenbaugh 122419123. ELSIE CATHERINE ICKES, b. 10 Sep 1879, d. 16 Dec 1898 122419124. AURAND ARTHUR ICKES, b. 1881, d. 13 Mar 1962 122419125. SARAH GRACE ICKES, b. 23 Jun 1884, d. 25 Nov 1898 - Loysville 122419126. PHOEBE NORA ICKES, b. 18 Dec 1886, m. Edward W. Martin 122419127. EDGAR NEVIN ICKES, b. 30 Nov 1889, m. Ida Theresa Ellerman 122419128. RUTH ICKES, b. 19 May 1892, d. 11 Apr 1979, m. John Edward Hench 122419129. KEPNER ROY ICKES, b. 4 Feb 1894, d. 6 Sep 1982 - Loysville

12241912A. WILLIAM SCOTT ICKES, b. 18 Apr 1898, d. 1984, m. Ruth Seidel

The children of [#12241B8] Jesse Boone Williams and Martha Ann (McCune) Ickes [son of John, Nicholas, Alice (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John Roy, Harold LeClair, Julia G., Jesse Merrill, Felix Wheeler, Mary, and Ada.

¹ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Gardiner, Margaret Eleanor Hench" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 4, p. 198

² Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

³ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003 citing their Bible record

12241B82. **HAROLD LeCLAIR ICKES** was born 15 Mar 1874 in Blair Co., PA.¹ He graduated from the U. of Chicago class of 1897, and received his J.D. cum laude in 1907. He practiced law in Chicago and was active in the reform of municipal politics. In 1924 he was the manager of the presidential campaign for Hiram Johnson and in 1932 chairman of the National Progressive League for Roosevelt and Garner. He served as Secretary of the Interior in Pres. Franklin D. Roosevelt's cabinet from 1933 and as administrator of public works. He received a number of honory degrees from other universities in recognition of his public service. He married Mrs. ANNA (**WILMARTH**) THOMPSON on 11 Sep 1911. She was born 27 Jan 1873, the daughter of Henry Wilmarth, an organizer and director of the First National Bank in Chicago. She had two Thompson children from her first marriage: Frances b. 1893 and Wilmarth b. 1899. Anna died 31 Aug 1935. They lived in Winnetka, Illinois and had two children:

12241B821. RAYMOND ICKES, b. 23 Jun 1912

12241B822. ROBERT ICKES, b. 30 Aug 1913

12241B83. JULIA GERTRUDE ICKES was born in 1875 and married CLINTON HAZARD.²

12241B86. MARY ICKES was born about 1882 and married JOHN B. WATSON.³

The children of [#1232361] Joseph Wallace and Elizabeth (Dougherty) Gallaher [son of Elizabeth, Nancy, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Letitia, Philip Clark, John Sharp, Bessie Clark, and Daisy Belle.

12323611. **LETITIA GALLAHER** was born 28 Dec 1858, and in 1884 she married CHRISTIAN RANDALL **WINTERS**. He was born in 1854 and died in 1897. Mrs. Letitia Winters died in 1899. They lived in Springfield, Missouri and had one child:⁴ 123236111. CHRISTINE RANDAL WINTERS, m. Glenn B. Morgan

12323612. **PHILIP CLARK GALLAHER** was born 5 Jun 1860 in Dillon, Missouri, and on 5 Jan 1910 he married FRANCIS **TAYLOR**.⁵ They had two children before he died in Pueblo, Colorado on 2 Dec 1916.

12323614. **BESSIE CLARK GALLAHER** was born in Dillon, Missouri and married STERLING M. **SMITH** on 2 Jun 1888. Bessie joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #74271 in *Lineage Book* vol. 75:97-98. They had two children.

¹ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Ickes, Harold L." in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 6, p. 319

² Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Ickes, Harold L." in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 6, p. 319

³ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Ickes, Harold L." in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 6, p. 319

⁴ Daughters of the American Revolution, *Lineage Book, National Society of the DAR: Vol. 75, 1909* (1925), p. 99

⁵ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

12323622. **KATE M. LUTTS** was born 5 Jan 1860 at Lena, IL and married PERRY **WILSEY** on 12 Feb 1884.¹ He was born 31 Aug 1854 in Syracuse, NY and died 27 Apr 1920. She died 4 Dec 1940. They lived in Stephenson Co., IL and had four children.

12323623. WILLIAM WALLACE LUTTS was born 27 Aug 1862 at Harlem, Illinois, and on 11 Mar 1884 he married BESSIE MARY FOWLER.² She was born 3 Sep 1865 at Waddams, Illinois, the daughter of Alonzo and Melinda (Train) Fowler. In 1904 they moved to Mitchell, South Carolina and in 1924 to Montana. He died 27 Jul 1942, and his widow died 29 Sep 1949. They had four children:

123236231. OTIS ERVIN LUTTS, b. 29 Jan 1890, d. 5 Jan 1968, m. Ina Higby 123236232. GROVE ALONZO LUTTS, b. 4 Feb 1892, d. 1982, m. Gertrude Stark 123236233. RUDOLPH FOWLER LUTTS, b. 11 Jan 1894, m. Ora Gulnare Stark 123236234. LOIS FLORENCE LUTTS, b. 25 Mar 1898, m. 1) Robbins, 2) Rose

12323624. **CORA BELLE LUTTS** was born 3 Aug 1862 in Stephenson Co., Illinois, and on 18 Feb 1885 she married ERWIN **RICHARDS**.³ He was a farmer who was born 23 May 1859 in Bucks Co., Pennsylvania. Mrs. Cora Richards succumbed on 22 Nov 1937, and Erwin died 25 Jan 1942. They lived in Eleroy, Illinois and had three children:

123236241. CARL RICHARDS, b. 19 Aug 1886

123236242. MAUDE RICHARDS, b. 9 Jul 1889

123236243. GRATIA RICHARDS, b. 26 Aug 1903

12323625. **GEORGE W. LUTTS** was born 25 May 1871 at Eleroy, Illinois, and on 19 Jul 1904 he married GRACE **SMITH**.⁴ She was born 19 Jul 1869 and died 11 Jun 1929. George died 23 Mar 1950. They had no children.

The child of [#1232364] James M. and Eliza J. (Murphy) Gallaher [son of Elizabeth, Nancy, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Philip, George W., Edward Dickey, Flora Belle, Hattie Elizabeth, Laura, William John, and George Wallace.

12323646. LAURA M. GALLAHER was born 6 Jun 1869 in Fayette Co., Iowa. In 1892 she married JAMES RUSSELL who was born in 1868. They lived in Roslyn, Washington. Laura joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #53026 in *Lineage*

¹Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

³ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁴ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

Book vol. 54:13. Only one of their four children is known: 123236411. FANNIE RUSSELL

12323647. **WILLIAM JOHN GALLAHER** was born 6 Oct 1870 in Fayette Co., Iowa, and on 1 Nov 1894 he married MARY **CALLICOTTE** at Yakima, WA.¹ She was born 8 Apr 1875, the daughter of Francis and Harriet (Philpott) Callicotte. He died 24 Nov 1942, and she died 24 Sep 1954. They lived in Roslyn, WA and had ten children including these:

123236471. MELVIN EARL GALLAHER, b. 19 Aug 1895

- 123236472. CLINTON JOHN GALLAHER, b. 5 Aug 1897, m. Florence A. Bernard
- 123236473. MARY ELIZABETH GALLAHER, b. 17 Jul 1899
- 123236474. LOIS ARETA GALLAHER, b. 7 May 1901
- 123236475. WILLIAM JAMES GALLAHER, b. 4 May 1904
- 123236476. PHILIP GEORGE GALLAHER, b. 20 Aug 1905

The children of [#1232511] Marshall S. and Rebecca J. (Sloan) Smith [daughter of John, Rebecca, Ann (Rambo) Todd, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12325111. **NANCY SMITH** was born in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania and married WILLIAM B. **SMITTEN**. Nancy joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #144492 in *Lineage Book* vol. 145:158.

12325112. **ALICE TAYLOR SMITH** was born in Indiana Co., Pennsylvania, joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #153956 in *Lineage Book* vol. 154:290.

The children of [#1234412] Hophni V. and Elizabeth (Shrawder) Johnson [son of David, Elizabeth, Alice (Rambo) Roberts, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were David Brook and Ralph L.

12344122. **RALPH L. JOHNSON** was born in 1873 in Lower Providence, Montgomery Co., PA.² He married CORA B. **PENNYPACKER** who was born in 1877. He earned his doctoral degree in science and taught at Girard College, Philadelphia. His interest in genealogy led him to co-author the book *Genealogical Landmarks and Milestones of the Lower Perkiomen County*. The Ralph Johnsons had two children:

123441221. JAMES LINWOOD JOHNSON, b. 1903, m. Mary Anthony 123441222. PAUL HOPHNI JOHNSON, b. 1912

¹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

The children of [#1235211] John and Margaret (Rambo) Gebby [daughter of William, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Samuel and Robert William.

12352112. **ROBERT WILLIAM GEBBY** was born 16 Mar 1875 and married ALICE **MAY McPHERSON**. She was born 11 Oct 1874, a daughter of John and Anna (Young) McPherson. Alice died 11 Aug 1937. They had these children:¹

123521121. SOLON GEBBY, b. 29 Nov 1900, m. Alma Jane Thompson 123521122. THELMA GEBBY, b. 19 Feb 1908, d. Sep 1977, m. Ralph Winters

The children of [#1235215] James J. and Ellen (Morrison) Rambo, his second wife, [son of William, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12352151. WILLIAM DAVIDSON RAMBO was a Baptist farmer, thresher and carpenter born 22 Oct 1874 in Vernon Township., Blue Earth Co., Minnesota. On 29 Dec 1903 he married DRUSILLA (Sadie) **BOSSUET** in Kasota, Minnesota. She was born 16 Dec 1874 in Amboy, MN, a daughter of William D. and Sarah S. (Granger) Bossuet.² William played a valve trombone in the Vernon Center Band.³ Sadie died in 1948, William died of a stroke on Christmas day 1962 in Fairmont, MN, and they are buried in Vernon Center Cemetery. They lived in Vernon Center, MN and had one son:⁴ 123521511. ALAN DEAN RAMBO, b. 18 Jan 1908, m. Doris Isabell Griffith

12352152. WALTER ALEXANDER RAMBO was a farmer born 18 Mar 1877 in Vernon Center, Minnesota. He married PEARL FRANCES CHILDS on 10 Jun 1913 in Good Thunder, Minnesota. She was born 4 Nov 1891 in Rapidan, Minnesota. Walter Rambo died 20 Jun 1964 in Blue Earth Co., Minnesota, and Mrs. Pearl Rambo died 7 May 1974 in Mankato, Minnesota. They had two children.⁵

The children of [#1235217] John Calvin and Martha Isabelle (Shields) Rambo [son of William, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12352171. **ROBERT MARTIN RAMBO** was born 14 Apr 1874 in Logan Co., Ohio, and on 9 Mar 1898, he married MARY ELINOR **SPEER**. She was born in Jun 1876, the adopted daughter of Thomas A. Speer. Her birth name was **MYERS**. In 1900 the Rambos lived in Logan Co., Ohio with Ella's father. Robert M. died 31 Mar 1953, Mrs. Mary Rambo died 16 Feb 1946, and they are buried in the cemetery in Belle Center,

¹ David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003 citing on line Gebby Genealogy by Bob Gebby

² David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003 citing the Rambo family Bible

³ David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003

⁴ Mrs. Ron Rambo, Vernon Centre, MN 56090, family records

⁵ Mrs. Ron Rambo, Vernon Centre, MN 56090, family records

Ohio.¹ They had three children including this one:² 123521711. MARGARET ISABELLE RAMBO, b. 4 Jun 1899, m. Charles Height

12352172. WILLIAM THORNTON RAMBO was born 19 Mar 1876 in Northfield, Ohio, and on 14 Apr 1903, he married ALEXANDRIA CAMPBELL. She was born 7 Sep 1885 in Ubley, Michigan, the daughter of Christopher and Flora (McDonald) Campbell. They lived in Chicago, Illinois for a number of years but made their home in Vermont by 1925. William Rambo died in 1946 in Bridgewater, Vermont, Mrs. Alexandria Rambo died 12 Dec 1965 at Hanover, New Hampshire, and they were buried in the Riverside Cemetery, Woodstock, Vermont. They had seven children including:³ 123521721. JOHN CORWIN RAMBO, b. 22 Mar 1904, m. Margaret Davis

123521721. JOHN CORWIN RAMBO, b. 22 Mar 1904, III. Margaret 123521722. ROBERT THORNTON RAMBO, b. 13 Mar 1906 123521723. JEAN RAMBO, b. & d. Oct 1907

12352173. **IRA AUGUSTUS RAMBO** was born 7 Aug 1879 and married MISCIA JUNE **TAPPAN**, the daughter of Mrs. Martha (Dunbar) Tappan of Fulton Co., Ohio. He died 24 Jun 1963. His widow lived in Los Angeles. They had one child:⁴ 123521731. MARTHA LOUISE RAMBO, b. 25 Jan 1904

12352174. TORRENCE CALVIN RAMBO was born on 9 Sep 1883 and married PAULINE WARD. He died 9 Jan 1960. They had four children including these two:⁵ 123521741. FLORENCE RAMBO 123521742. HELEN RAMBO

12352175. MARY LUCILLE RAMBO was born on 27 Oct 1885. She first married DAVID C. WALLACE. Her second marriage was to GORDON STRAW.⁶

12352176. LAURA BELLE RAMBO was born 8 Oct 1892 and married RAYMOND PIERSON. She died 21 Nov 1977.⁷

The children of [#1235241] Bryce Johnson and Elizabeth (Selders) Wood [daughter of Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12352411. **MARY ANN WOOD** was born 25 Oct 1849 in Bellefountain, Ohio and married her step-brother CLARK GRAHAM COLE on 18 Aug 1873. He was a farmer

¹ Mrs. Louise Howison, Richwood, OH 43344, family records, tombstone pictures

² Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

³ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

⁴ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

⁵ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

⁶ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

⁷ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

and a traveling salesman born 22 Jan 1849 in Sandwich, Illinois, a son of Tobias Britt and Anna (Cowden) Cole. They moved from Somonauk, IL to Winchester, Kansas in 1884, to Denison later, and finally to Manhattan, KS in 1899 where Clark died 11 Dec 1913. Mary Ann died 20 May 1932 in Yakima, Washington. They had these children:¹ 123524111. MURRAY STANLEY COLE, b. 27 Feb 1877, m. 1) Walker, 2) ... 123524112. ROBERT CURTIS COLE, b. 7 Jan 1879, m. Julia Alberta Pierce 123524113. ANNA ELIZABETH COLE, b. 22 Sep 1880, d. 1945, m. Roy A. Bower 123524114. CLARK STEWART COLE, b. 28 Nov 1882, m. 1) Morrison, 2) ... 123524115. MARY MARGARET COLE, b. 23 Oct 1884, m. Roy Miller Wilson 123524116. EDWIN LOYD COLE, b. 18 Sep 1887, m. Nannie Carnahan 123524117. HARRY LEWIS COLE, b. 8 Aug 1889, d. 1971, m. Ida Carrie Conard SAMANTHA AGNES WOOD was a twin born 12 Sep 1851 in 12352412. Rushsylvania, Logan County, Ohio and married to WILLIAM C. FERGUSON on 24 Oct 1878 in Somonauk, Illinois. He was born 13 Oct 1846 in Reynoldsburg, Ohio and died in Somonauk in Sep 1923. Samantha died in April 1928. They had these children:² 123524121. RALPH FERGUSON, b. 16 Sep 1879, m. Carrie Perlina Highland 123524122. AGNES BELL FERGUSON, b. 17 Oct 1881 in Somonauk 123524123. JAMES BRYCE FERGUSON, b. 26 Oct 1883, m. Mable J. Hipple 123524124. HELEN WOOD FERGUSON, b. 28 May 1886

123524125. ROBERT HARVEY FERGUSON, b. 30 Aug 1888, m. Ann E. Cox

- 123524126. WILLIAM KENNEDY FERGUSON
- 123524127. HOWARD FERGUSON, b. 20 Sep 1893, m. Ida Van Vuren

123524128. HUGH RUSSEL FERGUSON, b. 18 Jul 1896 in Somonauk

123524129. ELIZABETH LILLIAN FERGUSON, b. 13 Dec 1898, m. W. Smith

12352413. **RANSOM BRYCE WOOD** was a twin born 12 Sep 1851 in Rushsylvania, Ohio and married to NANNIE **McCAMMON** in Sep 1878. He died in 1909 in Bellefontaine, Ohio. They had these children:³

123524131. RALPH M. WOOD, m. Mabel Melhorn

123524132. RANSOM KNOX WOOD, m. Lenore Lindley

123524133. FREDERICK SELDERS WOOD, m. Frances Worrell

123524134. JAMES ROY WOOD, m. Lily Reams

123524135. HARVEY WOOD, died young

The children of [#1235241] Alexander and Elizabeth (Selders)(Wood) McMillan, her second husband.

12352414. JOHN A. McMILLAN was born 5 Jul 1855 and married NETTIE WOOD.

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

³ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

They had no children, and he died in 1930.¹

12352415. ELIZABETH A. (Lizzie) McMILLAN was born Oct 1857, attended Geneva College class of 1876, and married JOHN COFFELT on 12 May 1881. She died 29 May 1892.²

The children of [#1235241] Tobias Britt and Elizabeth (Selders)(Wood)(McMillan) Cole, her third husband, were Anna Emmaline, Ruth, Chase, Hugh Moffatt, Ralph E., and Abner Graham.

12352416. **ANNA EMMALINE COLE** was born in Logan Co., Ohio on 17 Feb 1863. She married EDWIN HUSTON **VANCE** on 23 Aug 1883 in Winchester, Kansas. He was born 25 Feb 1860 in Cherry Fork, Ohio. Anna died in child birth on 21 Nov 1899, leaving these children:³

123524161. HARVEY VANCE, died in infancy

123524162. ELIZABETH JOY VANCE, b. 28 May 1886, m. John Murray Greene

123524163. HUGH SELDERS VANCE, b. 9 Feb 1890, m. Stella Schneider

123524164. JOHN WILLIAM VANCE, b. 17 Apr 1892, m. 1) Kendrick, 2) Bowers

123524165. RALPH VANCE, died in infancy

123524166. KNOX VANCE, b. 21 Sep 1899

12352418. CHASE COLE was born 5 Aug 1866, married MARGARET BENNETT on 14 Feb 1900, and lived at Canyon City, Colorado. Chase died 3 Feb 1956.

12352419. **HUGH MOFFATT COLE** was born 28 Nov 1868 in DeKalb County, Illinois and married EMMA **HURST** on 12 Oct 1892. Emma born 11 Apr 1874 and died 13 Apr 1929. Hugh died 28 Feb 1948. They lived in Winchester, Kansas and had these children:⁴

123524191. THOMAS BRITT COLE, b. 27 Sep 1893, m. Loleta Cecelia DeLaney

123524192. ADA LUCILLE COLE, b. 12 Jun 1895, m. Ernest Austin Brites

123524193. HUGH CHALMER COLE, b. 1 Mar 1903, d. 29 Apr 1910

123524194. CLELLAND COLE, b. 25 Jun 1904, m. Dorothy Lucille Winchester

123524195. WILMA MAUDE COLE, b. 8 Nov 1907, d. 17 Jun 1940

123524196. OWEN MAURICE COLE, b. 7 May 1911, d. 14 Oct 1940

1235241B. **ABNER GRAHAM COLE** was born 18 Jul 1871 and married EASTER ELLA **HURST** on 2 Mar 1893. Abner died 30 Jun 1934, and Ella died 18 Jan 1955. They were the parents of these children:⁵

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

³ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁴ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000 ⁵ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁵ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

1235241B1. JOHN ELIHU COLE, b. 1 Jan 1894, d. 7 Jul 1973, m. Ruth Klingberg
1235241B2. JAMES WALTER COLE, b. 16 Nov 1896, m. Estelle Robinson
1235241B3. ROY COLE, b. 23 Feb 1898, m. Marie Sayler
1235241B4. VESTA LEOTA COLE, b. 16 Sep 1900, m. Walter Frank Poncik
1235241B5. BERTHA ZELTA COLE, b. 7 Feb 1904, m. Charles Everett Pence
1235241B6. ETHEL ELLA COLE, b. 13 May 1910, m. Charles Everett Pence

The children of [#123527B] Samuel Ashing and Cora Ellen (Smith) Rambo [son of Thomas E., Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Edna, Jacob Elmar, Pearl Alice, Russell Edward, and Wesley Milton.

123527B1. **MARY EDNA RAMBO** was born 19 Jan 1898 in Auglaize Township, Allen Co., Ohio and married RAY THOMAS PUTNAM **SYMONDS** in Alger, Ohio on 17 Jul 1915. He was born 10 Mar 1888 in Jackson Center, Ohio, a son of James and Ella (Wyatt) Symonds. Ray worked for and retired from the Erie RR. Ray and Mary attended the Alger Central Methodist Church in Alger, and Mary later attended the Central United Methodist Church in Kenton, Ohio. Ray died 19 Jun 1966 at home in Alger aged 78, Mary died in Kenton on 1 Dec 1992, and they buried in Preston Cemetery, Alger. They had six children including these:¹

123527B14. DALE SYMONDS, b. 20 Jul 1916, d. 23 Dec 1942, m. Virginia (?) 123527B15. EDNA SYMONDS, d. before 1992, m. Mr. Schrader

123527B4. **RUSSELL EDWARD RAMBO** was born 31 Oct 1906 in Lima, Ohio and married (?). He died 25 Oct 1985. He had two daughters.²

The children of [#123527C] Alexander Hamilton and Maud Indez (McAninch)(Sales) Rambo [son of Thomas E., Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Felix Daniel, George Edward, Carl Alexander, Wesley Paul, Frank Kenneth, Earl Edward, Maude Inez, and an unnamed son.

123527C3. **CARL ALEXANDER RAMBO** was born 8 May 1903 and married ELSIE M. (?) who was born in 1901 and survived him. Carl died 17 Feb 1959. He is buried in Northwood Cemetery, SE of Belle Center, Ohio.^{3,4}

The children of [#123527D] Thomas Henry and Rebecca Jane (Porter) Rambo [son of

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing obituary

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing obituary

³ Mrs. Louise Howison, Richwood, OH 43344, family records, tombstone pictures

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

Thomas E., Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Van Delbert, Fred Luzerne, John Thomas, Donald Henry, Roger Owen, Ruth Lavina Hadessah, Ruby Elizabeth, Glendole Timothy, and Henry Alfred.

123527D2. **FRED LUZERNE RAMBO** was born in Allen Co., Ohio on 12 Sep 1900 and married DELILAH **TRACY** on 7 Aug 1920. Fred married GLADYS **SHAVER** second. She was born in 1905 and died 28 Jun 1966. Fred died 28 Feb 1968 in Lima, Ohio, and they are buried in the Preston Cemetery in Alger, Ohio.¹ They had seven children including these:²

123527D26. CHARLES FREDRICK RAMBO, b. 27 Dec 1919, d. 12 Sep 1991 123527D27. HAROLD D. RAMBO, b. 1 Apr 1923, d. 24 Dec 1992, m. ?

123527D3. **JOHN THOMAS RAMBO** was born 10 Sep 1902 near West Newton, Ohio and married LILLIAN (Lillie) **KING** on 22 Dec 1942 in Hardin Co., Ohio. He died in Kenton on 24 Apr 1974 and is buried at Roundhead Cemetery. They had one child.³

123527D4. **DONALD HARRY RAMBO** was born 13 Mar 1905 and married IDA W. **SHULAW** on 1 Aug 1931 in Hardin Co., Ohio. She was born 25 Aug 1915 in Bluffton, Ohio and died 3 Oct 1978 in Columbus, Ohio. Donald died 21 Jun 1979. They are buried at Walnut Hill Cemetery in Auglaize Township, Allen Co., Ohio.⁴

123527D5. **ROGER OWEN RAMBO** was born 6 Nov 1905, died 4 May 1946, and is buried in the West Newton Cemetery, Auglaize Township, Allen Co., Ohio.⁵

123527D6. **RUTH LAVINA HADESSAH RAMBO** was born 10 Jun 1910 and died 18 Oct 1972.⁶

123527D7. **RUBY ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born 12 Dec 1912 and married HAROLD BARCLAY **MARLING** on 2 Sep 1930.

123527D8. **GLENDOLE TIMOTHY RAMBO** was born 13 Sep 1916 and married RUBY **LADD**. He died 21 Jan 1967 in Decatur, Indiana and is buried at the Decatur Cemetery. They had five children including these:⁷

123527D84. GLEN DOUGLAS RAMBO, b. 17 Feb 1935, d. 1983, m. 123527D85. THOMAS ALLEN RAMBO, b. 18 Jan 1938, d. 27 May 1986

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, burial permits

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing obituary

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing obituary

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing cemetery and Lantz Funeral Home records

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing obituary

The children of [#123527F] William Henry and Vashti (Rambo) Hughes [daughter of Thomas E., Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Rush William, Mildred Chloe, Audra Mae, Herbert Clayton, Ruby Arvilla, Everett Wright, Walter Henry, Calvin Thomas, Ralph Maurice, and Robert Stanley.

123527F1. **RUSH WILLIAM HUGHES** was a farmer and salesman born 11 Feb 1901 in Auglaize Co., Ohio and married to RUTH N. F. **GOSSARD** on 21 Jan 1921. She was born 23 Nov 1902 in Auglaize Co., a daughter of Willis and Martha (Cummins) Gossard. Ruth died 7 Nov 1984 in Lima, Ohio, Rush died 28 Dec 1990 in Lima, and they are buried at Preston Cemetery in Alger, Ohio. They had three children.¹

123527F2. **MILDRED CHLOE HUGHES** was born 9 Apr 1903 and died 12 Aug 1904 in Alger, Ohio. She is buried at Preston Cemetery, Alger.²

123527F3. AUDRA MAE HUGHES was born 26 Nov 1905 and married EDWIN CAREY. She lived in Lancaster, Ohio in 1990 and died in 1995. They had one son: 123527F31. DALE HUGHES CAREY

123527F4. **HERBERT CLAYTON HUGHES** was born 14 Jun 1908 in Alger, Ohio and married VIVIAN **WINEMAN**. She was born in 1911 and died 8 Jun 1959. After the death of Vivian, Herbert married second, LUCILLE **PRATT**. She was born 19 Jan 1923 and died 23 Sep 1993. Herbert died 13 Apr 2000 in Lima, Ohio, and they are buried at the Preston Cemetery in Alger. Herbert and Vivian had four children.³

123527F5. **RUBY ARVILLA HUGHES** was born 5 Nov 1911 in Hardin Co., Ohio and married JACOB PAUL **KOHLI** in 1940. He died in 1954; Ruby died 8 Apr 1988 in Lima, Ohio. She attended the Pilgrim Holiness Church in Alger and is buried in Rockport Cemetery. They had two children.⁴

123527F6. **EVERETT WRIGHT HUGHES** was born 13 Jan 1914 in Alger, Ohio and married HELEN (?). He died 31 Aug 1993 in Lima, Ohio. They had two children.⁵

123527F7. WALTER HENRY HUGHES was a truck driver born 6 Feb 1916 in Hardin Co., Ohio and married to MILDRED J. WOLFORD. He drove trucks for Roadway Express. Walter married MARTHA MILLER second, on 4 Nov 1937. She was born in 1915 and died 19 Nov 1966. Walter died 19 Oct 1995 in Alger and is buried

¹Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing obituary & ref. #724

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing Death records vol. 3:79

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing probate birth record

⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing probate birth record

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing Births Register #2 & Social Security Death Index

there at Preston Cemetery. Walter and Mildred had three children.¹

123527FA. **ROBERT STANLEY HUGHES** was born 28 Aug 1923 in Alger, Hardin Co., Ohio and married CONNIE **STEPHENSON**. She was a diabetic born 13 Sep 1928 in Logan Co., Ohio who died in June 1962 in Belfontaine, Ohio and is buried at the Huntsville, Ohio cemetery. Robert Stanley was a Sgt. in the USAF during WWII, a silo builder, and mayor of Huntsville, Ohio. He died 22 Dec 1990 in Cincinnati and is buried in Preston Cemetery in Alger. They had three children.²

The child of [#1235A31] Wesley W. and Malinda S. (Zahnizer) Whieldon [daughter of Margaret Rambo, David, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1235A311. **M. LUCILE WHIELDON** was born in Mercer Co., Pennsylvania and married VIRGIL W. **THOMAS**. She joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears in *Lineage Book* vol. 150:49.

The children of [#1242111] John Montgomery and Margaret (Reed) McCall [son of James, Nancy Rambo, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Hugh J., Betty J., Isaac Newton, and Mary May.

12421111. **HUGH J. T. McCALL** was born in 1870 in Washington Co., Virginia.³ He married MARY (?) (perhaps HAGY) who was born in Jul 1866. They lived in Smyth Co., Virginia and had these children:

124211111. JOHN D. MCCALL, b. Mar 1893

124211112. GLENN E. McCALL, b. May 1898

12421112. **BETTY J. McCALL** was born 23 Mar 1871 and married L. C. **COLE** on 7 May 1897. He was born about 1861 in Grayson Co., Virginia, a son of Wm. and Mary J. Cole. At the time of their marriage, he was a carpenter living in Tazewell Co., VA.

12421113. **ISAAC NEWTON McCALL** was born 27 Dec 1872 in Washington Co., Virginia and married LAURA ALICE **McCANN** on 23 Nov 1909. She was born 30 Oct 1888 and died 29 Jan 1928. I. Newton died 8 Apr 1934 and is buried in Rock Spring Cemetery with his wife and child.⁴ His will was recorded 11 Apr 1934 in Washington Co. will book 36:82 and grants bequests to his seven children.

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing obituary

³ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968)

⁴ Catherine McConnell, "Cemetery records of Washington Co., VA.," High on a Windy Hill (pub. 1968), p. 208

The children of [#1242211] Martin Van Buren and Tarissa F. (Talley) Rambo [son of Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth A., John F., William L., Walter P., George Riley, Thomas Edgar, and Ada.

12422111. **ELIZABETH A. (Betty) RAMBO** was born 27 Dec 1855 and married PETER DONALDSON **BETHEL** on 13 Aug 1879 in Hunt Co., Texas. He was born 7 Aug 1850, a son of William D. and Julia A. (Donaldson) Bethel. The Peter Bethels lived in Rains Co., TX in 1899.¹ Betty died 9 Jun 1900 and is buried in McBride Cemetery in Hunt Co. They had six children:²

124221111. WILLIAM BENTON BETHEL, b. 20 May 1880, m. 1), 2) Dolly (?)

124221112. HIRAM BERT BETHEL, b. 12 Sep 1882, m. Mattie (?)

124221113. IDA GERTRUDE BETHEL, b. 13 Apr 1886, m. John Wesley Finney

124221114. OSA FRANCES BETHEL, b. 20 Sep 1889, m. John Wesley Bailey

124221115. EARL EDWARD BETHEL, b. 4 Oct 1892, m. Jewel Woodward

124221116. RUBY MAE BETHEL, b. 30 Jan 1896, m. 1) W. Dilbeck, 2) A. Mims

12422114. **WALTER P. RAMBO** 13 Jan 1861 and married MARY (?). They lived in Hunt Co., Texas in 1899. Walter died 3 Feb 1903. He had at least two children.³

12422115. **GEORGE RILEY RAMBO** was a farmer born 1 Dec 1873 in Tennessee and married to PEARL IDELL **NICHOLSON** on 20 Feb 1898 in Quinlan, Texas. She was born 11 Apr 1881 in Tarrant Co., Texas, a daughter of Joseph Bailey and Laura McLester (Castleberry) Nicholson. The Rambos were Presbyterian and lived in Hunt Co., Texas in 1899. George died 2 Aug 1923 in Mickey, Texas, Pearl died 3 Jul 1965, and they are buried in Riverside Cemetery in Wichita Falls, Texas. They had thirteen children including these:⁴

124221151. ROY THOMAS RAMBO, b. 22 Oct 1899, d. 1993, m. Lela Windsor
124221152. GUY JOSEPH RAMBO, b. 17 Jul 1901, d. Jun 1981, m. Iris Ora Catt
124221153. JAMES NOLAN RAMBO, b. 19 Jan 1903, d. 1969, m. Claudia Kidd
124221154. ADRIAN ALVIN RAMBO, b. 20 Mar 1905, d. 1983, m. Aline Presley
124221155. JESSE LEE RAMBO, b. 25 Apr 1906, m. Alfreda Lucille Lewis
124221156. TERESA INEZ RAMBO, b. 14 Oct 1909, m. John Thurman Hines
124221157. ADA BELLE RAMBO, b. 22 May 1911, d. 1993, m. Rayford McAfee
124221158. ADDIE ZELLE RAMBO, b. 22 May 1911, d. 1985, m. Monroe Harwell
124221159. JACK RAMBO, b. 16 Sep 1913, d. 22 Oct 1983, never married
12422115C. LOUIE MARIE RAMBO, b. 18 Nov 1920, m. James Franklin Bethel Jr
12422115D. FLOYD RAMBO, b. 25 Mar 1923, d. 14 May 1925

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 20

² Yvette Thornton, e-mail of 29 Jul 2006

³ John Wells and Lyn McAllister Wells, family research, e-mail of 8 Jul 2003

⁴ Gayle Welch, e-mail of 19 Aug 2003

12422116. **THOMAS EDGAR RAMBO** was a farmer born 2 Oct 1871 in Franklin, Robertson Co., Tennessee.¹ He married DORA ANN **STRANGE** on 20 Sep 1896 in Whitman, Texas. She was born 22 Feb 1881 in Stevens, Arkansas, and her mother's name was Parthenia Pelkey. Thomas Edgar Rambo died of bronchial pneumonia in Durant, Oklahoma on 16 Jan 1941 aged 69y 3m 14d. Dora died there on 19 Jul 1976, and they are buried at Highland Park Cemetery. They had these seven children:²

124221161. CORAL ADA RAMBO, b. 12 Oct 1897, d. 1994, m. Joe Perry Floyd
124221162. IRA RAMBO, b. 24 Feb 1901, d. 1 Oct 1981, m. Annie Belle Devault
124221163. MARVIN M. RAMBO, b. 1903, d. 1930, m. Nona Lennert
124221164. CARL J. RAMBO, b. 7 Aug 1905, d. 27 Jun 1987, m. Hazel V. (?)
124221165. LAURA L. RAMBO, b. 17 Jan 1908, d. 1989, m. John Dabney Wells
124221166. FRANCES RAMBO, b. 13 Jan 1914, a schoolteacher in Durant, OK,
124221167. BILLIE LOUISE RAMBO, b. 26 May 1918, m. Orville L. McDonald

12422117. **ADA RAMBO** married J. L. **HOWELL** on 13 Nov 1889 in Hunt Co., Texas and lived in Wood Co., Texas in 1899.³

The children of [#1242212] Elias K. and Martha M. (McConnell) Rambo [son of Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12422121. **RICHMOND (Rich) RAMBO** was born 31 Mar 1854 in Lewisburg, Marshall Co., Tennessee. In 1876 he moved to Texas and Collin Co. On 15 Feb 1877, he married SARAH J. **MALONE** at her father's house in Collin Co. She was born 30 Jun 1856 in Tennessee, the daughter of E. J. Malone. In fall of 1877, Rich and Sarah moved 2 miles south to McKinney, Texas where Rich was a longtime saloon owner. He retired from business in 1901 and died 5 Oct 1908 in McKinney. Sarah died there 5 Nov 1938. They are buried in Pecan Grove Cemetery, McKinney.⁴ They had these children:⁵

124221211. S. WALKER RAMBO, b. Apr 1879, living in McKinney in 1938

124221212. GUY RAMBO, b. Apr 1881, living in McKinney in 1938

124221213. OLIVER (Ollie) RAMBO, b. 4 Feb 1883, d. 20 Feb 1920, m. ?

124221214. ROY RAMBO, b. Dec 1884, d. a few days before his mother in 1938

124221215. CLYDE RAMBO, b. Jan 1888, mayor of Calexico, California, 1938

The following was taken from the Daily Courier-Gazette published in the city of McKinney in Collin County, Texas. FUNERAL OF R. RAMBO

¹ John Wells and Lyn McAllister Wells, family research, copy of death record

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 24 by Lyn McAllister Wells

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 20

⁴ Alice W. O'Roark Potts and D. Posey, *Collin County (Texas) Cemetery Inscriptions*, vol. 1 (pub. 1975)

⁵ Rick Rambo, family research, obituaries: *Daily Courier Gazette*, 6 Oct 1908 & 7 Nov 1938

(Tuesday Evening, October 6, 1908)

The death of R. Rambo at his home on North Chestnut street yesterday, caused profound sorrow among his hosts of friends in this city where he had lived so long, and a large number attended the funeral this afternoon, the services being conducted at the residence at 3 o'clock by Eld. John McKinney and Rev. W. P. Cloyd, after which a sorrowful procession followed the remains to Pecan Grove cemetery where they were laid to rest at 4 o'clock.

Richmond Rambo was born at Lewisburg, Tenn., May 31, 1854, and was therefore 54 years of age on the 31st of last may. He was a son of E. K. (Daddy) Rambo who had been a resident of this city for about thirty years, and whose death occurred in January of last year. In October of 1876 the subject of this sketch moved from Tennessee to Texas and Collin county, with the family of E. Malone who settled 2 ¹/₂ miles north of this place, and in the spring of 1877, he married Miss Sallie Malone, daughter of E. Malone, the wedding taking place at the home of the bride's father. In the fall of the same year Mr. Rambo moved with his wife to McKinney, which had ever since been their home. He engaged in business here and for quite a number of years conducted a saloon at this place, retiring some seven years ago, since which time he has not been actively engaged in business, devoting much of his time to outdoor life, looking after his stock and other property interests, etc. About six months ago his health began to fail and he had been confined to his bed the greater portion of the time since April 26. Though suffering from a most serious stomach trouble he made a prolonged and gallant fight against the insidious disease which was gradually but surely undermining the sources of his strength, but despite the best medical skill and the most careful, tender nursing, he continued to grow weaker until the end. He is survived by his wife and five sons, as follows: Walker, Guy, Ollie, Roy and Clyde. He is survived by one brother, Joe Rambo, of this city, and two half brothers, Ed Rambo of Denison and At Rambo of Dallas.

Rich Rambo was a man of high integrity, true as steel to his friends, of generous impulses and warm heart, ever willing and ready to respond to the call of assistance from one in need of aid, and was intensely devoted to his family, upon whom he ever lavished a wealth of pure affection.

In beautiful Pecan Grove cemetery, that silent city of the dead, his body calmly lies this evening, while upon the moist soil above his lifeless clay there lie many beautiful floral offerings gently placed by loving hands.

The following was taken from the Daily Courier-Gazette published in the city of McKinney in Collin County, Texas.

MRS. R. RAMBO PASSED AWAY SATURDAY EVE

(Monday Evening, November 7, 1938)

Devoted Wife, Mother, Friend and Neighbor Bedfast Two Years

Mrs. Sarah J. Rambo died Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at her late home, 303 North Chestnut Street, at the ripe old age of 82 years, 4 months and 5 days old. She had been in very feeble health for the past five years and bedfast for more than two years.

Funeral services were held at 4:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Isaac Crouch Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, pastor of the First Christian Church, assisted by Rev. Earl J. Rogers, pastor of the Full Gospel Church. Special music was rendered at the funeral by a quartet composed of Tom Mitchell, Clyde Neely, Bob Moore and Will Edwards.

The body was laid to rest in the family burying plot in Pecan Grove Cemetery under a bower of beautiful floral offerings that were sent as expressions of love and appreciation by a host of friends in McKinney and from other points.

Pallbearers: Dick De Armond, W. T. Duer, J. M. Andrews, O. S. Lucas, Walter B Wilson and Carl Wright.

The deceased, before her marriage, was Miss Sarah J. Malone, a sister of the late Chas. N. Malone, who preceded her to the grave, about seven months ago. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Malone. When she was about twenty years old, she became the bride of Richmond Rambo, in the year, 1876. Her husband was a prominent McKinney business man and a highly esteemed citizen, who preceded her to the grave, October 5, 1908. She was therefore, a widow for thirty years. She was a dear, home loving wife and mother, devoted to her family and friends, who in early life, united with the church and who loved to serve humanity in her meek, humble and retiring way. Her life was truly one of service to her family, her loved ones, her friends and neighbors to all of whom her sympathies and interest went forth in practical ways that causes her memory to be treasured in many loving hearts.

