# THE GARN FAMILY

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Carn, Garnes, Garns, and Gern

**Second Edition** 

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### **Preface**

#### **Preface to the Second Edition**

We wrote and published the second edition of this book for several reasons. The first is to add additional names to the first several generations of Gerns in Germany including two generations that preceded the earliest Gern in the first edition. After the first edition was published, we discovered reports of these two additional generations of Gerns in Germany and names for others in Germany that should have been included in the generations that appeared in the first edition. Having recently confirmed these reports, we are including the additional Gerns in the second edition. Our evidence for this appears in Appendices 45, 46, and 47 and in references attached to the individuals themselves.

Another reason for the second edition is to integrate evidence that was reported to exist but could not be located before the first edition was published. In Appendix 17 of the first edition we made the case that Christina Gern, wife of John Kahl, of Ashland Co., Ohio, was a daughter of Conrad Gern. This Christina Gern appears in this second edition as person #60 and in the first edition as person #26. Conrad Gern appears in this second edition as person #26 and in the first edition as person #10. Part of the argument that Christina belonged in the family was based on a report that a birth and christening record existed for John and Christina Kahl's son Jonathan Kahl, which named Christina Gern as Jonathan's mother. That birth and christening record was found after the first edition was published and has been integrated into the revised Appendix 17 in this second edition. In conjunction with this integration, we also included a note written by the granddaughter of Jonathan Kahl, which discusses the record and adds evidence that Jacob Garn was a brother of Christina Gern and therefore also a son of Conrad Gern. This Jacob Garn appears in this second edition as person #61 and in the first edition as person #27.

Still another reason for the second edition is to correct a claim that Conrad Gern's daughter Johanna Christina Gern/Garnes died in Germany around the time she was born. This Johanna Christina Garnes appears in this second edition as person #58 and in the first edition as person #23. Our arguments in the first edition noted that her birth and christening record in Germany included a report that she had died. Although that report of her death did not include a death date, we presumed that she died in Germany before the family immigrated to America. And we presumed that a child, Hannah, who was named as Conrad Gern's daughter when the family immigrated, was a different child than Johanna Christina Gern, who was named as Conrad's daughter in church records in Germany. Upon discovering evidence of the existence of a Johanna Christina (Garnes) Mills in Ohio, whose birthday coincided with the birth of Johanna Christina Gern in Germany, we were forced to revise our conclusions and to report that the Hannah who immigrated was actually Johanna Christina Gern/Garnes, whom we thought had died in Germany. Our evidence appears in Appendix 45.

A final reason for writing the second edition is to correct a claim in Appendix 42 of the first edition that we were the first to report that John Garn of Bedford County, Pennsylvania, was also Johannes Gern of Kürnbach, Germany. This John Garn or Johannes Gern appears in this second edition as person #23 and in the first edition as person #7. After we published the first edition of the book, we became aware that Daryl Garn of Mesa, Arizona, had funded research at a genealogical research company that reached this conclusion well before we independently reached the same conclusion. Daryl deserves credit for being

the first to report this observation. And we would not have intentionally tried to take credit for his discovery. We believe that we are still the first to explain why John Garn's birth date, long thought to have been 21 March 1738, was misinterpreted and why 3 March 1738 is the correct date. We also recognize that Daryl Garn's support for this research may well have been the reason that early records on the Gerns were available at <familysearch.org>, which we used extensively in our search for Gerns in the first edition. We recognize and freely admit that if these records had not been available at <familysearch.org>, we would not have drawn the conclusions about the Conrad Gern family in Germany and the origins of the Garn family there.

Although the first edition was published as a hardbound book, this second edition is being published in digital format as a Portable Document Format file or PDF. This makes it possible to replace some of the black and white pictures used in the first edition with color pictures, which would have been expensive to print in the first edition, hardbound version of the book. Publication of a PDF version of the book should also make it possible to reach a wider audience, which we hope will encourage people to compare our evidence with theirs and to correct errors in the early generations of the family that continue to propagate.

The remainder of this preface is as it appeared in the first edition. It explains our reasons for writing the first edition of the book.

#### **Preface to the First Edition**

We wrote this book for three reasons. We originally intended to locate evidence to prove or disprove some claims about the author's ancestors. Unfortunately most of the "known" and claimed information about the family was not documented with primary sources. Original work on this family claimed that they lived for a while in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania, moved to Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, from whence many went to Sandusky County and western Ohio or even on to Utah. In the course of our research we uncovered enough information to convince us that we should document the things that were "known" and claimed about the family and correct the few errors we found. So this was our first reason for writing the book.

A second reason for writing the book was to provide documentation that connects branches of the family that previously had not been connected together. Our research shows that people with the name Garn who live in or trace their roots to Ashland County, Ohio, and people with the name Garns or Garnes who live in or trace their roots to Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, are part of the family whose connection had not been made before. None of these Garns or Garnes traced their roots to Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. We are unaware of any claims connecting these branches of the family and we wanted to document their connection to the others.

Finally, our third reason for writing the book was to provide documentation showing where the family came from in Germany. We have traced the family two generations back into Germany. We are unaware of any prior claims regarding these ancestors in Germany and wanted to provide evidence to support our claims.

Our research built on the work of others. And we would like to acknowledge the works that helped in our research. Complete citations to these works are provided in the references section of the book.

Don W. McBride and Ella Smith Capener (cited as McBride and Capener in the book) compiled and published a book, "Garn (Carn) Family in America," in 1964, which claims they had communicated with every Garn in America. Although they did not provide sources for their work, we are convinced that they did speak directly with many Garns, had access to many family Bibles, and heard many recollections from older family members. Our research shows that some of the oldest information requires revisions, undoubtedly because recollections about various family members were clouded. However, we have found the information after the first two generations to be remarkably accurate in almost every instance where we attempted to verify their record.

We received a GEDCOM file with family members for descendants of Samuel Garns, who was from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania (cited in the book as Houpt, Garns and Garns). This file was provided by John Neil Garns and contained research done by James Houpt of Florida, Miriam Garns (deceased) of Hagerstown, Maryland, and by John Neil Garns of Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania, the man who provided the file. This too did not have any sources. However, it was extremely useful in providing clues where to search for information about the family.

Miriam Garns of Hagerstown, Maryland (cited as Miriam Garns in the book), whose work was claimed to be a part of the GEDCOM file cited above, wrote a loose bound book entitled, "Garns Family Roots," in 1987. This book also had no references. However, it had many family group sheets for families that were close to her. It also had interesting stories about a number of her ancestors and their close relatives. Like the other works we used, this was quite useful in providing clues to records on the family.

Philip Graham Garn wrote a three-volume set of books entitled, "History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches," in 1989 (cited as P. Garn in the book). This work provides details about his ancestors who settled in Utah and traces his direct ancestors back to Bedford County, Pennsylvania. The book provides excellent documentation for the claims made, especially about some of the early ancestors. We relied on this work whenever we were doing research related to people in his books.

We believe that the work we present here provides credible sources to confirm the claims we make about the early generations of the family. In some cases when dealing with more recent generations, we repeat or rely on information from one of the sources above without additional references. When we did this, we believed that the information was correct. And in all cases we tried to provide the references with which future researchers may judge the credibility of the relationships we present.

We cannot overstate the value of the prior works that we relied on. Even though there may have been a few incorrect associations, the overall work has proven to be exceptionally useful to our research.

We prefer not to say that incorrect relationships are mistakes in prior works or in our book either. Instead these "mistakes" are more appropriately called, "incorrect relationships based on partial evidence." The corrections we have made in the earlier works are based on evidence that the authors of the original works never had a chance to review. We are confident that they would have reached the

same conclusions that we have reached if they could have reviewed the documents we uncovered and name in our research.

Although we believe we have placed forth and documented a great deal of new information about the family, we are convinced that there are many documents that are still to be found. We further expect that some of them will bring into question a few of the relationships we have presented. In other words, some of the relationships we have presented may turn out to be based on "partial evidence" and may require revision when new evidence surfaces. We welcome corrections based on credible evidence.

### Introduction

This book is about the Garn, Carn, Garnes, Garns and Gern family that descended from ancestors by the name Gern who came to America in the mid to late 18th century and settled initially in places like Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Utah. This introduction includes a short description of the major places where the family lived starting with the ancestral homeland.

After the introduction we present several generations of descendants from the progenitor, Johannes Gern, who was born around 1615 in Germany. The book ends with many appendices that include such topics as the path of research that brought us to our conclusions and results of Y-DNA tests that aided in establishing relationships and provided clues to promising paths of research as well as paths that would likely be unfruitful. There are also many original land records, wills and other primary sources.

Much has been made of the spelling of the name. We have seen several variations proposed as the original spelling. Some have claimed that the spelling used by most, Garn, was a direct translation from German and meant "yarn" or "thread." While this translation is undoubtedly correct, the name Garn is the Anglicized version of Gern as we will show in the pages that follow. To our knowledge Philip Graham Garn was the first to claim that the name was originally spelled as Gern and pronounced much like we pronounce Garn today. He also presented convincing arguments to support his claim. With his permission we have included a copy of his analysis in Appendix 25 at the end of the book.

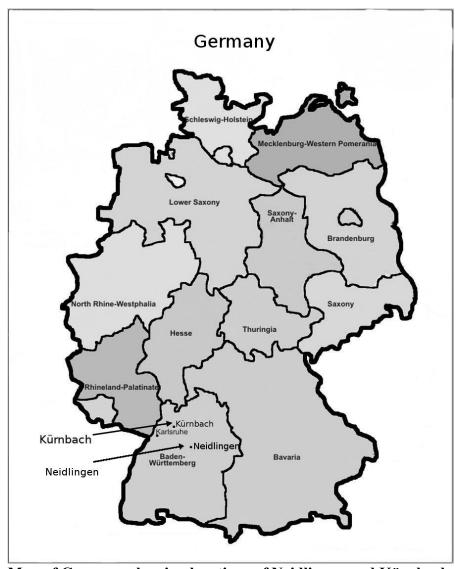
As we point out in several places in the book, the name of our ancestors was spelled many different ways in the early days. This undoubtedly was because spellings were not important then and also because most of them could not spell their name. Here in America they likely were given a Scottish-English spelling by people with those backgrounds who were in positions to record official records. Our observation is that over time most of the family that remained in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, or moved to counties to the north, settled on the Carn spelling with the possible exception of Christian M. Garn (#64), who may have used Garn to match his influential son Judge John I. Garn (#177) in Ohio. The family that remained in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, now uses primarily Garns and to a lesser extent Garnes. The family that settled and remained in Ashland Co., Ohio, appears to use the Garn spelling exclusively. Most of the family who went to Sandusky Co., Ohio, and nearby regions converged on the Garn spelling. However, we have found a few from this part of the family that used the Garns spelling. Finally, the branch of the family that settled in Utah uses the Garn spelling.

There are two members of this family that we wish to highlight for the reader. One is Jake Garn or Edwin Jacob Garn, person #1258. Jake was a United States Senator from the State of Utah from 1974 until 1993. He also was an astronaut and flew aboard the Space Shuttle Discovery, flight STS-51-D, in 1985. The other person we wish to highlight is Howard Garns, person #1115, who is credited with being the inventor of the modern version of the number placement game Sudoku.

### Germany - Ancestral Home of the Garn Family

The ancestral home of the Garn family is Germany, where the family was known by the name Gern. Church records in Neidlingen and Kürnbach, Germany, show that the family lived there before the brothers Johannes and Conrad Gern immigrated to America in 1763 and 1785, respectively. When the first edition of the book was published in 2011, we were not aware of where the Gerns had lived before

living in Kürnbach. However, a Book of Families at the church in Kürnbach reports the family of a David Gern of Kürnbach and that this David Gern was the father of the Johannes Gern who appears as person #1 in the first edition and as person #8 in this edition of the book. It also reports that David Gern had been born in Neidlingen, Germany. This edition of the book names Gerns who also lived in Neidlingen and traces some of their descendants. The map below shows where Kürnbach and Neidlingen are located in Germany.