She was the mother of five sons, three of whom survive her passing as follows: Walker and Guy Rambo, both living at home with her when she passed away, and Clyde Rambo, who for several years had been a prominent business man, civic leader and Mayor of Calexico, Calif. Two sons, Ollie and Roy Rambo, preceded her in death. Her son, Roy, died only a few days preceding her passing. Four grandsons also survive her death -George Patrick Rambo of Ft. Worth, Clyde Rambo Jr. and R. D. Rambo, both of Calexico, Calif. and J. V. Rambo. Patrick Rambo Jr. of Ft. Worth is a great-grandson.

She is also survived by three brothers - W. T. Malone of Van Horn, Texas, who has been at her bedside for the last two or three months; Albert and George Malone, both business men of Quinland, Hunt County, Texas. As stated, her brother, Chas. N. Malone, prominent McKinney business man and property owner, died at his home here seven months ago. Her brother, Mack Malone, died a few years ago, at Tiahomingo, Oklahoma and two sisters preceded her to the grave - Mrs. Josie Merchant and Mrs. Tinnie Jones, both of Quinlan, Texas. A number of nieces and nephews also mourn the passing of this dear old relative.

12422122. **JOSEPH H. RAMBO** was born 10 May 1856 in Marshall Co., Tennessee and lived with his parents and step brothers in Collin Co., Texas in 1900.

The children of [#1242212] Elias K. and Mary Lee (Fowler) Rambo, his third wife, were Sarah, Ed and At. It is not clear which of these are Ed and which is At.

12422124. **WILLIAM A. RAMBO** was born in Dec 1876. Ed Rambo had been in the army nine years and was stationed in Tacoma, Washington when his father died in Feb 1907. He lived in Denison when his half brother died in Oct 1908.

12422125. **THOMAS F. RAMBO** was born Mar 1879. At Rambo lived in McKinney when his father died in Feb 1907 and in Dallas when his half brother died in Oct 1908.

12422127. ELIAS A. RAMBO was born about 1874

The child of [#1242214] Benjamin F. and Araminta S. (Wilson) Rambo [son of Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12422141. **MARCUS H. RAMBO** was born about 1855 and married DIXIE L. V. **COCHRAN** on 6 Jun 1877.¹

The children of [#1242214] Benjamin F. and Sarah Tennessee (Luna) Rambo, his second wife.

12422142. MARY E. RAMBO was born about 1860 and married W. S. CHILES on 19 Jul 1883.²

12422143. **ROBERT H. L. RAMBO** was born in Jun 1863 and married MARY FRANCES **HASTINGS** on 8 Dec 1884. She was born in Feb 1865. He died in 1941, she died in 1943, and they are buried in Rose Hill Cemetery, Fayetteville, Tennessee as is their son Joseph Brent. They had these children:³

124221431. SALIE L. RAMBO, b. Apr 1886

124221432. FRANK D. RAMBO, b. 4 Sep 1888, m. 1) Ruth Pitts, 2) Syd Houston

124221433. LOUELLA RAMBO, b. Jul 1892

124221434. JOSEPH BRENT RAMBO, b. 14 Jul 1898, d. 7 Dec 1970

The children of [#1242215] David and Elizabeth B. (Webster) Rambo [son of Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Martha R., William Henry., and J. T.

12422151. MARTHA R. RAMBO was born 30 Jul 1864 and married SILAS MILTON ENDSLEY on 5 May 1889. He was born in 1869 and died in 1938. Martha died in

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

1940, and they are buried in Short Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. They had these children:¹

124221511. MAUDE ENDSLEY, b. 9 Sep 1891, m. 1) Wm. Rambo, 2) Mr. Clark

124221512. VIRGIL ENDSLEY, b. 7 Feb 1893, d. 1961, m. Erma G. Pruitt

124221513. MAZIE E. ENDSLEY, b. 16 Aug 1895, d. Apr 1967, m. Jimmie C. Pigg

124221514. RUBY LEE ENDSLEY, b. 7 Mar 1899, m. Mr. Pack

12422152. WILLIAM HENRY RAMBO was born 27 Sep 1868 and married ARTIE MISSIE DAVIS on 2 Sep 1894. She was born in Jan 1872. In 1931 they sold the land received from his mother to their son, Howard Rambo. W. H. Rambo died in 1934, Artie died in 1944, and both were buried in the Cochran Cemetery near Cornersville, Tennessee.² They had at least these children:³

124221521. WILMA RAMBO, b. Oct 1895 124221522. FLORENCE RAMBO, b. Nov 1897 124221523. RUTH RAMBO, b. Feb 1899

124221524. HOWARD RAMBO

The children of [#1242219] William Worth and Leota Frances (Collins) Rambo, his second wife, [son of Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Emma, Ella Fount, Thomas, Burch W., Hettie L., Benjamin Harris, Annie Mai, Lena Ercell, Daisy C., and Odell P.

12422192. **ELLA FOUNT RAMBO** was born 31 Mar 1876 and, on 18 Mar 1897, married EDGAR BRUCE **MALONE** [#12422242], son of Murdock M. and Sarah Jane (Harris) Malone. Ella died in 1968.⁴

12422196. **BENJAMIN HARRIS RAMBO** was born in May 1889 and married NELL **McCONNELL**. They moved to Oklahoma.⁵

12422197. **ANNIE MAI RAMBO** was born 4 Nov 1891 and married on 9 Jun 1910 to JESSE MORGAN **HILL**, son of Felix K. and Mary E. (Stacy) Hill. Jesse was born in 1888 and died in 1943. Annie died in Jun 1962. They are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. They had two children including this one:⁶

124221971. EVELYN HILL, b. 28 May 1911, d. Apr 1965, m. David Allen Harris

12422198. LENA ERCELL RAMBO was born 11 Sept 1894 and married WILLIAM

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 22

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 4 (Jul 1985), p. 6

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 22

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

⁶ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

GASTON LONDON. He was born 4 Feb 1894 and died 2 Jun 1970. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery. Lena was a teacher at Pleasant Hill in 1915.¹

The children of [#124221A] George W. and Eliza J. (Welch) Rambo [son of Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Angela and Francis Harvey.

124221A2. **FRANCIS HARVEY RAMBO** was born 24 Mar 1873 and married on 15 Dec 1898 ADA ANNA (**? FAIN**) **STEWART** who was born about 1875, daughter of Robert and Rebecca Catherine Fain who are buried in Welch Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. Francis Harvey died 9 Mar 1947.²

The children of [#1242224] Murdock McKensie and Sarah Jane (Harris) Malone [son of Martha (Rambo) Malone, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12422241. **MARTHA A. MALONE** was born 30 Mar 1865 and died 1 Aug 1923. She married G. WORTH **HOBBY** who was born 6 Sep 1860 and died 10 Mar 1917. They are buried in Beechwood Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.³

12422242. **EDGAR BRUCE MALONE** was born 15 Jun 1874 and died 7 Sep 1944. On 18 Mar 1897 he married his cousin ELLA FOUNT **RAMBO** [#12422192] who was born 31 Mar 1876, a daughter of Wm. W. and Leota Frances (Collins) Rambo. Ella died in 1968. They are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.⁴

The children of [#1242234] William Harvey and Lemira Ellen (Leonard) Welch [son of Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ellen E., Wm L., Linton A., George A., Margaret, and Oliver C.

12422342. **Wm. L. WELCH** was born 2 Jan 1871 and died 12 Sep 1903. He married JANIE E. (?) who was born 19 May 1870 and died 30 Jun 1951. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.⁵

12422346. **OLIVER C. WELCH** was born 29 Jul 1877 and died 6 Jan 1968. He married LAMYRA M. (?) who was born 31 Aug 1881 and died 7 Feb 1964. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery.⁶

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 23

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

 ⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24
 ⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

⁶ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

The children of [#1242236] Charles James and Elizabeth W. (Welch) Crutcher [daughter of Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John Franklin, Charles Jefferson, Mary Elizabeth, Ida Lee, and George Harvey.

12422361. **JOHN FRANKLIN CRUTCHER** was born about 1858 and married HATTIE P. **CUNNINGHAM** on 12 Jul 1882. She was born in 1859, a daughter of Cary W. and Elizabeth (Fields) Cunningham. John died 8 Dec 1941, and Hattie died in 1947. They are buried in Welch Cemetery. They had these children:¹

124223611. ORA ESTEL CRUTCHER, b. 21 Jun 1882, m. 1) McCurdy, 2) Huggins

124223612. CLIFFORD CARY CRUTCHER, b. 5 Aug 1883, d. 23 Oct 1907

124223613. CHARLES EARL CRUTCHER, b. 28 Dec 1888, m. Daisy Hooten

124223614. LENA MARY CRUTCHER, b. 20 Sep 1890, m. Robt Bruce Berry

124223615. IDA ALICE CRUTCHER, b. 17 Jun 1896, m. Robert Gibson

12422364. **IDA LEE CRUTCHER** was born 21 Jun 1867 and died 2 Apr 1933. On 20 Jan 1887 she married WALTER **DRAKE** who was born 16 Jul 1860 and died 21 Sep 1938. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery.²

12422365. **GEORGE HARVEY CRUTCHER** married JENNIE **KIMBROUGH** on 28 Dec 1894. He was an ordained Baptist minister, an LLD degreed graduate of Union University. He died 26 Feb 1944 in Tampa, Florida.³

The children of [#1242237] John J. LaFayette and Mary H. (Welch) Bryant [daughter of Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Jocie A., Eliza T., George Birch, Sallie, and John W.

12422373. **GEORGE BIRCH WELCH BRYANT** was born 13 Oct 1870 and died 20 Oct 1940. He married NANNIE LOWRY **BAXTER** who was born 27 Mar 1891 and died 27 Jun 1926. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. They had these children:⁴

124223731. EDWIN BAXTER BRYANT, b. 25 Oct 1893, m. Jennie Maude Walker

124223732. JAMES A. BRYANT, m. Louise Liggett, moved to Portland, TN

124223733. HERMAN A. BRYANT, m. Bettie Cole, moved to Portland

124223734. MARY BIRCH BRYANT, m. R. G. Oglesby, moved to Nashville

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

12422374. **SALLIE BRYANT** married NICK G. **ANDREWS**. He was born in 1854, died in 1926, and is buried in Andrews-Liggett Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. They had these children:¹

124223741. ROY BRYANT ANDREWS, b. 17 Jan 1891, d. 1949, m. Dora Keel
124223742. ANN LOU ANDREWS, b. 16 Feb 1889, m. Thos. Bascomb Hendrix
124223743. WILLIE ANDREWS, b. 1881, d. 194_, m. Stella Simpson
124223744. KENNETH ANDREWS, m. Costella Howell
124223745. MYRTLE BRYANT ANDREWS, b. 1870, m. Willie Ashley Harris

The children of [#1242238] Frederick and Martha Ann (Welch) Finley [daughter of Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Nancy Penina, James H., Leonard, Alberta, and Dennis.

12422381. NANCY PENINA FINLEY was born 15 Jul 1865 and died 27 Mar 1951. She married J. N. GREEN who was born 4 Mar 1869 and died 2 Dec 1928. They are buried in Welch Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.²

12422382. **JAMES H. FINLEY** was born in 1867 and died in 1940. He married G. G. (?) who was born in 1876 and died in 1936. They are buried in Welch Cemetery.³

The children of [#1242253] Levi Monroe and Mary E. (Daugherty) Cook [daughter of Mary Ann (Rambo) Daugherty, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12422531. **GEORGE W. COOK** was born Dec 1865 and died in 1940. He married ADA **PYLES** who was born in Feb 1868 and died in 1928. They and many of their children are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery. They had nine children including these:⁴

124225311. WILMA COOK, b. 18 Jul 1889, d. 15 Nov 1962, m. Wm. Park

124225312. OLA COOK, b. Jul 1891, m. J. Claude Twitty

124225313. UDIE COOK, b. Mar 1893

124225314. HOMER COOK, b. May 1895, d. 1980, m. Macie Hill

124225315. GEORGILEE COOK, b. Apr 1898, m. Joe L. Richardson

124225316. MARIE LUCILE COOK, b. Apr 1900, m. George W. Rutledge

124225317. JACK W. COOK, b. 1902, d. 1964, m. Violet (?)

124225318. MARY EMMA COOK, m. Charles E. Moser

12422532. BASIL MANLEY DAUGHERTY COOK was born 24 Aug 1867 and died

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

13 Feb 1905. He married OCTA WILLIS who was born 1 Jan 1869 and died 8 May
1957. They are buried in Cochran Cemetery. They had these children:¹
124225321. ZELNA COOK, b. 1897, m. Ernest J. Glasscock
124225322. EUGENE HOWARD COOK

The children of [#1242261] David Henry and Mary Jane (Bills)(Davis) Rambo [son of Elias Jr., Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William E., John H., George David, Mamie, Albert Sidney, Elma P., Beulah Nell, Dee Branson, and Essie. See L. Len Clardy's book.

12422614. **MAMIE RAMBO** was born 2 Apr 1882 in Brown Co., Texas and married WILL **GOATS** on 21 Feb 1904. She died 24 Dec 1956 in Brown Co.

12422615. ALBERT SIDNEY RAMBO was born 3 Mar 1884 in Brown Co., Texas and married MARY GARRETT on 1 Feb 1904. He died in Port Arthur, Texas.

12422616. **ELMA P. RAMBO** was born 1 Jan 1887 in Brown Co., Texas and married LUTHER **WOODS** on 16 Dec 1906. She died in Brown Co. in 1981.

12422617. **BEULAH NELL RAMBO** was born 5 Jun 1889 in Brown Co., Texas and married ERNEST BASCOM **CLARDY** on 11 Oct 1908 at Ricker. He was born 11 Aug 1879 in the Chapel Hill community of Brown Co., a son of Richard Ferris and Nancy Emmaline (Scott) Clardy. Ernest became a rural mail carrier in 1904 and retired from the postal service in 1941. Mrs. E. B. Clardy was a charter member of the Austin Avenue Church of Christ, and an active member of the Woodland Heights Garden Club. Ernest died 23 Sep 1970 at age 91, Beulah died at age 89 on 16 May 1979 in Houston, and they are buried in Greenleaf Cemetery, Brownwood, TX. They had four children including this one:²

124226171. RICHARD HENRY CLARDY, b. 16 Sep 1909, d. 7 Jan 1911

12422618. **DEE BRANSON RAMBO** was born 28 Nov 1893 in Brown Co., Texas and married INEZ **NORTON** on 19 May 1921. She was born 8 May 1894 in Brown Co. Dee Branson Rambo died 4 Jan 1956.

The children of [#1242511] Elias William and Martha F. (Dodson) Rambo [son of Thomas, Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Oliver, Ella, Isaac, Cornelius, and Printiss.

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

² L. Len Clardy, Ancestors of David Henry Rambo and Mary Jane Bills (1992), letter of 19 Nov 1999; obituaries

12425112. ELLA RAMBO was born in Kentucky in Nov 1877 and married Mr. COTTRELL. They had one known child:

124251121. ALGIE COTTRELL (m), b. May 1895

12425115. **PRINTISS RAMBO** was born 15 Feb 1889 in Ballard Co., Kentucky. He married BESSIE LEE **McCORMICK** who was born in Metropolis, Illinois on 18 Sep 1894. Printiss was employed by a railroad and settled in Booneville, Mississippi. He died 7 Jan 1966, Mrs. Bessie Rambo died 28 Sep 1976, and they are buried in Booneville, Mississippi.¹ They were members of the Baptist church and had three children including these two:

124251152. MARGARET RAMBO, d. aged 18

124251153. CARL JAMES RAMBO, b. 29 Jan 1917, m. 1) Rutherford, 2) Nelson

The children of [#1242513] John David and Margaret E. (O'Neal) Rambo [son of Thomas, Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12425131. **JAMES ISAAC RAMBO** was born 22 Nov 1876.² He was a college professor and died on the East coast. He married MYRTLE (?).

12425132. **ROSA ANN RAMBO** was born prior to 1880, and after the death of her father in 1894, she chose Wiley Pickett as her guardian.³ On 27 Dec 1894 she married W. H. **SAMS** in Carlyle Co., Kentucky.

The children of [#1242513] John David and Alice (Robinson) Rambo, his second wife.

12425133. **TIZZIEBURR RAMBO** was born 23 Sep 1891 and married ROY GERTRUDE **THARP**.⁴ He was born 2 Mar 1891 and went by the nickname of "Boss". Roy Tharp died 24 Dec 1959, and Mrs. Tizzieburr Tharp died 22 Feb 1977. Both were buried at Milburn, Kentucky. They had four children.

12425134. **IRVIN ROY RAMBO** was born 21 Oct 1892 in Hickman Co., Kentucky.⁵ He married BESSIE OPAL **WILSON** on 26 Dec 1915 at Cairo, Illinois. She was born 18 Mar 1891 at Beulah, Kentucky. Irvin Rambo died 20 Jun 1957, Bessie died 14 Apr 1985 at Paducah, KY, and they were buried at Milburn, KY. They had six children.

12425135. ELIZABETH RAMBO was born in Nov 1890.

¹ Prentiss County, Mississippi, Vital Records

² Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

³ Carlisle County, Kentucky, County Clerk, Vital Records

⁴ Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

⁵ Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

The children of [#1242516] Jeff L. and Buenavista (Rambo) Ledford [daughter of Thomas, Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Byron, Lettie Mae, and Carrie.

12425162. **LETTIE MAE LEDFORD** was born 30 Mar 1891, married JOSEPH LEONARD **CARRICO**, and died in Mayfield, Kentucky in Oct 1970. They had three children.¹

12425163. **CARRIE LEDFORD** was born in Mar 1894, married RAYMON **HASTIN**,² died about 1984, and was buried in Milburn, Kentucky. The Hastins had two children.

The children of [#1242529] Edmond Taylor and Julia Florida (Rambo) Brooks [daughter of Ezekiel, Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Myrtle Minnie, Albert Tommy, Taylor May, Jennie Lou, Ernest Lloyd, Vester Francis, Mason Doctor, Beulah, Eula, and Herbert Bruce.

12425291. **MYRTLE MINNIE BROOKS** was born in Kentucky 19 Nov 1886 and married HOWEY LONZO **BROWN** on 7 Feb 1912.³ She died 6 Oct 1960.

12425293. TAYLOR MAY BROOKS was born 16 May 1890 and married her first husband, ELMER ERASTUS, on 22 Apr 1917.⁴ She later married BRYANT GRAHAM on 15 Jan 1922. She died 22 Feb 1971.

12425296. **VESTER FRANCIS BROOKS** was born in Marshall Co., Kentucky on 26 Feb 1898.⁵ He married EDITH MAY **LITTLE** on 8 Sep 1933. His second marriage was to FRANCES **BLEDSOE** on 31 May 1953. He died 30 Aug 1978.

12425297. **MASON DOCTOR BROOKS** was born 21 Sep 1900 in Kentucky and married LaNORA **BROSWELL** on 26 Feb 1922.⁶ Mason Brooks died 14 Apr 1974.

12425298. **BEULAH BROOKS** was a twin born 31 Mar 1904 in Whitney, Texas.⁷ She married WILLIAM F. **RICH** on 14 Dec 1922. She died 3 Aug 1974.

¹ Sue Walkup, suziewalkup@qwest.net, e-mail of 3 Feb 2001

² Mrs. Virginia Rambo, Boaz, KY, family records

³ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁴ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁵ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁶ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁷ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

12425299. **EULA BROOKS** was a twin born on 31 Mar 1904 in Whitney, Texas.¹ First, she married HORACE **PAYNE** on 12 Jan 1930. On 5 Sep 1946 she married JOHN K. **CHANDLER**.

1242529A. **HERBERT BRUCE BROOKS** was born 18 Nov 1906 in Whitney, Texas and married ETTA **BOLIN** on 28 Sep 1924.² His second wife was ROSA L. **STEPHENS**, and their marriage occurred on 12 May 1932. Herbert Brooks died 1 May 1971.

The children of [#124252A] Richard Thomas and Minnie Ollie (Rambo) Courtney [daughter of Ezekiel, Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

124252A1. WALTER HAYS COURTNEY was born in 1888 and married KATE O'NEAL.³ He died in 1958.

124252A2. **AVERY E. (Abe) COURTNEY** was born 20 Jul 1890 and first married GRACE **SULLIVAN**.⁴ His second wife was RADY **WOOLEY**. Abe Courtney died 8 Aug 1978.

124252A3. ELVIS SYLVESTER (Pat) COURTNEY was born in Cypress, Kentucky on 10 Sep 1892.⁵ He married DIXIE MAY BURGESS on 14 Nov 1915 in Cairo, Illinois. She was born at West Plains, Missouri on 17 Dec 1899, the daughter of Henry Taylor and Nettie (Wooley) Burgess. Pat Courtney died 13 Feb 1957 and was buried in the Beulah Baptist Church Cemetery in Hickman Co., Kentucky. The Courtneys had nine children, all but the youngest one born in Beulah, Kentucky.

The children of [#1242534] James C. and Fredonia (Rambo) Baker [daughter of Elias, Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Moses Sidney, Nancy Jane, Lilla D., James Thomas, Charles, Elias, Doney Lilburn, and Mildred.

12425341. **MOSES SIDNEY BAKER** was born 29 Mar 1879 in Milburn, Kentucky and married MYRTLE LEE **HOWERTON** on 6 Feb 1906 in Waldren, Arkansas. Moses died 4 Jan 1954 in Malvern, Arkansas and is buried in Greenwood Cemetery in Hot Springs, Arkansas. They had children.⁶

¹ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

² Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

³ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁴ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁵ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁶ Joyce Lesoing, family research, e-mail of 4 Jan 2002

12425342. NANCY JANE BAKER was born 23 Mar 1882 in Clark Co., Kentucky and married ANDREW JACKSON WARD on 2 Sep 1901 in Polk Co. Arkansas. He was born 8 Jan 1881 in Arkansas and died 23 Jun 1956. Nancy died exactly six years later on 23 Jun 1962 in Arkansas.¹

12425343. LILLA D. BAKER was born 31 Aug 1885 and married CLARENCE A. BOX on 17 Jul 1906 in Vandervoort, Arkansas. He was born in Arkansas 25 _____1885 and died in Oklahoma on 21 Apr 1963.²

12425344. **JAMES THOMAS BAKER** was born 23 Mar 1889 in Kentucky or in Indian Territory [now Oklahoma] and married PEARLIE MAE **HAWKINS**. He died 31 May 1963 and is buried at Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Hot Springs, Arkansas.³

12425345. CHARLES BAKER was born 17 Oct 1894, died 4 Aug 1897, and is buried beside his brother Elias in the cemetery at Kemp, Oklahoma.⁴

12425347. **DONEY LILBURN BAKER** was born 15 Jan 1898 in Oklahoma and married MYRTLE **WRIGHT** on 20 Jun 1934 in Hot Springs, Arkansas. He died 31 May 1983 and is buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Hot Springs, Arkansas.⁵

The children of [#1242539] George David and Docie (Vivette) Rambo [son of Elias, Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12425391. **THEODORE RAMBO** was born in 1906 in Kentucky and married MARINDA **REDFORD** on 29 Aug 1924.⁶ They had three children.⁷

The children of [#1242624] John A. and Louisa A. (Mink)(Rambo) Wilson [son of Hezekiel, Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Harriet Elizabeth Jane, James Samuel, Minerva, and Martha E.

12426241. HARRIET ELIZABETH JANE WILSON was born 17 Aug 1873 and married JOSEPH BARNUM DUNN. He was born 19 Oct 1870 and died 19 Oct 1930. Harriet died 3 Aug 1932. They had these children:⁸ 124262411. ROSS EDGAR DUNN

¹ Joyce Lesoing, family research, e-mails of 4 Jan 2002 & 27 Jun 2003

² Joyce Lesoing, family research, e-mails of 27 Jun 2003 & 16 Dec 2003

³ Joyce Lesoing, family research, e-mail of 4 Jan 2002

⁴ Joyce Lesoing, family research, e-mail of 4 Jan 2002

⁵ Joyce Lesoing, family research, e-mail of 4 Jan 2002

⁶ Carlisle County, Kentucky, County Clerk, Vital Records

⁷ Dr. James Courtney, Murray, KY, and Mrs. Mary Salisbury, family records

⁸ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002

124262412. ROLLIS EDWARD DUNN
124262413. ROY MCLEAN DUNN
124262414. HOWARD TAFT DUNN
124262415. HARLEY DUNN, b. 1893 (?), d. after 1942, m. Emie (?)
124262416. HESTER LOU DUNN, b. 18 Jun 1894, m. George Lawrence Stiles
124262417. ORA ETHEL MINERVA DUNN, b. 29 May 1898, m. 1) Smith, 2)
124262418. THELMA LOU MYRTLE DUNN, b. 10 Sep 1903, m. Herman Buckles
124262419. JOSEPH LAWRENCE DUNN, b. 1 Aug 1910, m. Flora Beatrice Nason

12426242. **JAMES SAMUEL WILSON** was born 27 Apr 1876 and married ANNIE **GENTRY**. She was born 12 Nov 1871 and died 15 Apr 1933. James died 17 Nov 1943. It is not known if they had children.¹

The children of [#1242626] David N. and Milla E. (Gilbert) Wilson [son of Hezekiel, Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William M., Ollie B., Blanche, and Lou Ella.

12426261. WILLIAM M. WILSON was born 22 Jun 1880 and married NETTIE G. GREER who was born 18 Nov 1883 and died in 1953. William died in 1956. They had these children:²

124262611. R. CLYDE WILSON, b. 1 Sep 1901, d. 10 Dec 1918

124262612. CHARLIE C. WILSON, b. 20 Feb 1905, d. 1977, m. Victoria Gentry

124262613. JESSIE H. WILSON, b. 6 Oct 1908, d. 28 Jul 1993, m. Pansy B. Bryant

124262614. JAMES LESTER WILSON, b. 27 Jun 1910, d. 19 Feb 1976

124262615. ESTEL RAYMOND WILSON, b. 22 Dec 1914, d. 26 Jun 1995

124262616. CARL WILSON, b. 4 Dec 1919

12426262. **OLLIE B. WILSON** was born about 1885 and married JOHN H. **FORRESTER** who was born about 1883 and died in 1906. Ollie married ROBERT EDWARD **GREER** second. He was born 18 Jan 1892 and died in 1930. Ollie lived until 1 Aug 1979. Ollie and John Forrester had these children:³

124262621. LEONARD FORRESTER

124262622. JOHNIE FORRESTER

Ollie and Robert Greer had these children:

124262623. ARCHIE GREER

124262624. JOHNNIE GREER, m. Eggers

124262625. HAZEL GREER, m. Rosenbaum

¹ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

² Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

³ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

12426263. **BLANCHE WILSON** was born about 1890 and married DAILY **WIDENER** who was born about 1890 and died in 1937. Blanche died in 1932. They had these children:¹

124262631. MADELINE WIDENER, m. Bob Morefield

124262632. FERN WIDENER, d. 10 May 1993, m. Charles Delmar Wilson

124262633. LENIS W. WIDENER, m. Lillard Able

12426264. LOU ELLA WILSON was born about 1893 and married ARTHUR E. EGGERS who was born about 1889 and died in 1964, many years after his wife. Lou Ella died in 1932. It is not known if they had children.²

The child of [#1242628] James C. and Elizabeth E. (Wilson) Reece [daughter of Hezekiel, Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

12426281. **DAVID EUGENE REECE** was born about 1885 and married BERTIE M. **PHILLIPPI** who was born about 1892 and died in 1933. He lived long past her, dying in 1963. They had nine children including:³

124262811. WALTER WATSON REECE, b. 6 Jun 1911, m. Ruby Smith

The children of [#1242821] Thomas Buchanan and Anna (Dopf) Rambo [son of James, David, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were James Edmundson, Thomas, and David.

12428212. **THOMAS RAMBO** was born 12 Nov 1928 and married MARJORIE LOUISE **PONTIS**. Marjorie was born 23 Aug 1930. She died 22 Dec 1982, and Thomas died 16 Mar 1989. They had two children.⁴

The children of [#1264136] Dexter Lovelle and Lidie (Hayes) Rambo [son of Abel, George, X, X, X, X, Peter] were Jane Gross, Dexter L., Ester, Charles Abel, and Gunnar Lloyd.

12641364. **DEXTER LOVELLE RAMBO** Jr. was born 10 Apr 1900 and married MARGUERITE CHERBONNEAUX. They had at least one son.

12641365. GUNNAR LLOYD RAMBO was born 15 Apr 1908 and married SARAH

¹ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

² Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

³ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002

⁴ Jennifer Ann Rambo, e-mail of 15 Aug 2004

COWAN. Both Gunnar and Sarah attended Erskine College in Greenwood Co., North Carolina, and later lived in Collegeville, PA. They had three known children.¹

The known children of [#1265311] James Lovegrove and Mary Minerva (Peterman) Marlin [daughter of Frederick, Susanna (Rambo) Peterman, Eli, Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Eliza Elmira, Margaret Lovegrove, James Lovegrove, Emma Virginia, Rachel Ann, Fredrick Rambo, Morris Rolando, Emma Maud, and Herman Lawrence.

12653112. MARGARET LOVEGROVE MARLIN was born 19 Mar 1876 and died 19 Dec 1950.²

12653113. **JAMES LOVEGROVE MARLIN** was born 22 Jul 1878 and married CORA EVELINE **BAKER** on 14 Aug 1902 in Omaha, Nebraska. He died there 9 Feb 1927.³

The known children of [#1265314] Albert Bertle and Emma Virginia (Peterman) Wager [daughter of Frederick, Susanna (Rambo) Peterman, Eli, Gunnar, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Winfield Scott.

12653141. **WINFIELD SCOTT WAGER** was born about Feb 1885 and was baptized on 10 Oct 1904 at the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church in Philadelphia. He married ELIZABETH **ROBERTS**. He was a machinist in Roxborough in 1920 and was living in 1942.⁴

12653148. **MARGARET ESTHER WAGER** was born 12 Jan 1907 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and married ELLSWORTH MONTFORD **VAN ARSDALE** on 4 Oct 1924. Margaret died 1 Nov 1983 in Lansdown, Delaware.⁵

The children of [#1521122] George Lybrand and Selina (Sharp) Ogden [son of Sarah Nitzel (Lincoln) Ogden, John, Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were William A., George B., Annie D., Sarah L., and Howard.

15211225. **HOWARD OGDEN** was born in Philadelphia on 12 Dec 1887 according to his WWI draft registration card. In 1911 in Philadelphia, he married REBECCA C. **RIGHTER**, born in Apr 1883, a daughter of George Martin and Abigail (Peterson)

¹ Peter G. Rambo, e-mail of 13 Jun 2003

² Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 31 May 2004

³ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 31 May 2004

⁴ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 31 May 2004

⁵ Elizabeth Scholze, e-mail of 31 May 2004

Righter. Howard died before the 1920 census. Rebecca died 15 Aug 1952. Howard and Rebecca had one son:¹

152112251. HOWARD RAYMOND OGDEN, b. 1912, d. 2008, m. Mildred

The children of [#1526252] George Henry and Fanny (Young) Lincoln [son of Moses, George, Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Ellen, George Henry, Ida, and William Weaver.

15262521. **MARY ELLEN LINCOLN** was born 16 Nov 1891 and married ALEXANDER FOUNDS on 26 Jun 1910.² He was the son of David and Martha Founds of Darby, Pennsylvania. Alexander Founds worked in a chemical laboratory in 1915. They lived in Darby and had one known child.

The children of [#1526255] Joseph Howard and Harriet Cook (Fithian) Lincoln [son of Moses, George, Moses, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Amanda, Joseph Howard, Oscar Moses, Charles Herman, Jessie Florence and George Washington.

15262551. **MARY AMANDA LINCOLN** was born 10 Oct 1893 and married JOHN **DOUGHERTY** on 23 Dec 1909 at Camden, New Jersey. He was born in 1886, the son of Patrick and Margaret Dougherty of Darby, Pennsylvania. They lived in Darby in 1915 where John worked in a coal yard. They had three known children.³

The children of [#1712141] John Robinson and Margaretta (Comp) Rambo [son of Nathan, John, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Nathan Gilbert, Samuel Comp, and Frank W.

17121412. **SAMUEL COMP RAMBO** was born 18 Sep 1871 in Carroll Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania and married HANNAH ELIZABETH **ADAMS**. She was born 11 Feb 1872 in Carroll Township, a daughter of Richard and Susannah (Lepperd) Adams. Samuel died 11 Aug 1947, Hannah died 26 Oct 1948, and they are buried in New Bloomfield, Pennsylvania. They had one known child:⁴

171214121. CARRIE VIRGINIA RAMBO, b. 25 Jun 1897, m. Elmer Brandt Spotts

¹Ken Watkins, e-mails of Oct 2011

² Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923), p. 593

³ Waldo Lincoln, History of the Lincoln Family... Samuel Lincoln of Hingham Massachusetts, 1637-1920 (pub. 1923), p. 594

⁴ Mary Thomas, e-mail of 20 Feb 2003

The children of [#1712182] Charles Whitfield and Elizabeth (Moser) Rambo [son of John, John, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17121821. **OSCAR NAYLOR RAMBO** was born in Aug 1878 in Pennsylvania. In 1900 he worked for the New York Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Philadelphia.

17121822. **KARL MOSER RAMBO** was.born in Jun 1884 and studied at a business college in Pottstown, Pennsylvania.

The children of [#1712188] Edgar M. and Elizabeth H. (Shaner) Rambo [son of John, John, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were J. Chester, Harold S., and Belle H.

17121882. **HAROLD S. RAMBO** was born Jul 1888 and attended the Mercerburg Academy and later the Franklin and Marshall College.¹ He served with the Medical Red Cross in 1917 and graduated from Jefferson Medical College with his M. D. degree in 1920. Harold married FLORENCE MARIE **FRIZ** on 26 Jul 1923. She was born 10 Mar 1901, the daughter of William Friz Sr. of Philadelphia. Dr. Harold and Florence Rambo lived in Germantown, Pennsylvania and had one son.

The children of [#1712222] John Friz and Huldah (Rambo) Boyer [daughter of Morris, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Morris Rambo, Henry Keely, Elizabeth Rambo, Ida Louisa, Katie Lucretia, Barbara Ann, Susan Valeria, Ella May, Hulda, Laura Virginia, Blanche, John, Belle and Charles Robert.

17122221. **MORRIS RAMBO BOYER** was born 12 Jul 1857 in Reading, Pennsylvania, and on 15 Mar 1881 he married LILLIE **SWEITZER** who was born in Jan 1858.² They lived in Reading, Pennsylvania and had these children:

171222211. BETTY BOYER, b. Mar 1882

171222212. CLARENCE BOYER, b. Jun 1887

171222213. JOHN BOYER, b. Apr 1892

171222214. ROBERT BOYER, b. Dec 1895

17122222. **HENRY KEELY BOYER** was born 13 Oct 1858. On 19 May 1902 he married Mrs. FREDRICK **TOWNSEND**. They lived at Sunnybrook Farm, Connecticut.³

¹ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Rambo, Harold S." in *The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 3, p. 389

² Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), p. 108

³ Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), p. 108

17122223. **ELIZABETH RAMBO (Lizzie) BOYER** was born 2 Jul 1860. She married JACOB WILLIAM **WAMPLER** on 9 Jun 1891. They lived in St. Paul, Minnesota and had two daughters.¹

17122224. **IDA LOUISA BOYER** was born 23 Oct 1861 and married Rev. ALEXANDER JAMES DERLEYSHIRE **HAUPT** on 10 Jun 1885. He was the youngest son of Gen. Herman Haupt. They lived in St. Paul, Minnesota and had these children:²

171222241. EDITH HAUPT, b. May 1888

171222242. MARGARET CECELIA HAUPT, b. Jul 1890, m. Mr Werner

171222243. ALEXANDER JAMES HAUPT, b. Dec 1891

171222244. JOHN B. HAUPT, b. Apr 1895

171222245. IDA HAUPT, b. Mar 1896

171222246. GEORGE HAUPT

17122225. **KATIE LUCRETIA BOYER** was born 10 Aug 1863, and on 31 Oct 1894 she married DAVID DENOYLLES **MILBURN**. They lived at Haverstraw, New York.³

17122226. BARBARA ANN BOYER was born in Reading, Pennsylvania on 21 Jul 1865. In Mar 1885 she married WALTER STERLING HAMAKER who was born in 1865 and died in 1914.⁴ Barbara joined the D.A.R., and her lineage is recorded as member #66306 in *Lineage Book* vol. 67:114. They lived in Reading and had one son:⁵ 171222261. WALTER STEWART HAMAKER, b. 6 Mar 1890

17122227. SUSAN VALERIA BOYER was born 19 Dec 1866 and died at age 30 in Sep 1896.⁶

1712222A. **LAURA VIRGINIA BOYER** was born 21 Apr 1872 and married GEORGE WILLIAM **SARGENT** on 22 Dec 1898. They resided in Reading, Pennsylvania and had one child surviving in 1904.⁷

1712222B. **BLANCHE BOYER** was born 10 Mar 1877 and married CHARLES **WILLIAMS** in Apr 1901.⁸

The children of [#1712241] John William and Massey Annie (Henshaw) Jenkins [son of Elizabeth (Rambo) Jenkins, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were

¹ Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), p. 108

² Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), p. 108

³ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), p. 108

⁴ Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

⁵ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), p. 108

⁶ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), p. 109

⁷ Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), p. 109

⁸ Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), p. 109

Charles Albert, James Thomas, Nellie, and Walter Lynn. See the *Jenkins Family Book* by Robert E. Jenkins. Thanks to Marion Daly for sending me a partial copy.

17122412. **JAMES THOMAS JENKINS** was a medical doctor born 18 Feb 1868 on the family farm near Alexandria, Missouri where he grew to manhood. In 1890 he graduated from the Missouri Medical College [now Washington University in St. Louis, MO] and practiced in Monroe City, MO and for 9 years in Burnside, Illinois before moving to Carthage, Illinois in 1902. He married ELSIE BOND **CHERRY** on 20 Dec 1893 in Kahoka, Missouri at the residence of her grandfather, Thomas Cherry. She was born 23 Sep 1870 in Argyle, Lee Co., Iowa, a daughter of Lyne Sterling and Frances Elizabeth (Allen) Cherry. Dr. Jenkins was a prominent citizen, a member of the Presbyterian Church, an exemplary member of the Masons, and member of several medical societies. Dr. James Jenkins practiced until April when deterioriating health forced him to retire six months before his death on 9 Oct 1925 aged 57y 7m 21d. Dr. Jenkins was buried at Moss Ridge Cemetery. Elsie lived for 40 more years before she died on 5 Dec 1964 in Keokuk, Iowa. James and Elsie had three children:^{1,2}

171224121. HERBERT CHERRY JENKINS, b. 2 Oct 1894, m. Isabel G. White 171224122. JAMES THOMAS JENKINS Jr., b. 24 Sep 1896, m. Carolyn Mize 171224123. LYMAN HALL JENKINS, b. 11 Jan 1900, m. Edith H. Haumersen

17122413. **NELLIE M. JENKINS** was born 27 Aug 1870 in Alexandria, Missouri and married ALBERT ROSE **BLACK** on 13 Feb 1896 at her father's residence near Winchester, Clark Co., Missouri. Albert was a practicing physician in Winchester.³ Nellie joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #99213 in *Lineage Book* vol. 100:65. She died 7 Apr 1920 in Missouri.⁴

17122414. **WALTER LYNN JENKINS** was born 11 Nov 1874 and married MARGARET NANCY **BOULWARE** on 14 Jan 1897 at the Bluff Springs church, Clark Co., Missouri. She was a daughter of Willis M. and Martha (Wooldridge) Boulware. Walter was a grain merchant and a farmer. They lived near Gregory, Clark Co., Missouri and had two children:⁵

171224141. WILLIAM HOWARD JENKINS, b. 28 Dec 1897 171224142. MARTHA HELEN JENKINS, b. 11 Sep 1900

The children of [#1712242] Samuel Alexander and Catherine Elizabeth (Jenkins) Lynn [daughter of Elizabeth (Rambo) Jenkins, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Robert Jenkins, Samuel Alexander, and Massie May.