Map of Germany showing locations of Neidlingen and Kürnbach

It has been speculated that our ancestors came from the Palatinate region of Germany, the region from which most Germans immigrated to America because of the religious persecution there. However, Kürnbach is probably around 30 miles from the border that Baden-Württemberg shares with the Palatinate or the Rhineland-Palatinate State of Germany as it is now known. Neidlingen is even farther from the Rhineland-Palatinate region of today. Of course, at the time the Gerns left Germany, the Palatinate may have had different borders than present day the Rhineland-Palatinate. Religious

persecution may have been a factor in their emigration. However, we have not found records that reveal their motivation.

Records have been found for people with the name Gern in Ebingen, Germany, which is about 40 miles southwest of Neidlingen. Also church records from the church in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, where a child of Johannes Gern and wife Margaret Seyn was baptized, report that a Jacob Gern, originally from Grünstadt, Germany, died of consumption on 11 July 1781 at the age of 60 years, 10 months and 20 days, and was buried in a private cemetery. Grünstadt is around 60 miles northwest of Kürnbach. We do not know of any relationship to those who used the Gern spelling in Ebingen, Germany, or to Jacob Gern who had emigrated from Grünstadt, Germany, and have not searched for any relationship. However, we would not be surprised if a relationship were discovered.

### Neidlingen, Germany

The earliest records we have found that can be positively connected with the Garn family in America are in the village of Neidlingen, Germany, where church records report the marriages and births of several Gerns there. These are found in the records of the Evangelisch, Neidlingen, Donaukreis, Württemberg, where Evangelisch means the Lutheran Church, Neidlingen is the name of the town, Donaukreis is the region or district, and Württemberg is the state of Germany where Neidlingen was located. Donaukreis, translated literally, means Danube Circle but here it appears to be the name for the collection of counties in the former state of Württemberg prior to the mergers of several regions that formed the current German State of Baden-Württemberg. With the mergers of several geographic regions to form Baden-Württemberg, the local governments controlling the area where Neidlingen is located were also changed. Today Neidlingen is located in the Esslingen District of the Stuttgart Administrative Region of Baden-Württemberg.

We have not been able to uncover very much information about Neidlingen. The following information comes from multiple sources. [4] Neidlingen is located in what is known as the Swabian part of Baden-Württemberg, which is a low mountain range containing an undulating landscape. The region is known for growing cherries and in the spring attracts visitors for walks among the blossoms.

The name of the village is believed to be derived from the name Nidilo, believed to be the name of a chieftain who moved with his people into the area around the year 400. Written records from shortly before the year 800 refer to the place as Nitlinga.

In the 13th century a castle, Reußenstein (Reussenstein), was built in the region. Ruins of this castle remain today. In the 15th century the region was controlled by local lords. In 1551 Emperor Ferdinand I

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> P. Garn, private communication that Gerns lived in Ebingen, Germany; <www.familysearch.org > has records of people with surname Gern in Ebingen.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Debra D. Smith and Frederick S. Weiser, translators and editors, *Trinity Lutheran Church Records, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, 1767 – 1782*, (Apollo, Pennsylvania, 1995), Vol. 2, p.166.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> <familysearch.org>, Kirchenbuch, 1596-1967, Neidlingen, FHL #1055821 and #1055823.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Information about Neidlingen was integrated from multiple sources with the help of Google Translate, sources include: <www.neidlingen.de>, the village web site; <en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Neidlingen>, a Wikipedia article about the village; <www.ev-kirchengemeinde-neidlingen.de>, web site of the village church.

gave local lords authority to judge between life and death. Twelve years later the first women in Neidlingen were burned as "witches."

From 1650 to 1667 Neidlingen belonged to Konrad Wider Holt. A mill was rebuilt under his direction and still operates today. A lintel at the mill bears his name.

In 1746 the construction of the church in Neidlingen is mentioned in the records. From the Middle Ages to the 19th century sheep were prominently found in the regions around Neidlingen. Records report that in 1835 there were 23 different trades or crafts in Neidlingen that employed 75 different people. In 1842 the village consisted of 181 private and eight public buildings in addition to the town hall and church. These included a wine house and poorhouse. The population at the time was such that there were around 6 people per house, which was considered a low population density for that time. This population density suggests the village had around 1100 residents at the time. The population of the village in 2012 was reported to be around 1800 people in an area of about five square miles.

During World War II, the village sent 194 soldiers to serve in the German army. Sixty of them were killed and 23 were missing in action and never found, which represents a high casualty rate. On 20 April 1945 the village came under attack by air. A building caught fire and two residents were killed. The following day American tanks entered the village and 150 American soldiers held the village.

The region has been known for producing cherries, probably since the early 1800's. After World War II, the growing and producing of cherries in the region was greatly expanded.

We do not know when the Gern family arrived in Neidlingen. The first record of them in the area appears to be a marriage record in 1637 when Hanss Gern married Barbara Heutzer [sic, probably Hausser]. The use of the name Hanss suggests that his formal name was Johannes. The absence of records prior to that date may mean the Gerns arrived there shortly before. Or it could mean that they had lived there for a while but nothing was recorded about them.

We do not know why David Gern moved his family away from Neidlingen. And we also do not know precisely when David Gern moved his family from Neidlingen to Kürnbach, which is about 60 miles northwest of Neidlingen. We know that David and his first wife had a daughter who was christened in Neidlingen in March of 1689. And we know that David and his second wife had a son who was born in Kürnbach in May of 1702. So the move must have been between those two dates.

### Kürnbach, Germany

Kürnbach, Germany, became the home of the Gern family when they left Neidlingen. <sup>[6]</sup> And Kürnbach remained the home for Gerns from around 1700 until well after our immigrant ancestors left. We know that the Gerns lived in Kürnbach because the baptisms of many of them, including Johannes (#23) and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> <familysearch.org>, Kirchenbuch, 1596-1967, Neidlingen, FHL #1055823.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Information about Kürnbach was integrated from multiple sources with the help of Google Translations and Yahoo Babel Fish Translations, sources used include: <www.kuernbach.de/>, the village web site; <de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kürnbach>, a Wikipedia article about the village; <www.evang-kirche-kuernbach.de/>, the web site of the Evangelische or Lutheran Church in Kürnbach; "Kürnbach ...das Schwarzrieslingdorf ... einst Marktflecken zweier Staaten - Ortsgeschichtlicher Rundgang" (Kürnbach ... the market town of two states - a local history walking tour), brochure obtained from the village city hall.

his brother Conrad (#26), our ancestors who came to America, are recorded at the Evangelische or Lutheran Church in Kürnbach. These church records also report the marriages of many of the Gerns who lived there, including that of Conrad (#26). Church records also report Gerns in the village well into the 19<sup>th</sup> century or about 100 years after our ancestors emigrated.<sup>[7]</sup>



View overlooking the village of Kürnbach

Kürnbach is located in the Karlsruhe District of the Baden-Württemberg State of Germany. Some have mistakenly reported that Kürnbach is in the Biberach District of Baden-Württemberg, which is easily proven to be wrong. The map on an earlier page shows the location of Kürnbach in Germany. The village is located about 20 miles east-northeast of Karlsruhe, Germany, the nearest large city, which is also shown on the map on an earlier page.

The village of Kürnbach today has a population of around 2500 people within an area of just under five square miles. The population of the village probably has not changed very much since the time our ancestors lived there. The images above and on the following page show a view of the village and the surrounding area. Note the grape vines in the foreground.

We do not know which home in Kürnbach that the Gern family lived in and have not searched records to determine if they lived in the village or in a farm house on the outskirts of the village. They undoubtedly lived close enough to attend the local Evangelische or Lutheran Church regularly on Sundays. When the Gern boys grew older, they probably worked in the local vineyards that line the hills above Kürnbach.

In September 2012, about a year after the first edition of the book was published, the author and his brother visited Kürnbach and were privileged to see and learn a number of additional things about the

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<sup>7 &</sup>lt;familysearch.org>, Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen 1558-1898, Birth of Otto Gern, 15 December 1878, FHL #1192098;
<familysearch.org>, Deutschland, Heiraten 1558-1929, Marriage of Johanna Charlott Gern, 6 December 1885, FHL #1272390.

village, including a visit to the church, viewing old church records including some we were unaware of when the first edition was published, and a tour of the vineyards.



Rooftop view of Kürnbach showing the church steeple

One very interesting thing that we learned by way of a German friend from a nearby village is a story about a rhyme or sentence that the children used to say years ago that involved the Gern family. The German friend heard this from at least two different residents of the village. Apparently the children years ago used to say a four-word sentence that they made up with the names of four families that lived in the village. The sentence they made up was "Gern Stutz den Bock," the names of the families being "Gern," "Stutz," "Dehn," and "Bock." One will notice that the family name, "Dehn," was changed to "den" in the sentence. The two words sound the same. So the children used "Dehn" as "den" in the sentence. And "Stutz" may be "Stutze." Loosely translated, this sentence means, "I like to dock (bob or cut off) the horns of that ram (male goat)." In this sentence "Gern" means "gladly" or "with pleasure" or in this case, "I like to." "Stutz" means to "bob," "dock," or "cut off." It is implied that horns are being cut off. The word "den" means "that" and "Bock" means "ram."

This sentence had to have originated some time in the mid 1800s or before since it appears that the Gern family was gone from the village by 1900. So the sentence had to have been passed from older school children to the younger children in order for the people of the village to remember it today. It was interesting to learn of the Garn or Gern family's inclusion in this little sentence.

Kürnbach was settled very early. Remains of buildings, pottery shards and pieces of red iron dating from the  $5^{th}$  to  $3^{rd}$  millennium B.C. have been found in the area. The identification of part of the Roman road, Stettfeld Cannstadt or "Römerbächlein," a Roman coin, a fountain with Roman tiles and Roman pottery indicate that the Romans were in Kürnbach during the height of the Roman empire. A grave dating from the Frankish Merovingian-time ( $5^{th} - 8^{th}$  Centuries A.D.) was found which had colored glass pieces and a brooch or broach with gold that was buried with the deceased.

The name Kürnbach dates to around 1000 A.D. and is found in several variations. Notations such as Quirinbach (1181) or Küren Bach (1294) are found which are derived from early forms of German, quirn, kürn, or kürne, interpreted as "belonging to the mill." Other forms of the name, such as Churnbach (1340) or Kornbach de burg (1403) have also been found.

On old landmarks one finds the ancient seal or Ortswappen (like a coat of arms for the village), a goosefoot. This first appears in a document dated 20 July 1782, which is now kept in the Baden General State Archives. The contemporary coat of arms of Kürnbach has a red background and shows a standing silver eagle claw.

In early times Kürnbach was owned by the Weissenburg Monastery and later by the Hirsau Monastery. Kürnbach at one time had its own local nobility. The first mention of the lords of Kürnbach is in the Hirsauer Kodex, a Latin code dating from the 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, and 13<sup>th</sup> Centuries that contained records associated with the establishment and operation of the Hirsau Monestery. This mentions "Conrad de Quirnbach" in 1080. The last mention of the family appears to be news of Werner and Drutwin of Kürnbach in 1227 and 1231.

With the end of the nobility by the name Kürnbach, the von Sternenfels of Kürnbach appeared. They were in all probability the descendants of a branch of the Kürnbach family that preceded them, possibly through a marriage of a daughter of the Kürnbach family. The earliest mention of them is in 1232 when Cunradus de Sterrenvils is mentioned. In 1297 they owned a majority of Kürnbach. Over time control over part of Kürnbach was acquired by the Counts of Katzenelnbogen and part was controlled by Württemberg.

In 1479, lands controlled by the Counts of Katzenelnbogen became part of the lands of the Counts of Hesse (Darmstadt) through an inheritance. Württemberg retained control of a share until 1810 when the Treaty of Paris gave control of the Württemberg share to Baden. As a result, control of Kürnbach was shared, two-thirds by Hesse, and one-third by Baden from 1810 until 1905.

In the early 1800s Kümbach was considered a "Kondominat," or condominium form of government, which provided them more power or authority than the average village. Interestingly, when Napoleon conquered the region, he dissolved almost all of the other condominia. However, Kümbach retained the status of condominium and became a constitutional rarity under Napoleon.

Because of the dual control of Kürnbach, the municipal code was drawn up which established the division of responsibilities. All important offices were doubly occupied by officers affiliated with governments in Hesse and Baden. Kürnbach had two municipal funds, a Hessian and Baden registry office, and a Hessian and Baden mayor. These offices were alternately occupied for three years by the two officers under the direction of a joint Hessian and Baden council.



Half-Timber Houses in Kürnbach including Kürnbacher Hof

The citizenship of the local residents established the nationality of their house. For instance, if a Hessian moved into a house of Baden, the nationality of the house was changed automatically to Badener and vice versa. This legal state of affairs lasted until the end of 1904, when Hessian citizens of Kürnbach became citizens of Baden.

In the early days the village was protected by a wall. Three gates, the upper, the Grein and the Katzenhöfertor, led into the village, which was already recognized in 1543 as a small "market town." As



Rathaus or City Hall - another Half-Timber Building

early as 1684 Kürnbach could be seen as a closely packed village in a broad flat valley, which it remained far into the 20th Century.

The village has many "half-timber" buildings. The earliest is believed to date from 1450 with many dating from before the 1700s. Examples of several of these are shown on this and the previous page. Many have decorative gables, crosses, and other features. One built in 1775 was divided along the ridgeline with half used as a living quarters and the other half used in business and industry.

The City Hall of Kürnbach is a rectangular "half-timber" or "timber-framed" building with the long side facing the town square. The building, formerly Hauffe'sches house, was built in the 18<sup>th</sup> century over another building. The City Hall was renovated in 1972-1974 as part of the renovation of the village.

One half-timber building worth noting is located at Greinstrasse 6 in the village. It is a well-preserved two-story timber-framed building built in 1715. In this building almost 20 years later, John Adam Treutlen, the first Governor of the State of Georgia (1777/78), was supposedly born. In 1744 John Adam's father, Michel Treutle emigrated with his family from Kürnbach to the United States.

Until village renovations were made, a brewery, Arnold, operated in the village at a building once occupied by Friederike Hauffe who was a well-known "ghost seer." Friederike Hauffe is still considered the most famous and most carefully studied ghost seer in Germany. In 1829 the physician Justinus Kerner published a book, "The Seer of Prevorst," which documented the "spirit experiences," "magnetic forces," and healing abilities that were claimed for this woman.

The Schwarzrieslingkeller (Black Riesling celler) used by the municipality today, was built in 1857 and is a transition from half-timber to stone building. It once housed a cow stable.

A Württernbergische restaurant, the Crown Inn, was built long before the Thirty-Years War and was first mentioned in 1606. A wrought-iron restaurant sign with a round crown on the boom remains as a reminder of this restaurant.

The Training Centre [Music Academy] of Blasmusikverband [Brass Band Association of] Baden-Wuerttemberg is located at Kürnbach. The old school building near the upper gate of the village was built in 1872 under the direction of architect W. Lösslin. A new building was built in 1964 and the old school building was rebuilt in 1988, adding a concert hall and a boarding school building with 80 beds.

The only "joint-stock-Historic Museum" in all of Europe is based in Kürnbach. Stocks, bonds, debentures and other securities in the Museum are part of the economic history.

"The Löfflerin," one of Germany's biggest unknowns is from Kürnbach. Born on 9 August 1744 as a daughter of the Hessian pharmacist Christoph Herbord in the former Upper Street, Friederike Herbord was at a young age a cook in Stuttgart, where she was cooking for Members of the Duchy of Württemberg. After her marriage to Löffler, Friederike wrote three cookbooks. The first volume appeared in 1791 under the title *Ökonomisches Handbuch für Frauenzimmer*, or "Economic Manual for women." The cookbook trilogy ushered in a revolution in the kitchen, providing instructions for cooking. The books went to the world and were published a total of 38 times, well into the 20th century, the last time, however, without the name of the author.

Southeast of the village center is the Schlösschen, home of the von Sternenfels, which is mentioned in 1354 in documents as a low castle surrounded by a wall and reachable only by a drawbridge because of the moat surrounding it. An irregular three-wing region, together with a fourth wing, form a pictorial inner court with a barn. On the solid ground floor stand large parts of the upper story of the timber-framework dating from the 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> Century. The two bays on the front of the castle were completed around 1520 under Wilhelm von Sternenfels. After his line became extinct, the castle became the property of the Hessian domain. Later it fell into various other hands until 1896, when a pharmacist acquired it. It has remained in the hands of his descendants since that time. At today's entrance to the

castle is located in the wall, the arms of the Sternenfels-Weitershausen of 1589. Over one shield are the initials B(ernhard). v(on). S(ternenfels). Over the other M(aria). A(gatha). v (on). W(eitershausen).

A two-story timber-framed building at Lammstrasse 5 was built in 1714/15 by Johann Jacob Fesenbeck. The ornate wrought iron inn sign is witness to the past of the former Hessian guesthouse "Zum Lamm". The restaurant sign is one of the most beautiful in the region. The sign was produced in 1715 and shows a wealth of imagination. It is beautifully equipped with tendrils and contains several figures, flowers, an angel blowing a trumpet, a bird, and in front the Passover with the Easter flag. The sign is considered a masterpiece of metalwork.

At Bachstrasse 16 is a house with a board or table attached which serves as a high-water mark of the record flooding of the village in 1837 and 1931.

#### The Evangelische or Lutheran Church

Kürnbach probably had its first church around 800 A.D. It was undoubtedly a timber church and was built and maintained by the landlord or local nobility. The first mention of the church appears in documents in possession of the Weissenburg Monastery, which mention a "basilica ad Quirinbach."

The wood church was later replaced with a Romanesque stone building. At one time the name of the church was Liebfrauenkirche or Church of Our Lady, which later became Michael's Church, the name used today. The choir area of the original church was on the ground floor and the tower of the original church serves today as the vestry.

In 1443 the citizens of Kürnbach became concerned and many stopped going to the stone church because it was badly in need of repair and they were afraid of being killed by stones falling from the church. Although repairs were made, they did not last long and it became obvious that a new building was needed. However, the question of who would pay for the church delayed construction.

In 1499 the foundation-stone for today's church was placed. The stone is in the wall at the corner with the main entrance and carries the inscription: "In the year 1499 the first stone was laid." This building was completed in 1501 in the late Gothic style. The diocese Speyer financed the nave, the German Order financed the choir and the community financed the tower. When building the church, some walls of the old church became parts of the new church and some areas were expanded or extended. The cemetery around the church was transformed as a terrace. But by 1608 the tower was in need of repair and required rebuilding.

In 1637 the church was burned, a victim of the Thirty Years War. It was rebuilt in 1658. From 1721 to 1726 a thorough renovation was made because the church was again in need of repairs. The upper octagonal tower was expanded at this time. However, the church required repairs numerous times after that.

The "Condominium" arrangement for governing Kürnbach, which we described earlier, resulted in numerous delays in critical repairs because of controversies over financing of construction. In one case the delay was 15 years. This arrangement, together with the different groups who paid for portions of the church, probably accounts for ownership of different parts of the church by different organizations. The

current church itself is owned by the Kürnbach Evangelical Church. The clock tower belongs to the Kürnbach municipality.



Evangelische - Lutheran Church in Kürnbach



White Sandstone Carving of Bernard von Sternenfels and wife

Beginning in 1991 many repairs and renovations were made to the church including a new heating system and addition of insulation, plastering and painting, widening of the foundation, repairs to architectural ornaments, renovation of the interior and restoration of the organ. A third of the cost of these repairs was borne by church taxes, a third by a loan from the regional church, and a third by the Kürnbach municipality. Also, the National Heritage Office provided a number of grants of varying amounts.

The sanctuary has a number of beautiful keystones. One shows a court angel holding a balance as a symbol of the Last Judgment. Another shows Mary in Heaven. A third shows the coats of arms of German gentlemen and the stonemasons who worked on the church. And another double keystone shows in one field the names of the two stonemasons who worked on the church and in a second field

the year 1501, when their work was completed. A 7.5 foot high crucifix by an unknown master comes from the second half of the 16<sup>th</sup> century. In the choir area on the walls of an old cross are grave plates of Kürnbach's local aristocracy, the von Sternenfels. On the left side of the nave hangs a wood Epitaph which is in memory of the deceased wife of the Hessian Vogtes Thilo. This Epitaph is now a noteworthy rarity.

Also inside the church is a white sandstone carving created around 1600 by an unknown artist, which shows the last local aristocrat, Bernard von Sternenfels and his wife Maria Agatha von Weitershausen. This is shown in the previous page and was the epitaph that Maria had made for her husband. It is over 16 feet high and about 8.5 feet wide. In the judgment of art historians it is considered "the most significant of the area and one of the most beautiful in the country." The carving shows two statues in niches. It is believed that the facial features are authentic. Two plates under it have information about their deaths. In addition there are words from the Bible about the certainty of the resurrection of the dead. Three finely prepared reliefs above the statues represent the resurrection of Jesus, the ascension of Christ, and the second coming of Christ along with the resurrection of the dead. The complete work also has other figures such as Apostles John and Mark and is finished with a crucifix.



Vintner Herr Dieter Velte using his Brix Meter to measure sugar content of his grapes

The church has three bells. The oldest originates from 1886.

The two largest bells were confiscated and used during World Wars I and II. In 1949 bells like the originals were recast in Karlsruhe and installed in the tower.

In 1537, at the time of the Reformation, Kürnbach became protestant and belonged to the Württemberg regional church until 1810. Since then the church has been associated with Baden. It has approximately 1400 municipality members and has an above average participation in services. The church has a number of community activities and a large social commitment. It operates two schools.

#### Wine

Kürnbach is well-known throughout Germany for its wine. Even the oldest documents about the village are about wine. It is believed that the Romans planted the first vineyards in the region, long before any written history about the region. For agricultural purposes Kürnbach is situated in the Kraichgau region of Baden-Württemberg, which is excellent wine growing region. The word Kraichgau probably comes from the Celtic word "Creuch" meaning mud or loam and the word "Gau" which means treeless area or farmland. The region itself is hilly and among the warmest in Germany which contributes to the good wines grown



Winzergenossenschaft Kürnbach or Kürnbach Wine Cooperative

there. Kürnbach is especially known for the Schwarzriesling wine produced there. Other names by which this wine is known are Black Riesling and Pinot Meunier. Kürnbach holds an annual wine festival as well as several wine tasting events throughout the year.

When the author and his brother visited Kürnbach in September 2012, they had the fortune of meeting Herr Dieter Velte, who operates one of the vineyards outside the village. Herr Velte was kind enough to give a tour of the vineyard and a visit to the Winzergenossenschaft Kürnbach, which is the Kürnbach Wine Cooperative. Herr Velte demonstrated his Brix Meter, which is used to measure sugar content of the grapes and pronounced that it would be a very good harvest that year. The picture on the previous page shows him using his Brix meter. Herr Velte was also kind enough to give the author and his brother plenty of grapes to eat and a complementary bottle of Schwarzriesling from his personal wine cellar.

Several generations of Garns or Gerns as they were known in Kürnbach worked in the wine industry. We know for certain that Conrad Gern and his brother Georg Adam worked in the wine industry because christening records for their children list their fathers as "Bürger und Weingärtner," meaning "citizen or resident and wine gardener." Likewise birth and christening records establish that their father, Johann Adam Gern and grandfather, Johannes Gern (1682-1713) also worked in the wine industry. There is no record that Johannes Gern (1738-1808), brother of the Conrad and Georg Adam Gern, also worked in the wine industry. However, he did not leave Germany until he was about 25 years old. So he likely worked in wine industry in some capacity before heading off to America.

For those who read German and wish to learn more about Kürnbach, we suggest reading *Kürnbach* ... *einst Marktflecken zweier Staaten*.<sup>[8]</sup> This book has over 400 pages of history as well as information about present-day Kürnbach.

### Early Residences in America

Both Johannes Gern and his brother Conrad left Kürnbach and came to America. We do not know precisely when Johannes Gern left Kürnbach. However, we know that in 1763, when he was 25 years old, he made his way to Rotterdam and boarded the ship Chance under the command of Captain Charles Smith. From there the ship went to Cowes, England, probably to pick up additional passengers, and then headed across the Atlantic for America. The ship arrived in Philadelphia on 1 November 1763, when Johannes was probably administered the Oath of Allegiance.