¹ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 54-56

² Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003, copies of death certificate, obituary & will

³ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), p. 56

⁴ Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003

⁵ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 56-57

17122421. **ROBERT JENKINS LYNN** was born 9 Aug 1864 and married OLLIE LEWIS **ALLEN** on 19 Nov 1890 at her father's residence in Argyle, Lee Co., Iowa. She was born 2 Oct 1870 in Lee Co., a daughter of William W. and Eliza Jane (Cherry) Allen. Robert was a hard worker and lived successively in Quincy, Illinois, Brunner, Texas, and Kirksville, Missouri. He was ill for two years until he died 25 Apr 1898 in Kirksville, Missouri and was buried in Meek's Cemetery near Hinsdale, Iowa. Robert and Ollie had two children born in Quincy, Illinois:¹

171224211. HAROLD SAMUEL LYNN, b. 18 Aug 1891 171224212. WILLIAM ALLEN LYNN, b. 26 Oct 1893, d. 6 Jun 1895

17122423. **MASSIE MAY (Maggie) LYNN** was born 25 Feb 1875 in Scotland Co., Missouri. She was a school teacher and a school commissioner for Clark Co., Missouri. She joined the DAR, and her lineage appears in volume 98, page 255, #97825.

The children of [#1712243] Judge David Nelson and Margaret Jane (Jenkins) Lapsley [daughter of John William, Elizabeth (Rambo) Jenkins, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Mary Elizabeth and Robert McKee.

17122431. **MARY ELIZABETH LAPSLEY** was born 2 Mar 1865 and married ROBERT CLEAVER **McKEE** on 28 Jan 1902 at her parents' home near Revere in Clark Co., Missouri. Robert was a son of Robert Samuel and Charlotte L. (Cleaver) McKee. Mary and Robert had at least this one child:²

171224311. THOMAS LAPSLEY McKEE, b. 18 Nov 1902

The children of [#1712244] Dr. George Franklin and Charlotte Elizabeth (Van Wagenen) Jenkins [son of John William, Elizabeth (Rambo) Jenkins, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Anna Page, Marcia Louise, Florence Easton, and George Van Wagenen.

17122442. **MARCIA LOUISE JENKINS** was born 16 July 1873 and married HAZEN IRWIN **SAWYER** at her father's residence in Keokuk, Iowa on 8 Feb 1899. He was born 10 Oct 1868, a son of Iram Allen and Mary Crawford (Irwin) Sawyer and a descendant of Thomas and Mary (Prescott) Sawyer of Rowley, Massachusetts in 1643. Hazen was a lawyer and the city attorney.³

17122443. FLORENCE EASTON JENKINS was born 8 Sept 1874 in Fulton, New

¹ Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), pp. 42, 57-58

² Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), p. 59

³ Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), pp. 47, 59-61

York and married HENRY BOYDEN **BLOOD** Jr. at Baldwinsville, New York on 8 Oct 1903. He was born 18 Nov 1869 at Stoneboro, Pennsylvania, a son of Henry Boyden and Annie Belle (Graffen) Blood and a descendant of Revolutionary private Nathaniel Blood of Charleston, Massachusetts.¹ Florence joined the DAR and is listed in Volume 33, page 154, #32459.

The children of [#1712246] Robert Edwin and Marcia (Raymond) Jenkins [son of Elizabeth Rambo, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were George Raymond, Marcia, Helen mary, William, and Edith Daisy.

17122461. **GEORGE RAYMOND JENKINS** was born 26 Jul 1870, and graduated from Beloit and from Harvard Law School. On 24 Oct 1905, he married MAY L. **RICE**, the daughter of Calvin F. Rice. They had only one child:²

171224611. ROBERT RICE JENKINS, b. 1908, d. 190x

17122463. **HELEN MARY JENKINS** was born 5 Aug 1874 and married EDGAR LEE **MASTERS** at her father's residence in Chicago, Illinois on 21 Jun 1898. He was born 23 Aug 1868 in Lewiston, Illinois, a son of Hardin Wallace and Emma J. (Dexter) Masters. Edgar Lee Masters was a well known writer of the day and a lawyer. They had one known child:^{3,4}

171224631. HARDIN WALLACE MASTERS, b. 17 Apr 1899

17122465. **EDITH DAISY JENKINS** was born 7 Apr 1879 in Chicago, Illinois.⁵ She received her degree in Philosophy from the U. of Chicago in 1902, and on 7 Apr 1902 at her father's residence in Keokuk, Iowa, she married WILLIAM ARCHIBALD **LOGAN** who was born 14 Jun 1873, the first son of Judge William Logan and his wife, Sarah Jane Jackson. William A. Logan was a banker and a member of the First Congregational Church but died young on 6 Sep 1905. On 2 Feb 1915 Edith married JESSE H. **SHREVE**. He was born 5 Aug 1883 in Andalusia, Alabama, the son of William C. Shreve. Jesse Shreve was president of the Exchange Securities Corp., San Diego, California. Edith joined the D.A.R. - her lineage appears as #117199 in *Lineage Book* vol. 118:62. Edith and Jesse had no children. Edith and William Logan lived in Keokuk, Iowa and had one son:⁶

171224651. WILLIAM ARCHIBALD LOGAN Jr., b. 16 Oct 1903

¹ Robert E. Jenkins, *Jenkins Family Book* (pub. 1904), pp. 47, 62-63

² Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), p. 49

³ Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), pp. 50, 63, 185

⁴ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Shreve, Edith Daisy Jenkins" in *The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 1, p. 828

⁵ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Shreve, Edith Daisy Jenkins" in *The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 1, p. 828

⁶ Robert E. Jenkins, Jenkins Family Book (pub. 1904), pp. 50, 64, 210-212

The known child of [#171227G] William H. and Elizabeth E. (Rambo) Ritzie [daughter of Thomas J., Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171227G1. **EVELYN RITZIE** married HERBERT L. **CLARK** and had one known child:¹

171227G11. CYNTHIA CLARK, m. Kenneth R. Quackenbush

The children of [#171227H] Howard E. and Laura M. (Hoffmaster) Rambo [son of Thomas J., Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Bruce H. and Myrtle.

171227H1. **BRUCE H. RAMBO** was born 3 Oct 1914 in Bayone, New Jersey, played in the high school band, and served in the U.S. Army in World War II. He fought in the Rail Splitter Division in the Battle of the Bulge. Bruce married MARGARET **NOWOTARSKI** on 9 Aug 1944 in St. Peters Roman Catholic Church in Reading, Pennsylvania. Margaret was a daughter of John and Anna (Brophy) Nowotarski. Margaret had worked at Vanterial Corp. making bomb parachutes. Bruce owned a delivery business for baked goods and packaged candy. He died of cardiac arrest on 7 Jan 1984 in West Lawn, Pennsylvania and is buried in Charles Evans Cemetery in Reading. Margaret died 7 Aug 2004. They had one known child:²

The children of [#1712282] Henry and Caroline (Bowman) Rambo [son of Joseph, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Marie, Elizabeth, and Anne.

17122822. **ELIZABETH RAMBO** was born 18 Feb 1875 and married ALONZO **GILMORE**, son of David and Sara (Doyle) Gilmore. Elizabeth died 19 Sep 1910 in Reading and was buried there in Charles Evans Cemetery. Alonzo was a shop foreman for the Pennsylvania and Reading Railroad. He is buried in Forest Green Cemetery in Reading. They had one known child:³

171228221. RAYMOND GILMORE, b. 11 Apr 1899, m. Mary Alice Wadsworth

17122823. **ANNE RAMBO** was born 1 Jan 1878 in Reading, Pennsylvania and married HOWARD **GROVE** on 11 Feb 1896 in the city of Reading. He was a boilermaker, aged 22, son of George and Kate Grove. They divorced 29 Aug 1905, and she married 39-year-old CHAS. H. **EUDY** second, on 7 Apr 1906. He was born in Reading, a son of George and Rosa Eudy, and was also previously married and divorced.(City of Reading marriage records) Anne died in Reading on 25 Jul 1958 and is buried there at

¹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

² Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

³ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

Aulenbach's Cemetery. They had one known child:¹ 171228231. ROBERT C. GROVE, b. 1896, d. 1964, m. Clara M. (?)

The children of [#1712286] W. Scott and Mary Catherine (Rambo) Dickinson [daughter of Joseph, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Joseph Rambo, Nelson Harry, and William S.

17122861. **JOSEPH RAMBO DICKINSON** was born 31 Jul 1872 in Reading, Pennsylvania and married EVA M. **MOYER** on 8 Apr 1900. She was a daughter of Charles Moyer of Reading. Joseph entered the district attorney's office directly out of high school, read law, and was admitted to the bar in 1899. He was a Mason, a member of the Elks and of the Eagles, and belonged to the Trinity Lutheran Church. Joseph and Eva had two children:²

171228611. ANNA DICKINSON 171228612. JOSEPH R. DICKINSON

The children of [#17122B1] Isaiah and S. Jennie Jane (Beyler) Rambo [son of Isaiah, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Esther, Helen May, Warren, Martha S., and Mary Jane.

17122B11. **ESTHER RAMBO** was born in Jul 1894 in Reading, Pennsylvania. She married a photographer, 27-year-old RALPH **HOUCK**, on 20 Dec 1917 in Reading. He was born in Boyertown, Pennsylvania, son of Wilson G. and Norma (Pennypacker) Houck.(City of Reading Marriage Records)

17122B13. **WARREN (Ike) RAMBO** was born Nov 1897 and married HELEN KATHRYN **KOCHARD** on 30 Dec 1924 at the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Wyomissing, Pennsylvania. He was 27, and she was 30, a daughter of George and Elizabeth Kochard. In the 1956 Reading city directory, Warren was listed as a sign painter, but he also drew and painted on trucks and buildings.³

17122B14. **MARTHA S. RAMBO** was a twin born Jul 1899 and to married JOSEPH **SAYLOR** on 23 Feb 1923 in Reading, Pennsylvania. He was an assistant manager, aged 25, a son of Joseph and Kate (Taylor) Saylor.⁴

17122B15. MARY JANE RAMBO was a twin born 26 Jul 1899. She taught school

¹ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

² Morton L. Montgomery, Historical and Biographical History of Berks County, Pennsylvania (1909), p. 517

³ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

⁴ Glenn Rambo and Nancy Rambo, family records and research, http://www.rootsweb.com/~paberks/familyfolder/rambo.html

and died 20 Apr 1987.

The children of [#1712321] Benjamin F. and Sarah Sylvanus (Rambo) Maxwell [daughter of William, Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were William R., Linnetta S., Naomi R., and Percy Francis.

17123213. NAOMI R. MAXWELL was born 11 Jun 1867 and married GEORGE W. SEE on 23 Mar 1887. He was a Methodist farmer born 7 Mar 1853, a son of Henry Hart and Sarah Jane (Sharp) See. They had one known child:¹

171232131. LINNETTE SEE, b. 9 Jul 1888

17123214. **PERCY FRANCIS MAXWELL** was born 31 Dec 1872 in Dublin, Indiana. He married IDA HELEN **CRIM** on 14 Oct 1896. She was born 24 Jan 1874 and died 7 Oct 1942. Percy died 7 Nov 1951. They adopted Doris Evon Young in 1938 when she was six years old - after their daughter, her mother, died. See the transcribed biography for Helen Rollins Maxwell [#171232141].²

171232141. HELEN ROLLINS MAXWELL, b. 6 Jun 1909, m. James F. Young

The children of [#1712324] Edward Burroughs and Mary Amelia (Taylor) Rambo [son of William, Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17123241. ALICE MIRIAM RAMBO was born in Chicago, Illinois on 1 Apr 1871 and married ANDREW G. GRIFFIN on 25 Mar 1899.³ He was born 25 Nov 1869 in Stockton, Missouri, son of Willard Griffin. They made their home in San Francisco and had two children:

171232411. EVERETT GRIFFIN, b. 17 Sep 1900

171232412. MIRIAM GRIFFIN, b. 24 Jan 1906

17123242. MARTHA FAY RAMBO was born 15 Mar 1875 and married GUSTAVUS R. A. BROWN.⁴

17123243. WILLIAM TAYLOR RAMBO was born 6 May 1876 in Chicago and married MARIETTA HALL.⁵

The children of [#1712327] Francis Howgill and Dora (Butler) Rambo [son of William,

¹ Samuel Lamborn, comp., *Genealogy of the Lamborn Family* (pub. 1894), pp. 401, 416

² Tama News Herald, et. al., comps., History of Tama County, Iowa (1987), family #F1028, p. 792

³ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Griffin, Alice Miriam Rambo" in *The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 3, p. 215

⁴ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Griffin, Alice Miriam Rambo" in *The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 3, p. 215

⁵ Frederick Adams Virkus, "Griffin, Alice Miriam Rambo" in *The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 3, p. 215

17123271. WILLIAM EDWARD RAMBO was born 26 Sep 1887.

17123272. **FRANCIS** <u>**RALPH</u></u> RAMBO** was born 16 May 1894 in San Jose, California.¹ He was the art director of a label company where he designed labels for cans and packaged goods for 50 years. Ralph Rambo retired in 1962 and, at the age of 70, embarked on a second career of writing nostalgic histories of the Santa Clara Valley. His books are unique, as they are liberally illustrated with pen and ink drawings, and the entire text is meticulously lettered by hand, not typed. His 11 books include "Looking Backward, 1900", "Me and Cy", "Remember When", and "Pen and Inklings", a book chosen in 1985 as a premium for membership in the San Jose Historical Museum Assoc. He also drew an illustrated map of California which was presented to President Ford in 1976. He was honored with a Commendation from the City of San Jose on his 91st birthday for his efforts to preserve the history of the area. He died in 1990 and a tribute appeared in the periodical *Trailblazer*. In 1915, Ralph Rambo married KATHERINE EDNA **COKER**. They lived in San Jose, California and had two sons.</u>

The children of [#1712351] Josiah B. and Elizabeth Chaffin (Shearon) Gilbert [daughter of Rachel Lunetta (Rambo) Shearon, Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17123511. WARNER M. GILBERT was born 20 Jan 1870 and married BLANCH BENNETT on 16 Sep 1890. She was a daughter of Wm. F. Bennett. They divorced in 1892, and Warner then married LAURA MILLER on 15 Jun 1893. They divorced in 1905, and Warner married DAISY HESS third, on 30 Oct 1915. Daisy was born 23 Oct 1886, a daughter of Leonard and Lola (Lamberson) Hess. Daisy died 13 Jan 1935 and is buried at Bentonville. Warner and Laura had three children:²

171235111. EARL GILBERT, b. 21 Jul 1894, d. 16 Nov 1949, m. Ethel (?) 171235112. JOSHUA GILBERT, b. 1894, d. 1953, m. Grace (?) 1901-19xx 171235113. OLLIE GILBERT, b. 1898, d. 1942

17123512. HARRY W. GILBERT was born 26 Feb 1872 and married INDIANA GAAR on 3 Jan 1895. She was born 29 Apr 1872, a daughter of Fielding Gaar. Indiana died 21 Feb 1952. They had these children:³

171235121. ELIZABETH GILBERT, b. 1896, d. 1912

171235122. RUTH ANN GILBERT, b. 23 Sep 1917, d. 17 May 1927

¹*Mercury Newspaper*, San Jose, CA, 12 Jul 1985.

² Beverly Yount, *Tombstone Inscriptions, Wayne County, Indiana* (Fort Wayne), vol. 1, p. 91

³ Beverly Yount, Tombstone Inscriptions, Wayne County, Indiana (Fort Wayne), vol. 1, p. 91

The child of [#1712362] William Rambo and Rebecca (King) Shearon [son of Sarah, Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17123621. **ELIZABETH RAMBO SHEARON** was born in Richmond, Indiana in 1880, and in 1905 she married LEE STEELE **WALTERS**. He was born in 1880 and died in 1914. Elizabeth joined the Daughters of the American Colonists.¹ They lived in Elk Point, South Dakota and had one known child:

171236211. MARJORIE ELIZABETH WALTERS

The child of [#1712363] George and Mary (Shearon) Murphy [daughter of Sarah Jane (Rambo) Shearon, Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17123631. **SARA ELIZABETH MURPHY** was born in Sioux City, Iowa, married GEORGE HORACE **BLIVEN**, joined the D.A.R., and her lineage appears as #60925 in *Lineage Book* vol. 61:310.

The children of [#1712412] Oliver Cromwell and Margaret (Rankin) Young [daughter of Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were George, Ivester, Rankin, John Pennypacker, Addison Vanderslight, Annie, Margaret, Sophie Uber, Clyde E., Henry O., and Eliza. See *Peter Rankin's Descendants* by Paul Rankin.²

17124121. **GEORGE YOUNG** was born in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania on 3 Aug 1848. He went to Michigan in 1857 with his parents, and on 9 Apr 1871 he married ALIDA **SPRING**. She was born 29 Jun 1853, the daughter of Aldis and Eliza (West) Spring. George farmed and taught school until his death 26 Apr 1880 from blood poisoning. Mrs. Alida Young died 1 Mar 1939. They had four children:

171241211. GEORGE YOUNG, b. 1872, d. 1900, m. Romanda Backus

171241212. GRACE YOUNG, b. & d. 1873

171241213. RALPH YOUNG, b. & d. 1874

171241214. RAY YOUNG, b. 1878, d. ca 1899 at age 21

17124122. **IVESTER YOUNG** was born 8 Mar 1850 in Pennsylvania. Ivester was his Grandmother Young's maiden name. He moved to Rives Township, Jackson Co., Michigan in 1857, and on 25 Nov 1875 he married CHARLOTTE **ST. JOHN**. She was born 24 Dec 1853, the daughter of Benedict and Mary (Gates) St. John. Ives Young was a teacher and a registered Republican, operated his own farm, and belonged to the Congregational Church. He died 17 Apr 1923 from cancer, and Mrs. Young died 9 Jun

¹ Alice C. Hendricks, comp., *Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists: Vol. 7, 1946*, p. 243

² Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

1926. The Youngs had four children:

171241221. FRED L. YOUNG, b. 1877, d. 1918, m. Ilah Young [#171241252]
171241222. CARRIE M. YOUNG, b. 1884, m. E. Roy Heath
171241223. ALICE A. YOUNG, b. 1888, m. George Frushard
171241224. FLOYD YOUNG, b. 1889, d. 1955, m. Mildred Malott

17124123. **RANKIN YOUNG** was born 11 Mar 1852 in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania, and went to Michigan with his parents in 1857. On 11 Mar 1876 he married MINNIE L. **AUSTIN** who was born 15 Sep 1858, the daughter of Frank and Mary (Keech) **BURR**. Her parents died when she was very young, and she was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. William Austin. Rankin Young was a successful farmer in Jackson Co., Michigan and taught for several years. He was a member of the United Brethren Church, and was a Republican. He died 10 May 1915 from pneumonia, and Mrs. Minnie Young died 9 Oct 1929. They had ten children:

171241231. AUSTIN F. YOUNG, b. 1877, m. 1) Lela Babcock, 2) Hazel Lang

171241232. MABEL O. YOUNG, b. 1879, m. Dan Miner

171241233. MARY E. YOUNG, b. and d. 1881

171241234. BELLE I. YOUNG, b. 1883, d. 1953, m. Ben Lumbard

171241235. AGNES A. YOUNG, b. 1884, m. 1) Ashley Rice, 2) A. T. Ingalls

171241236. MARGARET YOUNG, b. 1886, m. Lloyd Blackmore

171241237. OLIVER C. YOUNG, b. 1892, d. 1918, m. Lucile Clark

171241238. PAUL R. YOUNG, b. 1893, m. Florence Fisher

171241239. MADELINE H. YOUNG, b. 1895, m. Linn J. Boyd

17124123A. GEORGE I. YOUNG, b. 1900, m. 1) Loraine Scofield, 2) Mabel (?)

17124124. **JOHN PENNYPACKER YOUNG** was born in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania on 7 May 1854. He grew up on a farm in Jackson Co., Michigan and married JULIA **NICHOLS** who died in childbirth. On 18 Nov 1877 he married ALICE F. **FREEMAN** who was born 6 Apr 1859, the daughter of Dorr and Elizabeth (Peacock) Freeman. John farmed from 1878 to 1889, then moved to Leslie, Michigan where he worked as a carpenter. They attended the Baptist church. John Young died of heart trouble on 6 Dec 1912, and Mrs. Alice Young died 20 May 1933. They had five children:

171241241. CLAUDE D. YOUNG, b. 1878, d. 1944, m. Matilda Christie

171241242. OLIVE C. YOUNG, b. 1881, m. William Clements

171241243. BESSIE L. YOUNG, b. 1885, d. 1887

171241244. WINNIE G. YOUNG, b. 1888

171241245. RALPH A. YOUNG, b. 1893, d. 1960, m. Jennie Boucher

17124125. **ADDISON VANDERSLIGHT YOUNG** was born 19 Nov 1856 in PA. He was raised on the family farm in Rives Township, Jackson Co., MI. On 22 Oct 1878 he married VIOLA L. **BABCOCK** who was born 22 Oct 1861, the daughter of William and Eunice (Backus) Babcock. "Ad" Young belonged to the Episcopal Church and was a

farmer, but served as justice of the peace, deputy sheriff, and member of the town board. He died 2 Sep 1922, and Viola Young died 11 Feb 1931. They had five children:

171241251. EDNA YOUNG, b. 1881, m. John Westren

171241252. ILAH YOUNG, b. 1885, m. 1) F. O'Bryan, 2) F. Young, 3) A. Hartzell

171241253. ANNA L. YOUNG, b. 1892, d. 1920, m. George Wood

171241254. THELMA YOUNG, b. & d. 1899

171241255. ADDISIEN V. YOUNG (f), b. 1901, m. Orlo Russ

17124126. **ANNIE YOUNG** was born 23 Oct 1858 in Jackson Co., Michigan, and on her 20th birthday in 1878 she married SUMNER <u>EDWIN</u> **ST. JOHN**. He was born 23 Jun 1855, the son of Benedict and Mary (Gates) St. John and brother of Charlotte St. John who married Ives Young. Edwin St. John was a farmer and teacher for many years. He was president of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co. of Jackson, a Congregationalist, master of the Grange, and a Republican. Mrs. Annie St. John died 19 Mar 1918 of diabetes and heart trouble, and Edwin died 22 Dec 1924. They had two children:

171241261. LEWIS ST. JOHN, b. 1880, d. 1946, m. Margie Rosenberger

171241262. WARD B. ST. JOHN, b. 1883, d. 1961, m. Louise Sweet

17124127. **MARGARET YOUNG** was born 20 Mar 1862 in Jackson Co., MI, and on 4 Jul 1882 she married GEORGE **STYLES**. He was born 9 Nov 1852, the son of Richard and Margaret (Shaw) Styles. Margaret died of cancer on 20 Mar 1923, and George died 14 Apr 1927. They had no children but raised several and adopted one - Nettie Young.

17124128. **SOPHIE UBER YOUNG** was born 7 Aug 1863 in Michigan, and on 6 Oct 1885 she married WALTER DORR **FREEMAN**. He was born 14 Feb 1866, the son of Dorr and Elizabeth (Peacock) Freeman. Sophie was a member of the Methodist Church and died 1 Apr 1909 of tuberculosis. Walter Freeman was a carpenter and died 20 May 1917. They lived in Rives Twp. and had five children, three of whom died in infancy:

171241281. VELLA FREEMAN, b. 1887, m. 1) Earnest Dowker, 2) L. Sargent 171241282. DORR FREEMAN, b. 1891, m. Marjorie Mann

17124129. **CLYDE E. YOUNG** was born 21 Feb 1866 and married ANGELINE SMITH **WOOD** on 27 Feb 1890. She was born 23 Apr 1868, a daughter of Thomas and Mary (Wood) Smith. Clyde Young was a farmer and a member of the Methodist Church where he served as superintendent of the Sunday School for 25 years. He died of cancer on 29 Sep 1931, and Mrs. Angie Young died 27 Sep 1957. They had two children:

171241291. H. K. YOUNG, b. 1892, m. 1) Nellie Rumsey, 2) Josephine Finch 171241292. LYNN E. YOUNG, b. 1894, m. Grace Clark

1712412A. **HENRY O. YOUNG** was born 14 May 1869 in Rives Township, Jackson Co., Michigan and married GRACE **TRUE** on 13 Apr 1893. She was born 16 Dec 1868, the daughter of John and Cornelia True. She died 27 Jan 1927. They had no children but

adopted Maude M. Case. Henry Young married EVA **BERRY** second. She was born 12 Feb 1903, the daughter of Newman and Mary Berry. They had one child who died at birth. Henry Young was a farmer, a Mason, and a Republican, and belonged to the Baptist Church. He died 15 Apr 1934 of cancer and heart trouble.

The children of [#1712416] William M. and Ellen (Strieby) Rankin, his second wife [son of Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Peter Rankin's Descendants* by Paul Rankin.¹

17124162. **EVA RANKIN** was born in 1862 and married HEMAN A. **EVANS**, the son of Charles and Mahala (Freeman) Evans. They later were divorced. Mrs. Eva Evans moved to California in 1903 and lived in Long Beach where she died 24 Jan 1928. Heman and Eva Evans had two daughters:

171241621. MAMIE EVANS, b. 1885, d. 1928, m. John Rose

171241622. LULU L. EVANS, b. 1887, m. 1) A. Mangus, 2) H. Palmer, 3) C. Rose

17124163. **WILLIAM PETER RANKIN** was born 1 Oct 1863 in Rives Township, Jackson Co., Michigan. He received his A.B. and M.A. degrees from Olivet College, and attended graduate school at Johns Hopkins University. He was a teacher at Polytechnic High School in Long Beach, California from 1918 to 1937. He was single and died 14 Jan 1937 with burial in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale, California.

The children of [#1712418] Henry Clay and Lottie (Graham) Rankin [son of Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Peter Rankin's Descendants* by Paul Rankin.²

17124181. **VERA RANKIN** was born 27 Jun 1880 in Jackson Co., Michgan. She attended Michigan State Normal School at Ypsilanti and majored in Latin, Greek, and German. She also studied at the U. of Michigan and taught for one year. She married Dr. FRANK A. **GRAWN** about 1899. He was born 16 Jun 1870, the son of August and Amanda (Eastwood) Grawn. He graduated from Rush Medical College and was a Major in the U. S. Medical Corps. Mrs. Vera Grawn was church secretary at Pilgrim Congregational Church, Duluth, Minnesota from 1921 to 1931, and was active in community affairs. They had two children:

171241811. VERA GRAWN, b. 1900, d. 1901 171241812. CHARLOTTE GRAWN, b. 1908

17124182. ESTABROOK RANKIN was born 2 Nov 1887. She was named after her

¹ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

² Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

father's friend, Prof. Estabrook.

17124183. **PAUL TORY RANKIN** was born 2 Feb 1897, and attended Michigan State Normal College, receiving his A.B. degree in 1915. During WWI, he served in the U.S. Medical Corps and was stationed in Washington. After the war, he earned his M.A. (1921) and Ph.D. (1926) from the U. of Michigan. Dr. Paul Rankin taught in several schools in Michigan and Illinois before joining the Detroit school system in 1921. He became Asst. Superintendent of Schools in Detroit in 1943 and taught several summer sessions at Wayne University, U. of Minnesota, Syracuse University, and the U. of Michigan. On 1 Jan 1924 he married DOROTHEA CALLBACK who was born 26 Apr 1898, the daughter of William and Margaret (McLachlan) Callback. The family were members of the Congregational church. Paul Rankin's hobbies included genealogy, fishing, and stamp collecting. He wrote the family history entitled *Peter Rankin's Descendants*. Dr. Rankin died on 14 Sep 1969. The Rankins lived in Detroit, MI and had three children.

The children of [#1712419] E. J. Guy and Eliza Jane (Rankin) Lyman [daughter of Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Cecile Belle, Rankin Guy, Anna, Edwin D., Roy, Grace, Nina, and Harry. See *Peter Rankin's Descendants* by Paul Rankin.¹

17124191. **CECILE BELLE LYMAN** was born 1 Aug 1870 in Jackson Co., Michigan. She began teaching in Rives Township at the age of 17, and later attended Allegan Co. Normal School. She taught until her marriage on 1 Jan 1895 to LAUREN **PAQUIN**. He was born 5 Apr 1870, the son of John and Emily (Capell) Paquin. The Lauren Paquins moved from their farm in Michigan to Park Falls, Wisconsin about 1900. Mr. Paquin engaged in real estate business and lumbering while Mrs. Cecile Paquin helped start a library in Park Falls. In 1913 the family moved back to Michigan where they grew fruit. Mr. Paquin died 9 Oct 1954, and his widow died 21 Jun 1959. They lived in South Haven, Michigan and had three children:

171241911. ALICE MARGUERITE PAQUIN, b. 1896, d. 1897

171241912. GUY PAQUIN, b. 1899, d. 1980, m. Margueritte Norcross

171241913. EUGENE L. PAQUIN, b. 1902, d. 1979, m. Alice Fitts

17124192. **RANKIN GUY LYMAN** was born 12 Sep 1872 in Jackson Co., Michigan where he attended school. In 1889, he helped move the family to their new home in Allegan Co. He worked for florists in Kalamazoo and later in Lansing. On 25 Mar 1896 he married MAUDE **HAMMOND** from South Lyons. In 1898, Rankin and Maude Lyman moved to Cleveland, Ohio where he worked for the Lenox Chemical Co., which

¹ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

merged with the Ohio Chemical Works. He retired in 1941 and operated a tourist home in Cleveland. He was a Mason and died 8 Jan 1956. They had two children:¹

171241921. HARRY H. LYMAN, b. 1898, m. Pauline Mayfarth

171241922. BESSIE L. LYMAN, b. 1913, d. 1940, m. Richard Mericle

17124193. **ANNA LYMAN** was born 22 Feb 1875 in Jackson Co., Michigan. On Oct 10 1894 she married GEORGE E. **BREIDENSTEIN** of Allegan Co. He was born 9 May 1870, the son of old family friends, Rev. William and Harriet (Bly) Breidenstein. They lived on a farm in Casco Township, Allegan Co., Michigan where they raised fruit. Mrs. Anna Breidenstein was a member of the Evangelical United Brethren and was active in the Rebekah Lodge. Her husband died in 1940, and she died of diabetes in 2 Aug 1957. They lived in South Haven, Michigan and had five children:

171241931. EVA BREIDENSTEIN, b. 1895, d. 1971, m. Percy Hodgman
171241932. ZELLA L. BREIDENSTEIN, b. 1899, m. Clinton Ridley
171241933. J. NELSON BREIDENSTEIN, b. 1903, m. Nellie Eshleman
171241934. CECILE B. BREIDENSTEIN, b. 1907, m. George Bachman
171241935. EDNA I. BREIDENSTEIN, b. 1909, d. 1951, m. Walter Diefenbach

17124194. **EDWIN D. LYMAN** was born 25 Feb 1877 in Jackson Co., Michigan and helped his brother Rankin drive a horse and buggy to Allegan Co in 1889. He taught school for several years and in 1900 went to Park Falls, Wisconsin with his brother Roy to engage in lumbering. In 1912 he returned to Michigan, and in 1913 when his brother Roy returned, they formed a partnership to buy land for raising fruit. He was a Supervisor of the township for a number of years, a member of the Michigan State Apple Commission, director of the Citizen State Bank of South Haven, and president of the Mutual Telephone Co. He was a member of the Masonic order and the Oddfellows. On 26 Jun 1902 he married MAY **McNUTT** in Casco Township, Allegan Co. She was born 3 Jun 1879, the daughter of Alexander and Alice (Beckwith) McNutt. Mrs. May Lyman died 13 Sep 1949, and Ed Lyman married Mrs. MABEL **GALBREATH** on 28 Nov 1951. He died in 1965. Ed and May (McNutt) Lyman had three children including these:

171241941. CORLAN LYMAN, b. 1903, d. 11 Mar 1985, m. Lloyd Spencer 171241942. E. GUY LYMAN, b. 1906, d. 1964, m. Grace Barden

17124195. **ROY LYMAN** was born 16 Feb 1879 and attended schools in Jackson and Allegan counties, Michigan. He joined his brother Ed in lumbering and land development in Park Falls, Wisconsin and as a partner in fruit growing in Allegan Co. On 24 Sep 1902 he married ETTA **GARRIS**, a niece of Rev. Breidenstein. She was born 20 Jan 1884, the daughter of Milo and Jennie (Hershey) Garris. Roy was a member of the Evangelical United Brethren Church and of the Oddfellows. Mrs. Lyman died 1

¹ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

Oct 1960, and Roy died of a heart attack just 3 months later on 1 Jan 1961. They lived in South Haven with their five children:

- 171241951. RANKIN G. LYMAN, b. 1903, m. Ruth Sherman
- 171241952. MARION D. LYMAN, b. 1906, d. 1907
- 171241953. JEAN E. LYMAN, b. 1908, d. 1980, m. Stanley Sommers
- 171241954. ROGER M. LYMAN, b. 1910, m. 1) Berniece Borland, 2) P. Bailey

17124196. **GRACE LYMAN** was born 24 Oct 1881 in Jackson Co., Michigan, and attended school there and in Allegan Co. On 4 Feb 1899 she married CHARLES E. **RICE** who was born 15 Feb 1877, the son of Charles and Eliza (Woodsum) Rice. They belonged to the Methodist Church, the Grange, and the Progress Club. Except for 7 years spent in Hinsdale, IL, the family lived in South Haven, MI. They had eight children including these:

171241961. ALICE M. RICE, b. 1900, d. 1985, m. Grant Gabriel

171241962. ASHLEY L. RICE, b. 1904, m. 1) E. Stipes, 2) A. Eckles, 3) T. Little

17124197. **NINA LYMAN** was born 18 May 1884 in Jackson Co., Michigan and married WILLIAM R. **IREY** on 4 Feb 1904. He was born 18 Dec 1881, the son of Frank and Janet (Kipp) Irey of Hartford, Michigan. They operated a fruit farm in Casco Township, Allegan Co. Mrs. Nina Irey was a member of the Evangelical United Brethren Church and the Rebekahs. She spent several winters in Braden Castle, Florida with her sister Mrs. Anna Breidenstein. Mr. Irey died 3 Jan 1939, and Mrs. Nina Irey died in 1976. They had four children:

171241971. LYMAN IREY, b. 1906, d. 1984, m. Mrs. Frances Ely Till

171241972. HALSON C. IREY, b. 1908, d. 1980, m. Jean Ryno

171241973. CORLAN M. IREY (f), b. 1917, d. 1981, m. George Van De Wiele

The child of [#1714365] George Henry and Anna Barbary (Lebold) DeHaven [son of Mordecai, Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17143651. **GEORGE CLARKE LEBOLD DEHAVEN** was born 7 Jun 1889 and married CARRIE B. **HEFFELFINGER** on 6 Dec 1910. She was born 26 Aug 1888, a daughter of Milton and Sabilla (Freas) Heffelfinger. George and Carrie lived in Schnecksville, Pennsylvania and are buried in Slatedale Cemetery, Lehigh, PA. Carrie died 25 Jul 1963; George died on 22 Dec 1966. They had two children including:¹

171436512. HAZEL MAE DeHAVEN, b. 1914, d. 1918 of influenza

The children of [#1714372] Septimus and Rebecca Ann (DeHaven) Wood [daughter of

¹ Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, p. 166

Nathan, Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were William Michael, Susan DeHaven, Clarence Emery, Elwood Corson, Septimus Elmer, Henry Painter, Nathan DeHaven, Margaret B., John Rambo, Elsie, and Nadine Rebecca.

17143729. **JOHN RAMBO WOOD** was born 13 May 1890 in Swedeland, Pennsylvania and married EMMA ELIZABETH **KEEBLER** in 1917. She was born in Philadelphia on 28 Dec 1896 and died 19 May 1979. John Rambo Wood died 22 Feb 1968. They had four known children.¹

The children of [#17143A2] George Ephraim Cleaver and Lucy Ann (Jones)(Race) Bennett [son of Abigail (DeHaven) Cleaver, Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were William, Robert Fremont, Sarah Ann, George Ephraim, Mary Jane, Amelia, Annie, Katie, James, and Nina K. See *Ancestors and Descendants of Lucy Ann and George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett* by Nina K. Bennett Wilkerson, Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine and Heloise Wilkerson Ridgway.

17143A22. **ROBERT FREMONT BENNETT** was born 16 May 1877 in Dallas Co., Texas and married DORA ROY **FARRIS**. He died on 22 Apr 1904 in Kiowa, Indian Territory. They had one child:²

17143A221. ROBERT FREMONT BENNETT Jr., b. 1903

17143A23. SARAH ANN BENNETT was born 8 Jan 1879 in Dallas Co., Texas and died 30 Mar 1958 in Madill, OK. She married JOHN JORDON and had two children:³

17143A231. LUCY JORDON

17143A232. MARTHA JORDON

Sarah Ann married WILLIAM WEST second and had these four children:

17143A233. LEONARD WEST

- 17143A234. BERTHA WEST
- 17143A235. LEONDAS WEST
- 17143A236. LEANDER WEST

She married WADE EUBANKS third and had these three children:

17143A237. WINSTON EUBANKS

- 17143A238. LOLA EUBANKS
- 17143A239. AGNES EUBANKS

17143A24. GEORGE EPHRAIM BENNETT was born 22 Aug 1881 in Dallas Co., Texas and died 20 Oct 1956 in Ada, Oklahoma. He married IVY SMART and had

¹ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

² Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

³ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

seven children:¹

17143A241. Unnamed BENNETT, died in infancy

17143A242. GEORGE ORVILLE BENNETT

17143A243. BEUNA BENNETT

17143A244. AVIS BENNETT

17143A245. RUBY BENNETT

17143A246. C. OREL BENNETT

17143A247. OLLIE BENNETT

17143A25. MARY JANE BENNETT was born 18 May 1883 in Dallas Co., Texas and died on 14 Apr 1904 in Kiowa, Indian Territory. She married JOSEPH EDD BROWN on 5 Sep 1900 and had these two children:²

17143A251. BURT BROWN

17143A252. BEN BROWN

17143A26. **AMELIA BENNETT** was born 18 Feb 1885 in Kiowa, Indian Territory and died 27 Apr 1966 in Irving, Texas. She married NOAH **THOMASON** in 1900 and had these three children:³

17143A261. Daughter THOMASON, died in infancy

17143A262. Daughter THOMASON, died in infancy

17143A263. OSCAR THOMASON

Amelia married MARION M. **DEWBRE** second, in 1911, and had another child: 17143A264. CLEAVE DEWBREE

17143A27. **ANNIE BENNETT** was born 8 Feb 1887 in Kiowa, Indian Territory, died 27 Apr 1924, and is buried in Wapanucka, Oklahoma. She married JOEL DELBERT **TERRY** in 1904 and had eleven children including these:⁴

17143A271. BACIL TERRY

17143A272. MARVIN TERRY

17143A273. MARIE TERRY

17143A28. **KATIE BENNETT** was born 29 Sep 1889 in Kiowa, Indian Territory and died 10 Sep 1967 in Hemet, California. She married DAVID E. **THOMASON** at Pittsburg, Oklahoma and had twelve children including these:⁵

17143A281. VIRGINIA THOMASON

17143A282. Miss FRANKIE THOMASON

17143A283. WILLIAM THOMASON

17143A284. CECIL THOMASON

¹ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

² Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

³ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

⁴ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

⁵ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

17143A285. EARNEST THOMASON 17143A286. ADEAN THOMASON 17143A287. SYBLE THOMASON 17143A288. WANDA THOMASON 17143A289. U. V. THOMASON 17143A28A. DOIL THOMASON

17143A29. **JAMES (Jim) BENNETT** was born 18 Jun 1893 in Kiowa, Indian Territory. He was issued a Common School Diploma on 1 Jun 1917 and enlisted for World War I on 5 Jun. He went overseas with Co. C, 112th Infantry, American Expeditionary Forces, France. He married MARY ETTA **WAGGONER**. She was born on 30 Aug 1899 at Whitesboro, Texas, a daughter of William Henry and Dora Lee (Pierce) Waggoner. Jim had dark hair and eyes and medium dark complexion. He was 5' 9" tall, slender and wiry but strong from years of farm work. He worked in the oil fields throughout the Southwest at all kinds of jobs. For many years he was an expert driller, supervising a drilling crew for the Olsen Drilling Co. He also farmed and would put in a crop but leave hoeing and plowing to hired hands while he worked elsewhere for cash wages. He died 21 Dec 1945 in Sherman, Texas of blood poisoning from a rivet in his thumb and is buried at Madill, Oklahoma, a WWI veteran. They had two children:¹

17143A2A. **NINA KEORTINKA BENNETT** was born 14 Mar 1896 in Kiowa, Indian Territory and, at age 16, married OLIVER OLEN **WILKERSON** on 15 Sep 1912 in Madill, Oklahoma. He was a farmer, cabinet maker, and oilfield worker. She moved to Ardmore and divorced him on 27 Oct 1928 and had two other brief marriages. By age 32 she was a widow with six children. She was industrious, strong willed, and very intelligent, so became a business woman who had rentals and a restaurant and the Friendship Inn Gift Shop. She worked until age 75. She began to paint then and drove her car until age 87. She lived in her own house or apartment, was alert, had her sight, and was able to walk until the very end of her days at age 89. She died of congestive heart failure on 13 Sep 1985 at Grapevine, Texas and is buried at Oakland Cemetery, Madill. She wrote the story of her life, "Oklahoma Girl," after age 50 and said, "I always believed in God Almighty and that there was a brighter day ahead." Nina and Oliver had these six children born near Madill:²

17143A2A1. LOVURTA B. WILKERSON, b. 28 Aug 1913, m. J. Hulen Gurley

17143A2A3. WILLIAM WILKERSON, b. 21 Dec 1917, m. 1) Wright, 2) Collins

17143A2A5. CLARENCE K. WILKERSON, b. 5 May 1922, m. 1) Williams, 2) ...