Conrad Gern remained in Kürnbach until he was married and had started a family. In 1785 when he was about 37 years old, he and his family left Kürnbach and made their way to Amsterdam, Holland, where they boarded the brig Lydia that was commanded by Gardner Hammond. <sup>[10]</sup> They arrived in Philadelphia on 29 October 1785.

We have no record of how long either remained in Philadelphia or the vicinity. We know that the birthplace of Conrad's son Adam was reported to be New Jersey and a Conrad Gurn [sic] who died in

<sup>8</sup> Heike Drechsler, Kürnbach ... einst Marktflecken zweier Staaten..., ISBN 3-89735-297-4, (Heidelberg, 2005).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> William Henry Egle, editor, *Names of Foreigners Who Took the Oath of Allegiance to the Province and State of Pennsylvania, 1727-1775, with the Foreign Arrivals, 1786-1808*, Pennsylvania Archives, Ser. 2, Vol. 17, (Harrisburg, 1892), p. 456.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Ralph Beaver Strassburger, *Pennsylvania German Pioneers, A Publication of the Original Lists of Arrivals in the Port of Philadelphia from 1727 to 1808*, Volume III, 1785-1808, (Norristown, Pennsylvania, 1934), List 333, pp. 14-15.

Philadelphia in 1813 was probably the son who immigrated with his parents in 1785. So Conrad and his family may have spent some time in Philadelphia and the vicinity.

We know for certain that Johannes Gern went to Lancaster, Pennsylvania, because he was married there and at least one child, a daughter, was born there. He probably went to Lancaster quite soon after his arrival in Philadelphia because it was a center for German immigrants. His brother Conrad and family may also have lived in Lancaster for a while because a Christoph Gern, who may have been Conrad's oldest child, was confirmed at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Lancaster in 1791.

Lancaster was settled in the early 1700s and was controlled politically by Quakers.<sup>[11]</sup> In 1729 the county was divided into townships by eight British magistrates, mostly Quakers.

Most of the township names were chosen to honor various factions of residents. Two were for the Welsh, three for the Indians, six for the English, four for the Scots, one for the Germans, one an Anglicized German family name, and one a Biblical name.

When Lancaster County was formed, it was much larger than it is today. Later it was divided several times to form other counties around it. Initially the county was granted four representatives in the Assembly. At first the elections were between the English Quakers and Scots. By 1731 Indian troubles prompted the majority of voters to favor the Scots over the pacifist Quakers. Germans did not have enough influence in the county to elect a representative to the Assembly until 1756. By 1760 the city of Lancaster had become the largest inland city in the colonies with over 4000 people.

The map on the following page shows the State of Pennsylvania and the counties that are presently organized within the state. Lancaster County is highlighted with an arrow at the bottom of the image. Two other counties, Bedford and Franklin, that play prominent roles in the Garn history are also highlighted.

Many of the people who settled in Lancaster had fled religious persecution in Europe. They brought their religions with them when they settled, no doubt because they were free to form the church as they wished and to worship as they pleased. As a result, Lancaster has many religious denominations. At one time it was claimed that there were 37 different denominations. Most denominations were Protestant. Among them the Lutheran, Reformed, and Brethren denominations were well represented. Also prominent were the Amish Mennonites, who still have a large presence in the county. There were also German Baptist Brethren or "Dunkers."

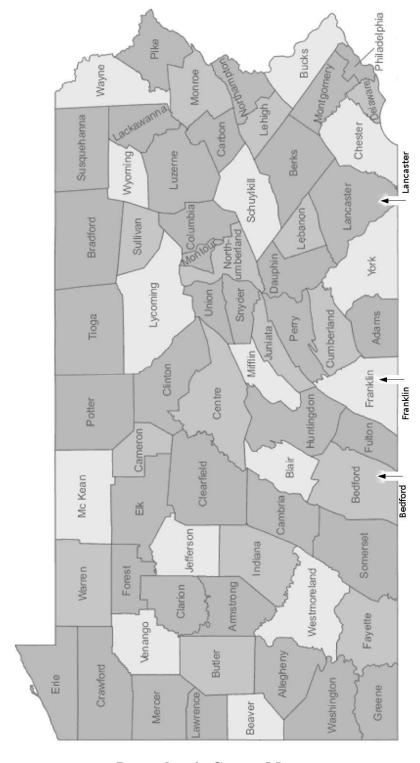
Thaddeus Stevens, the well-known abolitionist during the Civil War, was from Lancaster, having moved there in 1842. He opposed President Lincoln's approach to reconciliation with the South as "too soft" and lead efforts to impeach Andrew Johnson when he attempted to implement Lincoln's approach after Lincoln's assassination and the end of the Civil War.

President James Buchanan who preceded Lincoln as President practiced law in Lancaster and lived there after he left the presidency. His home, Wheatland, is a tourist attraction in the city. Interestingly, he was born in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, where some of the Garns lived. Since Buchanan was

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Information about Lancaster was consolidated from several sources: <www.lancasterhistory.org>, the web site of the Lancaster County Historical Society; <en.wikipedia.org>, pages associated with both the city and the county; Douglas Root, *Pennsylvania*, (New York, 2003), pp. 119-126.

reported to have moved to Lancaster around 1809, he probably had already moved by the time the first Garns settled in Peters Township.



Pennsylvania County Map

The excellent German craftsmen that had settled in Lancaster proved their worth during the American Revolution when Lancaster supplied many of the high-quality arms and ammunition used by the American army. Lancaster is also the place where the Conestoga Wagon was manufactured. The wagon, named after the Conestoga River that flows through Lancaster, undoubtedly played a big part in the westward movement of the Garns to Ohio and certainly was used by the Garns who traveled to Utah as part of the Mormon movement that settled that state in the mid 1800s.

We know that after Johannes married in Lancaster and had at least one child there, he moved to Frederick Co., Maryland, where records show two daughters and his son John were born. He probably moved several times while in Maryland because the records of the births of these children are found in records of three different churches in three different locations. The last record we have of Johannes in Maryland is the birth of his son John in 1778. It has been hypothesized that he returned to Europe to recover money that had been left in a bank there and that his son Frederick was born while he was in Europe. We have no evidence to prove or refute claims that he returned to Europe. However, we are convinced that his son Frederick was born in Pennsylvania, and not in Europe, based on the place that several of his children name as the birthplace of their father in the 1880 U.S. Federal Census.

We have no evidence to suggest that Conrad Gern ever lived in Maryland. We found records that a Christopher Carn purchased land in Washington Co., Maryland, in 1792. At the time Conrad's son would have been several months from his 17<sup>th</sup> birthday and would have been quite young. It is more likely that the purchaser of this land was either Christian Corn, who with his wife sponsored the baptism of a child in 1777 or Christophel Kern and wife who sponsored the baptism of a child in 1793. Conrad Gern's son would also have been quite young to have been married and sponsored the baptism of a child in 1793. Therefore we believe these records apply to families other than Conrad Gern's family.

Before leaving this section, it is appropriate to address a claim reported in McBride and Capener that when the Garn family came to America, they departed from Amsterdam, Holland, on 15 June 1781 and arrived in Baltimore, Maryland, on 8 August 1781. [14] We are not aware of anyone who has located information that might confirm this report. We visited the Maryland State Archives in Annapolis, Maryland, and were told by the archivist that there were no indexes of ships' arrivals but that it was doubtful they arrived in 1781 because the influx of immigrants was substantially less during the American Revolutionary War, which was still going on in 1781. [15] The archivist indicated that arrivals of ships were frequently reported in the Maryland Gazette, which we checked for several issues after the reported arrival date. [16] The Maryland Gazette did not report any ship arrivals.

Since we have located arrival dates for both Johannes Gern and his brother Conrad Gern, which are in 1763 and 1785, respectively, we believe that the date of the arrival reported by McBride and Capener may have been mixed up or that descendants may have confused the arrival of the Garn family with the arrival of other ancestors. We also believe that the departure of Conrad Gern's family from Amsterdam, Holland, is the basis for claims that the ancestral homeland of the Garn family was Holland.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Washington County, Maryland Land Records, Book G, pp. 698-699.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Washington County, Maryland Church Records of the 18<sup>th</sup> Century, 1768-1800, pub. by Family Line Publications (Westminster, MD, 1988), pp. 78 and 92.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> McBride and Capener, vi.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Private communication, Bob Barnes, Archivist, Maryland State Archives, 19 May 2010.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Maryland Gazette Online, http://www.aomol.net/html/mdgazette.html, accessed 20 May 2010.

### Bedford County, Pennsylvania

Bedford County, Pennsylvania, was home to both branches of the Gern family that came to America. [17] Johannes Gern (#23) had settled there by 1789 when he appeared as John Garn on a tax list. He lived the remainder of his life there. Although there is no evidence that Conrad Gern (#26) lived there, his sons John and Jacob lived there for a while before continuing west to different counties in Ohio. Bedford County is highlighted with an arrow on the Pennsylvania map shown earlier.

Long before any English visitors set foot in the county, the Indians had been living and hunting in Bedford County. The largest Indian settlement was probably the Shawnee Cabins, which were known to the early explorers and white settlers. Indian trails cross the county in numerous places. In many cases these were widened and became the roads that are used in the county today

The first recorded Europeans to enter Bedford County were sent out about 1630 from Jamestown, Virginia. Records from the Archives of Jamestown provide detailed descriptions of geographic features that identify the locations as Southampton and Mann Townships in the southern portions of the county.

The first settlers in Bedford County were reported to be at least seven families from eastern Virginia, who settled in Southampton Township. These settlements are considered to be the oldest in the county. These settlers believed they were in territory controlled by Virginia since boundaries at the time were frequently quite uncertain and often disputed. Maryland also claimed ownership of southern Pennsylvania and therefore Bedford County and also sent settlers to this area. Since Maryland was primarily a Catholic-controlled colony at the time, the settlers were undoubtedly Catholic. The Beans Cove area of Southampton Township and the western part of Juniata Township have high concentrations of Catholics who descend from these early settlers.

Although the county seems to have been initially settled by families from Virginia and Maryland, families began arriving from eastern Pennsylvania around 1730. The families from eastern Pennsylvania soon outnumbered those who had come from Maryland and Virginia. The first visitors set up trading posts around which settlements sprang up. A trader named John Ray set up a trading post on the Juniata River, which became known as Raystown. Initially the Scotch-Irish were the most numerous in the county. The Germans soon arrived in large numbers. The first farms in the central area of the County were settled by Germans around 1730 in an area known as Dutch Corner.

In the 1750s, under the terms that ended a European War, England agreed to stop colonization west of the mountain barrier. As a result, settlers in the area around Bedford were left unprotected and had to fend for themselves. Many built private forts or crude stockades to protect them from the Indians.

Fortunately the terms of this agreement were only followed for a short time. English interest in the region was revived around the end of the decade and England, out of concern over the French presence at Fort Duquesne (Pittsburgh) west of Bedford, sent an expedition out of Virginia to drive the French

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> Bedford County information from: *Bedford County Comprehensive Planning 1973 - Historical Background*, prepared by the Bedford County Planning Commission for Joseph P. Lehman Consulting Engineers; *History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties*, *Pennsylvania*, Waterman, Watson & Co., publishers, (Chicago, 1884).

from Fort Duquesne. The ensuing battle gave George Washington, then a Colonel, his first defeat. The English, however, were not deterred. They decided to send a second expedition from Philadelphia.

At the time Carlisle was the westernmost settlement in Pennsylvania and the strongest outpost. It was chosen as the place from which to launch the new expedition. In the late spring of 1758 an English force of 7,850 men arrived in then Raystown and immediately built a fort, which they named Fort Bedford in honor of a prominent English Duke. From that time on the town was known as Bedford and the name Raystown faded from use.

Fort Duquesne was quite far from Carlisle, Pennsylvania, the starting point of the expedition. And no road existed between the two sites. General Edward Forbes, head of the expedition, sent troops west with English woodsmen who constructed a military highway as they went. His road primarily followed and widened established Indian trails.

Word of General Forbes' approach reached Fort Duquesne and the French evacuated before their arrival. Therefore the English met little resistance. The fort was renamed Fort Pitt, which became the site of present-day Pittsburgh. Although no great battle was fought in conquering the site, the road that General Forbes built from Carlisle, through Bedford, and to present-day Pittsburgh endures to this day as the Forbes Road. Most of it remains as a national highway, U.S 30, between the two sites.

In the 1760s the border dispute between Pennsylvania and Maryland was settled establishing the Mason-Dixon Line that separates the two states making Pennsylvanians of the Virginians and Marylanders who had settled north of the Mason-Dixon Line. Bedford Manor was surveyed in 1769 and is noteworthy for the wide streets, large lots and square block patterns that are not common in older towns.

An act of the General Assembly established Bedford County on 9 March 1771. The first prothonotary and clerk of the courts was Arthur St. Clair, who later served as a General in the Revolutionary War. The village of St. Clairsville, where some of the Garns lived, was named after him.

Three historic events of national significance happened in Bedford County. Fort Bedford became the first British installation to fall to American Rebels during the years of discontent leading up to the Revolutionary War. This happened in 1769 when "Smith's Black Boys" from now Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, raided the compound to secure the release of 16 colonists being held captive by the Crown for various crimes. The incident was the inspiration for the 1939 movie *Allegheny Uprising*, starring John Wayne. The capture of the fort and release of the prisoners was significant to America's history because it destroyed a prevalent myth of British invincibility and gave encouragement to the wider rebellion that followed in 1776.

The second event of national significance was Bedford County's role in the Whiskey Rebellion in 1794. A tax on whiskey, imposed by the new Congress of the United States, was opposed by the whiskey distillers, mostly from counties west of Bedford. When the opposition to the tax turned violent, President Washington legitimately saw the opposition as a challenge to the new government. He took command of the army and with a force of 13,500 men headed toward western Pennsylvania to quell the rebellion. When he got to Bedford, he set up his headquarters at the well-known Espy House. The rebels were intimidated by the large army that had arrived and the insurrection evaporated without any serious clash. This event established the authority of the Federal Government, which remained uncontested until 67 years later when the Civil War broke out. President Washington's direct command of the army during

this rebellion is claimed by those in Bedford County to be the only time in the country's history that the President has taken command of the army.

We know that a John Garn (#46) operated a distillery on his property in 1812.<sup>[18]</sup> We did not find his name on a list of people who signed a petition against the whiskey tax. He would have been too young to have a distillery during the Whiskey Rebellion.

A third significant event involved President James Buchanan, who also had ties to Lancaster, Pennsylvania, and Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, both of which are places where Garns lived or had lived. Bedford Springs, a well-known resort dating back to the early 1800s, which is still visited by many even today, was the Summer White House of President Buchanan. In 1859 President Buchanan must have seen that the Union was headed toward dissolution and possibly Civil War over the issues of slavery and states rights. He was under intense pressure from the North to take a firm stand against Southern defiance of Federal authority, and by the South to defend "States' Rights" and the Fugitive Slave Act.

Apparently President Buchanan had had his fill because he summoned the editor of the local newspaper, the Bedford Gazette, and presented him with a stunning historic message. He renounced the Presidency and completely rejected any candidacy for a second term. He was the first President in the country's history to relinquish the Presidency after his first term without running for a second term and the only one until President Lyndon B. Johnson announced his intention not to seek a second term in 1968. Those who remember the surprise of President Johnson's announcement can probably imagine the surprise the nation felt when President Buchanan made his announcement.

The two branches of the Garn family in Bedford County lived about 25 miles apart. Johannes Gern's farm was located on land immediately west of the village of Weyant, which is about four miles west of Osterburg and St. Clairsville in northern Bedford County. Conrad Gern's sons John and Jacob lived for a while in the vicinity of Buffalo Mills, which is several miles south of Bedford. The two families undoubtedly got together occasionally. We believe that Abraham Garn (#121), from Buffalo Mills, and Susan Garn (#102), from near Weyant, were married in Bedford County.

Long before the Garns' residence in the county there was an Indian trail, known as Warrior's Path, which ran through land owned by John Garn in Buffalo Mills. [19] The trail extended through and well south of Cumberland, Maryland in the south. In the northerly direction the trail passed through Osterburg and St. Clairsville, which was quite near Weyant, where Johannes Gern lived. The trail continued north into New York and was at one time a major north-south travel route used by the Indians. By the time the Garns settled in the county the trail had undoubtedly been improved to allow horse and wagon travel and the Garn families would have used it to visit each other.

The land of Johannes Gern (#23) near Weyant was "on the waters of Bobs Creek," which flowed through his land and also flows through Weyant. At one time Weyant was known as Mowry's Mill, which may have been built on land that Johannes had owned. From his property one can easily see Blue Knob, which is now a Pennsylvania State Park where many easterners go to ski. Bobs Creek flows generally southward to Dunnings Creek, which empties into the Juniata River, which in turn empties into the Susquehanna River, which empties into the north end of the Chesapeake Bay.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, Waterman, Watson & Co., publishers, (Chicago, 1884), p. 351.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Paul A. W. Wallace, *Indian Paths of Pennsylvania*, (Harrisburg, PA, 2005), pp. 180-184.

The land of John Garn (#56) in the southern part of the county was on Buffalo Run, a small stream that heads north from his property to meet the Juniata River and follows the path noted above. Interestingly, a few miles from John Garn's property is Wills Creek, which flows south, eventually passing through Cumberland, Maryland, into the Potomac River, which eventually empties into the Chesapeake Bay well south of where the Susquehanna River meets the Bay.

The tiny village that sprung up on John Garn's property is now known as Buffalo Mills. The Buffalo Mills Post Office is located on land once owned by John Garn (#56). We doubt that the area was known as Buffalo Mills when he owned the property. It undoubtedly was given that name after a mill was built there in 1868. Both John Garn and his brother Jacob and their families worshipped with the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church. Today the Lyberger Lutheran Church is located in Madley, Pennsylvania, which is about four miles south of where John Garn's property was located. Of note is that the Lybergers who established the church were ancestors of Lynne Cheney, wife of former Vice President Richard Cheney.

Although we have not found anyone with the Garn surname living in Bedford County today, descendants of Johannes Gern's daughters and granddaughters who have other surnames, still reside in the county. Also, several descendants who took the Carn spelling of the surname moved north to Blair Co, Pennsylvania, where Carns reside today.

### Franklin County, Pennsylvania

We know that Conrad Gern (#26) arrived in Franklin County, Pennsylvania before 1800. His children probably were all born elsewhere. However, his younger children would have grown up there. Some of his descendants still reside there and now spell the name Garnes or Garns. Franklin County is highlighted with an arrow on the Pennsylvania map shown earlier in this section.

Early settlers of Franklin County were mostly Scotch-Irish and a few Germans. Benjamin Chambers, after whom Chambersburg is named, came in 1730. He and other Scotch-Irish settled with the consent of the Indians. In 1734 he received a warrant (license to survey) for 400 acres of land where Chambersburg is now located. In 1742 he received a patent (title) for the land.

When Benjamin Chambers received his patent in 1742, several Scotch-Irish families formed the nucleus of Chambersburg. The population remained mainly Scotch-Irish for over a decade. The Scotch-Irish became mainly lawmakers and military leaders leaving the farming mainly to the methodical and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> James Hostetler, Bedford County Grist & Woolen Mills, (Bedford, PA, 2004), p. 56, cites p. 365 of the 1884 Bedford History.
<sup>21</sup> In an amazing coincidence, the author's wife was reading Lynne Cheney's autobiography *Blue Skies, No Fences: A Memoir of Childhood and Family* (2007) (ISBN 1-4165-5328-89), at the Bedford County Historical Society and discovered Mrs. Cheney's descent from the Lybergers at the exact moment that the author was reviewing the records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church and discovered evidence of John and Jacob Garn's attendance at the Lybarger Lutheran Church.

Information for this section was extracted from the following, all available at the Franklin County Historical Society in Chambersburg, PA: History of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, pub. by Warner, Beers & Co., (Chicago, 1887); Chambersburg, Its Record and Its Prospect, pub. by the Chamber of Commerce, (Chambersburg, 1945); Eugene Etter, History of Lemasters, Pennsylvania, (publication place not named, 1972); Rev. D. H. Focht, History of the Grindstone Hill Ev. Lutheran Church in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Delivered on Christmas, Monday, Dec. 25, 1854, loose-leaf transcript; Rev. I. M. Beaver, A Disquisition Portraying the History of the Grindstone Hill Reformed Charge Consisting of Grindstone Hill, Marion and Fayetteville, in Franklin County, Penn'a, (Chambersburg, 1892); Rev. D. H. Foght, A Discourse Portraying the History of the Grindstone Hill Ev. Lutheran Church, in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Delivered on Christmas, Monday, Dec. 25th, 1854, (Gettysburg, PA, 1855), appears to include other work by same author cited above.

industrious Germans, who by nature were considered less restless than the Scotch-Irish. As a result it was claimed that they were better farmers than those that preceded them and quickly assumed leadership in developing agriculture in the community. Since the Scotch-Irish likely held the public positions of responsibility early in the county, they undoubtedly gave their spellings when recording names of Germans in public documents. This may account for the multiple different spellings of the Gern name in early records.

Initially Franklin County was in the western part of Lancaster County. In 1749 when organization of Cumberland County was being considered, Benjamin Chambers pressed for Chambersburg to be its count seat. However, Carlisle was selected, with present day Franklin County as part of the newly established Cumberland County. When Cumberland County was divided in 1784, Franklin County was created. Chambers Town, as it had been known, officially became Chambersburg, the county seat.

Western movement of people established the importance of Chambersburg, which was a natural crossroads. When General Forbes advanced on Fort Duquesne (Pittsburgh) in 1758, he opened a new road westward from Fort Loudon in Franklin County, through Bedford and on to Pittsburgh.

Franklin County, like Bedford County discussed earlier, was not immune to Indian troubles in the early days. After Braddock was defeated in 1755 in his attempt to remove the French from Fort Duquesne, the frontier was left unprotected for nearly a decade during which Indians harassed settlers and in some cases killed them. Some settlers in the Franklin County area went to Shippensburg. It was reported that in 1763 almost fourteen hundred were there and were obliged to "lie in stables, barns, cellars and under old leaky roofs."

In July of 1764 Susan Cunningham, who had been staying at Fort McDowell (now known as Markes) for safety, decided to chance a return home, less than a mile away, to get milk for her children. She presumed it was safe to make the trip because things had been quiet in the community. However, on her trip she was met by the savages and was "scalped and murdered and belly ripped open, and the child laid beside her." The next day Enoch Brown a teacher and eight or more pupils were massacred in their school near Greencastle, presumably by the same Indians.

Americans are well aware of the battle that occurred at Gettysburg during the Civil War. However, some are not aware or have forgotten that Franklin County was the victim of more than one incursion of Confederate troops during the Civil War.

In the summer of 1862 the Confederate General J. E. B. Stuart made four horse-stealing raids in the area. The rebels traveled in parties of three and four to farms and other properties where horses, saddles and blankets might be kept. Each time he attempted to raid, a Civil War era "Paul Revere" would ride ahead and warn the residents of the rebels' approach. In one of the valleys there was a stone quarry that was well hidden and covered with poles and straw. It was about 25 feet deep and large enough to hold 25 horses. This quarry saved many a horse from being taken by the Confederates during the war. After the raids of 1862, cavalry units were stationed in Franklin County to confront future raiding parties.

When Confederate General John McCausland came north to burn Chambersburg on 30 June 1864, he came through Clear Spring, Mercersburg, Little Cove, Bridgeport (Markes), Fort Loudon, and St. Thomas to Chambersburg and returned on the same route. The rumble of his two columns went on almost all night and people living along the road fled to homes of neighbors living a distance from the

road. According to the Confederates, the burning of Chambersburg was retaliation for outrageous actions by Union troops in the South. The toll when the city burned was 537 buildings amounting to over \$700,000 of real estate and over \$900,000 of personal property.

It is well known that Utah is the center of Mormonism in the United States. A branch of the Garn family was influential in the establishment of Mormonism in Utah, where they remain influential. However, it is not generally known that an attempt was made to establish a center of Mormonism in Franklin County.