17143A2A6. VIRGLE ARCHIE WILKERSON, b. 16 Jan 1924, m. Vivian Harding

The children of [#17143A4] Fremont John and Margaret (Mueller) Cleaver [son of

¹ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

² Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

Abigail (DeHaven) Cleaver, Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Annie Marie, Joseph, John, Charles, Fremont John, Agnes, Margaret, James, Sadie, and Frank. See *Ancestors and Descendants of Lucy Ann and George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett* by Nina K. Bennett Wilkerson, Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, and Heloise Wilkerson Ridgway.

17143A45. **FREMONT JOHN CLEAVER** Jr. was born 1888 and married BARBARA HORTON **PARKER**. She was born 8 Mar 1889. He was a successful building contractor, very personable and outgoing. Barbara died 15 Jan 1974 and is buried at Mt. Carmel Cemetery in North Hills, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Fremont John married second, E. ELIZABETH **MUELLER**. She was born in 1903. He died in 1975, Elizabeth died in 1980, and they are buried alongside his mother in Southside Cemetery on Brownsville Road in Pittsburgh. Fremont and Barbara had nine children born in Pittsburgh including this one:¹

17143A451. FLORA BARBARA CLEAVER, b. 11 Nov 1911, m. Louis E. Wenk Fremont and Elizabeth had five children.

The child of [#1714515] Anna M. Rambo [daughter of Theodore B., Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145151. **HARVEY L. REES** was a railroad conductor and a farmer born 16 Feb 1878 in Chester County, Pennsylvania. His death certificate gives his parents as Annie Rambo and Benjamin Griffith. He used the name Harvey Rambo until shortly before his uncle Samuel Rees died at which time he started going by the name Harvey Rees. He married MARY FRANCES **DALEY** who was born on 21 Jun 1878 in New York City. Harvey died of typhoid fever at age 38 on 6 Sep 1916 in the Coatesville Hospital in Chester Co., Pennsylvania and was buried in Brandywine Baptist Church Cemetery. Mary Frances died of congestive heart failure on 24 Aug 1952 at age 74 in the Coatesville Hospital. They had the following children:²

171451512. MYRTLE MARGARITE RAMBO, b. 1903, d. 1990

171451513. SAMUEL JOSEPH RAMBO, b. 1905

171451514. FRANCIS JAMES (Frank) RAMBO, b. 1907, d. 1968

171451511. LLOYD ANTHONY RAMBO, b. 1915, d. 1961

The children of [#1714521] Theodore and Jennie (Pierce) Rambo [son of George, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145211. MARY RAMBO was born 3 Jul 1882 and married EDWARD BARNETT

¹ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letter of 23 Sep 1999

² Sue Ellen Keenan, Hatfield, PA 19440, family research, GenForum posting, e-mail of 11 Jan 2002 citing death certificate

on 12 Sep 1906 at Camden, New Jersey.¹ They lived in Concordville, Pennsylvania and had one known child.

17145212. HARRY C. RAMBO was born 3 Mar 1885, and on 1 Jul 1908 he married ELLA BACON at Camden, New Jersey.² They lived in Folcroft, Pennsylvania in 1934.

The children of [#1714522] Oliver M. and Kate (Rambo) Emery [daughter of George, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145221. **GEORGE C. EMERY** was born 3 Jun 1883 at East Pikeland, Pennsylvania.³ On 6 Mar 1906 he married JEANETTE **FENSTERMACHER**. They lived Phoenixville, Pennsylvania and had two children.

17145222. **THEODORE ROSCOE EMERY** was born at East Pikeland, Pennsylvania on 29 Aug 1886.⁴ On 1 Jun 1911 he married EFFIE **HUMES** at Philadelphia. They lived at Sharon Hill, Pennsylvania and had one child.

17145223. **EVA M. EMERY** was born 27 Nov 1893 at East Pikeland.⁵ On 9 Nov 1912 she married J. CALVIN **MILLER** at Downingtown, Pennsylvania. They lived at Kimberton, PA where she died 14 Nov 1933. They had one child.

The children of [#1714523] Hadley Jackson and Georgie (Rambo) Lemon [daughter of George, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145231. H. IOLA LEMON was born in Philadelphia on 13 Apr 1890.

17145232. WALTER RAMBO LEMON was born in Malvern, Pennsylvania on 5 May 1895 and married EMILY THOMPSON on 16 Sep 1925 at Coatesville, Pennsylvania. They lived in Malvern, PA and had one child 6

17145233. **CHANDLER H. LEMON** was born 21 Jan 1897 in Philadelphia, and in Jul 1913 he married KATHERINE **LISENBERG**.⁷ Chandler Lemon died 14 Oct 1918, just two months after the birth of his son.

¹George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁷ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

The children of [#1714524] Livingston Orlando and Mary Jane (Rambo) Friday [daughter of George, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Ira J., Edna May, and LeRoy Livngston.

17145243. **LEROY LIVINGSTON FRIDAY** was born 22 Nov 1890 in Anselma, Pennsylvania, and attended Girard College in Philadelphia from age 6 to 14. He married ESTELLA SALENA **WAGNER** on 18 Sep 1915 at Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania. She was a daughter of Jacob and Henrietta (Stemler) Wagner. LeRoy died 14 Jan 1970 in Radnor Township, Delaware Co., Pennsylvania. They lived in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania and had five children born there.^{1,2}

The children of [#1714531] John W. and Sarah R. (Clark) Townsend [son of Esther Rambo, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Gertrude, Florence, Herbert, J. Ernest, Harold C., and B. Lillian.

17145311. **GERTRUDE TOWNSEND** was born 21 May 1883 at Coatesville, Pennsylvania and married on 18 Jul 1911 at Wilmington, Delaware.³

17145314. **J. ERNEST TOWNSEND** was born 18 Mar 1897 in Coatesville, Pennsylvania.⁴ He married SARAH **VERNON** on 15 Sep 1920 at Wilmington, Delaware. They lived in Marshallton, Delaware and had five children.

17145315. **HAROLD C. TOWNSEND** was born 28 Oct 1899 at Wilmington, DE and married M. ELLEN **TRIMBLE**. They lived in Hockessin, DE and had two children.⁵

17145316. **B. LILLIAN TOWNSEND** was born 24 Dec 1900 at Wilmington, Delaware.⁶ She married WILLIAM G. FANNING on 19 Nov 1924. They lived in Marshalltown, Delaware and had one child.

The children of [#1714532] Elmer and Francina (Hall) Townsend [son of Esther Rambo, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145321. FLORENCE TOWNSEND was born 26 Aug 1892 in Birdsboro,

¹ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934) ² vertical file at Phoenixville Historical Society

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

Pennsylvania.¹ In Wilmington, Delaware on 4 Nov 1916 she married EARL **SMYTH**, the son of William Smyth. They lived in Wilmington.

17145323. **RUTH ANN TOWNSEND** was born 18 Apr 1897 at Birdsboro, Pennsylvania, and on 7 Jun 1920 she married MARSHALL WENDELL **HALL**, the son of George and Jeannette Hall. They lived in Wilmington, Delaware. Ruth died in 1991. They had one child.²

17145325. CLARENCE TOWNSEND was born 6 May 1903, and on 15 May 1924 he married RUBY CARPENTER at Wilmington, Delaware.³ He died there on 6 Apr 1926.

17145326. **ELIZABETH TOWNSEND** was born 5 Mar 1904 at Wilmington, Delaware. On 4 Jun 1926 she married HARRY **WHITE**, son of John and Mary White. They lived in Wilmington and had one child.

The child of [#1714534] Norman and Mary (Townsend) Ames [daughter of Esther Rambo, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145341. **PAUL AMES** was born 3 Dec 1889 at Wilmington, Delaware. He married MARGIE **BAKER** and died at Salisbury Maryland in 1918.⁴ They had one child.

The children of [#1714534] John Frank and Mary (Townsend)(Ames) Rutter, her second husband.

17145342. **ESTHER K. RUTTER** was born 8 Jul 1905 at Wilmington, Delaware and married HOWARD **HULSE**.⁵ They lived in Maryland and had two children.

17145343. GRACE A. RUTTER was born 9 Nov 1910 at Wilmington, Delaware.

The children of [#1714543] Frank L. and Elizabeth (Tarbit) Webster [son of Angeline Rambo, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Leslie, Ralph Joy, Franklin, Roy L., Frances, and Theodore.

17145431. **LESLIE WEBSTER** was born 23 Jan 1896 at Columbia, Pennsylvania.⁶ He married ANNA **NEUER** in Lutheran services on 26 Jul 1917 at York, Pennsylvania.

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⁵ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

She was the daughter of John C. Neuer. Leslie died 23 Nov 1988 in Fort Pierce, Florida.¹ They lived in Baltimore, Maryland and had one child.

17145432. **RALPH JOY WEBSTER** was born 30 Oct 1898 at Columbia, PA.² On 24 Apr 1918 he married MARION E. **MATCHUER** in Lutheran services at Enola, PA. They lived at South Mountain in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania and had six children.

17145434. **ROY L. WEBSTER** was born 29 Sep 1901 in Columbia, Pennsylvania.³ On 16 Feb 1924 he was married to FLORENCE **NEIDIG**, the daughter of Joseph Neidig, by Rev. Sharp of the Lutheran Church. Roy died 31 May 1989 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.⁴ They lived in Pittsburgh and had one child.

17145435. **FRANCES WEBSTER** was born 29 Sep 1903 in Columbia, Pennsylvania and married CHARLES L. **KUNKLE** on 2 Feb 1926 at Enola, Pennsylvania.⁵ He was born 22 Dec 1900 in Pennsylvania, the son of Isaac George and Bessie (Coxeter) Kunkle. The Kunkle ancestors date trace back to Johann Balthasser Gunkel who came to America from Breitenborn, Germany in 1732, and to earlier ancestors in Glasshouse, Neuhutten Germany.⁶ Charles died 2 Aug 1967 in Marysville, PA, and is buried there in Chestnut Grove Cemetery. Frances died there 2 Dec 1996. They lived in Enola, PA and had two children.⁷

17145436. **THEODORE WEBSTER** was born 14 Sep 1905 at Columbia, PA.⁸ On 8 Jun 1925 he married LAVINIA **BREWBAKER**, the daughter of Charles Brewbaker. They lived in Ellet, Ohio and had two children.

The children of [#1714544] Jacob Diem and Clara (Dougherty)(Kenna) Webster [son of Angeline Rambo, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Ruth Naomi, Alfred Diem, Charles Elmer, Clara May, Edward Sharpless, Thomas Livingston, and Robert Marcus.

17145441. **RUTH NAOMI WEBSTER** was born 16 Jan 1893 at Columbia, PA, and on 20 Sep 1919 she married STERLING FRANCIS **FAIR** in Methodist services. They lived in Lemoyne, Pennsylvania.⁹

17147443. CHARLES ELMER WEBSTER was born 15 Feb 1896 at Columbia,

¹ James Kunkle, e-mail of 18 Feb 2004 citing Social Security Death Index

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934) ⁴ James Kunkle, e-mail of 18 Feb 2004 citing Social Security Death Index

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ James Kunkle, e-mail of 18 Feb 2004

⁷ James Kunkle, e-mail of 18 Feb 2004

⁸ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁹ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

Pennsylvania.¹ He married ETHEL **MUSSER** on 11 Nov 1917 at Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, and she died 17 Oct 1918. Charles Webster then was married to GRACE **KULP** on 29 Jan 1920 at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania by Rev. Hanson, pastor of Messiah Lutheran church. Charles and Ethel had one child.

17145444. **CLARA MAY WEBSTER** was born 15 Apr 1899 at Columbia, PA and married WILLIAM F. **CLINE** on 11 Mar 1922 at Harrisburg.² They had one child who was born and died the same day, on 6 Jan 1925.

17145445. **EDWARD SHARPLESS WEBSTER** was born 12 Jun 1902 at Columbia, Pennsylvania.³ On 28 Feb 1922 he married ELIZABETH **BATEMAN**, daughter of Samuel and Dorothy Bateman. They lived in Harrisburg, PA and had four children.

17145446. **THOMAS LIVINGSTON WEBSTER** was born 26 Dec 1903 at Columbia, Pennsylvania.⁴ He married AGATHA **WHITMAN** at Harrisburg on 17 Apr 1924. They had two known children.

17145447. **ROBERT MARCUS WEBSTER** was born 8 May 1906, and on 21 Oct 1932 he married MARGARET M. **McFADDIN** at Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

The child of [#1714555] Harry and Bessie (Cummings) Rambo [son of Matthew, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145551. **WILBUR RAMBO** was born in Philadelphia on 16 Jul 1900.⁵ He married CONSTANCE **KERSHAW** in May 1919 at Elkton, Maryland. They lived in Philadelphia and had one child.

The children of [#1714558] Edmund T. and Mary V. (Rambo) Wells [daughter of Matthew, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Edna M., Thornton E., Pearl L., Orville M., and Dorothy L.

17145581. **EDNA M. WELLS** was born 14 Feb 1891 in East Chicago, Indiana, and on 5 Dec 1914 she married Dr. EDWARD J. **DAVIS**.⁶ He was born 18 Feb 1893, the son of Edward and Johanna (Dewire) Davis of Freeport, Illinois. They lived in Gary, Indiana and had one known child.

¹George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

17145582. **THORNTON E. WELLS** was born in Whiting, Indiana on 20 Apr 1892 and married ETHEL B. **WHITING** on 8 Mar 1917 in Valporaiso, Indiana.¹ She was born 8 Mar 1897, the daughter of Cyrus and Floyd (Spencer) Whiting. They lived in East Chicago, IN and had one child.

17145583. **PEARL L. WELLS** was born 19 Oct 1893 in East Chicago, IN and married MORGE A. **SHEELER** on 12 Dec 1914.² He was born 2 Jun 1890, the son of William and Laney (Brown) Sheeler. They lived in South Bend, Indiana and had two children.

17145584. **ORVILLE M. WELLS** was born 24 May 1904 in East Chicago, Indiana and married ROSE **RYBENSKI** on 2 Jun 1924.³ She was born 28 Jun 1903 in Passaic, New Jersey, the daughter of Fritz and Mary (Pallock) Rybenski, both formerly of Austria. The young Wells couple lived in North Dakota about one year before moving to Hammond, Indiana. They had four children.

The children of [#1714561] Wesley F. and Lulu (Kurtz) Diem [son of Susanna Rambo, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Lester, Paul, and Earl.

17145611. **LESTER DIEM** was born 10 Oct 1895 at Gap, Pennsylvania, and on 22 Oct 1922 he married SARA **ELLINGER** at Marcus Hook, Pennsylvania.⁴ They lived in Atglen, Pennsylvania and had one child.

17145612. **PAUL DIEM** was born 18 Aug 1902 at Gap, Pennsylvania and married EMMA **NEUHAUSER** at West Chester.⁵ He died 6 Aug 1933. They had one son.

The children of [#1714571] Warden and Rachel (Falls) Rambo [son of Asa, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were John Raymond, Margaret, and Rachel.

17145713. **RACHEL RAMBO** was born in Philadelphia on 24 Apr 1895 and married CHARLES LAMB on 9 May 1912 at Elkton, Maryland.⁶ They lived Wilmington, DE until about 1924 when they settled in Greensboro, NC. They had eight children.

The child of [#1714572] Jesse and Clara (Rambo) Simpers [daughter of Asa, Eli, Nathan,

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³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145721. **JOHN SIMPERS** was born 5 Nov 1900 at North East, Maryland, and on 25 Jul 1926 he married GERTRUDE **PAYNE**, the daughter of Benjamin Payne.¹ They lived in Elmhurst, Delaware and had two known children.

The children of [#1714573] Eli and Fanny (Rambo) Coulson [daughter of Asa, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Anna M., Clara W., George W., and Lewis A..

17145732. CLARA W. COULSON was born 18 Oct 1902 at Cobra, Maryland. On 4 Nov 1920 she married JAMES W. FOOTE, the son of John and Lola Foote.² They lived at Hockessin, Delaware and had four children.

17145733. **GEORGE W. COULSON** was born 2 Sep 1905 at Cobra, Maryland and married SARA **MEARS** on 4 Oct 1930 in Presbyterian rites at Wilmington, Delaware.³ She was born 27 Jan 1908, the daughter of John and Mary Mears.

The child of [#17145A1] Morris and Blanche (Clemenson) Rambo [son of Isaiah, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145A11. **MAURICE B. RAMBO** Jr. was born 2 Feb 1900 at West Chester, Pennsylvania and married HELEN **ROBINSON** on 18 Apr 1921 in Presbyterian rites at Philadelphia.⁴ She was the daughter of Harry and Mary Robinson. Maurice was a partner in the Osterman-Rambo heating and plumbing contracting firm of Philadelphia for 25 years. They lived in Philadelphia and Frankford and retired to West Grove, PA where Maurice died [ed: 1 Dec 1961] the Friday before 5 Dec 1961, aged 62. They had six children who survived him.⁵

The child of [#17145B1] Blaine and Alice B. (Rambo) Shaw [daughter of Nathan, Eli, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

17145B11. **VESTA SHAW** was born 25 Dec 1907 and married CECIL **LAMMY** on 12 May 1924 in Philadelphia.⁶ He was the son of John and Mary Lammy. They lived at

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² George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

³ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁴ George I. Webster, comp., Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

⁵ "Rambo newspaper clippings file." Chester County Historical Society, West Chester, Pennsylvania. Includes picture.

⁶ George I. Webster, comp., *Genealogy of the Rambo Family through Eli Rambo* (Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1934)

Glen Moore, Pennsylvania and had one known child.

The children of [#1914621] Dr. Francis Xavier and Elizabeth DeHaven (Comly) Dercum [daughter of Mary Emily (DeHaven) Comly, Elizabeth (Rambo) DeHaven, Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Elizabeth Comly, Ernest, and Mary Dehaven.

19146211. ELIZABETH COMLY DERCUM was born 18 Dec 1892 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and was a well known painter before her marriage. She graduated from the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts in Philadelphia and studied in Paris for several years. Her paintings are in local, regional, national, and international collections. She married SAMUEL WRIGHT **MIFFLIN** on 10 May 1924 at Holy Trinity Church in Philadelphia.¹ He was born 27 Feb 1880 at Columbia, Pennsylvania, a son of George Brown and Barbara Hörnli (Peart) Mifflin and a descendant of John Mifflin who settled among the Swedes on the Delaware by 1678 and produced a dynasty of prominent Philadelphians. Sam Mifflin received degrees from Haverford College and Harvard Law School. He was an internationally known cricket player and an attorney. Samuel died at age 79 of arteriosclerosis on 29 Mar 1959 at Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania. Elizabeth also died of arteriosclerosis on 24 May 1981 at Devon, Pennsylvania, aged 88.² Elizabeth and Samuel Mifflin lived in Haverford, Pennsylvania and had four children including these:^{3,4,5}

191462113. BARBARA DERCUM MIFFLIN, b. 13 Feb 1928, m. Donald Ely

19146213. **MARY DEHAVEN DERCUM** was born 25 Sep 1896 in Philadelphia, Pennylvania and married MALCOLM **LLOYD** Jr. of Devon, Pennsylvania on 29 Mar 1947.⁶ He was a son of Malcom and Anna (Howell) Lloyd. Mary died at Newtown Square, Pennsylvania.⁷

The children of [#1914622] James Isaac and Katherine Field (Hammer) Comly [son of Mary Emily (DeHaven) Comly, Elizabeth (Rambo) DeHaven, Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were James, Samuel Hammer, and Marion.

19146222. **SAMUEL HAMMER COMLY** was born 7 Mar 1893 at Germantown, Pennsylvania and married his first cousin DOROTHY DEHAVEN **DEACON** [#19146232] on 7 Jan 1922 in New York City. She was born 25 May 1895, a daughter

¹ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible transcription & DAR application

² Duncan Ely, family research, chart & showed copies of birth, marriage, and death certificates; and an obituary clipping

³ Duncan Ely, family research, copy of Bible transcription

⁴ Duncan Ely, family research, e-mail of 25 Jul 2002

⁵ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 702, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁶ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, 1952 supplement p. 74, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁷ Duncan Ely, family research, chart cites birth and death certificates

of John Ridgway and Cora Emma (Comly) Deacon. Samuel and Dorothy divorced, and Samuel lived in New York. Dorothy lived with their children in Radnor, PA. She married Alden Adams Carrigan second, on 11 Jan 1936. They lived in Forest Hills, Long Island, New York but had no children.¹ Samuel and Dorothy had four children.²

19146223. **MARION COMLY** was born 3 Sep 1895 at Germantown, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and married FRANK **DELANEY** on 21 Jun 1920. He was born in 1895 at Albany, New York, a son of Peter and Mary (O'Brien) Delaney. Frank and Marion lived in New York City until they divorced in 1931. Marion lived in St. Martins, Philadelphia with the five children.³

The children of [#1914623] John Ridgway and Cora Emma (Comly) Deacon [daughter of Mary Emily (DeHaven) Comly, Elizabeth (Rambo) DeHaven, Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter] were Anna C., Dorothy Dehaven, J. Comly, and John Ridgway.

19146231. **ANNA CHAMBERS DEACON** was born 5 Jun 1890 and married HARRY BERTRAM VOORHEES **MECKE** on 4 Jun 1913. He was born 4 Nov 1888, a son of Henry C. and Mary Ann (Voorhees) Mecke. Harry died 12 Feb 1921, and Anna died 13 Nov 1922. They had one son:⁴

191462311. REGINALD VOORHEES MECKE, b. 24 May 1915

19146232. **DOROTHY DeHAVEN DEACON** was born 25 May 1895 and married her first cousin SAMUEL HAMMER **COMLY** [#19146222] on 7 Jan 1922 in New York. He was born 7 Mar 1893, a son of James I. and Catherine Field (Hammer) Comly. Samuel and Dorothy divorced after having four children. Samuel lived in New York, Dorothy and the four children lived in Radnor, Pennsylvania.⁵

19146234. JOHN RIDGWAY DEACON was born 24 Apr 1907 and married MABEL HASTINGS first, on 30 Feb 1937, and DENISE MILVILLE of Switzerland second, overseas. John and Mabel had one child:⁶

191462341. JOHN R. DEACON, III

The children of [#1921231] William and Jeannette G. (Bromley) Schall [son of Mary Rambo, Nathan, Jonas, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, Supplement, p. 90, thanks to Duncan Ely

² George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 703, thanks to Duncan Ely

³ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 703, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁴ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 334, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁵ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, p. 703, thanks to Duncan Ely

⁶ George Norwood Comly, *Comly Family in America* and Supplement, Supplement, p. 74, thanks to Duncan Ely

19212311. JEANNETTE SCHALL was born in Dec 1892

19212312. **REBECCA RAMBO SCHALL** was born 16 Feb 1896 in Norristown, Pennsylvania. She married ANDREW YOUNG **DRYSDALE** on 27 Jul 1935 in Upper Merion. He was born 16 Dec 1880 in Kincardine on Forth, Scotland and died 19 Sep 1947 in East Norristown.¹ Rebecca died 5 Jun 1975, and they are buried in Washington Memorial Chapel Cemetery, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania.²

The children of [#1961111] Nathan Hall and Julia Ann Parker (McLain) Rambo [son of George, George, Jesse, Gunnar, Elias, Gunnar, Peter].

19611111. **GEORGE RAMBO** was born in Dec 1872 in Pennsylvania and was a Pvt. Co. F, 1st Regiment, PA during the Spanish American War. George Rambo died in 1918 and was buried in the Mt. Moriah Cemetery, Delaware Co., Pennsylvania.³ He married MAGDALINE (?), and she filed for a pension in 1918.⁴

19611112. **HARRY McLAIN RAMBO** was born Aug 1875 in PA.⁵ He served in Co. F, 1st Regiment, PA during the Spanish American War, according to Weaver.⁶ However, pension records show a Harry M. Rambo was a minor who served as a fireman 1st class on the *Independence* and the *Adams*.⁷ Sometime after the summer of 1900, he married SARAH **McCULLEN** who was born in 1879, the daughter of Frank P. and Sarah McCullen. Harry died in 1914 at the age of 39 years, and Mrs. Sarah Rambo died in 1967. Both were buried in the Mt. Moriah Cemetery. They had these children:

196111121. SARA RAMBO, m. Mr. Weaver

196111122. JULIA RAMBO, m. Mr. Trotter

196111123. HARRY McLAIN RAMBO Jr., alive in 1985

19611113. **MARGARETTA RAMBO** was born in PA during Mar 1879 and married WALTER **STAATS**.⁸ She died in 1956. They had two children and adopted Jane Rambo, the daughter of her brother Frank Rambo after his divorce. They called her Janet.

196111131. WALTER STAATS, Jr.

196111132. MARGARETTA (Billy) STAATS

19611114. FRANK RAMBO was born in Jun 1884 in Philadelphia and married

¹ John Dye and Judy Dye, Rambo References, vol. 5 (Jul 1985), p. 1

² Nina K. Wilkerson, D. Bertine & H. Ridgway, *Ancestors & Desc. of Lucy A. Bates & George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett*, p. 289 ³ Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

⁴ United States Veterans Administration, General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934. National Archives microfilm #T-288

⁵ Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

⁶ Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

⁷ United States Veterans Administration, *General Index to Pensions, 1861-1934*. National Archives microfilm #T-288

⁸ Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

ETHEL **KNOX**.¹ They were divorced but had one child who was adopted by his sister Margaretta Rambo Staats.

196111141. JANE RAMBO

19611115. **NATHAN HALL RAMBO Jr.** was born Jul 1885 in Philadelphia.² He was a superintendant at the City Hall in Philadelphia and a member of the Pennsylvania Society of the Order of the Founders and Patriots. He married LOUISE **ACHUFF**, and he died many years later at Gatemore Road, Brynmawr. They had three children:

196111151. HALL RAMBO 196111152. JOAN RAMBO 196111153. NATHAN RAMBO

¹ Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

² Mrs. S. E. Weaver, 1985, Rambo family records, Boynton Beach, FL

CHAPTER 11: 10th Generation Descendents

The children of [#12117111] Charles LeBaron and Mary M. (Stetzel) Reno [son of Francis, Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Bertha, Frank W., Georgianna, Charles, Lillian Mable, and Beulah M.

121171111. **BERTHA RENO** was born about 1865 in Pennsylvania and married ALVA **KALE** on 1 Mar 1893 in Mahoning Co., Ohio. He was born about 1864.¹

121171114. **CHARLES RENO** was born about May 1875 in Pennsylvania and married BESSIE B. (?) who was born 22 Aug 1877 in Pennsylvania. Charles died in 1949 and is buried in the Irwin Cemetery. Bessie died in Aug 1981 in Carnegie, Pennsylvania.²

121171115. **LILLIAN MABLE RENO** was born about Jun 1881 in Pennsylvania and married ALBERT CLYDE **WILSON** on 2 Jun 1909 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania. He died 9 Jan 1943 in Beaver Co., and she died there 11 Dec 1958 in New Brighton. They are buried in Beaver Cemetery.³

121171116. **BEULAH M. RENO** was born about 1884 and married JACOB OTTO **MILLER**. He was born 19 Jun 1883 in Pennsylvania and died in Jul 1965 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania. Beulah also died there in 1965, and they are buried in the Irwin Cemetery. They had one known child.⁴

The children of [#12117113] Smith C. and Ella (Boggs) Reno [son of Francis, Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John, Addah Mae, Francis, Herbert, and William.

121171131. **JOHN (Bubba) RENO** was born 28 Oct 1869 in Rochester, Pennsylvania and married CATHARINE R. (McCOY) STADLER on 20 Mar 1899 in Jay Co., Indiana. She was born 2 Apr 1852 in New Jersey and was the widow of William H. Stadler. In 1900 John and Catharine lived in Delaware Co., Indiana where John was a glass blower. Catharine died 22 Feb 1921 and is buried in the Glenwood Cemetery in Lockport, New York. John died of a cerebral hemorrhage on 7 Apr 1951 in Cleveland,

¹ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

² Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

³ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

⁴ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

Ohio and is buried there in Lakewood Cemetery.¹

121171132. **ADDAH MAE RENO** was born 7 Jul 1871 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and married ROBERT LEWIS **BROTHERTON** on 1 Aug 1888 in Beaver Co., PA. He was born 6 May 1870 in Pennsylvania, a son of Robert and Sarah (Cox) Brotherton. Addah died of starvation due to melancholia on 3 Aug 1917 at Reading, Ohio, aged 46y 26d. She was buried in St. Peter and Paul Cemetery in Reading, Ohio. Robert Lewis died of myocardial failure on 13 Mar 1944 at Sapulpa, Oklahoma and is buried at Southern Heights Cemetery in Sapulpa. They had these children:^{2,3}

1211711321. PERCY DeWIGHT BROTHERTON, b. 20 Jun 1889, m. C. Shepherd 1211711322. JOHN BROTHERTON, b. 21 Dec 1890, d. 1926, m. Martha Glardon 1211711323. RAYMOND CLYDE BROTHERTON, b. 22 Jan 1893, m. Corsmier 1211711324. LESTER BROTHERTON, b. 20 Jan 1895, m. Alma Josephine Lantry 1211711325. MILDRED BROTHERTON, b. 6 Jan 1897, d. Jul 1986, m. John Flege

121171133. **FRANCIS RENO** was born 30 Mar 1874 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania and married CLARA ADELE **KNECHT** on 25 Dec 1897 in Seneca Co., Ohio. She was born 6 Apr 1877 in Tiffin, Ohio. Clara died 21 Mar 1947, Francis died 6 May 1954 in Delaware Co., Indiana, and they are buried in Beech Grove Cemetery in Muncie, Indiana. They had these children:⁴⁵

1211711331. HARRY EUGENE RENO, b. 8 Mar 1896, d. 1972, m. Ruth A. Stout
1211711332. MILDRED M. RENO, b. 7 Jan 1900, m. Melvin Miles Mitchell
1211711333. LILLIAN E. RENO, b. 12 Dec 1903, d. Sep 1987, m. Gerald Ullom
1211711334. THELMA A. RENO, b. 4 Nov 1906 in Muncie, Indiana
1211711335. MYRTLE L. RENO, b. Nov 1909, d. 2 Aug 1995, m. Loren Snyder
1211711335. FRANCIS E. RENO, b. 5 May 1912, d. 6 Feb 1993 in Anderson, IN
1211711336. GARNET JUNE RENO, b. 28 Sep 1916, m. 1) H. Allison, 2) D. Bush
1211711337. HOWARD RENO, b. 14 May 1919, d. 20 Feb 1988 in Glenview, IL

121171134. **HERBERT RENO** was born 28 Mar 1875 in Pennsylvania and married DORA **KNECHT** on 11 Mar 1896 in Seneca Co., Ohio. She was born about Jun 1878 in Ohio. They had four children:⁶

1211711341. IRENA RENO, b. May 1896

1211711342. LAWRENCE RENO, b. Dec 1897, d. 1968

1211711343. HERBERT RENO, b. 25 Mar 1900 in Indiana

1211711344. Son RENO, b. 9 Oct 1902

¹ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

³ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

⁴ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM ⁵ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 28 May 2004

⁶ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

121171135. WILLIAM RENO was born 3 Sep 1879 and married ADDIE McCAMY on 30 Nov 1907 in Muncie, Indiana. She was born 27 Aug 1886 in Indiana.¹

The children of [#12117132] William and Caroline A. (Reno) Bachelor [daughter of Socrates, Willie Ann, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Nellie, Alonzo Socrates, Joseph, and Frank Marrata.

121171321. **NELLIE BACHELOR** was born about 1875 and married C. C. AUGHENBAUGH.²

121171322. **ALONZO SOCRATES BACHELOR** was born 15 Feb 1877 in Allegheny Co., Pennsylvania and died 13 Apr 1941 in Pittsburgh.³

121171323. **JOSEPH BACHELOR** was born about 1879 and died 20 Jul 1898.⁴

121171324. **FRANK MARRATA BACHELOR** was born 6 Nov 1881 in Pittsburgh and died 10 Aug 1968 in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania.⁵

The children of [#12117133] James Hamilton and Nellie Irving (Reno) Cunningham [son of Socrates, Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121171332. **CAROLINE MAY CUNNINGHAM** was born in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, married EUGENE SARGENT **HOOPER**, and was a member of The Daughters of the American Colonists.⁶

121171333. **ANNIE R. CUNNINGHAM** was born in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, married EDWARD TAYLOR **McILVAIN**, and was a member of The Daughters of American Colonists.⁷

121171335. **NELLIE CUNNINGHAM** was born in Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, married Dr. MORFORD **THROCKMORTON**, and became a member of The Daughters of American Colonists.⁸

¹ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

² Mindee Forman, "Descendents of Nicholas Seaver," on web in 2009 at http://mindeeclem.tripod.com/saviers/pafg11.htm#4712

³ Mindee Forman, "Descendents of Nicholas Seaver," on web in 2009 at http://mindeeclem.tripod.com/saviers/pafg11.htm#4712 ⁴ Mindee Forman, "Descendents of Nicholas Seaver," on web in 2009 at http://mindeeclem.tripod.com/saviers/pafg11.htm#4712

⁵ Mindee Forman, "Descendents of Nicholas Seaver," on web in 2009 at http://mindeeclem.tripod.com/saviers/pafg11.htm#4712

⁶ Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., *Lineage Book: National Society of Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931*, p. 268

⁷ Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., *Lineage Book: National Society of Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931*, p. 269

⁸ Ruth Haskins Ellis, et. al., comps., *Lineage Book: National Society of Daughters of American Colonists: Vol. 3, 1931*, p. 154

The children of [#12117622] David Augustus and Florence (Harbison) Evans [son of John R. Evans, Jonathan, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121176221. **EDMUND HARBISON EVANS** was born 22 Aug 1897 and married CRISTENA ELIZABETH **FISHER**. He was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution.¹

121176222. **RALPH D. EVANS** was born 20 Sep 1900 and married GERALDINE **McELROY**. He held membership in the Sons of the American Revolution.²

The children of [#12131226] Samuel Gantt and Rebecca Jemima (Demaree) Jordan [son of Robert Bull, Francis, Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ernest Allison, Ralph, Clara Belle, Francis Burton, Samuel Harvey, and an infant.

121312261. **ERNEST ALLISON JORDAN** was born 4 Aug 1874 in Allen Co., Kansas and married LOUISE **SARGEANT**. He purchased *the Trio News*, a weekly newspaper of Savonburg, KS, which he edited and published from 6 Jul 1894 through 28 Aug 1897. Subscription cost was \$1 per year; the Kansas State Historical Society has it on a microfilm. During the Spanish-American War he enlisted in the Twentieth Kansas and served in the Philippines. After the war he wrote a personal letter to General Otis, his commanding officer, seeking employment on the *Los Angeles Times* and was employed as a linotype operator. He died when the Los Angeles Times building was bombed by Labor Union terrorists on 1 Oct 1910.³

121312263. CLARA BELLE JORDAN was born 11 Feb 1876 in Allen Co., Kansas and married GILBERT (Bert) BRECKENRIDGE on 19 Aug 1896 in Iola. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in Orosi, California. She died 31 Aug 1964 in Orosi, California.⁴

121312264. **FRANCIS BURTON (Frank) JORDAN** was born 15 Apr 1878 in Allen Co., Kansas and married MARIE (Mary) **HAWK** on 21 Oct 1903 in Texas. He died 20 Nov 1967 in Tulsa, Oklahoma.⁵

¹Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

² Floyd Hoenstine, 1955 Yearbook of Pennsylvania Sons of American Revolution (Pittsburgh, PA: The Society, 1955)

³ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; *Iola Daily Register*, 1 Oct 1910

⁴ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, letter of 31 Jan 2001

⁵ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, letter of 31 Jan 2001

121312265. **SAMUEL HARVEY JORDAN** was born 16 Aug 1880 in Allen Co., Kansas and married GRACE G. **JONES** on 25 Jul 1904. He died 24 Apr 1964 in California.¹

The children of [#12131226] Samuel Gantt and Deborah (Brown)(Bozarth) Jordan, his second wife, were Lewis, Albert Wilson, Roscoe Esmond, and Olin Lynn.

121312268. **ALBERT WILSON JORDAN** was born 7 Dec 1893 in Allen Co., Kansas and married DOROTHY **DEEMS** on 28 Jun 1918 in Columbus, Ohio. He died there 29 Jun 1988.²

121312269. **ROSCOE ESMOND (Rock) JORDAN** was born 20 Jan 1896 in Iola, Kansas and moved to California in his youth. He earned a law degree from the University of California at Berkeley and practiced in Oakland, California. He married MARIE ANNETTE **WARD** on 3 Nov 1926 in Baltimore, Maryland. They lived in Oakland where he died 16 Jan 1977.³ They had at least this one daughter:⁴

1213122691. SARAH, m. Richard

12131226A. OLIN LYNN JORDAN was born 8 Jan 1898 in Allen Co., Kansas. His mother died when he was only 18 months old. His father was unable to raise Olin and his two young brothers, so they were put under the care of their aunt Ruth Brown, an unmarried schoolteacher who built a house in Iola. Ruth and her half-sister Mary Horney raised the boys with help from their father and the older brothers. Olin graduated from Iola High School in 1917 and enlisted the day he graduated. He served in the 35th Division, 139th Regiment, Machine Gun Company in France during W.W. I. Afterwards he earned a B.S. in Chemistry from Ottawa University, Kansas and was employed as an analytical inorganic chemist at the Lehigh Portland Cement Plant in Iola for thirty-eight years, retiring in 1963. During the last year or two, he was acting plant manager. He married LEONA FERN SCOTT on 30 Mar 1933 in Iola. She was born on 9 Apr 1904 in Anderson Co., Kansas, a daughter of Alvin Vermont and Mary Ellen (Minckley) Scott. After retirement Olin enjoyed woodworking and furniture making. He was mentally sharp and driving his car until age 89 when he broke a leg in a fall and began deterioriating. He died on 3 Apr 1989 in Iola. They had three children:⁵

The children of [#12131227] John Osgood Welsh and Laura Cecelia (Jordan) Howard [daughter of Robert Bull, Francis, Sarah (Davis) Jordan, Sarah (North) Davis, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Elivira Loretta, Cliffie Leone, Caroline Jane,

¹ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, letter of 31 Jan 2001

 ² Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also *John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants*, letter of 31 Jan 2001
 ³ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; letter of 31 Jan 2001

⁴ Carrie Farnes, family research

⁵ Scott Jordan and Kim Wilson, family research; see also John Bull of Perkiomen and His Descendants, letter of 31 Jan 2001

Robert Osgood, Samuel Morton, Bessie May, and John Roy.

121312271. **ELIVIRA LORETTA HOWARD** was born 18 Oct 1872 and married CORWIN PRICE **DAY** first and Rev. GEORGE BERNARD CARL **KNAKE** second.

121312272. CLIFFIE LEONE HOWARD was born 26 Jan 1875 and married JOHN HENRY CHILCOTE.

121312274. **ROBERT OSGOOD HOWARD** was born 8 Oct 1880 and married NELLIE ALICE **REEVE**.

The children of [#12141121] Frederick Evans and Harriet Ruth (Harris) Bower [son of Catherine (Kremer) Bower, Catherine (Evans) Kremer, Frederick, Elizabeth (North) Evans, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Bryant Evans, Thomas Russell, Catharine Ruth, Fleming Claude, Mary Isabel, Frederick Russell, and Harriet Kremer.

121411211. **HARRY HARRIS BOWER** was born 8 Mar 1876 in Middleburg, Pennsylvania and served in the armed forces.¹

121411212. **BRYANT EVANS BOWER** was born 23 Jan 1878 in Middleburg, Pennsylvania and died 28 Jan 1906 at his parent's home on South 6th Street in Lewisburg. He also served in the armed forces.²

121411215. FLEMING CLAUDE BOWER was born 25 Jan 1883 at Middleburg, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania. At the age of 26, Fleming jumped into the icy waters of the Susquehanna River to save a 12-year-old boy from drowning. On 13 Nov 1919 he married CATHERINE RUTH HALDEMAN in Pittsburgh, PA. She was born 19 Sep 1899 in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania, a daughter of Daniel David and Mary Susan (Yearick) Holdeman. Fleming served in the U.S. Navy and in the Maritime service, rising to the rank of Commander about 1943. He was a mechanical engineer and a member of Kappa Delta Rho. He died 9 Feb 1973 in Lima, Ohio, and Catherine died there 12 Sep 1982. They are buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Lima and had these children:³

FLORENCE ELIZABETH BOWER, b. 15 Feb 1912, d. 6 Feb 2000

1214112152. BRYANT H. BOWER, b. 12 Aug 1922, m. Mildred Thomas

1214112153. HARRIET SUSAN BOWER, b. 26 Dec 1923, m. Charles Richard Park

1214112155. FLEMING CLAUDE BOWER, b. 10 Sep 1926, m. Ruby A. F. Miller

1214112156. CHARLES RUSSELL BOWER, b. 11 Jan 1928, d. Oct 1976

121411215A. ELIZABETH ANN BOWER, b. 7 Oct 1936, m. Donald T. Hughes

¹Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, marriage book

121411216. **MARY ISABEL BOWER** was born 6 Oct 1884 in Middleburg, Pennsylvania and graduated from Bucknell University in 1905. She lived in the vicinity of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and died there on 9 Apr 1969.¹

121411218. **HARRIET KREMER BOWER** was born 19 Sep 1890 in Middleburg, PA and married EDWARD **GAHAGAN**, a son of Alvin N. and Henrietta (Hoover) Gahagan. They lived in the vicinity of Pittsburgh, PA. Harriet died 24 Mar 1978.²

The child of [#12141126] R. Edwin and Jessie Bell (Youman) Bower [son of Catherine (Kremer) Bower, Catherine (Evans) Kremer, Frederick, Elizabeth (North) Evans, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121411261. **THOMAS HERVEY BOWER** married ? and had these known children:³ 1214112611. LEWIS SELLS BOWER 1214112612. MARJORIE JANE BOWER

The children of [#12153851] Wilson Kelly and Sophia Randolph (Brown) Taylor [daughter of Isaac, Sophia, Elizabeth, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Gunnar, Peter].

121538512. ARCADIA ANN TAYLOR was born 30 Jun 1870 in Ohio Co., Kentucky, married VERDON DAVID on 22 Apr 1896, and died 28 Oct 1936 in Winfield, Kansas.⁴

121538513. VIRGIL CAREY TAYLOR was born 14 Jan 1873 in Winfield, Kansas.⁵ He married MARION CUNNINGHAM on 23 Aug 1905 and died 23 Feb 1953.

121538515. **ORLO CHRISTIE TAYLOR** was born 1 Oct 1876 in Winfield, Kansas.⁶ He married CLARA **WEAKLEY** on 12 Jul 1902 and died in 1949.

121538516. **ELLA SOPHIA TAYLOR** was born 19 Apr 1878 in Cowley Co., Kansas and married WALLACE **HOLMES** on 8 Feb 1905.⁷

121538517. **ALFRED KELLY TAYLOR** was born 25 Feb 1881 and married CLEMMA (?) first.⁸ He then married LILLIE (?) on 28 Nov 1905. Alfred Taylor died

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁴ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁵ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁶ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁷ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁸ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

24 Mar 1936 in Mesa, Arizona.

121538518. **RUTH TAYLOR** was born 2 Jul 1885 in Winfield, Kansas, and on 15 Nov 1905 she married JAMES SILAS **HARBOUR**.¹ He was a farmer born 26 Aug 1881 at Homestead, Kansas, the son of John and Frances (Self) Harbour. The family was Methodist. James Harbour died 6 May 1963 in Rio Grande Co., Colorado, and Mrs. Ruth Harbour died months later on 23 Jul 1963. They had eleven children including these:

1215385181. JOHN THURMAN HARBOUR, b. 6 Jan 1907, m. Jewell O. Proctor
1215385182. IRENE RUTH HARBOUR, b. 6 Jan 1909, m. Percy Meardon
1215385183. NELLIE LUCILLE HARBOUR, b. 22 Dec 1910, m. Frank Drake
1215385184. CAROL MARIE HARBOUR, b. 24 Jun 1912, m. Percy Meardon

121538519. **CELINA NADINE TAYLOR** was born 15 Jan 1888 in Cowley Co., Kansas and married HARRY **MILLER** on 8 Sep 1913.² On 2 Jun 1925 she married her second husband, JACK **VOORHIES**. She died 18 Oct 1975 in San Diego, California.

12153851A. **ROSCOE TAYLOR** was born 30 Jun 1890 in Cowley, Co., Kansas and married MABEL **PASSMERE** on 28 Feb 1912.³ He died 17 Jan 1959 in Ponca City, Oklahoma.

The children of [#12153881] Millard Franklin and Susan Randolph (Taylor) Grubb [daughter of Marjory Jane (Brown) Taylor, Sophia (Randolph) Brown, Elizabeth (North) Randolph, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Leslie Virgil, Annie, Alfred T., Pinie Earle, Cleonous, Roscoe, Roy, and McKinley.⁴

121538811. LESLIE VIRGIL GRUBB was born in Oct 1878, left home at an early age, and was never heard from again.

121538812. **ANNIE GRUBB** was born 21 Oct 1881 in Butler Co., Kentucky and married A. L. (Al) **FLOWERS** there on 18 Dec 1902. He was born 6 May 1878 in Butler Co., a son of Francis M. an Sarah Thomas (Flewallen) Flowers. Al was a timberman early in life and a farmer. In 1934 Annie was appointed post mistress at Dunbar. In 1935 Al built a building, moved the post office into that building, and opened a grocery business there, across the road from the Big Muddy Baptist Church. Al died 24 Nov 1968 in Butler Co., Annie died 1 Mar 1970 in Warren Co., KY, and they are buried in Hill Haven Memory Gardens in Butler Co., KY. Al and Annie had four

¹ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

² Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

³ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁴ Gladys Martin Brooks, e-mail attachment of 7 Nov 2011

children:¹

1215388121. ROBERT FRANKLIN FLOWERS, b. 20 Sep 1903, m. Amanda Short 1215388122. LESLIE DEWARD FLOWERS, b. 29 Mar 1906, m. Anna McCoy 1215388123. ECTLIS FLOWERS, b. 16 Sep 1908, d. 1975, m. Lena W. Storms 1215388124. ERMIE LEE FLOWERS, b. 10 Aug 1916, m. Ivan Martin

"Flowers-Grubb. A.L. "AJ" Flowers (1878-1968) was born in Butler County, the fourth of six children born to Francis "Frank" Marion Flowers (1845-1922) and Sarah Thomas Fluallen (1854-1926). Sarah Thomas was the daughter of Thomas A. Fluallen (died October 1853) and Sarah Hawes Fluallen (1827-1907). Francis "Frank" Marion Flowers was the son of Walter Lorenzo Flowers (1813-1896) and Sarah Babb Flowers (1818-1911). On December 18, 1902, A.L. Flowers married Annie Grubb (1881-1970), the daughter of Millard Franklin "Frank" Grubb (1866-1936) and Susan Randolph Taylor (1854-1922). Millard Franklin Grubb was the son of Leander and Mary Hargrove Grubb. A.L. and Annie Grubb Flowers had four children: (1) Robert Franklin "Frank" Flowers born September 20, 1903 and married Amanda Short, (See Flowers-Short Family) (2) Leslie Deward Flowers (1906-1981), married Anna Lou McCoy, (See Flowers-McCoy Family) (3) Ectlis Flowers (1908-1975), married Lena Storm (See Flowers-Storm Family) (4) Ermie Lee Flowers born August 10, 1916, married Ivan Martin. (See Martin-Flowers Family) A.L. Flowers was a timberman early in life. He cut timber and made railroad ties. The ties were hewed by hand with a special ax called a broadax. He was a farmer and farmed the hard way, with a team of mules. In 1934, Annie Grubb Flowers was appointed post mistress at Dunbar, Kentucky. Early in 1935, A.L. built a building in Dunbar, across the road from Big Muddy Baptist Church. The Post Office was moved into the building and he opened a grocery store there. A.L. and Annie stayed there until poor health overtook them and they sold the store. Annie retired from the Post Office. They bought a home in the Dunbar Community where they lived the remainder of their lives. A.L. preceded Annie in death. He died at the age of 90. Annie died two years laer at the age of 89. Both are buried in Hill Haven Memorial Gardens in Morgantown, Kentucky".²

121538813. **ALFRED T. GRUBB** was born 26 Aug 1884 in Butler Co., KY and married ANNA L. **TAYLOR** on 16 Mar 1907 in Gallatin, Tennessee. Alfred died 3 Feb 1966 and is buried in Hill Haven Memory Gardens in Butler Co., KY

121538814. **PINIE EARLE GRUBB** was born 8 Sep 1886 in Butler Co., KY and married CLEVELAND **HARRELD** on 10 Mar 1907. Pinie died 29 Apr 1954 in Anderson, Indiana.

121538815. CLEONOUS GRUBB was born 26 Jul 1888 in Butler Co., KY and

¹ Gladys Martin Brooks, e-mail attachment of 7 Nov 2011 w/ picture citing A History of Butler County KY & Its People

² Gladys Martin Brooks, e-mail attachment of 7 Nov 2011 w/ picture citing A History of Butler County KY & Its People

married ORVILLE G. **READ** on 1 Nov 1911. Cleonous died 6 Sep 1953 in Hopkinsville, KY and is buried in Point Pleasant Cemetery in Butler Co.

121538816. **ROSCOE GRUBB** was born 4 Mar 1891 in Butler Co., KY and married EFFIE **TAYLOR** there on 26 Dec 1916. Roscoe died 24 Nov 1944 in Butler Co. and is buried at the Sunny Side Cemetery in Ohio Co., KY.

121538817. **ROY GRUBB** was born in Jun 1894, married MYRTLE **BISHARD**, and died 25 Oct 1955 in Cedar Edge, Colorado.

121538818. **McKINLEY GRUBB** was born Oct 1896, married IVA **BOLLIN**, and died at Ft. Scott in Bourbon Co., Kansas. He is buried there in Evergreen Cemetery.

The child of [#12192412] Arthur Norman and Martha Stanley (Humphreys) Maltby [daughter of David, George, David, Ann, Ann (Rambo) North, Gunnar, Peter].

121924121. LOUISE MALTBY was born 15 Nov 1889 in Sedalia, Missouri, and on 12 Oct 1920 she married MAURICE J. McNELLIS of Kansas City, Missouri. Louise was a genealogist, an artist, and a graduate, perhaps of Columbia University in New York.¹ They had two known children.²

The children of [#12196372] George Kearsley and Jennie Estelle (Stewart) Selden [son of Margaret Burnett (Kearsley) Selden, George Washington Tate Kearsley, Anna Rambo (Humphreys) Kearsley, Ann (North) Humphreys, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Caroline Robinson and George Kearsley.

121963722. **GEORGE KEARSLEY SELDEN** Jr., was born on 27 Jun 1917 in Atlanta, Georgia and married MARY HOLLADAY **HOGE** of Louisville, Kentucky on 22 Jun 1939. She was born in Louisville on 21 Nov 1917, a daughter of William Lacy and Emily Tryon (Mengel) Hoge of Louisville. She was the descendant of a long line of Presbyterian and Congregational Ministers (from Virginia, North Carolina, Ohio, Kentucky, New York, Connecticut and Massachusetts); a number of Colonial Virginia families who were active in the founding of the United States (including the Jeffersons and Harrisons); and several families of Royal Descent (including the Bathurst, Branch, Bulkeley, Chauncey, Everard, Ludlow, Randolph, and Waller families). From 1940 until they died, George and Mary lived in Charlotte, NC where he was an executive of the Southern Bell Telephone Company and served on the Charlotte City Council. George died on 29 Dec 1985 in Charlotte, NC, and Mary died on 17 Nov 1992 in Charlotte, NC. They were survived by three children and eight grandchildren.³

¹ Pat McNellis, e-mail of 10 Jan 2001

² Frederick Adams Virkus, "Maltby, Martha Stanley Humphreys" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy:* ..., vol. 4, p. 375

³ Andrew K. Selden, e-mail of 3 Jun 2004

The children of [#121A1231] William C. and Mary (Speer) Bailey [daughter of William, Mary, Elizabeth, George, Ann (Rambo) North, Gunnar, Peter] were Ida E., Florence J., Laura A., and Richard A.

121A12312. **FLORENCE J. BAILEY** was born in Armstrong Co., Pennsylvania in Feb 1884. She married CHRIS K. **LEARD** and was a member of the D.A.R. Her lineage appears as #142623 in *Lineage Book* vol. 143:204.

The known child of [#121C19XX] Hubert A. and Helen R. (Wilson) McArthur [daughter of Joshua North Wilson, Sarah W. (North) Wilson, Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121C19XXX. **CLEO REED McARTHUR** was born 28 Nov 1903 in Kansas and married JAMES CURTIS **YEAGER** there on 1 Jun 1920. He was born 1 Nov 1901 in Kansas and died there 5 Mar 1979. Cleo died in Kansas City, Missouri on 17 Jul 1989. They had one known child:¹

121C19XXXX. NORMA LEE YEAGER, b. 9 Apr 1925, m. Manual J. Gonzalez

The child of [#121C3142] Walter O. and Ida Ella (Steinhoff) North [son of Henry Exener, Henry Harrison, Joseph Exener, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121C31421. **MAUDE MARGARET NORTH** was born 13 Jul 1895 in Ingham Co., Michigan and married EARLE STANLEY **RICHMOND** on 20 Jun 1916. He was born 19 Nov 1892 in Bath, Michigan and died 27 Feb 1955 at Delhi, Michigan. Maude died there 15 Mar 1956. They had one child:²

121C314211. ROSS NORTH RICHMOND, b. 20 Jul 1926, d. 26 Jun 1969, m.

The child of [#12221512] Frank Leroy and Delia Sophia (Jones) Koplin [son of Jacob, Abraham, Matthias, Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William E., (Maud) Clarie, Edith, and Perry Orin.

122215121. **ROY JAMES KOPLIN** was born 8 Nov 1890 and retired in 1956 from a Cleveland, Ohio bank where he had been a trust officer. He lived with his mother, Dede, and visited the Perry Koplin family in Elyria, Ohio about once a year. He became

¹ Rita H. Burke

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout/fam04469.htm

interested in the family history and located the minutes of the earlier Koplin family reunions. After retirement, he moved to live with a cousin in Fort Lauderdale, Florida where he died on 22 Nov 1968 and is buried. He passed his Koplin materials on to his niece and sparked her interest in the Koplin family genealogy.¹

The children of [#12221514] Orin Pulaski and Mary Elizabeth (Wetzel) Koplin [son of Jacob, Abraham, Matthias, Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were William E., (Maud) Clare, Edith, and Perry Orin.

122215141. **WILLIAM E. KOPLIN** was a bookbinder born 7 Dec 1876 in Akron, Ohio and married to NETTIE MAY **HAWSMAN** on 21 Jun 1898. She was also a native of Akron. They moved to Detroit, Michigan about 1914. They were cremated and buried in the Clare Koplin Phillips lot at Rich Hill Memorial Park near Elyria, Ohio. They had no children.²

122215142. **MAUDE** <u>CLARE</u> **KOPLIN** was born 6 Jul 1881 in Akron, Ohio. After the death of her mother in 1896, she went to live with the family of her mother's sister. Clare worked as a stenographer until she married CLARENCE W. (C. W. or Phil) **PHILLIPS** on 12 Jul 1907. They had one child born in Leetonia, Ohio in 1905. Phil graduated from Ohio Northern University in Ada, Ohio and worked as a pharmacist in several Ohio communities until they moved to Elyria, Ohio where Phil opened the Phillips Drug Store about 1910. He was active in many organizations and was one of the most widely known druggists in Ohio. Clare died 8 May 1967, and they are buried at Rich Hill Memorial Park near Elyria. They had one child:³

1222151421. ELIZABETH LOUISE PHILLIPS, b. 4 Apr 1905, m. 1) Mansfield, 2,3

122215143. EDITH KOPLIN was born 2 Nov 1886 and died of diptheria 12 Jun 1895.⁴

122215144. **PERRY ORIN KOPLIN** was born 13 May 1891 in Akron, Ohio. After his mother died in 1896, Perry lived with his grandfather Koplin until graduation from high school. Before 1910, he lived with his sister Clare Phillips in Elyria, Ohio and attended Ohio Northern Pharmacy School in Ada, Ohio. He worked for C. W. at Phillips Drug Store until he bought his own store, Koplin's Drug Store in Elyria. On 1 Aug 1916, Perry married JENNETTE SEVILLA (Jennie) **THOMAS**, a native of Danville, Pennsylvania. Perry's drug store had a photo finishing department in the back that developed and printed for most of the drug stores in Elyria. Perry loved to fish and hunt small game. He died suddenly of an apparent heart attack at a favorite fishing spot on

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letters of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002 citing obituary

the Vermillion River a few miles from home on 5 Apr 1938. They had at least one child:¹

1222151441. RUTH KOPLIN, b. 2 Aug 1917, d. 2006, m. Neil Henderson Renton 1222151442. NANCY KOPLIN, b. 24 Aug 1921, d. 1989, m. Phil Rowland Jack 1222151443. HARRY THOMAS KOPLIN, b. 2 May 1923, m. Roberta McKown

The children of [#12241119] Philip Stimson and Margaret E. (Hench) Gardiner [daughter of George, Elizabeth (Ickes) Hench, Nicholas, Mary (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

122411191. JOHN LYON GARDINER was born 23 May 1896 in Laurel, Mississippi and graduated from the U. of Michigan in 1919 with his A.B. degree. During World War I, he was a 2nd Lt., 67th C.A.C in France. On 24 May 1918 he married VIRGINIA SALSMAN, but they divorced in Oct 1925. On 2 Jun 1928 John married RUTH CAVANAGH of Lansing, Michigan. John and Virginia had one child.²

122411192. **ELEANOR HENCH GARDINER** was born 28 Oct 1898 in Laurel, Mississippi, and on 2 Dec 1922 she married SOCRATES **BAROZZI**. She was a member of the DAR and CDA.³

The children of [#12241912] William Nevin and Francis Rusilla (Kepner) Ickes [son of George Loy, Michael, Nicholas, Mary (Koplin) Ickes, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were George H., Florence M. Elsie Catherine, Aurand Arthur, Sarah Grace, Phoebe Nora, Edgar Nevin, Ruth, Kepner Roy, and William Scott.

122419121. **GEORGE H. ICKES** was born 10 Nov 1876 in Loysville, Pennsylvania and married MARY J. **RITTER** who was born May 1870. Mary died 24 Nov 1964, and George died 8 Oct 1966.⁴

122419122. FLORENCE M. ICKES was born 28 Aug 1878 in Loysville, Pennsylvania, married CHARLES HOLLENBAUGH, and died 17 Jul 1970.⁵

122419123. **ELSIE CATHERINE ICKES** was born 10 Sep 1879 and died 16 Dec 1898 in Loysville, Pennsylvania.⁶

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letters of 20 Feb 2001, 11 Oct 2002

² Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Gardiner, Margaret Eleanor Hench" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 4, p. 198

³ Frederick Adams Virkus, ed., "Gardiner, Margaret Eleanor Hench" in *The Compendium of American Genealogy*, vol. 4, p. 198 ⁴ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁵ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁶ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

122419126. **PHOEBE NORA ICKES** was born 18 Dec 1886 and married EDWARD W. **MARTIN** who died on 23 Jan 1966.¹

122419127. **EDGAR NEVIN ICKES** was born 30 Nov 1889 in Loysville, Pennsylvania and married IDA THERESA **ELLERMAN**. She died 14 Sep 1967, and Edgar died 11 Jan 1985 in the Thornwald Nursing Home.²

122419128. **RUTH ICKES** was born 19 May 1892 in Loysville, Pennsylvania and married JOHN EDWARD **HENCH** there on 8 Mar 1918. He was born 29 Mar 1891 in Landisburg, Pennsylvania and served in the military in France in 1918. He died 17 Aug 1968 at the Polyclinic Hospital in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Ruth died 11 Apr 1979 at the Perry Village Nursing Home in New Bloomfield, Pennsylvania, and they are buried in St. Paul's Cemetery in Loysville.³

122419129. **KEPNER ROY ICKES** was born 4 Feb 1894, served in the military in 1918 at Camp Lee, Virginia, and died 6 Sep 1982 in Loysville, Pennsylvania.⁴

12241912A. WILLIAM SCOTT ICKES was born 18 Apr 1898 in Loysville, Pennsylvania, married RUTH SEIDEL, and died 22 Apr 1984 at the Perry Village Nursing Home in New Bloomfield, Pennsylvania.⁵

The children of [#12323623] William Wallace and Bessie Mary (Fowler) Lutts [son of Charlotte, Elizabeth, Nancy, Ann Rambo, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123236231. **OTIS ERVIN LUTTS** was born 29 Jan 1890 in Illinois, and on 28 Oct 1925 he married INA **HIGBY** at Wilbaux, Montana. He died 5 Jan 1968, and she died 7 Sep 1978. They had seven children.⁶

123236232. **GROVE ALONZO LUTTS** was born in Lena, Illinois on 4 Feb 1892 and married GERTRUDE **STARK** on 22 Jan 1924 at Baker, Montana.⁷ They lived in North Dakota and later moved to Spokane, Washington where Gertrude died 23 Sep 1970 and Grove died 30 Aug 1982. They had one child.

123236233. **RUDOLPH FOWLER LUTTS** was born 11 Jan 1894 in Illinois, and on 17 Oct 1923 he married ORA GULNARE **STARK** at Ollie, Montana. She was born 24

¹ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

² Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003 citing his obituary

³ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁴ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003

⁵ Marjorie Crofts, family research, e-mail of 16 Apr 2003 citing obituary

⁶ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁷ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

Nov 1894 and was a sister of Gertrude Stark. Rudolph served in France during World War I and died 1 May 1963 at Billings, Montana. They had five children.¹

123236234. LOIS FLORENCE LUTTS was born 25 Mar 1898 in Stephenson Co., Illinois, and on 28 Nov 1918 she married ALBERT THANKSGIVING **ROBBINS**.² He was a farmer in South Dakota who was born 28 Nov 1895. In Jul 1930, Albert and Lois Robbins were divorced in Montana. Albert married Lenora Berry and died 4 Oct 1963 in Oregon. Mrs Lois Robbins married CARL G. **ROSE** on 21 Aug 1930 at Ollie, Montana. She died there on 8 Mar 1982 at age 84. Lois and Albert Robbins had three children:

The children of [#12323647] William John and Mary (Callicotte) Gallaher [son of James, Elizabeth, Nancy, Ann Rambo, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Melvin Earl, Clinton John, Mary Elizabeth, Lois Areta, William James, Philip George, and four more.

123236472. **CLINTON JOHN GALLAHER** was born 5 Aug 1897 at Roslyn, Washington and attended Seattle Pacific College.³ He was an electrician for Todd Pacific Shipyards, and on on 1 Nov 1930 he married FLORENCE A. **BERNARD**. She was born 25 Sep 1911, the daughter of Ursin and Ella (Baldwin) Bernard. John died 22 Apr 1969 in Seattle, Washington. They had three children:

The children of [#12344122] Ralph L. and Cora B. (Pennypacker) Johnson [son of David, Elizabeth, Alice Rambo, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123441221. **JAMES LINWOOD JOHNSON** was born in 1903 in Montgomery Co., PA, married MARY **ANTHONY** who was born in 1907, and had two known children:⁴

123441222. PAUL HOPHNI JOHNSON was born in Pennsylvania in 1912.⁵

The children of [#12352112] Robert William and Alice May (McPherson) Gebby [son of Margaret (Rambo) Gebby, William, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Solon and Thelma.

123521121. **SOLON GEBBY** was born 29 Nov 1900 in Kenton, Ohio and married ALMA JANE **THOMPSON** on 30 Apr 1923 in West Baden, Indiana. She was born 14

¹ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

² Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

³ Mrs. Joan Bohna, Puyallup, WA 98372-1959, family records

⁴ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, *Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country* (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

⁵ Ralph Johnson and David Bergey, Genealogical Landmarks ... of Lower Perkiomen Country (pub. 1934), pp. 102-104

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Sep 1901 and died 29 Jan 1995.¹

123521122. **THELMA GEBBY** was born 19 Feb 1908 and married RALPH **WINTERS**. He was born 27 Mar 1898 and died in Mar 1987. Thelma died in Sep 1977.²

The child of [#12352151] William Davidson and Drusilla (Bossuet) Rambo [son of James, William, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123521511. ALAN DEAN RAMBO was a farmer born in Vernon Center, Minnesota on 18 Jan 1908, and he married DORIS ISABEL GRIFFITH on 7 Dec 1935 at the Griffith home north of Amboy, Minnesota. She was born 29 Jan 1910 in Garden City, Minnesota, a daughter of Elijah and Mary (Bernard) Griffith. Doris became licensed for welfare children, and they took in 9 children over the years until they adopted a son, David Alan Rambo.³ Alan died of pneumonia 27 Feb 1999 at the Blue Earth Hospital and is buried in the Vernon Center Cemetery. Doris died 8 Apr 2006 at Parker Oaks Nursing Home in Winnebago, MN.⁴

The children of [#12352171] Robert Martin and Mary Elinor (Speer) Rambo [son of John, William, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123521711. **MARGARET ISABELLE RAMBO** was born 4 Jun 1899 in Logan Co., Ohio and married CHARLES HENRY **HEIGHT** in Oct 1924. He was born 29 May 1899 in Ohio, the son of Adam and Anna (Laughlin) Height. The family belonged to the United Presbyterian Church. Charles Height had a farm near Kenton. Mrs. Height died 5 Jun 1970. They had these children:⁵

The children of [#12352172] William Thornton and Alexandria (Campbell) Rambo [son of John, William, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were John Corwin, Robert Thornton, Jean, Marian Jean, Florence Mae, Margaret Ann, and Bernice Lucile.

123521721. JOHN CORWIN RAMBO was born 22 Mar 1904 in Chicago, Illinois, and in 1930 he changed the spelling of his name to RAMBEAU. On 20 Sep 1930 he married REBECCA <u>MARGARET</u> DAVIS who was born 16 Aug 1907 in NYC, the daughter of James L. and Margaret (Seaver) Davis. John Rambo was a CPA, and his

¹ David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003 citing on line Gebby Genealogy by Bob Gebby

² David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003 citing on line Gebby Genealogy by Bob Gebby

³ Mrs. Ron Rambo, Vernon Centre, MN 56090, family records

⁴ David Rambo, letter of 24 Sep 2003

⁵ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records

wife, Margaret, was a teacher. The family belonged to the Methodist church. Upon retirement, they made their home in Largo, Florida. They lived in Massachussets when their children were born.¹

The children of [#12352411] Clark Graham and Mary Ann (Wood) Cole [daughter of Elizabeth (Selders) Wood, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter]. More about the Cole family is in *The Family Tree of Anona Lynn Heimbigner*.²

123524111. **MURRAY STANLEY COLE** was born 27 Feb 1877 in Somanuk, Illinois and married first ANNA MAE **WALKER** and second JENNIE (Jean) (**HENNING**) CARPENTER. Jean had a son Charles Carpenter. Murray Cole died in Pocatello, Idaho on 13 Jul 1940.³

123524112. **ROBERT CURTIS COLE** was a farmer born 7 Jan 1879 in Somanuk, Illinois. He graduated from Kansas State Agricultural College in 1902 and married JULIA ALBERTA **PIERCE** on 2 Jun 1906 in Hudson, South Dakota. She was born 19 Jan 1885, daughter of John Albert and Anna Mary (High) Pierce. Robert died 22 Oct 1959, and Julia died 6 Sep 1967. They were members of the First Congregational Church and are buried in Hudson. They had eight children including these:⁴

1235241122. MARY PIERCE COLE, b. 2 Oct 1908, m. Donald Dean Fitch

1235241123. RUTH ANONA COLE, m. Mr. Henkels

1235241124. ROBERT CURTIS COLE, m. Mary Lou

1235241126. ROLFE HIGH COLE, m. Marie

1235241127. HOBART JAY COLE, m. Grace

1235241128. LOIS JEANNE COLE, m. Mr. Statz

123524113. **ANNA ELIZABETH COLE** was born 22 Sep 1880 in Somonak, Illinois and married ROY A. **BOWER** on 22 Mar 1902 in Manhattan, Kansas. Roy was an osteopath, a son of John A. Bower, born near Eureka, Dekalb County, Illinois in 1879. Roy died 9 Oct 1933 in Eureka, Kansas, and Anna died 20 Nov 1945 in Dallas, Texas. They were members of Christ Lutheran Church and are buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Eureka, Kansas. They had two children born in Eureka, Kansas including this one:⁵

1235241131. BEATRICE COLE BOWER, b. 14 Jun 1906, d. 4 Jul 1914

123524114. CLARK STEWART COLE was born 28 Nov 1882 in Sandwich, Illinois and married FREDA CORDELIA MORRISON first, on 4 Jun 1911, perhaps in Manhattan, Kansas. Freda was an English teacher in S. Dakota, born in 1880, a daughter

¹ Dr. John Rambeau, Houston, TX 77089, family records, himself

² Anona Lynn Heimbigner, *The Family Tree of Anona Lynn Heimbigner*. LDS microfilm #1307621 Item 5

³ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁴ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁵ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

of Edward Abram Morrison. Clark was a high school principal in Manhattan, Kansas and taught one year in Wenatchee, Washington. They moved to Greenbank, WA on Whidbey Island and ran a store before moving to Yakima. Freda died in 1970. Clark married EDITH (**BUCHANNAN**) GHORMLEY second, on 3 May 1930 in Yakima, WA. Clark died 3 Nov 1956 in Yakima.¹ Clark and Freda were parents of two children: 1235241141. EDWARD CLARK COLE, b. 2 Aug 1912, m. 1) Willa Holman, 2).. 1235241142. STEWART MORRISON COLE, b. 17 Apr 1915, m. 1) VanCourt, 2)

123524115. **MARY** <u>MARGARET</u> COLE was born 23 Oct 1884 in Winchester, Kansas. In 1899 her family moved to Manhattan, Kansas where she graduated from the Kansas State Agricultural College in 1905 and taught in the city schools until her marriage to ROY MILLER **WILSON** on 5 Jun 1911 in Manhattan, Kansas. He was born near Concordia, KS on 9 Dec 1886, a son of John Wylie and Adda (Wilson) Wilson. John and Adda are descended from two different John Wilsons, both of whom died in Morning Sun, Iowa. Roy Miller Wilson studied electrical engineering at Kansas State Agricultural College, owned and operated electric power plants in Eureka and LaCrosse, KS, and ran an electric appliance and lighting store in Great Bend. Margaret died 4 Jun 1930 in Great Bend, Kansas. After the death of Margaret, Roy married Cecil Carley second and Florence Clevenger McQuatters Griffith third. Roy died 30 Mar 1987 in Odessa, Washington. Margaret and Roy Wilson had three children:^{2,3}

"Obituary [source not known]

Mary Margaret Cole

Mary Margaret Cole was born at Winchester, Kansas, Oct. 23, 1884. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Cole. She spent her childhood in Jefferson and Jackson counties, moving with the family in 1899 to Manhattan, Kansas, where she completed her high school work, graduating from the Kansas State Agricultural college in 1905. She was a teacher in Manhattan city schools until 1911.

On June 5, 1911 she was married to Roy M. Wilson. To this union there were born three children: Anona Margaret, Clair Cole, and Mariana Carolyn, who with the husband and father survive her. She united with the United Presbyterian church of Denison, Kansas and has been actively engaged in the service of her Saviour through the years, using her splendid talents in the Young Peoples' Society, the Sabbath school, and the choir. The family home was for a time in Eureka and LaCrosse, the last eleven years having been spent in Great Bend where she had made a host of friends.

Besides the husband and children left to mourn their loss are her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Cole, Yakima, Washington; one sister, Mrs. R.A. Bower, Eureka, Kansas; and five brothers, Murray S. Cole, Pocatello, Idaho; Robert C., Hudson, South Dakota; C. Stewart, Yakima, Washington; E. Lloyd, Wichita, Kansas; and Harry L., Pullman,

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000, obituaries

³ Anona Lynn Heimbigner, The Family Tree of Anona Lynn Heimbigner. LDS microfilm #1307621 Item 5

Washington.

Mrs. Wilson passed away Wednesday, June 4, 1930 at the age of 45 years 7 months and 11 days. For the past two years she has been a sufferer in body but at all times has committed her future to the will and plan of Him whom she loved and served throughout her life. She shares in the glory promised in the words of the inspired John: "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord, _____ henceforth; yea, saith the Spirit that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

The Odessa Record, April 16, 1987 "Wilson

Roy Miller Wilson, a resident of Odessa born December 9, 1886 to John Wylie and Adeline Wilson on a farm near Concordia, Kansas, passed away in the local nursing home March 30, 1987.

He attended Kansas State Agricultural College at Manhattan, Kansas, majoring in electrical engineering, and later owned and operated electric power plants in Eureka and LaCrosse, Kansas. He had an electric appliance and light fixtures store in Great Bend, Kansas as well.

In 1911 he was married to Margaret Cole, a high school teacher in Manhattan. Widowed in 1930, he eventually continued his electrical work in California.

In 1946 he married Florence Clevenger, and they retired to Kingsland, Texas, where she passed away in 1975. Early in 1984 he came to live near his daughter in Odessa.

Mr. Wilson was a member of the Presbyterian Church and the Masonic Lodge.

... He will be buried in El Reno, Oklahoma."

123524116. **EDWIN LOYD COLE** was born 18 Sep 1887 in Winchester, Kansas and married NANNIE **CARNAHAN** 2 May 1910 in Manhattan. He died in Wichita, KS.¹

123524117. **HARRY LEWIS COLE** was a chemistry professor at WSU in Pullman, Washington. He was born 8 Aug 1889 in Winchester, Kansas and married IDA CARRIE **CONARD** on 11 Sep 1917 in Salina, Kansas. She was born in Rush County, Kansas on 11 Feb 1887, daughter of John Jesse and Clara Eunice (Grove) Conard. Ida died 9 Jan 1966 in Medford, Oregon and is buried there. Harry died 27 May 1971 in Medford and is buried at the National Cemetery in Portland, Oregon. They had three children:²

1235241171. HARRY LEWIS COLE, b. 22 Aug 1920, m. Hilda Ruth Hungate

The children of [#12352412] William C. and Samantha Agnes (Wood) Ferguson [daughter of Elizabeth (Selders) Wood, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ralph, Agnes Bell, James Bryce, Helen Wood, Robert Harvey, William Kennedy, Howard, Hugh Russell, and Elizabeth Lillian.

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

123524121. **RALPH FERGUSON** was born 16 Sep 1879 and married CARRIE PERLINA **HIGHLAND** on 30 Dec 1914. She was born 23 Jun 1880 at Sheldahl, Iowa. They lived in Chicago Heights, Illinois and had three children.¹

123524123. **JAMES BRYCE FERGUSON** was born 26 Oct 1883 and married MABLE JEANETTE **HIPPLE** on 17 Mar 1914. She was born 4 Dec 1882 and died 24 May 1954. James Bryce died 7 Apr 1953. They had two children.

123524125. **ROBERT HARVEY FERGUSON** was born 30 Aug 1888 and married ANN E. **COX** on 7 Sep 1921. She was born 8 Jun 1887. They lived on Shaw Avenue in Cincinnati, Ohio and had three children.

123524127. **HOWARD FERGUSON** was born 20 Sep 1893 in Somonauk, Illinois and married IDA **VAN VUREN** on 10 Jun 1931. She was born 7 Oct 1901 and died 7 Jan 1957. They had five children.

123524129. ELIZABETH LILLIAN FERGUSON was born 13 Dec 1898 and married WALTER G. SMITH on 12 Sep 1923. He was born 29 Sep 1890. They had two children.²

The children of [#12352413] Ransom Bryce and Nannie (McCammon) Wood [son of Elizabeth (Selders) Wood, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ralph M., Ransom Knox, Frederick Selders, James Roy, and Harvey.

123524131. **RALPH M. WOOD** and married MABEL **MELHORN**. Ralph died in Bellefontaine, Ohio. They had three children.³

123524132. **RANSOM KNOX WOOD** was a dentist who died in Toledo, Ohio. He married LENORE **LINDLEY**, and they had one child who died in infancy.

123524133. **FREDERICK SELDERS WOOD** was also a dentist born in Rushsylvania, Ohio who died in Bellefontaine. He married FRANCES **WORRELL** and had three children.

123524134. **JAMES ROY WOOD** married LILY **REAMS** and had three children including this one:⁴

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

³ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁴ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

1235241343. WILLIAM RANSOM WOOD, died in World War II

The children of [#12352416] Edwin Huston and Anna Emmaline (Cole) Vance [daughter of Elizabeth (Selders) Wood McMillan Cole, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Harvey, Elizabeth Joy, Hugh Selders, John William, Ralph, and Knox.

123524162. **ELIZABETH JOY VANCE** was born 28 May 1886 and married JOHN MURRAY **GREENE** on 12 Jun 1907. He was born 5 Aug 1885 and died 8 Feb 1956. They had four children including this one:¹

1235241621. ANNA ELIZABETH GREENE, b. 12 Nov 1909, d. 15 Jun 1934

123524163. **HUGH SELDERS VANCE** was born 9 Feb 1890 and married STELLA **SCHNEIDER** in Apr 1922. They lived in Waynesville, Ohio and had no children.

123524164. **JOHN WILLIAM VANCE** was born 17 Apr 1892 and married IVY **KENDRICK** first and EDDA **BOWERS** second. John Vance was a Lieutenant in WWII and died 20 Nov 1954. He had no children.

123524166. **KNOX VANCE** was born 21 Sep 1899 and adopted by Mr. & Mrs. Luther Wilcox. His name was changed to **RALPH VINCE WILCOX**, and he lived in Marion, Ohio.

The children of [#12352419] Hugh Moffatt and Emma (Hurst) Cole [son of Elizabeth (Selders) Wood McMillan Cole, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

123524191. **THOMAS BRITT COLE** was born 27 Sep 1893 in Winchester, Kansas and served in the U.S. Armed Forces in WWI. He married LOLETA CECELIA **DeLANEY** on 27 Sep 1922 in Hammond, Indiana. She was born 3 Feb 1903. They had two children including this one:²

1235241911. CHARLES THOMAS COLE, b. 12 Apr 1924, d. 3 Aug 1925

123524192. **ADA LUCILLE COLE** was born 12 Jun 1895 and married ERNEST AUSTIN **BRITES** on 22 May 1915 in Kansas City, Missouri. He was born 30 Jul 1892. They had two children.³

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

³ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

123524193. **HUGH CHALMER COLE** was born 1 Mar 1903 and died 29 Apr 1910 in Winchester, Kansas.

123524194. **CLELLAND COLE** was born 25 Jun 1904 in Winchester, Kansas and married DOROTHY LUCILLE **WINCHESTER** at Stafford, Kansas on 10 Sep 1932. She was born 7 Jan 1913 and they had two children.¹

123524195. **WILMA MAUDE COLE** was born 8 Nov 1907 and died 17 Jun 1940. She lived in Coffeyville, Kansas.

123524196. **OWEN MAURICE COLE** was born 7 May 1911 and died 14 Oct 1940. He lived in Valley Falls, Kansas.