When a mob in Carthage, Illinois, killed Joseph Smith, the founder of the Mormon Church, and his brother Hyram on 27 June 1844, the naming of his successor was not obvious. Sidney Rigdon, a follower of Joseph Smith thought that he was the natural successor. However, Brigham Young, a more recent convert and more charismatic follower, was granted the leadership. The two men disagreed about the direction the church should take and Rigdon was excommunicated. Among other disagreements, Young felt they should head west while Rigdon felt that Pennsylvania was where the church should be established. The two men led their followers in opposite directions. Initially Rigdon attempted to set up a church in Pittsburgh, which did not fare well. Then the farm of Andrew G. McLanahan in Antrim Twp., Franklin County, was purchased as a place to set up the church. It was reported that Rigdon had 150 followers when he settled in Antrim Twp. Rigdon's attempts to grow his church in Franklin County were unsuccessful and eventually his money ran out. In August 1847 McLanahan foreclosed and took back the land. At this point some of Rigdon's followers went to Utah and others "joined the Gentiles."

Our first evidence of Conrad Gern (#26) in Franklin County is the 1799 Tax Return for Guilford Twp., where he appears as Conrad Kern. He probably owned land in the township. However, we have not found a record that he purchased or sold land there. At the time, records of land transfers made after the original patents (titles) usually were not recorded. Conrad arrived in Franklin County too late to buy land directly from the government and receive a patent that would have been recorded. And the recording of all land transactions did not become standard practice until many years later. If one knew the location of property he owned, one could trace land records back to a record that references unindexed transactions by Conrad Gern, which in turn should point to earlier transactions back to the original patent. In the absence of this knowledge of where he owned property and in the absence of good indexes of early land transactions, a general search for land records that mention transactions by Conrad Gern would be a huge effort.

In 1748 Rev. Michael Schlatter, a German Reformed minister, passed through the area near Greencastle in Franklin Co. and made a record in his journal that alludes to the prairies covered with grass. His record mentions fertile fields and meadows and that "with little cultivation Indian corn attains the height of ten feet or more." His record also mentions that many Indians lived there who were "peaceable and kind unless furnished with strong drink."

Guilford Township is hilly limestone land. Apparently the first settlers were not good farmers and in many places allowed the soil to erode and create large gullies. The owners believed the land had become worthless and sold it for a trifle to German settlers, who introduced clover and "artificial grasses" which restored the soil and made it among the "most beautiful and fertile section of the country."

One of the earliest German settlements in Franklin County was on the road between Chambersburg and Waynesboro in Franklin County. This settlement became known as the Grindstone Hill settlement. It

was at this place where the Grindstone Hill Church was built. This church was later known as the Solomon's Evangelical Lutheran Church and undoubtedly was the church where the Conrad Gern family worshipped.

Two different groups, the Lutheran and Reformed congregations, shared the church at Grindstone Hill. Together they built "The Old Log Church" in 1766. As they were negotiating the construction of this church, the Lutheran congregation refused to join the Reformed congregation in building the new church unless they had an equal interest in the land, which the Reformed congregation "out of the magnanimity [sic] of their cordiality gave to them."

The Old Log Church stood near the eastern corner of the Grindstone Hill graveyard where foundation stones of the old church remained in 1854. According to a description of the property, there was a limestone hill on the north and the "grindstone hill" on the east where early settlers quarried grindstone from which the church got its name.

Initially the church had no ceiling; only the roof above served as a cover. When the church became crowded, men would climb into the log rafters to hear the sermons and on occasion fell into the crowd below. Members often traveled some distance through uncertain territory to attend church. Men brought their guns to protect their families from wolves and other animals. While at church, they stored guns in the corner and hung shot-pouches on pins along the wall. In 1778 a floor was laid, pews made, the gallery completed, and stoves were bought.

Initially the sermons were given only in German. However, over time some began asking for sermons in English, which was strongly resisted at first but finally accepted in 1831. Rev. Benjamin Kurtz, D.D., of Hagerstown, Maryland, became minister in August 1831 and began preaching once every two weeks, alternating sermons between German and English languages to satisfy needs of the congregation that demanded more English.

The Old Log Church served as the place of worship for both congregations until 1833 when a new brick church was built, again jointly by the two congregations. The cornerstone was laid in May 1833 and dedication was in November 1833.

The Grindstone Hill Cemetery, which sprang up around the Old Log Church, is undoubtedly where Conrad Gern, his wife, and other family members were buried when they died. We have not found Conrad's grave. However, records show that a Barbara Gern was buried there. She undoubtedly was Conrad's wife. Older gravestones in the cemetery are quite weathered and often difficult to read. So it is not surprising that we are unable to match a gravestone with the record that Barbara was buried there or to locate an inscription on a gravestone for Conrad Gern.

Conrad Gern's son Samuel Garns (#62) may have been born in Guilford Township. He probably moved to Peters Township in Franklin County as an adult. He was buried in Peters Twp. when he died and his son Henry definitely owned land in the village of Lemasters within the township. Lemasters is named after Jacob Lemaster, who purchased two tracts of land there in 1812. A history of Lemasters written in 1972 named Mary Garns (#562) at 83 years "young" as the oldest woman in the town. [23]

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Eugene Etter, *History of Lemasters, Pennsylvania*, (publication place not named, 1972), p. 2, available at the Franklin County Historical Society in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

President Janes Buchanan was born in the western part of Peters Township on 23 April 1791. His father, also named James, had emigrated from Ireland, County Donegal, in 1783. Here he married Elizabeth Speer in 1788. They lived at a place known as Stony Batter where President Buchanan was born and lived his first five years. In 1796 they moved to Mercersburg where the President spent his younger years. After President Buchanan graduated from Dickinson College in Carlisle, Pennsylvania in 1809, he moved to Lancaster, another place where the Garns had lived. President Buchanan's parents remained in Mercersburg. When they died, they were buried in Spring Grove Cemetery, which at one time was also known as Waddell Cemetery and Etter's Cemetery. This is also the cemetery where Samuel Garns' son Henry and his two wives were buried. We have not found any evidence that the Garns were ever acquainted with the Buchanans.

Garnes Road in Montgomery Twp., Franklin County, is a short distance south of the border between Montgomery Twp. and Peters Twp. This road is named after the Garnes who lived on the corner that the road makes with Buchanan Trail or Route 16 west of Greencastle. This was the family of John Garns, person (#162).<sup>[24]</sup>

### Ashland County, Ohio

As the nation expanded westward, the Garns did their part to settle newly-opened lands. One of the places they went was Ashland County, Ohio. [25] The map on the following page shows the State of Ohio and the counties that are presently organized within the state. Ashland County, where many Garns lived, is highlighted with an arrow at the top of the page. An arrow also highlights Sandusky County, which, along with Ottawa and Seneca Counties to the north and south, were places where many Garns lived.

The Garns who settled in Ashland County settled in the northern part of Mohican Township and the southern part of Perry Township, at or near where the two townships share a border. In some cases the same person owned land on both sides of the border between the two townships.

On 13 April 1832 Adam Garn, person #59, bought all but 2 acres of the northeast quarter of section 3 in Mohican Township. On 10 May 1833 he purchased 60 acres across the road that separates Mohican from Perry Township. Over the next several years he added to his holdings in the two townships. On 6 May 1834 Jacob Garn, person #61, purchased the east half of the northeast quarter of section 14 of Mohican Township, about two miles south and a little east of where Adam Garn made his first purchase in the township. A map of Mohican and Perry Townships drawn in 1861 shows Adam Garn's purchases and Jacob's purchase under the name of Mrs. Mary Garn. The 1861 township map also shows lands owned by various children of Adam and Jacob and their spouses.

We do not believe that Adam Garn arrived in Mohican Township very long before his purchase of land in 1832. A list of electors, who voted in a Mohican Twp. election in October 1828, does not include any Garns, which convinces us that he did not come that early. It would have been about four months after his marriage in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. The births of Jacob's son Samuel in Pennsylvania in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Private communication, Milton L. Garnes, person #1122 in this book.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Information about Ashland County, Ohio, comes from: H. S. Knapp, A History of the Pioneer and Modern Times of Ashland County from the Earliest to the Present Date, (Philadelphia, 1863); Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #5, Perry Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1987); Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988).

March 1832 and his daughter Elizabeth in Ohio in March 1834 convince us that he arrived in Ashland County between those dates. Adam and Jacob's nephew John, person #118 and son of Christopher Garn, probably did not arrive in the county until the early 1850s.



**Ohio County Map** 

The trip that Adam Garn and his nephew John made from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, to Ashland Co., Ohio, is around 290 miles. The trip that Jacob Garn made from Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, to Ashland County, Ohio, is around 240 miles.

A surveyor passing through the area near the border between Mohican and Perry Townships in 1806 reported the region to be generally level with the timber being "much burnt by fire" with a few scattered trees. The surveyor attributed the burning to, "...the work of the Indians in pursuit of game." These burned off areas had a hard, almost brick soil and were believed to be poor soil for farming. However, once broken up and farmed upon, the burned over regions turned out to be excellent farmland.

Surveys of Mohican and Perry Townships that opened the lands for settlement were completed in 1807. At the time the townships were part of Wayne County, which today forms the eastern boundary of Ashland County. The first white settlement in Ashland County was reported to have been in 1810. The History of Ashland County reports the names of early settlers that appeared on the 1810 U.S. Census of Killbuck Twp., which at the time comprised present-day Mohican and Perry Townships and more. Among the people named in that census was Baptiste Jerome, after whom the town Jeromesville in

Mohican Twp. was named. [26] Although the town is now known as Jeromesville and appears by that name on maps, one can readily find instances where it is called Jeromeville, without the "s" in the name.

A Joseph Chandler, Sr., who arrived in Perry Township in 1812, found that Baptiste Jerome already had thirty to forty acres of land under cultivation. Jerome, a French Canadian, was thought by some to be an Indian. His wife was reported to be an Indian and the daughter and sister of "distinguished Indian chiefs." During the War of 1812 (1812-1815), General Bell, the military officer in charge of the region, ordered the Indians to be removed from the area. Jerome was incarcerated and while in jail, his wife and daughter were taken to Urbana, Ohio. Jerome's neighbors went to the jail where he was being held, attested to his loyalty to the government and secured his release. It is believed that he never saw his wife and daughter again and that they died within months of being taken to Urbana because they were unable to endure the hardships and exposure they were subjected to when placed under "government control."

There are reports of Indian troubles or alarms in Ashland County similar to those reported in the early days of Bedford and Franklin Counties in Pennsylvania. However, we did not find evidence of specific incidents that were as serious as the troubles reported earlier in Pennsylvania. It was reported that in the early days three or four blockhouses were built for protection in the vicinity of Mohican Township. These were two-story buildings in which the upper level was larger than the supporting level, which meant the outer areas of the upper floor overhung the walls of the lower floor. Holes in the overhanging area allowed people in the blockhouse to shoot down on anyone attempting to climb or set fire to the walls of the blockhouse.

In the fall of 1822 there were nine Indian men and three squaws camped in or near Perry Township with the purpose of hunting and trapping. They remained camped in the area for about nine days and then left. They were believed to be the last Indian hunting party in the area.

It didn't take long after the first white settlers arrived for large numbers of settlers to come to the county. It was reported that by the spring of 1815 there were new arrivals almost daily.

There was an Indian trail leading from Fort Duquesne (Pittsburgh) through Mohican Township and on through Fort Sandusky to Detroit. The trail from Fort Duquesne was undoubtedly along or close to present-day U.S. 30 that connects Ashland with Pittsburgh. East of Fort Duquesne (Pittsburgh) the trail is known as the Forbes Trail and follows present-day U.S. 30. This trail may well have influenced the Garns' decision to travel west and settle in Ashland County and likely was the trail they used to make the trip.

One famous resident of the county was Jonathan Chapman (1774 - 1845) or Johnny Appleseed as he is better known. He promoted the growth of apple orchards over Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. It was reported that he spread apple trees over an area of more than 100 thousand square miles. As a part of his promotion, he planted and operated a number of apple nurseries in various places. One of those was in section 26 of Mohican Township, where he received a warranty deed for about three acres in 1817.

Two towns in Ashland County where Garns lived in the early days are Jeromesville in Mohican Township and Rowsburg in Perry Township. Jeromesville was laid out in 1815 and had a population of 123 in 1830. In 1860 the population was 332 people. Rowsburg was laid out in 1835. Before railroads

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> We are unable to find Jerome and the others in the index at Ancestry.com. We suspect the claim comes from local records held in Wayne County, Ohio, to which Mohican and Perry Townships belonged before Ashland County was organized.

were built, Rowsburg was a relay station for a stagecoach line and enjoyed a lot of business and activity associated with the stagecoach. When railroad lines were completed in the 1840s, the growth of the town stalled and the population declined.

Ashland County was formed on 24 February 1846 from parts of already-established Huron, Lorain, Richland and Wayne Counties. It may not be widely known that Jeromesville was the site of the first meeting of the Ashland County Court. On 3 March 1846 three newly appointed judges met in the McNulty House in Ashland to organize the County, appointing a County Clerk and dividing the county into three sections. Then they went to Jeromesville where the first session of court was held. The first official act of the judges was to secure a vote to decide where the county seat would be located. Ashland won out over Hayesville by a vote of 2682 to 2002.

The Jeromesville Trinity Lutheran Church was established on 17 May 1847, when two ministers gathered seventeen people at Meng's Meeting House, about 1 & ½ miles northeast of Jeromesville. In 1858 the congregation erected a brick church in Jeromesville, which was used for 67 years. Adam Garn (#59) was a communicant on 12 April 1857 (as Adam Garnz) and again on 9 March 1862.

There are reports that a Garn Cemetery once existed in Mohican Township. A publication of cemetery records known as "Ashland's Eternity Acres" states that the Garn Cemetery was, "... known to have existed, but all traces have vanished." The report also cites a publication known as "Ashland County, Ohio Cemeteries," which reports that it had no further information about the cemetery except that it was located in section 4. A land ownership map of the township, which was drawn in 1861, shows that a Jacob Garn owned the northeast quarter of section 4 and that a J. Garn owned about 80 acres adjacent to it in the northwest quarter of section 4. This undoubtedly was Jacob, person #126 and the son of Adam Garn. Perhaps the cemetery was located on his land. However, we probably will never know where it was located and who was buried there.

One cemetery that still exists and has grave markers for many of the Garns who were among the earliest residents of the county is the Bethel Cemetery. This cemetery is located on the south side of the road, Township Highway 1700, that divides Mohican and Perry Townships. The cemetery is beside the Bethel Church about 200 feet west of the junction of Township Highway 1700 and Township Road 65, and about half a mile north of Co. Highway 30A.

A map of Mohican Twp. that was drawn in 1861 shows that Adam Garn owned several pieces of property including one in Section 2 that shows "Bethel Church" in the northeast corner of the property. Adam bought the northeast quarter of Section 2 in Mohican Twp. on 12 April 1843. He sold an acre from the very northeast corner to "Henry Grindle and Levi Steel and successors," who were probably trustees of the church. The sale appears to have been initiated on 27 March 1844 and completed on 3 April 1852. The sale of this property at the location where the church and cemetery are now located convinces us that Adam was the original owner of the property now occupied by the church and cemetery. Interestingly, Adam, his wife, several of their children and even grandchildren were buried in that cemetery.

On 20 June 1936, a boulder-monument with a plaque attached was placed in Rowsburg to commemorate the recruitment of 50 men for the Civil War by James A. Garfield in September 1861. Garfield, who later became the 20<sup>th</sup> President, recruited the men for Co. C of his 42<sup>nd</sup> Ohio Volunteer Infantry. According to the report, the boulder to which the plaque was affixed was a "glacial bolder, several tons"

in weight... [that] was brought from the Marquis L. Garn farm east of the village and is in itself of historic interest, being from the farm on which lived Adam Garn who at the time of his death Jan. 31, 1932 at the age of 89 years was the last Civil War veteran in Perry township." Marquis L. Garn appears in this book as person #961. His father, Adam Garn, appears as person #412, the grandson of the first Adam Garn to arrive in the area.

### Sandusky County, Ohio, and the Black Swamp

Another place where many Garns settled when they moved west was northwestern and north-central Ohio, particularly Sandusky County, and to a lesser extent Ottawa and Seneca Counties. [27] Descendants of both Johannes and Conrad Gern left Bedford Co., Pennsylvania and settled there. Sandusky County is highlighted with an arrow on the Ohio map shown earlier in this section.

The name, Sandusky, comes from the word for "cold water" or "at cold waters" in the Wyandot Indian language. Ottawa and Seneca Counties are named after Indian tribes by those names. Initially these counties were a part of Cuyahoga County. By 1815 they were part of Sandusky Township within then Huron County. In 1820 the General Assembly established Sandusky and Seneca Counties from Huron County. At the time there were only Indian Trails through this heavily timbered and swampy area. One of those trails led through what is now Spiegel Grove, home of President Rutherford B. Hayes in Fremont.

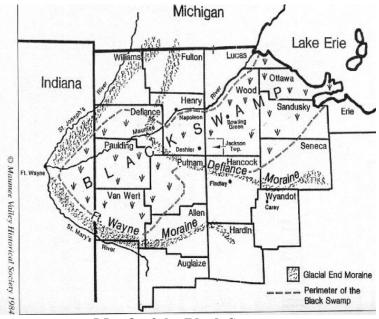
The first mention of an Indian village at Lower Sandusky (Fremont) is in a report made in 1764 by Colonel Bouquet, who was part of General Forbes' expedition west from Franklin and Bedford Counties, Pennsylvania, to Fort Duquesne (Pittsburgh) in 1758. The Indians in this village were undoubtedly from the Wyandot tribe. Over time the Indians relinquished claims to their lands in the region under various treaties. It was reported that they sold their lands around 1817 for 8 to 10 cents per acre, a rate called "little more than a mess of pottage" by some. By 1820 the Government had opened the lands to settlement and were granting patents for land at the rate of \$1.25 per acre. By the spring of 1833 it was reported that there was a constant stream of new families from Pennsylvania and Central and Southern Ohio.

We did not find any claims that the Indians were ever a problem for the early white settlers in the area. However, this does not mean that the pioneers did not face hardships. In fact, some have claimed that these pioneers in northern Ohio may have faced the worst hardships of any settlers in the frontier.

Early histories report that when the first whites visited the area, the whole State of Ohio was sparsely populated. One report claims that the, "upper Ohio Valley was without habitation when explored by the early French navigators." Some reports claimed that the region had been part of a buffer zone between powerful Indian tribes with frequent wars reducing populations. That may be the case. However, we believe the inhospitable terrain, known as the Black Swamp, made the region unattractive to settlers, whether to the Indian or the white settlers who came later.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> Information in this section comes from: History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882); C. Gene Long, Conquering The Black Swamp, Jackson Township, Sandusky County, Ohio, A History of Jackson Township's First 170 Years, (Fremont, Ohio, 2001).

The Garns who came to the region settled in Madison, Washington, Scott, and Jackson Townships in Sandusky County, in Elmore, Ottawa County, and in Seneca County. The four named townships, all of Ottawa County, and northwestern Seneca County were part of what was once called the Black Swamp, so named because it was almost entirely a swamp for much of the year and because the forested regions were so dense that sunshine did not reach the soggy ground or water below. The Black Swamp encompassed much of northwest Ohio, extending from Lake Erie westward into Indiana.



Map<sup>®</sup> of the Black Swamp

The Black Swamp had been surveyed in 1819 and 1820. Originally it was considered almost too wild and unlikely to be profitable and was "left to the wolves, frogs, mosquitoes, and mud hens [American Coot]." Immigrants who showed an interest in settling there were warned that the Black Swamp was nearly impenetrable and mostly filled with mosquitoes and wild animals.

The image above shows a map of the Black Swamp and Sandusky, Ottawa and Seneca Counties, where Garns lived and helped conquer the Black Swamp.<sup>[28]</sup> Note that the Jackson Twp. that is identified in Wood County is not the Jackson Twp. that we discuss in this section of the book.

This swamp was a consequence of the flat terrain that drained poorly into Lake Erie. It was reported that the southern part of Sandusky County was only 100 feet higher than the northern part. This suggests that the terrain drops an average of only about one foot for every 800 feet that one moves toward Lake Erie. It is easy to see how a slight rise in the terrain or a fallen tree would cause the shallow water to back up and form a swamp. During the summer when there was less rain, some of the water drained away but the flat land and many fallen trees permitted only part of the water to drain. As a result the ground was still spongy even when the weather had been dry for some time.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> Map used with permission of the Maumee Valley Historical Society, Pat Hall, 22 June 2011.

In addition to the swampy conditions, the stagnant waters brought flies, mosquitoes and insects of all kinds, which made the area almost uninhabitable. One child in Scott Twp., reported to be the child of Samuel Sprout, actually died from mosquito bites. [29] But children were not the only victims. Everyone was subject to insect-borne diseases.

Another consequence of the swampy conditions was that clean water was sometimes hard to find. Water might look clear and clean but was sometimes contaminated. And at that time few people knew about bacteria and they certainly did not know that they should boil their water. Cholera broke out in the county in 1834.

One final hardship caused by the flat land was that creeks were small and had shallow channels, which made the building of dams futile. Therefore, there was practically no waterpower. Mills driven by moving water, if built, could only be used in the spring when streams were swollen and waters were high. These were called "high water" mills.

The bleak outlook faced by the settlers is well described in the following, written in 1882, which, we are amused to note, contains evidence that even in 1882 people complained that man was ruining the environment: "... Frontier poets are in the habit of making us sorry because nature's simple beauty has been desecrated by the hand of enterprising man. But it is the melancholy task of history in this instance to picture a wild, desolate, almost uninhabitable waste, the sight of which made strong constitutions wither, and hearts beating nigh with anticipation, sicken, and fill with forebodings. ... Trees of varying size locked tops, and were firmly bound together by vigorous vines, with branches shooting in all directions, fastened to every limb by unyielding tendrils. ... [and] foliage which completely filled every interstice, and effectually excluded every ray of sun-shine. ... In spring time, in consequence of the water courses being completely dammed up by fallen timber, whole townships of surface were submerged. When dry weather came on, the water slowly found its way to the bay, leaving a spongy soil so thoroughly saturated that even light-footed deer found travel difficult."

In addition to removing the excess water from their swampy land, the settlers had to clear the dense forest in order to establish fields for farming. They used an old trick that the early colonists learned from the Indians. They girdled the trees, cutting a complete circle around the bark near the base of the tree. The trees died immediately and the land could be farmed even before the still-standing trees were removed. In the spring of each year, the girdled trees were cut and the stumps later removed, either by pulling them up with horses or oxen or by burning them. A farmer could clear around ten acres in this way each year.

Many immigrants either turned back from the Black Swamp or pushed through to more hospitable territory. Many who thought they could stay and started making improvements became discouraged, sold out at a loss, and left. In the early days it was reported that each spring abandoned cabins could be found, frequently with evidence that the animals once housed there had been abandoned also.

In 1823 Reuben and Ezekiel Rice, two of the earliest settlers in Sandusky County, started from Fremont to go to the Portage River at Elmore, Ottawa County, a distance of about fifteen miles. <sup>[30]</sup> They were constantly pushing through swampy water, felling trees to cross rain-swollen creeks, and clearing brush to open a path. They didn't arrive at the Portage River until the fifth day after departing Fremont.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> 1882 Sandusky County History, p. 809, cited at beginning of this section.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> Conquering the Black Swamp, p. 3, cited at beginning of this section.

Loedagar Lehman, an early immigrant from Germany settled in Scott Twp., Sandusky County. <sup>[31]</sup> In 1834 he bought a yoke of oxen and a cow and moved out to his land. He reported that water was knee deep most of the way. The first year they cleared some land and planted corn. But blackbirds were so numerous that someone had to be posted to chase them away until the corn was well rooted. When the corn began to ripen, the squirrels and raccoons also had to be chased away. Lehman reported that in those days women and men worked together in the fields. It was the only way they could survive. Lehman reported that his wife did a man's work in the fields for many years.

It was considered foolish to be found in the forest after dark, as wolves came out at night to find their prey. Although there were stories of families having close encounters with wolves, there were no reports of actual fatal attacks by wolves on humans.

Very few of the pioneers had much money. They depended on their own labor and the resources they found in the county. And undoubtedly many who would have left because of the hardships were prevented from doing so because they had used everything they had to buy their property and travel to the region.