The children of [#1235241B] Abner Graham and Easter Ella (Hurst) Cole [son of Elizabeth (Selders) Wood McMillan Cole, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].²

1235241B1. **JOHN ELIHU COLE** was born north of Winchester, Kansas on 1 Jan 1894 and married RUTH **KLINGBERG** on 14 Aug 1938 in Hope, Kansas. She was a daughter of W. A. Klingberg, MD. John Elihu died 7 Jul 1973 at Gaylord, Kansas and was buried in Spring Grove Cemetery. They were the parents of one child.³

1235241B2. **JAMES WALTER COLE** was born 16 Nov 1896 and married ESTELLE **ROBINSON** on 26 Jul 1927 in Ozarkia, Kansas. She was a daughter of Edward Robinson. He was employed by the Union Pacific Railroad. They lived at Valley Falls, Kansas and had no children.⁴

1235241B3. **ROY COLE** was born 23 Feb 1898 and married MARIE **SAYLER** in Jul 1929. They lived at Eldorado, Kansas where he was involved in supervision and maintenance of the schools. They had three children.⁵

1235241B4. **VESTA LEOTA COLE** was born 16 Sep 1900, married WALTER FRANK **PONCIK** on 10 Apr 1922, lived at Dennison, Kansas, and had no children.⁶

1235241B5. **BERTHA ZELTA COLE** was born 7 Feb 1904 and married CHARLES EVERETT **PENCE** on 27 Feb 1926. He was a farmer at Winchester, Kansas. Bertha

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

³ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁴ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁵ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁶ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

died 5 Nov 1939 when their child was twelve.¹

1235241B6. **ETHEL ELLA COLE** was born 13 May 1910 and married CHARLES EVERETT **PENCE**. They lived on RFD 2 near Holton, Kansas.

The children of [#123527D2] Fred Luzerne and Gladys (Shaver) Rembo, his second wife, [son of Thomas Henry, Thomas E., Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Max, Joseph, William, Dale, Linda, Charles F., and Harold D.

123527D26. **CHARLES FREDRICK RAMBO** was a plumber and pipefitter born 27 Dec 1920 in Hardin Co., Ohio. He died 12 Sep 1991 in Bluffton, Ohio, was cremated, and his ashes were buried in Preston Cemetery in Hardin Co. He was a WW II veteran and Catholic.²

123527D27. **HAROLD D. RAMBO** was a welder born 1 Apr 1923, in Allen Co. and married (?). He served in the army in WW II and the Korean Conflict. He died on 24 Dec 1992. He had two children according to his obituary.³

The children of [#12422115] George Riley and Pearl Idell (Nicholson) Rambo [son of Martin Van Buren, Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Roy Thomas, Guy Joseph, James Nolan, Adrian Alvin, Jesse Lee, Teresa Inez, Ada Belle, Addie Zelle, Jack, George Riley, Fred, Lovie Marie, and Floyd.

124221151. **ROY THOMAS RAMBO** was born 22 Oct 1899 in Durant, Oklahoma and married LELA **WINDSOR** on 3 Nov 1924. Roy died 30 Jan 1993 in Longview, Texas and is buried in Lakeview Memorial Gardens.⁴

124221152. **GUY JOSEPH RAMBO** was born 17 Jul 1901 Quinlan, Texas and married IRIS ORA **CATT** on 30 Mar 1926. Guy died on 17 Jun 1981 in Longview, Texas and is buried in Memory Park Cemetery.⁵

124221153. **JAMES NOLAN RAMBO** was born 19 Jan 1903 in Atoka, Oklahoma and married CLAUDIA **KIDD** on 5 Jun 1932. James died 3 Sep 1969 in Wichita Falls, Texas where he is buried in Riverside Cemetery.⁶

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, citing birth record, obituary

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

⁴ Gayle Welch, e-mail of 19 Aug 2003

⁵ Gayle Welch, e-mail of 19 Aug 2003

⁶ Gayle Welch, e-mail of 19 Aug 2003

124221154. **ADRIAN ALVIN RAMBO** was born 20 Mar 1905 in Durant, Oklahoma and married ALINE **PRESLEY** on 11 Jul 1931. He died 18 May 1983 in Lake Elsinore, California and is buried in Elsinore Valley Cemetery.¹

124221155. **JESSE LEE RAMBO** was born 25 Apr 1906 and married ALFREDA LUCILLE **LEWIS** on 2 Jan 1926. Jesse died on 22 Sep 1969 in Kilgore, Texas and is buried in the Kilgore Cemetery.²

124221156. **TERESA INEZ RAMBO** was born 14 Oct 1909 and married JOHN THURMAN **HINES**. They divorced, Teresa died 13 Jul 1981 in Wichita Falls, Texas, and she is buried in Riverside Cemetery.³

124221157. **ADA BELLE RAMBO** was born 22 May 1911 in Wichita Falls, Texas and married RAYFORD **McAFEE** there on 24 Dec 1932. He was born 6 May 1909. Ada died in Mar 1998 in Wichita Falls, and is buried in Crestview Memorial Park.⁴

124221158. **ADDIE ZELLE RAMBO** was born 22 May 1911 in Wichita Falls, Texas and married MONROE **HARWELL** there on 25 Dec 1939. He was born 14 Sep 1911. Addie died 4 Nov 1985 in Ryan, Oklahoma and is buried in the Terral, OK Cemetery.⁵

124221159. **JACK RAMBO** was born 16 Sep 1913, died unmarried on 22 Oct 1983 in Wichita Falls, Texas, and is buried in Riverside Cemetery.⁶

12422115C. LOUIE MARIE RAMBO was born 18 Nov 1920 in Floydada, Texas and married JAMES FRANKLIN BETHEL, Jr. on 31 Jul 1943 in Wichita Falls, Texas. He was born 19 Apr 1920. Louie died 18 Oct 1995 in Muldrow, Oklahoma and is buried in the Muldrow Memory Gardens. Louie and James had four children:⁷

The children of [#12422116] Thomas Edgar and Dora Ann (Strange) Rambo [son of Martin Van Buren, Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Coral Ada, Ira, Marvin M., Carl J., Laura L., Frances, and Billie Louise.

124221161. **CORAL ADA RAMBO** was born 12 Oct 1897 near Quinlan, Texas. In 1907 the family moved north of Durant, Oklahoma where she attended the Normal School and received a third grade county teachers certificate. She taught in several

¹ Gayle Welch, e-mail of 19 Aug 2003

² Gayle Welch, e-mail of 19 Aug 2003

³ Gayle Welch, e-mail of 19 Aug 2003

⁴ Gayle Welch, e-mails of 19 Aug 2003 & 9 Oct 2003

⁵ Gayle Welch, e-mails of 19 Aug 2003 & 9 Oct 2003

⁶ Gayle Welch, e-mail of 19 Aug 2003

⁷ Gayle Welch, e-mails of 19 Aug 2003 & 9 Oct 2003

schools until she married JOE PERRY **FLOYD** in Quinlan on 5 Oct 1919. He was born 7 Sep 1890 and was a veteran of WW I who had served in the 115th supply co., 30th division. They farmed near Quinlan for a few years before moving to Indian Territory north of Durant. In Sep 1927 they moved to western Oklahoma by covered wagon with two wagons, four mules, one mare named Bell, a dozen hens, and one dog. They rented a farm near Camargo, Oklahoma and raised their family. In 1958 they returned to live on a farm east of Durant until Joe died there on 10 Apr 1969. Cora lived into her 90s in Bryan Co., died 10 Jan 1994 at Durant, and is buried there at Highland Cemetery. They had four children:^{1,2,3}

124221162. **IRA RAMBO** was born 24 Feb 1901 and died 1 Oct 1981 in Bryan Co., Oklahoma. He married ANNIE BELLE **DeVAULT** who was born 6 Jul 1904 and died 16 Jun 1996. They are buried in Highland Cemetery, Durant, OK. They had one son:⁴

124221163. **MARVIN M. RAMBO** was born in 1903 and married NONA LENNERT. He was in his 20s when he drowned in 1930; he is buried in Highland Cemetery, Durant, Oklahoma beside a marker: "Baby 1927." Marvin and Nona had two children:⁵

1242211632. Daughter RAMBO, b. & d. 1927 in Bryon, Oklahoma

124221164. **CARL J. RAMBO** was born 5 Aug 1905 and was a T.Sgt. U.S. Army during WW II. He married HAZEL V. (?) who was born 8 Dec 1913. Carl died 27 Jun 1987 in Bryant, Oklahoma, Hazel died 16 Nov 1999 in Durant, Oklahoma, and they are buried in Highland Cemetery. They had one daughter:⁶

124221165. **LAURA L. RAMBO** was born 17 Jan 1908 in Bryan Co., Oklahoma and married JOHN DABNEY **WELLS** on 3 Nov 1928 in Durant, Oklahoma. He was born 21 Mar 1909 in Caddo, Bryan Co., Oklahoma. He died 10 Aug 1970 in Fresno, California, and she died there 5 Jun 1989. They had two children:⁷

124221167. **BILLIE LOUISE RAMBO** was born 26 May 1918 and married ORVILLE L. (Mac) **McDONALD** on 14 Dec 1947. He was born 30 Jan 1918 and was a T.Sgt. US. Army during WW II. He died 22 Oct 1993. Billie died 5 Nov 2002 in Durant, Oklahoma, where they lived and had two children:^{8,9}

¹ Dorothy Floyd, family research, letter of 17 Dec 2002

² John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 10 by Lyn McAllister Wells

³ John Wells and Lyn McAllister Wells, family research, e-mail of 20 Feb 2003

⁴ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 24 by Lyn McAllister Wells

⁵ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 24 by Lyn McAllister Wells

⁶ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 24 by Lyn McAllister Wells

⁷ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 24 by Lyn McAllister Wells

⁸ John Dye and Judy Dye, *Rambo References*, vol. 10 (Oct 1990), p. 24 by Lyn McAllister Wells

⁹ John Wells and Lyn McAllister Wells, family research, e-mail of 7 Apr 2003

The children of [#12422121] Richmond and Sarah J. (Malone) Rambo [son of Elias K., Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were S. Walker, Guy, Oliver, Roy, and Clyde.

124221213. OLIVER (Ollie) RAMBO was born 4 Feb 1883 and died 20 Feb 1920.
After his death, his wife was forced to give up their daughter for adoption:¹
1242212131. JESSE VAUGHN RAMBO, b. 29 Jun 1909, m. 1) Gifford, 2)...

124221215. **CLYDE RAMBO** was born in Jan 1888. At the time of his mother's death in Nov 1938, he was mayor of Calexico, California, and probably the father of two sons.²

The children of [#12422143] Robert H. L. and Mary Frances (Hastings) Rambo [son of Benjamin F., Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Salie L., Frank D., Louella, and Joseph Brent.

124221432. **FRANK D. RAMBO** was born 4 Sep 1888 and married RUTH **PITTS**. She was born 2 Sep 1895 and died 22 Oct 1954. Frank married SYD **HOUSTON** second. Syd was born 24 Aug 1905, died 17 Aug 1966, and is buried at Lone Oak. Frank died 4 Sep 1961 is buried with Ruth at Rose Hill Cemetery.³

The children of [#12422151] Silas Milton and Martha R. (Rambo) Endsley [son of David, Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Maude, Virgil, Mazie E., and Ruby Lee.

124221511. **MAUDE ENDSLEY** was born 9 Sep 1891 and married Wm. Thos. **RAMBO** on 14 May 1911. He was born in 1890 and died in 1929, a son of Wm. T. and Genevia Rambo. Maude married Mr. **CLARK** second. She died in 1961 and is buried with Wm. Thos. Rambo at Short Cemetery, Spring Place, Tennessee.⁴

124221512. **VIRGIL ENDSLEY** was born 7 Feb 1893 and married ERMA G. **PRUITT** who was born in 1890, died in 1931, and is buried in Short Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee with Virgil who died in 1961.⁵

124221513. MAZIE E. ENDSLEY was born 16 Aug 1895 and married JIMMIE C. PIGG who was born 12 Feb 1891 and died 17 Sep 1944. Mazie died 6 Apr 1967 and is

¹ Rick Rambo, family research, e-mails of 8 Feb 1999 and 7 Jun 2000, RICK.RTF, REPORT02.RTF

² Rick Rambo, family research, e-mail of 7 Jun 2000, REPORT02.RTF

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

buried with Jimmie in the Short Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.¹

124221514. **RUBY LEE ENDSLEY** was born 7 Mar 1899, married Mr. **PACK**, and is buried at Short Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.²

The children of [#12422361] John Franklin and Hattie P. (Cunningham) Crutcher [son of Elizabeth W. (Welch) Crutcher, William, Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ora Estel, Clifford Cary, Charles Earl, Lena Mary, and Ida Alice.

124223611. **ORA ESTEL CRUTCHER** was born 21 Jun 1882 and died in 1978. She married first, ROBERT **McCURDY**, and second, HENRY C. **HUGGINS** who was born in 1875 and died in 1932. Ora is buried in Lone Oak Cemetery in Marshall Co., TN.³

124223613. CHARLES EARL CRUTCHER was born 28 Dec 1888, died in 1980, and is buried in Lone Oak Cemetery. He married DAISY HOOTEN.⁴

124223614. **LENA MARY CRUTCHER** was born 20 Sep 1890 and died in 1979. She married Dr. ROBT. BRUCE **BERRY** who was born in 1884 and died in 1969. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery.⁵

The children of [#12422373] George Birch Welch and Nannie Lowry (Baxter) Bryant [son of Mary H. (Welch) Bryant, Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Edwin Baxter, James A., Herman A., and Mary Birch.

124223731. **EDWIN BAXTER BRYANT** was born 25 Oct 1893, and on 5 Aug 192_ he married JENNIE MAUDE **WALKER** who was born 23 Mar 1896 and died 3 Jan 1959. Edwin died two days later on 5 Jan 1959. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery.⁶

The children of [#12422374] Nick G. and Sallie (Bryant) Andrews [daughter of Mary H. (Welch) Bryant, Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Roy Bryant, Ann Lou, Willie, Kenneth, and Myrtle Bryant.

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 21

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 24

⁶ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

124223741. **ROY BRYANT ANDREWS** was born 17 Jan 1891 and died 4 Mar 1949. He married DORA **KEEL** who was born 10 Sep 1884 and died 13 Oct 1953. They are buried in Andrews-Liggett Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.¹

124223742. **ANN LOU ANDREWS** was born 16 Feb 1889 and died 16 Mar 1970. She married THOS. BASCOMB **HENDRIX** who was born 14 Jul 1888 and died 7 Jun 1957. They are buried in Bethlehem Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.²

124223745. **MYRTLE BRYANT ANDREWS** was born 1870 and died in 1952. She married WILLIE ASHLEY **HARRIS** who was born in 1872 and died in 1920. They are buried in Andrews-Liggett Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee. They had four children including these:³

1242237451. ELGIE IRWIN HARRIS, b. 14 Aug 1900, m. Mary Carmilla Bryant 1242237452. HAZEL HARRIS, b. 13 Oct 1904, m. Samuel Tennison in 1923 1242237453. DAVID ALLEN HARRIS, b. 26 Mar 1907, d. 1974, m. Evelyn Hill

The children of [#12422531] George W. and Ada (Pyles) Cook [son of Mary E. (Daugherty) Cook, Mary Ann (Rambo) Daugherty, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Wilma, Ola, Udie, Homer, Georgilee, Marie Lucile, Jack W., Mary Emma, and Martha.

124225311. **WILMA COOK** was born 18 Jul 1889 and died 15 Nov 1962. She married WM. **PARK** who was born in 1877 and died in 1928. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.⁴

124225314. **HOMER COOK** was born in May 1895 and died in 1980. On 1 May 1920 in Marshall Co., Tennessee, he married MACIE **HILL** who was born in 1900 and died in 1968. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery in Marshall Co.⁵

124225315. **GEORGILEE COOK** was born Apr 1898 and married JOE L. **RICHARDSON** on 3 Aug 1919 in Marshall Co., Tennessee. They are buried there in Lone Oak Cemetery.⁶

124225316. MARIE LUCILE COOK was born Apr 1900 and died in 1975. On 6 Jul 1918 in Marshall Co., Tennessee, she married GEORGE W. RUTLEDGE who lived

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

⁶ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

from 1899 to 1951. They are buried in Lone Oak Cemetery in Marshall Co.¹

124225317. **JACK W. COOK** was born 1902 and died in 1964. He married VIOLET (?) who was born in 1909. He is buried in Lone Oak Cemetery in Marshall Co., TN.²

124225318. MARY EMMA COOK married CHARLES E. MOSER. He was born 5 Jul 1898, died 13 Nov 1973, and is buried in Lone Oak Cemetery in Marshall Co., TN.³

The children of [#12422532] Basil Manley Daugherty and Octa (Willis) Cook [son of Mary E. (Daugherty) Cook, Mary Ann (Rambo) Daugherty, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Zelna and Eugene Howard.

124225321. **ZELNA COOK** was born in 1897 and married ERNEST J. **GLASSCOCK**. He lived from 1897 to 1948 and is buried in Lone Oak Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.⁴

The children of [#12425115] Printiss and Bessie Lee (McCormick) Rambo [son of Elias W., Thomas, Moses, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

124251153. CARL JAMES RAMBO was born in Bardwell, Kentucky on 29 Jan 1917. When still a child, he moved to Booneville, Mississippi with his parents. He enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1941 and was a career man who served during World War II and the Korean War. In 1946 he married ELIZABETH RUTHERFORD of Booneville. They were divorced in May 1955, and on 27 Aug 1955 Carl married LTJG BEVERLY JEAN (NELSON) BUTTS in San Diego, California. Beverly was born 18 Aug 1925 in Osseo, Wisconsin, the daughter of Lorrin R. and Alma Laura (Ringhand) Nelson. The Rambos were stationed at Bremerton, Washington for one year but returned in the fall of 1956 to San Diego where they made their home. Carl Rambo retired as a MSgt. in 1961, died 15 Nov 1961, and was buried in the Roscrans National Cemetery, San Diego.

Mrs. Beverly Rambo was a registered nurse who graduated from Chicago Wesley School of Nursing and Northwestern U. She received an M.A. from San Diego State University in 1968 and an M.N. from UCLA in 1971. From 1964 to 1969, Beverly was director of nursing of a 525 bed long term hospital in the San Diego area before joining the faculty at Mount St. Mary's College, Los Angeles where she taught nursing from 1973 to 1982. She was Commanding Officer of the Reserve Medical Co. 11-1, Los Angeles in 1976

¹ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 26

² Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 27

and retired from the Navy Nurse Corps as a CDR. Mrs. Rambo was the author of seven nursing textbooks, including *Nursing Skills for Clinical Practice*, 3 vols., and *Adaptation Nursing: Assessment and Interventions*. She also compiled this history of the Rambo family. Her mother lived with her in her Southern California home in a "gated community" when Beverly died quickly from cancer in 1990. Carl and Elizabeth Rambo had one child. Carl and Beverly Rambo had one son:

1242511532. JOHN EDWARD RAMBO, b. & d. 15 Nov 1958

The children of [#12426241] Joseph Barnum and Harriet Elizabeth Jane (Wilson) Dunn [daughter of John A., Hezekiel, Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ross Edgar, Rollis Edward, Roy McLean, Howard Taft, Harley, Hester Lou, Ora Ethel Minerva, Thelma Lou Myrtle, and Joseph Lawrence.

124262415. **HARLEY DUNN** was born about 1893 (?) and married EMIE (?). Harley died after 1942. They had two children.¹

124262416. **HESTER LOU DUNN** was born 18 Jun 1894 and married GEORGE LAWRENCE **STILES** who was born about 1887. Hester Lou died 7 Jul 1914. They had two children:²

1242624161. THEODORE LAURENCE STILES, b. 12 Apr 1911, m. 1) Dress, 2) 1242624162. VIRGINIA HELEN STILES, b. 21 May 1913, m. Frank McGill

124262417. **ORA ETHEL MINERVA DUNN** was born 29 May 1898 and married SHERMAN **SMITH** who was born 14 Oct 1884 and died 27 Jul 1969. Ora Ethel married CHARLES **CATER** second, before she died on 12 Jan 1980. Sherman and Ora Ethel Smith had three children.³

124262418. **THELMA LOU MYRTLE DUNN** was born 10 Sep 1903 and married HERMAN CLAY **BUCKLES** who was born 29 May 1900 and died 27 Sep 1982. Thelma died 29 Nov 1975. They had four children.⁴

124262419. **JOSEPH LAWRENCE DUNN** was born 1 Aug 1910 and married FLORA BEATRICE **NASON** who was born 27 Sep 1911. Joseph died 10 Nov 1988. They had one child.⁵

The children of [#12426261] William M. and Nettie G. (Greer) Wilson [son of David N.,

¹ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

² Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

³ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

⁴ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in RTF file

⁵ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002

Hezekiel, Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were R. Clyde, Charlie C., Jessie H., James Lester, Estel Raymond, and Carl.

124262612. CHARLIE C. WILSON was born 20 Feb 1905, married VICTORIA GENTRY, and died in 1977. They had two children.¹

124262613. **JESSIE H. WILSON** was born 6 Oct 1908 and married PANSY B. **BRYANT** who was born 26 Feb 1909 and died 12 Mar 1992. Jessie died 28 Jul 1993. They had two children.²

The children of [#12426263] Daily and Blanche (Wilson) Widener [daughter of David N., Hezekiel, Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Madeline, Fern, and Lenis W.

124262632. **FERN WIDENER** married CHARLES DELMAR **WILSON**. Fern died 10 May 1993. They had one known child.³

The children of [#12426281] David Eugene and Bertie M. (Phillippi) Reece [son of Elizabeth E. (Wilson) Reece, Hezekiel, Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Walter Watson, Hubert Kent, Robert Clyde, Charles Fredrick, Margaret Ellen, James Wallace, Alice Elizabeth, Luther Dayton, and Betty Mae.

124262811. WALTER WATSON REECE was born 6 Jun 1911 and married RUBY SMITH. They had two children.⁴

The one child of [#15211225] Howard and Rebecca C. (Righter) Ogden [son of George Lybrand, Sarah Nitzel (Lincoln) Ogden, John, Abraham, Anna (Rambo) Lincoln, Mons, Gunnar, Peter].

152112251. **HOWARD RAYMOND OGDEN** was born in 1912, and he married MILDRED . Howard died 8 Dec 2008; his wife survived him. They had one child:⁵

"Howard Raymond Ogden, 1912 - 2008. Mr. Howard Raymond Ogden, 96, of Panama City, passed away Monday, Dec. 8, 2008, at a local hospital. Howard enjoyed singing as a small boy and sang at the Philco Radio World's Fair. He retired from Amour Meat Co.

¹ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

² Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

³ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

⁴ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

⁵ Ken Watkins, e-mail of Oct 2011 w/ photo of obituary

after 30 years of service and was the assistant state director for AARP from Tallahassee to Orlando and founded four new Chapters; he was the president of the local chapter from 1977 to 1997. Howard also worked many years for the local Cancer Society and was the secretary of 18 years of Acme Lodge No. 222. He was an active member of the First United Methodist Church of Panama City for 30 years. Howard is survived by his wife, Mildred Memorial services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Dec. 15 a Bay Center Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, 1336 St. Andrews Blvd., Panama City, and at 4 p.m. at Kent Forest Lawn Funeral Home with the Rev. David Warren officiating. Kent-Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 2403 Harrison Ave., Panama City, Fla. 32410, 850-763-4694"

The known child of [#17121412] Samuel Comp and Hannah Elizabeth (Adams) Rambo [son of John Robinson, Nathan, John, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171214121. **CARRIE VIRGINIA RAMBO** was born 25 Jun 1897 in Carroll Township, Perry Co., Pennsylvania and married ELMER BRANDT **SPOTTS**. He was born 21 Aug 1899 in Spring Township, Perry Co., PA, a son of Samuel and Estella (Dunkelberger) Spotts. Elmer died 5 Oct 1988, Carrie died on 13 Jul 1993 in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and they are buried in New Bloomfield, Pennsylvania. They had four children, all born in Carroll Township:¹

The children of [#17122412] James Thomas and Elsie Bond (Cherry) Jenkins [son of John William, Elizabeth (Rambo) Jenkins, Joseph, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Herbert Cherry, James Thomas, and Lyman Hall.

171224121. **HERBERT CHERRY JENKINS** was born 2 Oct 1894 in Burnside, Illinois and married ISABEL GERTRUDE **WHITE** on 20 Jan 1919 in Kahoka, Missouri. She was born 13 Jun 1896 in Missouri. Herbert lived on a farm his entire life and died 12 Jan 1972 in Kahoka. Isabel died 25 Dec 1983 in Missouri. They had two children:²

171224122. **JAMES THOMAS (Pete) JENKINS** Jr. was a medical doctor who was born 24 Sep 1896 in Burnside, Illinois. He married CAROLYN **MIZE** on 25 Nov 1925 in Atchison, Kansas. She was born 11 Nov 1903 in Atchison. They lived in Peoria, Illinois and eventually retired to Arizona where Carolyn died 1 Apr 1961 in Phoenix, and Dr. Jenkins died there 24 Feb 1971. They had three children:³

¹ Mary Thomas, e-mail of 20 Feb 2003

² Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003

³ Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003

171224123. LYMAN HALL JENKINS was born 11 Jan 1900 in Burnside, Illinois and married EDITH HENRIETTA HAUMERSEN on 5 Oct 1922 in Chicago, Illinois. She was born 29 Jan 1900 in Chicago, a daughter of George Adolph and Hedwig (Stueller) Haumersen. Lyman was sales manager of the Standard Paint and Varnish Works in Chicago until he retired to Florida in 1964. Lyman died on 29 Apr 1991 in Stuart, Florida and was buried in Boca Raton, Florida. Edith died 19 Aug 1991 in Port Salerno, Florida. Lyman and Edith had two children including this one:¹

The child of [#17123214] Percy Francis and Ida Helen (Crim) Maxwell [son of Sarah Sylvanus (Rambo) Maxwell, William, Nathan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171232141. **HELEN ROLLINS MAXWELL** was born 6 Jun 1909 and married JAMES FRANKLIN **YOUNG** on 15 Nov 1930 in Bethany, Missouri. He was born 4 Jul 1910 at Pattonsburg, Missouri and died 21 Dec 1983. Helen died 21 Aug 1938 and is buried in Pattonsburg. They had one known child who was adopted by her maternal grandparents after the death of her mother.²

" Mark's mother, Doris, was born October 5, 1932 in Pattonsburg, Missouri. She and Laverne were married at his parents' home on March 5, 1949. Her parents were James Franklin Young, born July 4, 1910 at Pattonsburg, married on November 15, 1930 in Bethany, died December 21, 1983; and Helen Rollins Maxwell, born June 6, 1909, and died August 21, 1938. Both are buried in Pattonsburg. After her mother's death, Doris lived with her adoptive grandparents, Perry Francis Maxwell, born December 31, 1872 in Dublin, Indiana, married October 14, 1896, and died November 7, 1951; and Ida Helen Crim, born January 24, 1874 and died October 7, 1942.

Perry's father was Benjamin F. Maxwell, born March 22, 1836, married August 29, 1860, and died April 4, 1900, and his mother was Sylvia Rambo, born May 21, 1840, died January 19, 1909.

James Young's father was George McClellen Young, born Dec ...".³

The children of [#17124121] George and Alida (Spring) Young [son of Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were George, Grace, Ralph, and Ray.

171241211. GEORGE YOUNG was born in 1872 in Jackson Co., Michigan and

¹ Marion Jenkins Daly, letter of 27 Jul 2003

² Tama News Herald, et. al., comps., History of Tama County, Iowa (1987), family #F1028, p. 793

³ Tama News Herald, et. al., comps., History of Tama County, Iowa (1987), family #F1028, pp. 792-793

married ROMANDA **BACKUS**.¹ He died in 1900, and his widow remarried. The children took the name of their stepfather, Mr. Lacy:

1712412111. BERNICE LACY, b. 1897, m. Leon Roosa 1712412112. PERRY A. LACY, b. 1900, m. Anna Thomas

The children of [#17124122] Ivester and Charlotte (St. John) Young [son of Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241221. **FRED L. YOUNG** was born in Jackson Co., Michigan in 1877 and married ILAH (**YOUNG**) O'BRIEN [#171241252], the daughter of Addison and Viola Young.² Fred Young died in 1918.

171241222. CARRIE M. YOUNG was born in 1884 in Jackson Co., Michigan and married E. ROY HEATH.³ They had one son:

1712412221. EARL I. HEATH, b. 1906

171241223. ALICE A. YOUNG was born in Michigan in 1888 and married GEORGE FRUSHARD.⁴

171241224. **FLOYD YOUNG** was born in 1889 in Jackson Co., Michigan and married MILDRED **MALOTT**.⁵ He died in 1955. They lived in Grass Lake, Michigan and had four children.

The children of [#17124123] Rankin and Minnie L. (Austin) Young [son of Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241231. AUSTIN F. YOUNG was born in 1877 in Jackson Co., Michigan and married LELA BABCOCK. Austin married HAZEL LANG second, and they lived in Palm Beach, Florida in retirement. Austin and Lela had two children including this one:⁶

1712412311. RANKIN A. YOUNG, b. 1905, d. 1906 Austin and Hazel had three children.

171241232. MABEL O. YOUNG was born in Michigan in 1879 and married DAN

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⁵ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

⁶ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

MINER. They had one child who died young ¹

171241234. **BELLE I. YOUNG** was born in 1883 in Michigan and married BEN **LUMBARD**.² She died in 1953. They lived in Leslie, Michigan and had two children including this one:

1712412341. KENT B. LUMBARD, b. 1904

171241235. AGNES A. YOUNG was born in 1884 in Jackson Co., Michigan and married ASHLEY B. RICE.³ He was born in 1878 and died in 1946. Mrs. Agnes Rice later married A. T. INGALLS. They lived in Leslie, Michigan. Agnes and Ashley Rice had two children:

1712412351. CHARLES R. RICE, b. 1904 1712412352. CLYDE E. RICE, b. 1910

171241236. **MARGARET YOUNG** was born in 1886 in Michigan and married LLOYD **BLACKMORE**.⁴ The lived in Leslie, Michigan, and had two children:

1712412361. MARIAN BLACKMORE, b. 1909

1712412362. GARTH BLACKMORE, b. 1911, d. 1939

171241237. OLIVER C. YOUNG was born in 1892 in Michigan and married LUCILE CLARK.⁵ He died in 1918, leaving his wife with one child.

171241238. **PAUL R. YOUNG** was born in Jackson Co., Michigan in 1893 and married FLORENCE **FISHER**.⁶ They had one son and lived in Lakeland, Florida.

171241239. **MADELINE H. YOUNG** was born in Michigan in 1895 and married Dr. LINN J. **BOYD**.⁷ They had no children.

17124123A. **GEORGE I. YOUNG** was born in 1900 in Jackson Co., Michigan and married LORAINE **SCOFIELD**. George Young married a second time, to MABEL (?), and lived in Terre Haute, Indiana. George and Loraine had one child.⁸ George and Mable had one child.

The children of [#17124124] John Pennypacker and Alice F. (Freeman) Young, his second wife, [son of Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo)

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⁸ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Claude D., Olive C., Bessie L., Winnie G., and Ralph A.

171241241. CLAUDE D. YOUNG was born in Michigan in 1878 and married MATILDA CHRISTIE. He died in 1944. They had one child:¹
 1712412411. BRUCE YOUNG, b. 1909

171241242. OLIVE C. YOUNG was born in 1881 in Michigan and married WILLIAM
CLEMENTS. They lived in Detroit and had four children including these:
1712412421. DOROTHY CLEMENTS, b. 1904
1712412422. JAMES W. CLEMENTS, b. 1908, d. 1910

171241245. **RALPH A. YOUNG** was born in 1893 and married JENNIE **BOUCHER**.² He died in 1960. They lived in Port Huron, Michigan and had two children.

The children of [#17124125] Addison Vanderslight and Viola L. (Babcock) Young [son of Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241251. **EDNA YOUNG** was born in 1881 in Jackson Co., Michigan and married JOHN **WESTREN**.³ They lived in Leslie, Michigan and had four children including these:

1712412511. JOHN WESTREN, b. 1903

1712412512. ANNIE T. WESTREN, b. 1904

1712412513. CYNTHIA E. WESTREN, b. 1906

171241252. ILAH YOUNG was born in Michigan in 1885 and married FRANK O'BRYAN. Ilah O'Bryan married her cousin FRED YOUNG [#171241221], the son of Ivester and Charlotte Young. After Fred died in 1918, Ilah married ALEXANDER HARTZELL and lived in Jackson, MI. Ilah and Frank O'Bryan had one daughter:⁴

1712412521. THELMA K. O'BRYAN, b. 1906

171241253. ANNA L. YOUNG was born in 1892 and married GEORGE WOOD.⁵ She died in 1920 at the age of 28.

171241255. ADDASIEN V. YOUNG was born in 1901, and she married ORLO

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⁵ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

The children of [#17124126] Sumner Edwin and Annie (Young) St. John [daughter of Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Peter Rankin's Descendants* by Paul Rankin.

171241261. **LEWIS ST. JOHN** was born in 1880 in Jackson Co., Michigan and married MARGIE **ROSENBERGER**. He died in 1946. They lived in Grass Lake, Michigan and had three children:²

1712412611. MARY G. ST. JOHN, b. 1907 1712412612. DOROTHY L. ST. JOHN, b. 1909 1712412613. ADA R. ST. JOHN, b. 1911

171241262. **WARD B. ST. JOHN** was born in Jackson Co., Michigan in 1883 and married LOUISE **SWEET**. He died in 1961. They had three children.

The children of [#17124128] Walter Dorr and Sophie Uber (Young) Freeman [daughter of Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241281. **VELLA FREEMAN** was born in 1887, married ERNEST **DOWKER**, and later married LAFAYETTE **SARGENT**. She had no children.

171241282. **DORR FREEMAN** was born in Jackson Co., Michigan in 1891 and married MARJORIE **MANN**.³ They lived in Rives Junction, MI and had two children.

The children of [#17124129] Clyde E. and Angeline Smith (Wood) Young [son of Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241291. H. K. YOUNG was born in 1892 in Michigan and married NELLIE **RUMSEY** first and JOSEPHINE **FINCH** second.. They lived in Leslie, Michigan where he died in 1956. H. K. and Nellie Young had two children.

171241292. LYNN E. YOUNG was born in Jackson Co., Michigan in 1894 and married GRACE CLARK. They had three children.

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² Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

³ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

The children of [#17124162] Heman A. and Eva (Rankin) Evans [daughter of William, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241621. **MAMIE EVANS** was born in 1885 and married JOHN **ROSE**.¹ She died in 1928. They had one child:

1712416211. LEE ROSE (f), b. 1906

171241622. LULU L. EVANS was born in 1887 in Michigan and married ALBERT MANGUS. Mrs. Lulu Mangus next married HARRY PALMER and later married her third husband, CHARLES ROSE. She died in 1931. Albert and Lulu Mangus had two children:²

1712416221. RUSSELL R. MANGUS, b. 1905 1712416222. LEAH MANGUS, b. 1908

The children of [#17124191] Lauren and Cecile Belle (Lyman) Paquin [daughter of Eliza Jane (Rankin) Lyman, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241912. **GUY PAQUIN** was born in 1899 and married MARGUERITTE **NORCROSS**.³ Guy Paquin died in 1980, and his widow died 17 Sep 1985. They lived in Fennville, Michigan and had four children.

171241913. EUGENE L. PAQUIN was born in 1902 and married ALICE FITTS.⁴ They lived in Brooksville, Florida, and Eugene Paquin died in 1979. They had two sons.

The children of [#17124192] Rankin Guy and Maude (Hammond) Lyman [son of Eliza Jane (Rankin) Lyman, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241921. **HARRY H. LYMAN** was born in 1898 and married PAULINE **MAYFARTH**. They lived in Cleveland and had no children.⁵

171241922. BESSIE L. LYMAN was born in 1913 and married RICHARD

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⁴ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

⁵ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

MERICLE. Bessie died in 1940. They had one child.¹

The children of [#17124193] George E. and Anna (Lyman) Breidenstein [daughter of Eliza Jane (Rankin) Lyman, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Peter Rankin's Descendants* by Paul Rankin.²

171241931. **EVA BREIDENSTEIN** was born in Michigan in 1895 and married PERCY **HODGMAN**. Percy died in Dec 1965, and Eva Hodgman died in 1971. They lived in Grand Junction, Michigan with their six children.

171241932. **ZELLA L. BREIDENSTEIN** was born in 1899 and married CLINTON **RIDLEY**. He was born in 1899 and died in 1982. They lived in South Haven, Michigan and had four children.

171241933. J. NELSON BREIDENSTEIN was born in 1903 and married NELLIE ESHLEMAN who died 14 Jul 1985. They lived in South Haven, Michigan and had two children.

171241934. **CECILE B. BREIDENSTEIN** was born in 1907 and married GEORGE **BACHMAN** who died 24 Dec 1972. They lived in South Haven, Michigan and had one son who died in infancy.

171241935. **EDNA I. BREIDENSTEIN** was born in 1909 and married WALTER **DIEFENBACH**. They lived in South Haven where she died in 1951 without issue.

The children of [#17124194] Edwin D. and May (McNutt) Lyman [son of Eliza Jane (Rankin) Lyman, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241941. **CORLAN LYMAN** was born in 1903 in Park Falls, Wisconsin and married LLOYD **SPENCER**.³ He died in 1973, and she died 11 Mar 1985. They lived in South Haven, Michigan and had three children.

171241942. E. GUY LYMAN was born in Wisconsin in 1906 and married GRACE BARDEN.⁴ He died in 1964, and Grace died in 1982. They lived in Pullman, Michigan

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⁴ Paul Rankin, *Peter Rankin's Descendants* (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

and had two children.

The children of [#17124195] Roy and Etta (Garris) Lyman [son of Eliza Jane (Rankin) Lyman, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241951. RANKIN G. LYMAN was born in 1903 and married RUTH SHERMAN.¹ They lived in South Haven, Michigan and had four children.

171241953. JEAN E. LYMAN was born in 1908 and married STANLEY **SOMMERS**.² They lived in Dayton, Ohio with their adopted daughter, Linda born in 1948. Mrs. Jean Sommers died in 1980.

ROGER M. LYMAN was born in 1910 and married BERNIECE 171241954. BORLAND who died in 1967. Roger Lyman then married PAULINE BAILEY. Roger died in 1980. Roger and Berniece lived in Pullman, Michigan and had one child.³

The children of [#17124196] Charles E. and Grace (Lyman) Rice [daughter of Eliza Jane (Rankin) Lyman, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241961. ALICE M. RICE was born in 1900 and married GRANT GABRIEL. He died in 1983, and she died in 1985. They lived in South Haven, MI and had one child.

171241962. ASHLEY L. RICE was born in 1904, and his first marriage was to EDNA STIPES.⁴ He then married ALBERTA ECKLES who died in 1973. Ashley and Alberta lived in Mason, Michigan. Ashley Rice married a third time, to THELMA **LITTLE**. Ashley and Alberta had one child.

171241963. ELVA G. RICE was born 5 Jul 1906 in Allegan Co., MI, and on 19 Feb 1927 she married CALVIN J. WHEELER.⁵ He was born 19 Jan 1903 and died 19 Nov 1966 in Muskegon, Michigan. They lived in South Haven, MI and had two children.

The children of [#17124197] William R. and Nina (Lyman) Irey [daughter of Eliza Jane (Rankin) Lyman, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias,

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Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter].

171241971. **LYMAN IREY** was born in 1906 and married Mrs. FRANCES ELY TILL.¹ He adopted the three children from her first marriage: Robert Till born in 1935, Rodger Till born in 1937, and Donald Till born 1938 & died 1955. Lyman Irey died in 1984. They lived in South Haven, MI and had one son.

171241972. HALSON C. IREY was born in 1908 and married JEAN RYNO.² He died in 1980. They lived in Pullman, Michigan with their adopted son, Richard Irey born in 1945, and their son.

171241973. **CORLAN M. IREY** was born in 1917 and married GEORGE VAN DE WIELE.³ Mrs. Corlan Van De Wiele died in 1981. They lived in Pullman, Michigan and had three children.

The children of [#17143A2A] Oliver Olen and Nina Keortinka (Bennett) Wilkerson [daughter of George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett, Abigail (DeHaven) Cleaver, Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter]. See *Ancestors and Descendants of Lucy Ann and George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett* by Nina K. Bennett Wilkerson, Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, and Heloise Wilkerson Ridgway.

17143A2A1. LOVURTA B. WILKERSON was born 28 Aug 1913 and married J. HULEN GURLEY in 1939 in Ardmore, Oklahoma. Lovurta was a secretary to the Vice President of Pollock Paper Company for 30 years. Hulen died 11 May 1995 and is buried in Dallas, Texas. They had no children.⁴

17143A2A3. **WILLIAM WILKERSON** was born 21 Dec 1917 in Madill, Oklahoma, married WAYNA E. **WRIGHT**, and served in World War II. He was a dentist as is his son Damon. Wayna died in 1965, and William married second, CLEO K. H. **COLLINS**. They had no children. Cleo died 8 Sep 2001. William and Wayna had two children:⁵

17143A2A5. CLARENCE K. WILKERSON was a rancher and breeder of Charlais cattle. He was born 5 May 1922 in Madill, Oklahoma, served in the Air Force in World War II, and crew chiefed the Marauder. He married MAXINE WILLIAMS in 1947 and graduated from Oklahoma State with a degree in pre-veterinary medicine. Clarence married AILEEN MARSH second, in 1975. They had no children. Clarence and his

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⁴ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letters of 23 Sep 1999 & 30 Jan 2003

⁵ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letters of 23 Sep 1999 & 30 Jan 2003

first wife, Maxine, had two children:¹

17143A2A6. **VIRGLE** <u>ARCHIE</u> **WILKERSON** was born 16 Jan 1924 in Madill, Oklahoma and married VIVIAN ELLEN HARDING in 1945. Archie was a survivor of Ford Island, Pearl Harbor, 7 Dec 1941. He was in the Navy Air Force and crew chiefed the PBY, the B-29, and the B-32 in the Pacific throughout WWII, Korea, and Viet Nam. He retired with the highest rank a non-com could earn then built a successful real estate business in Denton, Texas. Virgle died 31 Mar 2002 in Denton of a Parkinsons-like affliction that infected many of the Pacific servicemen and is buried in the Military Memorial Cemetery between Dallas and Fort Worth, TX. Archie and Vivian had four children:²

The children of [#17143A45] Fremont John and Barbara Horton (Parker) Cleaver [son of Fremont John, Abigail (DeHaven) Cleaver, Abigail (Rambo) DeHaven, Nathan, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter] were Flora Barbara, Eva Alice, Mary Jeannette, Olive Irene, Margarette Mary, Blanch Elizabeth, Harry Hamilton, Fremont John, and Charles Edger. See *Ancestors and Descendants of Lucy Ann and George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett* by Nina K. Bennett Wilkerson, Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, and Heloise W. Ridgway.

17143A451. **FLORA BARBARA CLEAVER** was born 11 Nov 1911 at Oak Station, Overbrook, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and married LOUIS EDWARD **WENK** in Pittsburgh on 23 Mar 1931. He was born 18 Jul 1907, a son of Charles Edward and Mary Eliz. (Tranter) Wenk. He drove a Georgia Pacific 18 wheeler from 1943 until his death on 22 Jun 1970 in Pittsburgh. Flora drove a Pittsburgh Public School bus after her husband's death. She was a Presbyterian and died 17 Nov 2001 in Pittsburgh. They had these five children born in Pittsburgh:³

The children of [#19146211] Samuel Wright and Elizabeth Comly (Dercum) Mifflin [daughter of Elizabeth DeHaven (Comly) Dercum, Mary Emily (DeHaven) Comly, Elizabeth (Rambo) DeHaven, Jonathan, Peter, Elias, Gunnar, Peter].

191462113. **BARBARA DERCUM MIFFLIN** was born 13 Feb 1928 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and took private flying lessons instead of attending college. She married DONALD **ELY**, M.D., on 25 Jun 1947 in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania. He was a psychiatrist and mountaineer who was born 18 Jan 1929 at Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia Co., PA, a son of William Newbold and Elizabeth Ann (Taylor) Ely Jr. and a descendant of Joshua Ely who emigrated from Lincolnshire, England in 1683 to become a wealthy

¹ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letters of 23 Sep 1999 & 30 Jan 2003

² Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letters of 23 Sep 1999 & 30 Jan 2003

³ Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 913 Chasewood, Denton, TX 76205, letters of 23 Sep 1999 & 30 Jan 2003

landowner and an early founder of Trenton, New Jersey. Dr. Donald Ely died at age 28 on 24 Jun 1957 at Exeter, New Hampshire. Barbara supported many public institutions including the Church Farm School, the Philadelphia Museum of Art, and the Philadelphia Zoo. She was interested in aviation, antiques, and astronomy and traveled extensively, especially in Greece. Barbara died of carcinoma at age 55 on 19 Nov 1983 in Chestnut Hill, and was buried with her husband in the Solebury Friends Cemetery, Bucks Co., Pennsylvania.^{1,2} The same cemetery holds Ely ancestors back through the Revolutionary Hugh Ely, III. Dr. and Mrs. Ely lived in Spring House, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania and in Chestnut Hill and had three children:³

1914621131. CHRISTOPHER NEWBOLD ELY, b. 21 Apr 1948, d. 31 Dec 1985

¹ Duncan Ely, family research, showed copies of birth, marriage, and death certificates; and obituaries

² Duncan Ely, family research, The Ambler Gazette of 24 Nov 1983 p. 8 & Main Line Times of 23 Nov 1983 p. 51 with picture

³ George Norwood Comly, Comly Family in America and Supplement, Supplement, p. 89, thanks to Duncan Ely

CHAPTER 12: 11th Generation Descendents

The children of [#121171132] Robert Lewis and Addah Mae (Reno) Brotherton [daughter of Smith C., Francis, Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Percy DeWight, John, Raymond Clyde, Lester, and Mildred.

1211711321. **PERCY DeWIGHT BROTHERTON** was born 20 Jun 1889 in Rochester, Pennsylvania and married CHARLOTTE ANN **SHEPHERD** on 14 Nov 1906 in Muncie, Indiana. She was born 10 Mar 1889 at St. Mary's, Ohio, a daughter of William and Charlotta (Geyer) Shepherd. Percy weighed only 120 pounds, dearly loved the Cincinnati Reds and handicapped the horses. He is reputed to have made the best bathtub gin in or around Cincinnati during prohibition.¹ Charlotte died 14 Sep 1956 of leukemia and arteriosclerosis at Reading, Ohio, Percy died there of thrombosis 30 Jan 1957, and they are buried in the Protestant Cemetery at Reading. They had nine children including these:²

12117113211. ADDAH BROTHERTON, b. 19 Jan 1907, m. 1) G. Fox, 2) J. Jessen

12117113212. DORIS BROTHERTON, b. 8 Dec 1908 in Ohio, d. Jan 1978, m.

12117113213. MABEL PHILOMENA BROTHERTON, b. 5 Nov 1911, m. 1).., 2)

12117113214. GEORGE CARLOS BROTHERTON, b. 22 Sep 1915, d. Feb 2000

12117113215. WILLIAM E. BROTHERTON, b. 16 Feb 1918, d. 23 Apr 1973

12117113217. CLIFTON BROTHERTON, b. 16 May 1922, d. 20 Feb 1994

12117113218. CHARLES BROTHERTON, b. 3 Dec 1925, d. 8 May 1963

1211711322. **JOHN BROTHERTON** was born 21 Dec 1890 in Tiffin, Ohio and married MARTHA **GLARDON** about 1910. She was born about 1895. John died 26 Aug 1926 at Reading, Ohio.³ They had three children.⁴

1211711323. **RAYMOND CLYDE BROTHERTON** was born 22 Jan 1893 at Tiffin Ohio and married MARIE **CORSMIER** on 22 Jul 1914 in Ohio. She was born 11 Jun 1896 in Des Moines, Iowa. Raymond died 12 Nov 1967 at Reading, Ohio, and Marie died there 28 Jan 1968. They had eleven children including these:⁵

12117113231. RAYMOND CLYDE BROTHERTON, b. & d. 1 Jul 1915

12117113232. MARY ELIZABETH BROTHERTON, b. 22 May 1916, m. Sanders

12117113235. ESTELLE BROTHERTON, b. 29 May 1925, d. 27 May 1926

1211711324. LESTER BROTHERTON was born 20 Jan 1895 at Beaver Falls,

¹ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

³ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM ⁴ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

Pennsylvania and married ALMA JOSEPHINE LANTRY on 26 Jan 1916 at Reading, Ohio. She was born there 23 Dec 1895. Lester died in Oct 1976 in Cincinnati, Ohio, and Alma died there on 14 May 1980. They had seven children including this one:¹ 12117113242. ROBERT WILLIAM BROTHERTON, b. 5 Aug 1918, d. 1992, m.

1211711325. **MILDRED BROTHERTON** was born 6 Jan 1897 in Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania and married JOHN **FLEGE** on 31 May 1916 in Reading, Ohio. He was born in Ohio on 2 Dec 1894. Mildred died in Jul 1986 in Cincinnati, and John died there 15 Dec 1987. They had six children.²

The children of [#121171133] Francis and Clara Adele (Knecht) Reno [son of Smith C., Francis, Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Harry Eugene, Mildred M., Lillian E., Thelma A., Myrtle L., Francis E., Garnet June, and Howard.

1211711331. **HARRY EUGENE RENO** was born 8 Mar 1896 in Ohio and married RUTH A. **STOUT** on 13 Dec 1919 in Delaware Co., Indiana. She was born 20 Nov 1900. Harry died in Jan 1972 in Muncie, Indiana and is buried there in Beech Grove Cemetery.³ They had at least two children including this one:⁴

12117113312. ROBERT VERE RENO, b. 21 Oct 1921, m. Alberta M. Garman

1211711332. **MILDRED M. RENO** was born 7 Jan 1900 in Delaware Co., Indiana and married MELVIN MILES **MITCHELL** on 23 Mar 1918 in Delaware Co. He was born 25 Sep 1898 in Indiana. Melvin died about 1968 in Muncie, Indiana, and Mildred died there about 1969. They had four children including these:⁵

12117113321. MELVIN MILES MITCHELL, b. 25 Sep 1918, d. 13 Jun 1989

12117113323. BILLY FRANCIS MITCHELL, b. 7 Apr 1922, d. Jul 1985, m.

12117113324. BETTY JOAN MITCHELL, b. 27 Mar 1928, d. 27 Feb 2000

1211711333. **LILLIAN E. RENO** was born 12 Dec 1903 in Muncie, Indiana and married GERALD **ULLOM** on 31 Mar 1923 in Delaware Co., Indiana. He was born 25 Jul 1897 and died in Oct 1977 in Muncie. Lillian died there in Sep 1987. They were buried in Beech Grove Cemetery, Muncie.⁶

1211711335. **MYRTLE L. RENO** was born Nov 1909 in Ohio and married LOREN **SNYDER**. He was born 18 Jun 1907 in Indiana. Loren died in Dec 1968 in Daleville,

⁵ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

³ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM ⁴ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 17 May 2004

⁶ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

Indiana, and Myrtle died 2 Aug 1995 in Muncie, Indiana.¹

1211711336. **FRANCIS E. RENO** was born 5 May 1912 in Muncie, Indiana and died 6 Feb 1993 in Anderson, Indiana.²

1211711337. **GARNET JUNE RENO** was born 28 Sep 1916 in Muncie, Indiana and married HORACE JAMES **ALLISON**. Horace was born 6 Jan 1905 in Alba, Michigan, died in Jun 1979 in Muncie, Indiana, and is buried there in Elm Ridge Cemetery. Garnet married DALLAS **BUSH** second. He was born 4 Jan 1912. Garnet died in Muncie in Aug 1977, and Dallas died 3 Jan 1990 in Shelbyville, Tennessee.³

1211711338. **HOWARD RENO** was born 14 May 1919 in Muncie, Indiana and died 20 Feb 1988 in Glenview, Illinois.⁴

The children of [#121411215] Fleming Claude and Catherine Ruth (Haldeman) Bower [son of Frederick Evans, Catherine (Kremer) Bower, Catherine (Evans) Kremer, Frederick, Elizabeth (North) Evans, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Bryant H., Harriet Susan, Thomas Frederick, Fleming Claude, Charles Russell, Bradford Evans, Delois Ruth Mary, Catherine Isabelle, Elizabeth Ann, and Harry Yearick.

1214112152. **BRYANT H. BOWER** was born 12 Aug 1922, married MILDRED **THOMAS**, and had children:⁵

1214112153. **HARRIET SUSAN BOWER** was born 26 Dec 1923 and married CHARLES RICHARD **PARK** who was born 18 Sep 1921 in Ohio. Harriet died 15 May 2000 in Lima, Ohio. They had children:⁶

1214112156. CHARLES RUSSELL BOWER was born 11 Jan 1928 in Louisville, Kentucky and died Oct 1976 at Toledo, Ohio.⁷

1214112157. **BRADFORD EVANS BOWER** was born 21 Dec 1928 at Louisville, Kentucky and died 14 Feb 1929 in Jefferson Co., Kentucky.⁸

121411215A. **ELIZABETH ANN BOWER** was born in Cincinnati, Ohio on 7 Oct 1936, died 12 Dec 1992 in Lima, Ohio, and is buried there in Woodlawn Cemetery. She

⁴ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

¹ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

² Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

³ Steve Priest, "Evans ...," at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~spriest/evans%20eaton/PS01/PS01_333.HTM

⁵ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁶ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁷ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

⁸ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

married DONALD TRUMAN **HUGHES** on 24 Apr 1955 in Alger, Ohio. He was born 28 Dec 1932 in Alger, a son of Finley Delbert and Agnes Imogene (Burris) Hughes. He died 15 May 1991 in Lima and is buried in Preston Cemetery, Alger. They had four children:¹

121411215A1. GLORIA ANN HUGHES, b. 23 May 1956, m. James Arthur Motter

The children of [#121538518] James Silas and Ruth (Taylor) Harbour [daughter of Sophia, Isaac, Sophia, Elizabeth, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Gunnar, Peter].

1215385181. **JOHN THURMAN HARBOUR** was born at Winfield, Kansas on 6 Jan 1907, and on 28 Dec 1928 he married JEWELL OLETA **PROCTOR**.² She was born 22 Sep 1910 at Cheyenne, Oklahoma, the daughter of Frank and Dora (Foster) Proctor. John was a farmer in Del Norte, Colorado for most of his life. Mrs. Jewell Harbour died 7 Jan 1966, and John died 9 May 1975. They had seven children.

1215385182. **IRENE RUTH HARBOUR** was born 6 Jan 1909 in Winfield, Kansas and married PERCY **MEARDON** on 15 Nov 1936.³ They had six children.

1215385183. **NELLIE LUCILLE HARBOUR** was born 22 Dec 1910 in KS, and on 18 May 1930 she married FRANK **DRAKE** in Del Norte, CO.⁴ She died 8 Apr 1974.

1215385184. **CAROL MARIE HARBOUR** was born at Skiatook, Oklahoma on 24 Jun 1912 and married PERCY **MEARDON** on 8 Sep 1934.⁵ She died 17 Jul 1935 following the birth of their child, Carol.

The children of [#121538812] A.L. and Annie (Grubb) Flowers [daughter of Susan Randolph (Taylor) Grubb, Marjory Jane (Brown) Taylor, Sophia (Randolph) Brown, Elizabeth (North) Randolph, John, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Robert Franklin, Leslie Deward, Ectlis, and Ermie Lee.⁶

1215388121. **ROBERT FRANKLIN FLOWERS** was born 20 Sep 1903 in Butler Co., Kentucky and married AMANDA ELIZABETH **SHORT** on 29 Jan 1929 in Toledo, Ohio. Frank died 27 Aug 1990 in Scottsdale, Arizona and is buried there.

1215388122. LESLIE DEWARD FLOWERS was born 29 Mar 1906 in Butler Co.,

¹Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

³ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁴ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁵ Joan Tankersley, Box 464, Creede, CO 81130, family records

⁶ Gladys Martin Brooks, e-mail attachment of 7 Nov 2011 w/ copy of obituary

KY and married ANNA LOURITTA **MCCOY** there on 12 Jan 1935. Leslie died in 1981 in Butler Co. and is buried there in Hill Haven Memory Gardens.

1215388123. **ECTLIS FLOWERS** was born 16 Sep 1908 and married LENA W. **STORMS** on 30 Aug 1930 in Toledo, Ohio. Ectlis died 11 Feb 1975 in Michigan. He is buried in Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Flatrock, MI.

1215388124. **ERMIE LEE FLOWERS** was born 10 Aug 1916 in Butler Co., Kentcky and married IVAN **MARTIN** there on 24 Nov 1934. He was born 10 Dec 1905 in Butler Co., a son of Alfred Thomas and Sarah Ettie (Sorrells) Martin. Ermie was a member of Big Muddy Missionary Baptist Church, a member of the DAR, and a charter member of the Historical and Genealogical Society. Ermie died 27 Oct 1986 at the hospital in Bowling Green, KY and Ivan died 2 Jul 1998, both in Warren Co., KY, and they are buried in Hill Haven Memory Gardens in Butler Co. Ivan and Ermie had two children.

"Martin-Flowers. Ivan Martin was born in Butler County December 10, 1905. He is the fourth of six children born to Alfred Thomas "Jack" Martin (1872-1947) and Sarah Ettie Sorrells Martin (1873-1956) both born in Butler County. (See Martin-Sorrells family) Sarah Ettie was the daughter of William David "Bill" Sorrells (1834-1924) and Isabell Whitaker Sorrells (1847-1911). Alfred Thomas Martin was the son of William Washington "Wash" Martin (1842-1912). Ivan Martin's great-grandfather, James Martin, came to Butler County from Campbell County, Virginia after he married Judith Moore in 1819. Judith was born 1797 and died in 1874. James Martin was killed in 1878, while working on the Government Locks and Dam at Woodbury. On November 24, 1934, Ivan Martin married Ermie Lee Flowers, born August 10, 1918, died October 27, 1986, the daughter of A.L. Flowers (1878-1968) and Annie Grubb Flowers (1881-1970). Ermie Lee is the youngest of four children ...".¹

"Ermie Lee Martin dies October 27. Ermie Lee Martin, 70, of Morgantown died October 27, at 11 a.m. at the HCA Greenview Hospital in Bowling Green. Mrs. Martin was born August 10, 1916 in Butler County, the daughter of A.L. Flowers and Annie (Grubbs) Flowers, she was the wife of Ivan Martin, an assistant activities director at Lakeview Nursing Home, and a member of Big Muddy Missionary Baptist Church. Mrs. Martin was also a charter member and president of the Butler County Historical and Genealogical Society, member of Butler County Chapter D.A.R., and a member of the Butler County Senior Citizens. Survivors include her husband, Ivan Martin, Morgantown; two daughters, ...; one brother, Frank Flowers, Scottsdale, Arizona, also several nices and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. at Smith Funeral Home Chapel Oct. 29 with burial in Hill Haven Memory Garden to follow. Bro. Paul

¹ Gladys Martin Brooks, e-mail attachment of 7 Nov 2011 w/ picture citing A History of Butler County KY & Its People

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Hampton and Bro. James Vincani to officiate.¹

The known child of [#121C19XXX] James Curtis and Cleo Reed (McArthur) Yeager [daughter of Helen R. (Wilson) McArthur, Joshua North Wilson, Sarah W. (North) Wilson, Joshua, Thomas, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

121C19XXXX. **NORMA LEE YEAGER** was born 9 Apr 1925 in Green, Kansas and married MANUAL JOSEPH **GONZALEZ** on 4 Nov 1942 in Manhatten, Kansas. He was born 2 Jan 1922 in Spaulding, Nebraska. Norma died 28 Dec 1989 in Kansas City, Missouri, and Manual died there 10 May 1991. They had one known child:²

The children of [#122215142] Clarence W. and Maude Clare (Koplin) Phillips [daughter of Orin Pulaski, Jacob, Abraham, Matthias, Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1222151421. ELIZABETH LOUISE PHILLIPS was born 4 Apr 1905 and lived with her parents most of the time until her third marriage to Dick Landis. She married ANDY MANSFIELD first, in the 1920s, LEWIS SUMP second, and RICHARD (Dick) LANDIS in 1952 third. Dick was a fellow employee at Bendix Westinghouse in Elyria. They retired to Sarasota, Florida where Elizabeth died 7 May 1979. Elizabeth and Lewis Sump had a child.³

The children of [#122215144] Perry Orin and Jennette Sevilla (Thomas) Koplin [son of Orin Pulaski, Jacob, Abraham, Matthias, Matthias, Mary (Rambo) Koplin, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Ruth, Nancy, and Harry Thomas.⁴

1222151441. **RUTH KOPLIN** was born 2 Aug 1917 in Elyria, Ohio and volunteered, as a high school student, at the local hospital, for the girl scouts, and as a swimming teacher. She worked in the family drug store during vacations and graduated from Miami University of Ohio with a major in Mathematics. After her parents died, she worked full time at the drug store until her marriage. Ruth married a college classmate, NEIL HENDERSON **RENTON**, on 30 Aug 1941. He was from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania where they lived in an apartment when their daughter was born. During WWII, Neil served as a Marine in the South Pacific. He was in the retail business, retired in 1976, and died in 1994. As an adult Ruth continued with the Girl Scouts to the

¹ Gladys Martin Brooks, e-mail attachment of 7 Nov 2011 w/ copy of obituary

² Rita H. Burke

³ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

⁴ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letters of 20 Feb 2001, 11 Oct 2002

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point of becoming a board member and an officer. During the last 25 or 30 years, her passion was strictly genealogy; she volunteered with libraries and genealogical and historical societies. Ruth died 4 Mar 2006. Neil and Ruth had two children.

1222151442. **NANCY KOPLIN** was born 24 Aug 1921 and graduated from Baldwin Wallace College in Berea, Ohio. She joined the Women's Army Corps (WAC) and was discharged as a lieutenant. She went to graduate school at Penn State where she met PHIL ROWLAND **JACK**, who she married on 7 Jun 1948. They were divorced. Nancy taught high school until she resigned and moved to Minneapolis to be near her daughter. Nancy died 9 Apr 1989. They had two children.¹

1222151443. **HARRY THOMAS KOPLIN** was born 2 May 1923 and attended Oberlin College in Ohio. While there, he volunteered and served in the U.S. Army in Europe. He graduated from Oberlin, received his PhD from Cornell University, and was a professor of economics at the University of Oregon in Eugene. On 13 Jun 1953 he married ROBERTA (Bobby) **McKOWN** who had also earned a PhD. Harry received the university's highest faculty honor for distinguished teaching in 1966. The family spent sabbaticals touring in Europe; their oldest child was born in England. Harry and Bobby divorced. After the divorce, Bobby joined the University of Alberta, Canada and died there. Harry died 16 Dec 1993. They had three children.²

The children of [#123524112] Robert Curtis and Julia Alberta (Pierce) Cole [son of Mary Ann (Wood) Cole, Elizabeth (Selders) Wood, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1235241122. **MARY PIERCE COLE** was born 2 Oct 1908 in Platte, South Dakota and married DONALD DEAN **FITCH** in Hudson, South Dakota on 5 Oct 1935. He was born 22 May 1902 in Hudson. They had four children:³

1235241123. **RUTH ANONA COLE** was born 22 Aug 1910 in Platte, South Dakota and married CECIL WILLIAM **HENKELS** on 28 Sep 1940 in Sioux City, Iowa. He was born 14 Mar 1913 in Hawarden, Iowa. They had three children.⁴

The children of [#123524114] Clark Stewart and Freda Cordelia (Morrison) Cole [son of Mary Ann (Wood) Cole, Elizabeth (Selders) Wood, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

² Ruth Renton, Gail Dowell, Barbara Wentz, and Bradley Behrens, Koplin research, letter of 11 Oct 2002

³ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

⁴ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

1235241141. **EDWARD CLARK COLE** was a Mormon born 2 Aug 1912 in Wenatchee, Washington and married to WILLA GRAY **HOLMAN** on 3 Jul 1934 in Yakima, Washington. Willa was born 30 Jun 1915, a daughter of Don Holman. Edward married NAOMI JUNE (**PROBSTFELD**) HAZELTON second, on 12 Jun 1956. Edward died in Portland, Oregon on 15 Oct 1995 and is buried in Evergreen Memorial Gardens, Vancouver, Washington. Edward and Willa had two children, twins.¹

1235241142. **STEWART MORRISON COLE** was born 17 Apr 1915 in Yakima, Washington and married MAURINE **Van COURT** on 14 Feb 1934. He married BONITA MAY **MARKEL** second, on 7 Sep 1945. He married a third time and died on 8 Dec 1961 at the Vet's Hospital in Sepulveda, California. Stewart and Maurine had one child.² Stewart and Bonita had three children.

The children of [#123524115] Roy Miller and Mary Margaret (Cole) Wilson [daughter of Mary Ann (Wood) Cole, Elizabeth (Selders) Wood, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1235241151. ANONA MARGARET WILSON was born 12 Nov 1913 in Eureka, Kansas and married EDWARD DONALD HEIMBIGNER at Woodland, Washington on 10 Aug 1940. He was born 12 Jan 1913 in Odessa, Washington, a son of Conrad and Catherine Heimbigner. Anona taught English and Art in the Odessa grade and high schools for 36 years and was also the librarian in both the school and the town of Odessa. Her avocations were oil and watercolor painting, reading, and working to protect the environment. After retiring in 1975 she served two terms on the Odessa Town Council. Anona is a genealogist who provided information for several generations of her ancestors. She writes, "I can remember my mother, Margaret Cole Wilson, and her sister, Anna Cole Bower, at the dining table in our house in Great Bend, Kansas as they worked on the Cole Family Record" which has been published as *The Family Tree of Anona Lynn Heimbigner* and microfilmed by the LDS: film #1307621. Edward died on 23 Sep 1980. Edward and Anona had two children:³

The children of [#123524117] Harry Lewis and Ida Carrie (Conard) Cole [son of Mary Ann (Wood) Cole, Elizabeth (Selders) Wood, Nancy (Rambo) Selders, Thomas, Peter, John, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1235241171. HARRY LEWIS COLE was born 22 Aug 1920 in Pullman, Washington

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

³ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

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and married HILDA RUTH **HUNGATE** on 25 Oct 1942. They had one child before Harry died on 17 Jun 1944 in the Pacific during World War II.¹

The children of [#124221213] Oliver and (?) Rambo [son of Richmond, Elias K., Francis Kincannon, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1242212131. **JESSE VAUGHN RAMBO** was born 29 Jun 1909. He moved from McKinney, Collin Co., Texas to Jasper, Walker Co., Alabama where he was a farmer and a coal mine owner. He married VELMA LEE **GIFFORD** who was born 26 Mar 1916, a daughter of William Mack Penison and Flora Inez Margaret (McOrd) Gifford. Velma died 20 Jun 1939 in Walker Co., Alabama. Jesse married HATTIE MAE (**LANIER**) WADSWORTH second. Hattie Mae was born in Feb 1900 and died 29 Sep 1991, only three months after Jesse. Jesse died 22 Jun 1991. Jesse and Velma had three children:²

The children of [#124223745] Willie Ashley and Myrtle Bryant (Andrews) Harris [daughter of Sallie (Bryant) Andrews, Mary H. (Welch) Bryant, Elizabeth H. (Rambo) Welch, Elias, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

1242237451. **ELGIE IRWIN HARRIS** was born 14 Aug 1900 and married MARY CARMILLA **BRYANT** on 6 Dec 1928. She was born 8 Mar 1898, a daughter of John Farrington and Virginia (McClean) Bryant. Elgie died 19 May 1981 and is buried in Lone Oak Cemetery, Marshall Co., Tennessee.³

1242237452. **HAZEL HARRIS** was born 13 Oct 1904 and married SAMUEL **TENNISON** on 26 Oct 1923. He was born 20 Sep 1898.⁴

1242237453. **DAVID ALLEN HARRIS** was born 26 Mar 1907 and married EVELYN **HILL** [#124221971] on 26 Nov 1936. She was born 28 May 1911, a daughter of Jesse Morgan and Annie Mai (Rambo) Hill. Evelyn died 28 Apr 1965, David died in Mar 1974, and they are buried in Andrews-Liggett Cemetery.⁵

The children of [#124262416] George Lawrence and Hester Lou (Dunn) Stiles [daughter of Harriet Elizabeth Jane (Wilson) Dunn, John A., Hezekiel, Elizabeth (Rambo) Wilson, Ezekiel, Peter, Peter, Gunnar, Peter].

¹ Anona M. Heimbigner, family records, letter of 23 Jun 2000

² Rick Rambo, family research, e-mails of 8 Feb 1999 and 7 Jun 2000

³ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

⁴ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

⁵ Donald C. Jeter, "Rambo Family," Marshall County Historical Quarterly, vol. 21 (Spring 1990), p. 25

1242624161. **THEODORE LAURENCE STILES** was born 12 Apr 1911 and married DOROTHY IRENE **DRESS** who was born 1 Sep 1908. Dorothy died 13 Dec 1952, and Theodore then married HELEN MAY **RUSSELL** who was born 24 Nov 1914. Theodore Laurence Stiles died 10 May 1987. Theodore and Dorothy had five children.¹ Theodore and Helen had two more children.

1242624162. VIRGINIA HELEN STILES was born 21 May 1913 and married FRANK MCGILL who was born 18 Feb 1893. Virginia Helen died 15 May 1963, and Frank died in May 1968. They had one known child:² 12426241621. Son McGILL, b. ca 1935, d. ca 1936

The children of [#171241211] George and Romanda (Backus) Young [son of George, Margaret (Rankin) Young, Eliza (McClellan) Rankin, Ann (Rambo) McClellan, Ezekiel, Mathias, Gabriel, Gunnar, Peter]. (They took the name of Lacey.)

1712412111. **BERNICE LACEY** was born in 1897 and married LEON **ROOSA**.³ They lived in Saginaw, MI and had two children.

1712412112. **PERRY A. LACEY** was born in 1900 and married ANNA **THOMAS**.⁴ They lived in Hingham, Massachusetts with their son.

¹ Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002

² Diana Dunn, family research, e-mail of 2002, outline in .RTF file

³ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

⁴ Paul Rankin, Peter Rankin's Descendants (Ann Arbor, MI: University Microfilms, Inc., 1961)

http://sites.google.com/site/RamboFamilyTree

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The children of [#1211711321] Percy DeWight and Charlotte Ann (Shepherd) Brotherton [son of Addah Mae (Reno) Brotherton, Smith C., Francis, Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Mabel Philomena, Addah, Doris, William E., Clifton, Kathleen, Charles, George Carlos, Eddie, and Martha.¹

12117113211. **ADDAH BROTHERTON** was born 19 Jan 1907 at Reading, Ohio and married GEORGE **JESSEN**. George was born about 1899 and died 4 Mar 1962 in Reading. Addah married JOSEPH HERMAN (Joe) **FOX** second. He was born 20 Sep 1901 in Hamilton Co., Ohio. Addah died of alcoholism on 1 Sep 1969 in Hamilton Co., OH and was buried in the Protestant Cemetery in Reading. Joseph died in Mar 1986 in Cleveland, OH.

12117113212. **DORIS BROTHERTON** was born 8 Dec 1908 in Ohio and married GERALD **WILKE**. Doris died in Jan 1978. They had three children.

12117113213. **MABEL PHILOMENA BROTHERTON** was born 5 Nov 1911 in Delaware Co., Indiana and married JOHN FRANKLIN **LOSH** on 14 May 1929 in Muncie, IN. He was born there 10 Oct 1905, a stepchild of Franklin Ira and Susie Maude (McCormick) Losh. John had previously married Mary Ellen Cronk. He died 12 Aug 1987 in Muncie. Mabel married ROBERT **BURNWORTH** second, on 3 Dec 1938 in Muncie. Robert was born 21 Mar 1918, a son of Earl and Nettie Burnworth. Mabel died 5 May 1992 at Cape Coral, Florida, and Robert died there 6 Jan 2000.² Mabel and John Losh had two children.

12117113215. **WILLIAM E. BROTHERTON** was born 16 Feb 1918 in Jay Co., Indiana and died on 23 Apr 1973 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

12117113217. CLIFTON (Tippy) BROTHERTON was born 16 May 1922 in Indiana and died 20 Feb 1994 at Pahrump, Nevada.

12117113218. CHARLES BROTHERTON was born 3 Dec 1925 in Muncie, Indiana and died 8 May 1963 in Hamilton Co., Ohio.

The children of [#1211711323] Raymond Clyde and Marie (Corsmier) Brotherton [son

¹ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH, http://famgen.net/armentrout

² Kelly Runyon Bragg, on web in 2009 at http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~kellyrunyon/peterblank.html

of Addah Mae (Reno) Brotherton, Smith C., Francis, Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Raymond Clyde, Mary Elizabeth, Adele, Audrey, Estelle, Jeanette, Rita, Ronald, Paul Joseph, James, and Charles Allen.

12117113232. **MARY ELIZABETH BROTHERTON** was born 22 May 1916 and married CHARLES L. **SANDERS**. He was born 4 Feb 1912 and died 7 Jun 1961. Mary died 1 Oct 1971. They had four children.

The children of [#1211711331] Harry Eugene and Ruth A. (Stout) Rambo [son of Francis, Smith C., Francis, Willie Ann (Evans) Reno, Elizabeth (McElheny) Evans, Sophie (North) McElheny, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Harry Eugene and Robert Vere.

12117113312. **ROBERT VERE RENO** was born 21 Oct 1921 in Delaware Co., Indiana and married. He served in the 71st Division and died on 1 Apr 1945 in Germany during World War II.¹ They had two children including this one:²

121171133121. ROBERT EUGENE RENO, b. 29 Jun 1944 d. 27 Jan 1984

The children of [#121411215A] Donald Truman and Elizabeth Ann (Bower) Hughes [daughter of Fleming Claude, Frederick Evans, Catherine (Kremer) Bower, Catherine (Evans) Kremer, Frederick, Elizabeth (North) Evans, Ann (Rambo) North, Peter, Gunnar, Peter] were Gloria Ann, Cathy Susann, Barbara Ann, and Delbert Donald.

121411215A1. **GLORIA ANN HUGHES** was born 23 May 1956 in Lima, Ohio and married JAMES ARTHUR (Jim) **MOTTER** on 4 Sep 1971 in Clintwood, Virginia. He was born 17 Dec 1953 in Bluffton, Ohio, son of Leo Gene and Rosa Talabera (Gumataotao) Motter. Jim and Gloria enjoy camping, motorcycling, and genealogy. Jim plays several musical instruments, many musical gendres, and has a great singing voice. Gloria is naturally vivacious, talkative, and loves birds. They have these children:³

121411215A11. DAVINA ANN MOTTER, b. 29 Dec 1972, m. 1), 2), 3) Borokosky 121411215A12. DAWN MICHELLE MOTTER, b. 23 Sep 1976, m. Brett Agler 121411215A13. JAMIE MARIE MOTTER, b. 17 Feb 1979, m. Dana Lee Roberts 121411215A14. JAMES PAUL MOTTER, b. 22 Feb 1984, m. Kara Lamb

¹ Roberta Caito, e-mail of 17 May 2004

² Mindee Forman, "Descendents of Nicholas Seaver," on web in 2009 at http://mindeeclem.tripod.com/saviers/pafg14.htm#4767

³ Gloria Motter, North family research, Van Wert, OH

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APPENDIX 1: Available on CD & website. Send corrections for 3rd edition, etc.

The RamboBook website at <u>http://members.aol.com/RamboBook</u> will always contain the latest information and additional information.

This version of the Rambo Family Tree is available as a single volume on CD in Adobe Acrobat format. Ordering information will be posted on the website and here as soon as it is available.

Work is progressing on the third edition. Please send corrections. Please send computer files if you have them. I've already done enough typing for three lifetimes, so will not transcribe a lot of printed reports (although those might be scanned and run through computerized OCR, Optical Character Recognition).

The need for proof is paramount. There are too many erroneous assumptions and quesses already published.

ASK Brenda Stalcup about "thorn" for "ye" i.e. "the" in glossary.

Ten to twelve generations of descendants of Peter Gunnarson Rambo could produce millions of people, even when considering a conservative number such as four children per family. In order to identify different family branches and each individual, the following system of numbering is used:

...Peter Gunnarson Rambo - the progenitor - is the first generation but has no number. ...Peter's children - the second generation - are numbered from 1 to 7, according to each child's position within Peter's family.

...Peter's grandchildren - the third generation - are numbered 11 to 73. The first digit (1 to 7) is the number assigned to their parents, and the second digit varies according to the child's position within their parent's family. Note that numbers 9, 38, 39, 57, 58, and 59 are not used since those families had fewer than nine children.

..Each successive generation appends one additional numeric digit for the individual's position within their parent's family, so great-grandchildren are numbered 111 to 674 with many missing numbers.

Example:1121, the number for ANDREW RAMBO

the first 1 = Gunnar Rambo, 1st son of Peter Gunnarson Rambo

the second 1 = John Rambo Jr, 1st child of Gunnar

next a 2 = Mons Rambo, the 2nd child of John Rambo Jr.

and last a 1 = Andrew Rambo, 1st child of Mons, and the one so described

Example: 31624, the number for DANIEL RAMBO

3 = Peter Rambo, 3rd child of Peter Gunnarson Rambo

1 = Swan Rambo, 1st child of Peter

6 = Lawrence Rambo Sr., the 6th child of Swan

2 = Lawrence Rambo Jr., the 2nd child of Lawrence Sr.

4 = Daniel Rambo, 4th child of Lawrence Jr., the one being described

Example: 416, the number for BRIDGET HENDRICKSON

4 = Catherine Rambo Mattson, the 4th child of Peter Gunnarson Rambo

1 = Brigitta Mattson, 1st child of Catherine

6 = Bridget Hendrickson, 6th child of Brigitta

The tenth child is given the letter A, the eleventh child is letter B, and so forth.

Example: 31C24, the number for WARE RUNYAN

3 = Peter Rambo, 3rd child of Peter Gunnarson Rambo

1 = Swan Rambo, 1st child of Peter

C = Jacob Rambo, 12th child of Swan, by his second wife

- 2 = Margaret (Rambo) Runyan, 2nd child of Jacob
- 4 = Ware Runyan, 4th child of Margaret

The X's or the Dangling Families.

From the 4th generation on, there have been records of Rambo sons or daughters, but their parents are unknown. X's are used in the numbers for families when the relationship and lineage to Peter Gunnarson Rambo is not known. Circumstantial evidence, such as the family settling in a certain state or area, may indicate that the Rambo is descended from Gunnar #1, or Peter #3, so they are included at the end of the appropriate chapter for each generation. An X is assigned for the unknown ancestor in each generation and a letter for each separate family; then a number indicates the position of the individual in each family, as used in the main text.

It is hoped that some readers may have information or a document that will tie dangling families to their proper places on the family tree.

Example: 31CX1, the number for JACOB HULING RAMBO

- 3 = Peter Rambo, 3rd child of Peter Gunnarson Rambo
- 1 = Swan Rambo, 1st child of Peter
- C = Jacob Rambo, 12th child of Swan, by his second wife
- X = unknown
- 1 = Jacob Huling Rambo, grandson of Jacob

Example: XXA13, the number for ELIAS PLEASANT RAMBO

- X = undetermined child of Peter Gunnarson Rambo
- X = undetermined grandchild of Peter
- A = John Rambo
- 1 = Enos Rambo, the only known child of John
- 3 = Elias Pleasant Rambo, 3rd child of Enos, by his third wife

APPENDIX 3: The Settlement of New Sweden

During the early years of the seventeenth century, Sweden was at war with Denmark, Russia, and Poland and took an active part in the Thirty Years War.¹ Many victories were testament that her military services and naval affairs were highly organized and skillfully managed. By flexing her power and extending her commerce and trade, Sweden came in contact with other leading nations of the world. The country itself was rich in lead, iron, copper, fruit, and cattle, while the people were skilled in making cannons, iron works, pitch, and tar. These goods were valuable for exporting and trading for other materials needed in the home markets. Like its neighbors England, France, and Holland, Sweden looked to the New World as a logical place to open new trading posts and to share in the lucrative beaver and tobacco trade.

By this time the Reformation had swept over Sweden and the government had firmly established control over the Lutheran Church. The church clergy were well educated, and it was their responsibility to see that the people were able to understand the teachings of the Bible and the Church. Schools were organized to provide instruction in reading and writing of the Swedish language. Although illiteracy was high among the population, about half of the first colonists of New Sweden were able to read and could write their names. Peter Gunnarson Rambo may have had some education, but as an old man in 1683, he signed an English deposition with his mark in the form of three triangles meeting at the center, like clover leaves.²

As a result of their military victories, the Swedish people had strong feelings of national pride and patriotism bordering on chauvinism.³ The national enthusiasm led to adventurous undertakings such as the establishment of New Sweden.

The Swedish government had close political ties with Holland and chartered a trading company to compete with the Dutch West India Company. It was called the New Sweden Company and was under the management of Samuel Blommaert, a Dutch businessman; Axel Oxenstierna; and Peter Minuit, a former director of the Dutch trading company who had expert knowledge of the Delaware region.

The first expedition sent out by the New Sweden Company was under the command of Capt. Peter Minuit and consisted of two vessels, the *Kalmar Nyckel* and the *Fogel Grip*. In addition to the crews, the ships carried provisions and supplies for the soldiers who were to establish a fort and to guard those who traded with the Indians and the nearby Dutch settlers in New York.

¹ Amandus Johnson, *The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664* (pub. 1927)

² A.R. Dunlap and C. A. Weslager, "More ... Evidence ...," Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio., vol. 91 (1), pp. 35-45

³ Amandus Johnson, *The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664* (pub. 1927)

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The ships left Gothenburg, Sweden in November 1637 in such heavy seas that they sustained much damage and had to return to port for repairs. Finally they got underway, crossed the Atlantic, and sailed up the Delaware River about the middle of March 1638. Capt. Minuit's log of the journey was lost, so little is known of their hardships. On the voyage back to Sweden, the ship stopped at St. Christopher Island to take on a cargo of tobacco. While in port, Capt. Peter Minuit was invited on board the *Flying Deer* from Rotterdam. A severe storm came up that blew the ship to sea; the *Flying Deer* and all aboard were never heard from again. Although the *Kalmar Nyckel* was damaged in the storm, it returned to Sweden with its cargo.

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The Second Expedition.

Capt. Cornelius Van Vliet was placed in command of the *Kalmar Nyckel* for the second expedition sent to the colony on the Delaware. However, cases of fraud were discovered which resulted in his dismissal, and Capt. Pouel Jansen was given the command. Passengers on this voyage included Rev. Torkillus who was sent to look after the spiritual needs of the settlers of the colony. The Company recruiters made efforts to sign up blacksmiths, shoemakers, carpenters, and three or four men with wives who could cook, wash, sew, and brew beer for the settlers. It was difficult to persuade enough people to undertake the long and arduous journey, so district governors were asked to send some army deserters and those convicted of misdemeanors to be deported to New Sweden with their families.

The *Kalmar Nyckel* left harbor in September but sprang a leak which forced it to return for repairs.¹ It encountered many other delays and finally sailed 7 February 1640 on its second voyage to the colony of New Sweden. The ship arrived on 17 April 1640 after running into severe storms that caused great hardships for the people and cattle aboard. They came ashore at the "wharf of stones," about the location of Wilmington, Delaware, and purchased land from the Indians. The deed was written in Dutch and signed by the Swedes and by the Indian Sachems who attached their totem. Although the original deeds were lost, the extent of the purchased lands has been determined from other documents.

Peter Gunnarson Rambo was among those on the second voyage of the *Kalmar Nyckel*, but there is no evidence that he was one of the deported. To the contrary, from the information supplied by his grandson, Peter Rambo prepared for his journey by taking seeds and plants with him for cultivation in New Sweden. Peter Rambo's own recollection was that the ship reached New Sweden on 10 March 1640.² The date of his arrival is confirmed by a roll list of 1648 that showed he arrived on the *Kalmar Nyckel* in

¹ Amandus Johnson, *The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664* (pub. 1927)

² A.R. Dunlap and C. A. Weslager, "More ... Evidence ...," Pennsylvania Magazine of Hist. & Bio., vol. 91 (1), pp. 35-45

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1640.¹ Additional evidence is obtained from the 1693 church census that listed the persons who were born in Sweden. Opposite the names of "Pet. Rambo" and "And. Bonde" were words stating they had been in America for 54 years.²

Life In New Sweden.

After landing the first men in 1638, Fort Christiana was built about two miles from the Delaware River in what is now part of Wilmington, Delaware. The Delaware River was called the South River by the Dutch to distinguish it from the North, or Hudson, River. Ramparts were constructed of palisades and earth, and guns from the *Kalmar Nyckel* were mounted on the walls. Two houses were erected inside the fort; one with a fireplace made of brick was used as a dwelling for the men, and the other probably was used as a store house.

"Virtually all of the adult males in the 1693 census of the Swedes were farmers. Their log cabins were built within walking distance of the Delaware river or a navigable stream. The dugout canoe was their primary means of transportation, whether it was to or from church, a court or a market. Although most of the Swedes owned horses and many owned oxen, wagons or carriages were rarely found in the inventories of their estates".³

Trading.

Indians around the settlement were primarily of the Algonquian nations. The Swedes who settled in New Sweden bought lands from the Lenni Lenape, or Delaware Indians, an important branch of the Algonquian confederacy.⁴ The Lenape also furnished the settlers with maize, venison, and fish. About seventy five miles to the north and west were the Minquas Indians who traded beaver skins with the Swedes and called themselves the "special friends and protectors of the Swedes."

Although trade was the major goal of the Company and the settlement, by 1641 the men in New Sweden had planted small gardens near their cabins in order to supplement their provisions. By 1642 new cabins were erected around the trading post to house the settlers who arrived on the 3rd expedition. Grain was grown in fields, tobacco was cultivated in various places, and various kinds of vegetables were planted in the gardens.

Soon after the arrival of the Swedes, English and Dutch traders from northern posts began to come down the River. They had many kinds of supplies but asked very high

¹ Amandus Johnson, *The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664* (pub. 1927)

² Peter Kalm, *Tillagg Till Dagboken*, p. 206

³ Peter Stebbins Craig, The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware (Swedish American Genealogist Pub., 1993)

⁴ Amandus Johnson, The Swedes on the Delaware, 1638-1664 (pub. 1927)

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prices. In the spring and summer of 1641, traders from New England came to the River and ruined trade with the Indians. These English built a fort and were a source of irritation, particularly to the Dutch who sent a force in 1642 that burned their storehouses and dwellings and took the settlers as prisoners. Peter Ridder, the commander of Fort Christiana, may have sent Swedish soldiers with the Dutch forces against the English. Later, relations between the Dutch and the Swedes deteriorated leading to capture and recapture of forts and lands.

The Rise and Fall of the Colony at New Sweden.

A new era opened for the settlement at Fort Christina and New Sweden with the arrival of Governor Johan Printz and his family in January 1643. For a while Gov. Printz lived at Christina but soon decided to build a residence on Tinicum Island and to fortify the place. He found the land to be "a remarkedly beautiful country" with suitable soil for planting and sowing. He probably allotted some land in 1643 to freemen among the colonists who set about building homes and planting crops. They planted larger fields of corn and smaller fields of tobacco for trade. He ruled with a strong hand, and settlers later complained of his autocratic ways, ways they would have accepted in Sweden without question. Other officers of the colony were Johan Papegoja, Rev. Johan Campanius, and Lieutenant Sven Skute, the foremost military leader of New Sweden from 1644 when he was in command of Fort Elfsborg.

In the report of 1644 to the New Sweden Company in Sweden, Gov. Printz listed 121 souls and named the twenty who had died within a six month period.¹ By the time he made his 1647 report, the population was only 183, as some settlers had chosen to return to Sweden when their obligated time in the colony expired. Lt. Skute returned to Sweden in 1650 to report on the condition of the colony to the Queen Christina and to recruit more emigrants. In 1651 the Dutch, under Gov. Stuyvesant, built Fort Casimir on a peninsula near what is now New Castle, effectively cutting off the Swedish Fort Christina from ships coming up the Delaware River.

Heavy rains in 1652 damaged crops, and without help from Sweden, dissatisfaction among the Swedes soared. In the autumn of that year, a group of 22 settlers (including Peter Gunnarson Rambo) signed a document of eleven articles concerning their grievances against Gov. Printz. The leader of the "revolt", Anders Jonsson, was arrested, tried, and executed on 1 Aug 1653 for treachery.

It required a strong hand to rule the colony without sufficient assistance from Sweden, but after 10 years, Gov. Printz determined to return to Sweden. The colony was left under the command of Papegoja until the arrival of Johan Rising, the new Governor, in

¹ Albert Cook Myers, Narratives of Early Pennsylvania, West Jersey and Delaware, 1630-1707 (pub. 1912)

May 1654. With a commission as Captain, Sven Skute sailed from Sweden in 1654 and returned to New Sweden. He landed with his soldiers and captured the Dutch stronghold, Fort Casimir. The Swedes changed the name of the fort to Fort Trinity.

The next year, the Dutch marched out to recapture Fort Casimir, now called Fort Trinity, and to launch their attack on New Sweden. Greatly outnumbered, Capt. Skute surrendered Fort Trinity to Gov. Stuyvesant. This action led to the Dutch siege of Fort Christina and its eventual capture. After a futile resistance to the Dutch, articles of surrender were signed on 15 September 1655, and New Sweden no longer existed. Peter Stuyvesant was lenient with the settlers, most of whom remained and took the oath of allegiance to the Dutch government.

These few paragraphs briefly outline the conditions in the colony of New Sweden until its conquest by the Dutch. For more fascinating detail about this settlement, read the books translated by Amandus Johnson, *The Swedes in America*, *1638-1664*, published in 1927 and *The Swedish Settlements on the Delaware*, *1638-1664*, published in 1911; *The Record of the Upland Court* edited by Edward Armstrong in 1860; *Peter Kalm's Travels in America*, 1770, edited by Adolph B. Benson, 1937; *The 1693 Census of the Swedes on the Delaware* by Peter Stebbins Craig, 1993; and *Ancestors and Descendants of Lucy Ann and George Ephraim Cleaver Bennett* by Dorothy Wilkerson Bertine, 1988. The *History of Christ Church (Old Swedes) Upper Merion, 1760-1960*, by Rev. A. Allen Attenborough, recounts much of interest about the religious life of the Swedish congregations. Your enjoyment of these histories will be substantially increased if you are familiar with the family names of Rambo spouses. Then nearly every page mentions an in-law or cousin.

APPENDIX 4: Ancestry of President Abraham Lincoln

Samuel LINCOLN m. MARTHA b. Hingham, Eng. d. Mass. ten children

Mordecai LINCOLN m. Sarah JONES b. 14 Jun 1657, d. before 1708 Hingham, Mass. d. 8 Nov 1727

Hannah SALTER - Mordecai LINCOLN - Mary			Abraham LINCOLN - Rebecca
m. pre 1711	b. 24 Apr 1686	ROBESON	b. 13 Jan 1688 d. before 1745
_	Hingham, Mass.	#2 wife	Hingham, Mass
	iron founder, Chester Co.		PA iron founder
	d. 1736		w.p. 29 Apr 1745

Rebecca MOORE - John LINCOLN Carnarvon, PA d. 1788, Linvill's Creek, VA Jacob LINCOLN - Ann RAMBO b. 1725 b. 1725 Kingsessing, PA d. 8 Feb 1819 d. Jun 1769 See #1521 for their issue.

Bathsheba Herring - Abraham LINCOLN - Mary SHIPLEY#2 wifeb. 16 Jul 1739#1, m. ca 1763m. ca 1779d. 1785, by Indian
KentuckyNancy HANKS
b. 5 Feb 1784- Thomas LINCOLN - Sarah BUSH #2,
b. 20 Jan 1780m. 2 Dec 1819

d. 5 Oct 1818 m. 12 Jun 1806 Indiana d. 17 Jan 1851

Mary TODD b. 13 Dec 1818 Kentucky d. 16 Jul 1882 - Abraham LINCOLN b. 12 Feb 1809 Hadgenville, KY m. 4 Nov 1842 d. 15 Apr 1865 Washington, D.C.

Relationship of descendants of Ann Rambo Lincoln to Abraham Lincoln, the 16th president of the United States.

Appendix 5: Bankson family by Dr. Peter Stebbins Craig

Appendix 6: Bankson family by Martha Lyle

Appendix 6: the Mattson family by Peter S. Craig

APPENDIX 5: Glossary and Gazetteer

Administrators are appointed by a court to settle the estate of someone who died intestate, i.e. without a will. Administrators and executors were often members of the family, but the persons who took the inventory were generally not.

Ammansland or Amosland, Amasland or Ammasland dates back to 1654 and was in Ridley Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania but is now the vicinity of Darby, Delaware County, Pennsylvania. See map on page 10.

Augusta County, Virginia was formed in 1738 from Orange County although county offices were not established until 1745. The county seat is at Staunton.

Baltimore County, Maryland was an original county formed in 1659. The county seat is Towson.

Baltimore City is a separate political entity from Baltimore County. Be aware that the city births, deaths, marriages, deeds, and probate records were kept in separate books and in separate locations from the county records.

Baptism of infants was recommended as soon as possible in the Swedish Lutheran Church, preferably before the age of eight days. Typically the sponsors were members of the family because the sponsor was expected to care for and raise the child if the parent died. In the Swedish custom, the sponsors at baptisms were often unmarried, single people. Male sponsors were usually at least 21; female sponsors could be as young as 16. The earliest that a young girl could sponsor a baptism was 16. Peter Craig is a consummate historian who has spent years accumulating data and analyzing the customs and behaviors of the early Swedish settlers of the Philadelphia area. Among other techniques, he looks to the baptismal records to find the family relationships revealed by the sponsors of the children at baptism. Before 1763, the pastor at Gloria Dei traveled to the separate congregations performing baptisms, so those baptisms were recorded in the Gloria Dei although the baptisms were actually performed during the pastor's travels. After 1763, one can safely say that baptismal records for children of families living at Upper Merion and baptized at Christ Church are found at Gloria Dei.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania was created in 1771 from Cumberland County. It is located in south central Pennsylvania, and the county seat is Bedford.

Berks County, Pennsylvania was created in 1752 from Lancaster County. It is northwest of Philadelphia, and the county seat is Reading.

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Big Timber Creek demarks part of the boundary between Gloucester and Camden counties, New Jersey.

Bounty lands were public lands allocated by the government to repay citizens for military service or other services. Once a citizen qualified for the land, he was issued a voucher, which was often sold to speculators. The voucher entitled the holder to a tract of land which was first surveyed, then occupied and improved before a deed was granted.

Brandywine Creek runs by Coatesville through Chester County, Pennsylvania into New Castle County, Delaware where it empties into the Christina River just above the site of Fort Christina and about 14 miles from the mouth at the Delaware.

Bridgeport, Pennsylvania is NW of Philadelphia on the banks of the Schuylkill River and is very close to the Christ Church in Swedesburg.

Bucks County in southeastern Pennsylvania was created in 1682 as one of the three original counties. It borders New Jersey and the Delaware River north of Philadelphia, and the county seat is Doylestown. Bensalem and Bristol townships front on the river immediately east of Philadelphia.

Byberry was a community in Philadelphia County which was incorporated into Greater Philadelphia in 1854.

Cacoosing Creek is in Robeson Township, Berks County, Pennsylvania. [It was formerly in Lancaster County.]

Calcon Hook is south of Philadelphia in Darby Township, Delaware County, Pennsylvania, near to Tinicum Island. See map on page 10.

Chancery Court holds jurisdiction over matters concerning rights and equity. It is often involved in settlement of estates, especially if partitioning the property is required. The Chancery Court in Delaware has jurisdiction over guardianships.

Chester County was formed by William Penn in 1682 as one of the three original counties of Pennsylvania. It lies west of Philadelphia, and the county seat is West Chester. See map on page 10.

Christ Church (Old Swedes), Upper Merion was the third surviving Swedish Lutheran Church built in Pennsylvania, the first two being Gloria Dei at Wicaco and St. James at Kingsessing. Christ Church is located on the banks of the Schuylkill River at 740 River Road in Swedesburg, Upper Merion Township, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania. Swedesburg was formerly known as Matsunk, and the church was known as Old Swedes

Church and as the church at Matsunk. "A church built of stone was completed in 1760 and was dedicated as Christ Church by Reverend Charles Wrangel. ... Apparently no preaching in the Swedish tongue was ever done at Christ Church. By 1760 the congregation had become principally English-speaking. And by 1774, at least, Christ Church accepted preaching by ministers of the Anglican Church, and in 1787 the 'United Churches' amended its charter to permit either Lutheran or Episcopalian ministers."¹

Christ Church, Philadelphia was the first Episcopal Church in Philadelphia, established in 1695 and located at 2nd Street above Market Street. In 1760 St. Peter's was built, and the congregation split to remedy overcrowding. Records of Christ Church are transcribed in the Pennsylvania Archives.²

Christina [now Wilmington, Delaware] was the first settlement in New Sweden in 1638.

Christina Church is the Holy Trinity Church (Old Swedes) at Christina [now Wilmington, Delaware]

Christiana Hundred is in New Castle County, Delaware

Church membership in the Swedish Lutheran Church conveyed the right to a pew, to a burial in the church cemetery, and to funerals, weddings, baptisms, etc. One had to be Swedish, married to a Swede, or descended from the same to be a member. A member could donate additional moneys to the church in memoriam for burials, etc. These donations appear in the church records "for marriage, for burial, etc." The pastor was paid a separate fee by everyone, but no accounts of these names survive. Others attended the church and contributed, but non-members were buried in the Stranger's plot, a separate cemetery, and they were assessed a fee for burials, marriages, etc.

Court at Upland was the court established by the Swedes in 1662 after Armegard Printz sold Tinicum Island to the Dutch. Upland is now the city of Chester, Pennsylvania. The court had jurisdiction over all residents north of New Castle County. With the establishment of Pennsylvania, it was replaced by the Philadelphia, Berks, and Chester County courts. See Upland.

Court of Common Pleas is a trial court having jurisdiction over smaller criminal and civil cases, typically restricted to non-felonies and values under \$50,000.

Court of the Ordinary is a probate court having jurisdiction over settlement of estates. See probate court.

¹ Edward J. Gibbons, "Matsunk," Bulletin of Historical Society of Montgomery Co., PA., vol. 21 (1), p. 61, 56, 64

² Pennsylvania Archives, 2nd Series, vol. 8, Record of Pennsylvania Marriages prior to 1810, Volume 1 (1878), p. 13

Craney Island on Smith Creek in Augusta County, Virginia is very near to New Market.

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Crum Creek flows through Chester and Delaware counties, Pennsylvania, passing through Springton Lake, by Swarthmore, and through Ridley Township in Delaware Co. on its way to the Delaware River. See map on page 10.

Cumberland County, Pennsylvania was created in 1750 from Lancaster County. It is west of Harrisburg, and the county seat is Carlisle.

Darby in Delaware County, Pennsylvania was settled in 1681 by Quakers. Before the establishment of Delaware County, Darby Township was in Chester County.

Darby Creek is in Ridley Township, Delaware County, Pennsylvania. See map on page 10.

Dauphin County, Pennsylvania was created in 1785 from Lancaster County. The county seat is Harrisburg.

Deptford Township in Gloucester County, New Jersey was incorporated in 1695.

District Court is a court of general jurisdiction.

Douglassville, Pennsylvania is on the banks of the Schuylkill River in Amity Township, Berks County.

Dower right is a life estate held by a widow of one-third interest in the property held by her husband at the time of his death. That dower right terminates with her death. This is derived from old English law.

Equity Court holds jurisdiction over matters concerning rights or equity.

Executors were named to execute a will. Executors and administrators were often members of the family, but the persons who took the inventory were generally not.

Frankford was a community in Philadelphia County which was incorporated into Greater Philadelphia in 1854.

Germantown is a part of western Philadelphia which was founded in 1683 and incorporated into Philadelphia in 1854.

Gloria Dei Church is located at 916 S. Swanson in old downtown Philadelphia across Columbus Blvd. from the waterfront. In earlier times, it was known as "Old Swedes Church" and even earlier as the church at Wicaco. The first church in New Sweden in present Pennsylvania was on Tinicum Island, and the second was a log church at Wicaco, but Gloria Dei was built in 1700 to replace those two. The Gloria Dei Church records are being transcribed in *The Colonial Records of the Swedish Churches in Pennsylvania* under the auspices of the Swedish Colonial Society.

Gloucester County, New Jersey was formed in 1686 from Burlington County. It lies across the Delaware River east of Philadelphia. The county seat is Woodbury.

Grant. See land grant, headrights.

Greenwich Township dates to the foundation of Gloucester County, New Jersey in 1695.

Gunnar's Run was a stream on the property of Gunnar Rambo in Shackamaxon. It now runs underneath Aramingo Avenue in downtown Philadelphia.

Headrights - A headright grant is public land granted to the head of a household on condition that settlement by such would be made upon the land. Virginia offered 50 acres for every man, woman, and child transported to the colony. Prior to 1755 in South Carolina, the "headright' was 50 acres per person, whether they were male, female, free or slave, white or black." Starting about Aug 1756, that amount was increased to 100 acres for the head of the family, Master or Mistress. After Aug 1756, headrights were 100 acres for man, 50 acres for wife, child, or slave, black or white of any age. Additional land was available as family (or slaves) increased.

Heir-at-law. The term "heir at law" refers to one who owns land by operation of the law as opposed to ownership by deed or by a will specifically bequeathing the land. The property usually passes from the deceased to the eldest son, or if he is dead, then to the eldest son's eldest son. If the eldest son died without heirs, then his eldest brother (or his heir) would be the "heir at law." Thus, there is only one "heir at law". Where the law of primogeniture is strongly followed, the rights of the eldest son to inherit cannot be overturned, even by a will.

Holy Trinity (Old Swedes) Church at Christina [now Wilmington, Delaware] was the first Swedish Lutheran congregation in New Sweden. The church was built in 1698 and 1699 and is located at 606 Church Street in Wilmington, Delaware.

Homan's Creek in Woolwich Township, Gloucester County, New Jersey was a name sometimes applied to Repaupo Creek, also sometimes called Trumpeter's Creek after Anders Andersson Homman, former trumpeter for New Sweden, who was one of the first settlers on this creek.

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Indenture is a contract in two parts wherein both parties enter into corresponding and reciprocal grants or obligations towards each other.

Inventory is a list of the possessions of a decedant filed with the court early in the probate process. Often one of the persons conducting the inventory was a neighbor who would have been familiar with the belongings of the deceased. [It was considered improper for a relative to do the inventory because of possible conflict of interest.]

Kill was the old Dutch word for creek.

Kingsessing was part of New Sweden west of the Schuylkill River across from Passyunk. Kingsessing was first settled in 1645 and was incorporated into the city of Philadelphia in 1854. See the map on page 10. See map at http://oldsite.library.upenn.edu/census/images/1854twpa.jpg

Lancaster County, Pennsylvania was created in 1729 from Chester County. The county seat is Lancaster, 60 miles west of Philadelphia.

Land Grant. In North Carolina the colonial land grant process was 1st: petition the entry taker for a warrant, 2nd: commission a survey (plat), 3rd: obtain a patent (grant), then annual quit rent (tax) payments. (The sequence is Entry, Warrant, Survey, Grant.) In South Carolina, the process was 1st: petition for warrant, 2nd: present warrant to order a survey, 3rd: survey produces a plat, 4th: grant is issued, finally: memorial, then annual quit rent payments.

Lease and release is an old form of property transfer. The first document records a nominal lease amount, the second gives the actual sale price and is recorded later.

Lebanon County, Pennsylvania was created in 1813 from Dauphin County. It is northwest of Philadelphia, near Harrisburg, and the county seat is Lebanon.

Little Mantua Creek [sometimes Mantos] in Gloucester County, New Jersey lies to the east of Paulsboro and Mantua Creek. See map on page 10.

Lower Dublin Township was among the northernmost townships in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania. It was bisected by Pennypack Creek and bounded by Poquessing Creek. It became defunct in 1854 and is now part of Philadelphia. See map at http://oldsite.library.upenn.edu/census/images/1854twpa.jpg

Manatawny Creek flows through Berks County, Pennsylvania until it joins the Schuylkill River at Pottstown.

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Manatawny is a town in Amity Township, Berks County, Pennsylvania.

Manayunk is a part of Philadelphia northeast of city center along the Schuylkill River near Roxborough and west of Germantown.

Marriage ceremonies were typically performed in the home of the bride's parents. The bride was usually between ages of 17 to 29, but young men generally had to be able to support a family before marriage, so their marriages were often late.

Matsunk, Mattssong, Matzong, Matzunk, etc. was the Indian name applied to the area west of the Schuylkill River, between present Bridgeport and present Conshohocken, which Governor William Penn granted to Swedish settlers to repay them for services or land taken elsewhere. Matsunk lies within Upper Merion Township in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. The first settlers there were Gunnar and John Rambo who arrived in 1698.

The Swedish Lutheran Church at Matsunk is now known as Christ Church (Old Swedes).

Memorial. See land grant. A memorial was the final step in South Carolina colonial land grants.

Montgomery County, Pennsylvania is the county immediately west of Philadelphia. It was established in 1784 from Philadelphia County, and the county seat is Norristown.

Morlatton is now known as Douglassville in Berks County, Pennsylvania. It was settled in 1704 on the banks of the Schuylkill River above Pottstown. The Swedish Lutheran Church at Morlatton became St. Gabriel's Episcopalian Church.

Moyamensing was the area of New Sweden between the Delaware and Schuylkill rivers east of Passyunk. It was part of southern Philadelphia until absorbed in 1854. See map on page 10. See map at http://oldsite.library.upenn.edu/census/images/1854twpa.jpg

Mt. Airy was a community in Philadelphia County which was incorporated into Greater Philadelphia in 1854.

Naming convention of the early Swedes was to name the first two sons and first two daughters after their grandparents. This custom eroded as the Swedish descendants intermarried with people from other religions and nationalities. Similarly fewer descendants spoke Swedish, and the church began preaching sermons in English.

New Providence was a community in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania.

New Sweden was the name of the area where the Swedish colony settled from 1638 until

1681 when the lands were claimed by William Penn and renamed Philadelphia.

Northern Liberties were unclaimed lands north of the original city of Philadelphia that William Penn provided as free lots to the first purchasers of lands within the colony. The Northern Liberties started as a large tract north of Vine Street but shrunk as Penn Township and several districts and municipalities were formed from it. The Unincorporated Northern Liberties, the Northern Liberty District, and everything else within Philadelphia County was incorporated into the city of Philadelphia in 1854. See map on page 10 and map at http://oldsite.library.upenn.edu/census/images/1854twpa.jpg

Oldmans Creek demarks the boundary between Gloucester and Salem counties, New Jersey. See map on page 10.

Old Swedes Church refers primarily to the Swedish Lutheran Church of Gloria Dei in Philadelphia. The other Swedish Lutheran Churches referred to as (Old Swedes) are Christ Church at Swedesburg, St. James at Kingsessing, St. Gabriel's at Douglassville, Holy Trinity at Wilmington, Delaware, and Trinity Lutheran at Swedesboro, New Jersey.

Parishes were established by the Church of England to precisely match the county boundaries. The Church, through it's church wardens, taxed all the people in the parish, regardless of religious affiliation, for the erection and maintenance of Episcopal (Church of England) Church Chapels within their parish boundaries. Church Wardens, appointed by the Vestry, appointed Overseers of the Poor to look out for orphans, illegitimate children, and the poor. They also assigned processioners who walked property boundaries in the parish accompanied by adjoining land owners, that is, the adjoining land owners walked around their property and agreed upon their mutual boundary lines in the presence of one another. Processioning prevented boundary disputes and ill will between neighbors. Despite the outcry for separation of Church and State, the Vestry system worked well in taking care of the needs of the people on the frontier.¹

Passyunk referred to the area of New Sweden on the east side of the Schuylkill River across from Aronameck. See map on page 10.

Passyunk Township was the southernmost part of Philadelphia. See map at http://oldsite.library.upenn.edu/census/images/1854twpa.jpg

Patent was a colonial certificate of land ownership indicating that a grant had been issued and a plat had been surveyed.

Penns Neck, New Jersey is that part of Salem County north and west of Salem Creek,

¹ Harry Long, e-mail of 29 Oct 2004

extending up to Oldmans Creek.

Pennypack was in Lower Dublin Township, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania.

Pennypack Creek is in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania. See map on page 10.

Perkiomen Creek starts above Hereford, PA and runs through Montgomery County and Perkiomenville before joining the Schuylkill River below Collegeville above Valley Forge.

Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania was created in 1682 as one of three original counties. It formerly contained several townships and districts but was entirely incorporated into the city of Philadelphia in 1854.

Piles Grove Township is in Salem County, New Jersey and is now Pilesgrove.

Plats were surveyed before a patent was issued to complete a colonial land grant.

Plymouth Township is in Chester County, Pennsylvania.

Poll was a count of the adult males in a household. This count was used to grant larger tracts of land to people able to develop it. Each son or slave over the age of 16 was counted as one poll. In some states a wife also counted as one poll.

Poquessing Creek is near the boundary of Philadelphia and Bucks counties, Pennsylvania. See map on page 10.

Pottstown is in Berks County, Pennsylvania and was founded in 1752 as Pottsgrove. By 1800 the town was known as Pottstown. It is northwest of Philadelphia at the confluence of the Schuylkill River and Manatawny Creek.

Primogeniture in effect in South Carolina until 1791: property went to eldest son. If no son, it was sold and the proceeds were divided between widow and daughters; if no widow or offspring, proceeds were divided among siblings. See Heir at law.

Probate Court has jurisdiction over proving wills and administering estates. In some states it may also appoint guardians, change names, and issue marriage licenses.

Processioning confirmed the boundaries of land by physically walking them in company with an authorized "processioner" and owners of adjoining land.¹

¹ Helen F.M. Leary and Maurice R. Stirewalt. North Carolina Research: Genealogy and Local History (1980), p. 586

Prothonotary is the chief clerk of court in Pennsylvania and in some other states.

Raccoon was part of New Sweden that lay on the eastern shore of the Delaware River in what is now New Jersey. It was first settled around 1700 and was renamed Swedesboro in 1765. Raccoon often refers to the Trinity Lutheran Church (Old Swedes) at Swedesboro, New Jersey.

Raccoon Creek runs through Swedesboro and empties into the Delaware River. See map on page 10.

Red Clay Creek is in New Castle County, Delaware.

Repaupo Creek lies within Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, New Jersey. See map on page 10.

Ridley Township is in Chester County, Pennsylvania

Schuylkill River is 130 miles long and generally flows southeastward past Pottsville, Reading, Valley Forge, and Swedesburg to empty into the Delaware River south of Philadelphia.

Shackamaxon was a part of New Sweden northeast of Wicaco. After establishment of Philadelphia, the area became known as Shackamaxon Township and is now the vicinity of Kensington and Fishtown within Philadelphia. The area is a couple of miles northeast of City Center. See map on page 10.

Shenandoah County, Virginia was formed in 1778 from Dunmore County. Shenandoah is adjacent to Rockingham and Augusta counties, and the county seat is Woodstock.

Smith Creek was in Augusta County, Virginia but now lies principally in Shenandoah County, Virginia.

Somerset County, Pennsylvania was created in 1795 from Bedford County. It is in south central Pennsylvania, and the county seat is Somerset.

Spelling was not uniform until the late 1800s. Words and names were spelled as they sounded rather than by fixed rules of spelling. When you come across an unusual word in a literal transcription, say it out loud. The exercise will also give you an idea of the accent your ancestors used. (E.g. Gees=geese; Bote=boat; puter=pewter; Ry=rye; dye=die; hors=horse; Beads=beds; Chanes=chains; Seder=cedar or cider; Chears=chairs; and on and on.) Punctuation was rare. Many abbreviations were in common use,

especially sd. However, the abbreviations were not standardized, so many varients will appear. Again, the advice is to sound it out using the letters you see. In most instances quoted transcriptions of original documents are literal, faithfully record spelling, abbreviation, and punctuation (or entire lack of it). In some instances, the character itself has changed and will be recorded as it is now written. Early scribes frequently used an archaic letter known as the "thorn" for the "th" sound and used it almost exclusively in the word "the." The appearance of the "thorn" is nearly identical to our modern "y" so that "the" looks to be spelled as "ye." A capital "F" in older documents appears as "ff." Since that character is indeed a capital F, rather than two fs, it is usually transcribed as a capital F despite the appearance. Similarly, an s or double ss was written vastly differently in many early documents; the modern s or ss will appear in the transcription. In other cases, the characters are not available to reflect the original, as with many of the abbreviations formed by a superscript squiggle. Capitalization is a different issue. It is often difficult to discriminate between upper and lower case characters which begin words ... indeed some writers seemed to begin all words with capital letters, especially words beginning with m,c,s,r,g. That type of capitalization is very tedious and carries little significance, so has been modernized. For some wills the word Item has been transcribed as ITEM to help segment the bequests.

Sponsors of baptisms in the Swedish Lutheran Church were usually relatives.

St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church at Morlatton [now Douglassville in Berks Co.] - first services held in 1708 by Rev. Andrew Sandel. The church was incorporated in 1720 and a log building erected in 1735. The Swedish ministers were unable to provide regular sustained ministry, and German Lutheran pastor Henry Melchoir Muhlenberg served the congregation from 1748 to 1752. The congregation eventually joined the Church of England, i.e. Anglican, since services were similar and the relationship amicable. A stone church was built in 1801 and was restored in 1978 to become a National Historic Site. It is located adjacent to U.S. 422 in Douglasville. The church records are at the Berks Co. Historical Society. See http://www.berksweb.com/histsoc

St. George's Church in Penns Neck [now Pennsville], Salem County, New Jersey was was founded in 1714 as an offshoot of Holy Trinity Church in Wilmington, Delaware. It is located at 305 N. Broadway.

St. James Church of Kingsessing, Episcopal was organized as a Swedish Lutheran church in 1760 and was dedicated in 1763. Kingsessing is a part of Philadelphia that lies west of the Schuylkill River. The church is located at 6838 Woodland Avenue.

St. James (Perkiomen) Episcopal Church in Collegeville, Pennsylvania is actually closer to Evansburg, Pennsylvania. It was first built in 1721 and was never a Swedish Lutheran Church, although Rev. Slator Clay did preach there at one time.

St. Michael's and Zion Church at 6671 Germantown Avenue was built in 1743 and was the first German church in Philadelphia. It has been renamed St. Michael's Evangelical Lutheran Church of Germantown.

Superior Court has jurisdiction over matters of greater consequence than other courts (called inferior courts). In Delaware civil litigation for amounts in excess of \$50,000 and felony cases are filed in Superior Court.

Supreme Court is the court that holds jurisdiction over matters concerning judicial procedure and the interpretation of laws. There is only one Supreme Court per state and only one U.S. Supreme Court.

Surrogates Court in some states has jurisdiction over estates.

Survey was the second step in the Colonial land grant process. In early days of property ownership, a petitioner for property was first given a grant for a number of acres. The grant allowed him to commission a survey of the desired property to produce a plat. When the plat was registered, the petitioner was given a patent certifying his ownership of the property. In some states the owner was required to pay an annual memorial to continue his ownership. In general, the chain carriers were appointed by the settler, so were often younger relatives or neighbors.

Swedes' Ford Road crossed the Schuylkill River at Swedesford.

Swedesboro in Woolwich Township, Gloucester Township, New Jersey was first settled around 1700 and was called Raccoon until 1765. It lies on Raccoon Creek about 5 miles inland from the Delaware River southeast of Philadelphia.

Swedesburg in Upper Merion Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania was first settled around 1712.

Swedesford was also called Matzong.¹ It was a ford over the Schuylkill River south of Upper Merion Township in the Swedish settlement known as Matsunk. It is south of Bridgeport and very close to the Christ Church in Swedesburg.

Swedish customs. See also baptisms, marriage, naming, Swedish Lutheran Church. One Swedish custom was to name the first two sons and first two daughters after their grandparents. This custom eroded as the Swedish descendants intermarried with people from other religions and nationalities.

¹ Anna M. Holstein, Swedish Holsteins in America from 1644-1892 (pub. 1892), p. 23

Typically a bride was married in her parents home, usually between ages of 17 to 29.

Talbot County, Maryland (St. Peter's Parish) was established in 1661. The county seat is at Easton.

Taxable was a person liable to taxation.

Big Timber Creek demarks part of the boundary between Gloucester and Camden counties, New Jersey.

Tinicum Island was a swampy island in the Delaware River southwest of Philadelphia. The eastern waterway, Bow Creek, has been entirely filled in, and its bed lies beneath the runways of Philadelphia International Airport, as does much of Tinicum Island. See map on page 10.

Tinicum, New Sweden was later part of Ridley Township until 1780 when it became Tinicum Township, Delaware County, Pennsylvania

Tithable was a person liable to taxation; a taxable. Although there are technical distinctions between the two terms as used in England and other colonies, in North Carolina tithable (also spelled tythable) was used interchangeably with taxable.¹ The count of adult males was sometimes more important for enlisting road crews than for taxation. In those cases, the amount of tax may not correlate to the number of taxables. In Rockingham Co., Virginia in 1792 tithables were all white males above 16 and all slaves above 12. They were required to work on the road and support the government or church. The Church of England (Anglican) held control of Virginia until after the Revolutionary War.

Trinity Lutheran Church is located at 208 Kings Highway in Swedesboro, Gloucester County, New Jersey. Swedesboro was formerly known as Raccoon. The church was also known as the church at Raccoon and is now known as the Trinity Episcopal Church. The first log cabin church was built in 1703.

United Swedish Lutheran Congregations were Gloria Dei at Wicacao [south Philadelphia], Christ Church (Old Swedes) in Upper Merion [Swedesburg, near Bridgeport], and St. James at Kingsessing. The three churches (all in Philadelphia County at that time) obtained a charter from the Penns for the United Swedish Lutheran Congregations in 1765 and merged their properties into that organization. Holy Trinity Church at Christina, Delaware [now Wilmington] remained separate as did Trinity Church at Raccoon in Gloucester Co., New Jersey [now Swedesboro] and St. Gabriel's at

¹ Helen F.M. Leary and Maurice R. Stirewalt. North Carolina Research: Genealogy and Local History (1980), p. 586

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Morlatton, Pennsylvania [now Douglassville in Berks County]. By 1799 Rev. Slator Clay preached at St. James' Church in Perkiomen [Evansburg], St. David's in Radnor, St. Peter's in the Great Valley, and St. Thomas' Church in Whitemarsh.

Upland was first settled in 1641, but the name was changed to Chester in 1682 by William Penn. The Court at Upland was formed in 1662 by the Swedes and continued under English rule. The old court later became Chester Court.

Upper Merion is a township now in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania encompassing the south side of the Schuylkill River opposite Bridgeport, Pennsylvania. [Upper Merion was in Philadelphia County prior to 1684]. The communities of Swedesburg, Swedeland, Kings Manor, Gulph Mills, King of Prussia are all in Upper Merion Township. The Swedes' Tract in Upper Merion was originally called Matsunk in the 1700s, and a river crossing there was named Swedesford.

Upper Penns Neck was formerly the northernmost township in Salem County, New Jersey. Originally part of West Fenwick Township in 1676, the name changed to Penn's Neck by 1689, and Upper Penns Neck was formed in 1721. The town of Penns Grove is nearly opposite Wilmington.

Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania is in southwestern Pennsylvania, southeast of Pittsburgh. It was created in 1773 from Bedford County, and the county seat is Greensburg.

Wicaco, an Indian name meaning "pleasant place",¹ was the site of the original Swedish settlement. See map on page 10. It is now Southwark in Philadelphia, the old part of the downtown. Part of the cemetery at Wicaco was sold in 1873 for building purposes, the bodies being previously removed.²

Wicaco Church is the Old Swedes Church at Wicaco, now known as Gloria Dei at Philadelphia. The log church was built with the help of fines collected by the Upland Court. The first sermon was in 1677. Gloria Dei was built on this site during Rudman's time in 1700.

Wissinoming was a community in Philadelphia County which was incorporated into Greater Philadelphia in 1854.

Witnesses to weddings and wills were generally friends or family.

Woolwich Township in Gloucester County, New Jersey was incorporated in 1767. The

¹ Anna M. Holstein, Swedish Holsteins in America from 1644-1892 (pub. 1892), p. 9

² Anna M. Holstein, Swedish Holsteins in America from 1644-1892 (pub. 1892), p. 10

largest town there is Swedesboro.

"Ye" appears in many older wills, but that "y" is actually an archaic letter known as the "thorn." The thorn represented the "th" sound and was used almost exclusively in the word "the." This character is no longer available and is properly transcribed as "the."

York County, Pennsylvania was created in 1749 from Lancaster County. The county seat is York, 90 miles west of Philadelphia.

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