To the settlers, their past was gone forever and their futures seemed beyond their reach. It was written that, "The survivors of that trying period have a right to recite the story of their hardships and the younger generations would be ungrateful to refuse to listen." Still, with all of their hardships, the early settlers were gracious and generous, happily receiving newcomers into the community.

Initially the immigrants purchased and settled on the highest ground they could find in the area. But draining the excess water was still necessary to gain access to most of the land. Sometimes clearing logs and debris was sufficient to drain a region. More often ditches and subsurface drainage were needed. Ditches were dug along roads and the extracted soil was thrown onto the roads to elevate them above the surrounding fields.

The German settlers are credited with introducing drainage ditches and especially subsurface drainage that helped transform the swampy areas into fertile farmland. [32] They took two planks of lumber, nailed them together in a "V" shaped trough, dug a deep ditch, inverted the pair of planks in the ditch, and covered over the inverted trough. A series of these inverted troughs leading to the edges of fields and beyond insured that subsurface water drained. It was not until decades later, when clay tiles were introduced, that the wettest regions were properly drained. Once standing water was removed, the mosquito problem went away.

The first road was cut through the woods in Jackson Township, going from Fremont to the Muskellunge River. This was in the winter of 1828. In many places they had to put logs and brush over low spots to make the road passable. Even then, the road was nearly impassable in the wet season.

Although John Garn, person #46, probably never visited the county before he died in 1833, we know that at least eight and possibly nine of his thirteen children settled there. His sons Jacob, John, Joseph, David, Martin, and Philip James moved there from Bedford County, as did his daughters Elizabeth (wife of David Klotz) and Susanna (wife of Abraham Garn, person #121). John's daughter Christina (wife of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> Conquering the Black Swamp, p. 3, cited at beginning of this section.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> Conquering the Black Swamp, p. 8, cited at beginning of this section.

David Ripley) probably lived there for a while before the family moved on to Indiana. Also, John Garn, person #56 who was a first cousin of John Garn (#46), moved to the county with his three children, Christina (wife of Elias Miller), Abraham and Catharine (wife of John Garn, person #98). Several of these men received patents for land in Seneca and Sandusky Counties. Finally, John Garn, person #171, was a later arrival in Ottawa County. He undoubtedly experienced some of the same Black Swamp hardships that his cousins to the south endured.

Over the next fifty years the Garns played a large role in the area. It was claimed that by 1880 the Garns were so numerous in Washington, Madison and Jackson Townships that their name appeared more than any other in the U.S. Federal Census taken that year. We have not attempted to verify this claim but have no reason to doubt it. Interestingly, in 2009 when we visited the town of Helena, which is near the intersection of the three above named townships and Scott Township, we inquired at the post office if there were any Garns receiving mail from that post office and were told that no one with that surname received mail there. Later at the Metzgar Cemetery, about a mile south of Helena, we asked an older gentleman working there if any Garns lived in the area. We were told that someone by the name Garn used to live about a mile to the southwest of the cemetery but had moved about three years earlier.

According to the 1882 History of Sandusky County, the first Garns to arrive in the county were in the party of David Klotz, who arrived in 1829. David's wife was Elizabeth Garn, person #94. Elizabeth's brother John, person #98, was reported to have been in the party that had come with them from Bedford Co. Pennsylvania.

John Garn received his patent for land in the township the same year he arrived there. The history also reports that this John Garn built the second sawmill in the township, along Mud Creek, which flowed through his property. Like the first sawmill, John's was a "high water mill." It was no longer operating in 1882 when history was written. The history also reports that this John Garn married his second cousin, Catherine Garn.

When it became necessary in 1832 to have a schoolhouse in Jackson Township, a school was built by men named Campbell, Klutz and Garn. Klutz and Garn were undoubted David Klotz and John Garn who had arrived three years earlier. This school was near a bridge across Mud Creek "on the pike," which undoubtedly was the road between Fremont and Millersville. The report about the school indicates that "the 'English Reader' was the consummation of an English education." To us this indicates that the German settlers were convinced that a good command of English was essential to providing their children the tools they needed to thrive in America.

At the time schools in German communities taught in the German language except for English classes. These German-only schools were not considered unpatriotic or unusual and were quite common up until World War I when German-only schools switched to teaching in English to avoid suspicion. Interestingly, German language newspapers flourished until World War I when readership dwindled, again to avoid suspicion that readers sympathized with the Germans in the war.

Garns also settled in Washington Township, to the north of Jackson Township. Joseph Garn (#99) was considered the pioneer of the southwest corner of the township. The 1882 History of Sandusky County reports that he "settled where he now lives in 1831," and that he was "the pioneer United Brethren

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> 1882 Sandusky County History, p. 797, cited at the beginning of this section.

preacher of this part of the county, although he has never been an itinerant circuit rider." The history reports that the, "first United Brethren class was collected soon after the first settlement of the township, and held prayer and preaching service in private houses, most frequently at Joseph Garn's." The first meeting house was built in 1843. A new meeting house was built in the same place in Helena in 1865.

When Joseph Garn learned that the railroads wanted to build a track through his land, he gladly agreed. As soon as the track was completed and in use, he built a grain elevator and engaged in the grain trade from his property. Small amounts of oil were discovered in the area and Joseph also engaged in oil drilling and sale of the proceeds.

Joseph Garn laid out the town of Helena in 1871 on property that he owned. The town was named after one of Joseph's daughters.

The first burial ground in Washington Township was set apart by Michael Fought, who in 1830 made early improvements on his land. Michael was the father of Mary Magdalena Fought, who married Philip James Garn, person #103.

#### Utah

Most Americans are aware that the driving force behind the settlement of the State of Utah was the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (LDS Church) or Mormons as they are also known. And the Garns were a part of that settlement. Daniel Garn, person #95, was an early convert. Tradition holds that he was the thirty-fifth person that was baptized into the church. Daniel's brother Philip James Garn, person #103, was converted to the Mormon faith when he heard his brother preach. These two were early settlers in Utah. Today most of the Garns living in Utah descend from one of these men. And some descend from both. Former United States Senator Jake Garn (Edwin Jacob Garn), person #1258 descends from Daniel and his fifth wife, Mahala Garn, person #372. [35]

The founder of the LDS Church was Joseph Smith, Jr. Attempts by Smith to establish the church in New York and Kirtland, Ohio, met with opposition from communities that were intolerant of the church's doctrine and practices. From Ohio they moved to Missouri, where again they were met with opposition. From Missouri they went to Nauvoo, Illinois. It was while the church was at Nauvoo that Joseph Smith, Jr., was killed by a mob in Carthage, Illinois, in 1844. After his death, Brigham Young was chosen to be the leader. One of his first tasks was to find a place where the church could practice their religion in peace. At some point he decided to head west to the region between the Great Salt Lake and the mountain range to the east of the lake.

The first white man to see the Great Salt Lake was the mountain man, Jim Bridger, who explored the area in 1824. [36] It was reported that when Brigham Young was searching for a place to take his followers, he spoke with Jim Bridger and that Bridger recommended the area around the Great Salt Lake. That may or may not be true. Over time bad feelings developed between Bridger and Young, some of which was reported to be because Young believed Bridger was inciting Indians to attack the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> Information for this section comes from: Utah, <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Utah&oldid=435163767">http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Utah&oldid=435163767</a> (visited 22 June 2011); Philip Graham Garn, *History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches*, (Tempe, Arizona, 1989) [FHL # 1697279 it. 1-3], Vols. 1-3, at pp. 1:147-172.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> Private communication, Senator Jake Garn, November 1979; McBride and Capener, pp. 284-285.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>36</sup> Stanley Vestal, *Jim Bridger, Mountain Man*, (Lincoln, Nebraska, 1946).

Mormons. Also, Bridger's later claim that the growing season at Great Salt Lake was too short for growing corn was viewed with suspicion as an attempt to dissuade the Mormons from settling there.<sup>[37]</sup>

Brigham Young and the first Mormon pioneers arrived in the Salt Lake Valley on 24 July 1847. Over the next 22 years, until the Transcontinental Railroad was completed, more than 70,000 Mormon pioneers crossed the plains and settled in Utah, primarily in the area around present-day Salt Lake City. Their trek followed a path now known as the Mormon Trail, which ran from Nauvoo, Illinois, to Salt Lake City. Between Council Bluffs, Iowa, and Fort Bridger, Wyoming, the path also is known as the Oregon Trail because it was part of the trail used by pioneers headed to Oregon and Washington State. The part of the trail shared by the Mormon and Oregon trails was across the entire width of Nebraska and most of Wyoming. And one can safely say that any hardships readers have heard the Oregon Trail pioneers endured were experienced equally by the Mormons going to Utah. Although the Mormons were major users of the trail, the discovery of gold in California in 1849 added many pioneers who went on to California to seek their fortune. Today about 80% of Utah's residents live along the Wasatch Front, of which Salt Lake City is a part.

Utah was still Mexican territory when the first pioneers arrived in 1847. And that may have influenced Brigham Young's decision to travel to Utah. He may have hoped that they could gain some freedom and independence from the American Government. The United States had captured much of the southwest from Mexico in 1846 in the Mexican-American War. And it officially come under control of the United States when the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo was ratified in 1848. That treaty made Brigham Young and his followers subjects of the United States again. The Utah Territory was created in 1850, and Salt Lake City became the territorial capital in 1856.

In the early years there was considerable mistrust by Mormons of those outside Utah. There also was a great deal of mistrust of the American Government on the part of the Mormons. And many outside Utah viewed Mormons as un-American. As a result, the early years saw tensions rise to almost armed conflict at times as the government attempted to exert control over the territory. Perhaps the biggest conflict was the Utah War, also called the Mormon Rebellion, the Echo Canyon War, and the Mormon Conflict in 1857 and 1858. [38] According to P. Garn, this was caused by the clash between the theocratic nature of Utah and egos of non-Mormon Gentiles. As the government attempted to exert more and more control over Utah, the Mormons feared a repeat of the situations that caused them to leave New York, Kirtland, Ohio, Missouri, and Nauvoo, Illinois. The government, on the other hand, foolishly attempted to place people in charge who were known to dislike Mormons. As it became clear that Colonel Albert Sidney Johnston was going to lead an the army through Salt Lake City as a show of force, Mormons vacated the city and placed lots of flammable material, such as dry straw, against buildings, intent on leaving nothing for others if they were forced to leave Utah for good. Fortunately Col. Johnston understood that sentiment among the public in the east was actually with the Mormons and that President Buchanan would have disapproved if Johnston allowed Salt Lake City and the region to be burned. As a result, he maintained tight control as he paraded his troops through the city and the Mormons never saw any actions on the part of the government that might make them torch the city. Although the army stayed within 30 miles of the city until 1861, when they were called back east because of the Civil War, there were no conflicts between them and the Mormons in the area. The only big conflict after the 1850s

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> According to Philip Graham Garn, this is partially true. Corn grown there matures enough to be eaten or fed to livestock but not enough to sprout the following year if used as seed corn.

<sup>38</sup> P. Garn, 3:233-243.

involved the Black Hawk Indians. This was known as the Black Hawk War, which sprung up in 1865 and lasted until about two years after the Black Hawk chief died in 1870.

Salt Lake City was the last link of the First Transcontinental Telegraph, that was completed in 1861. Brigham Young was among the first to send a message. In 1869 the First Transcontinental Railroad was completed at Promontory Summit, north of the Great Salt Lake, and pioneers began arriving by train soon afterward.

In 1896 Utah became the 45<sup>th</sup> state admitted to the Union. Today approximately 60% of the residents are members of the LDS Church. And there are many Garns in the state.

Daniel Garn and his family were not among the pioneers who arrived in Salt Lake City when Brigham Young brought the first Mormons to Utah in 1847. They came with a party of 1229 pioneers the following year. At the time he was married to only two of the five wives that he would eventually marry. He, his two wives, and six children departed Winter Quarters, at Omaha, Nebraska, in early June 1848 and arrived in Salt Lake City in mid September of that year. Near the end of the trip his first wife, Margaret Moses, accidentally cut herself on the back of her leg, developed blood poisoning, and died at Echo Canyon, Utah, a week before the family arrived in Salt Lake City. Boards were removed from a wagon to make a coffin in which she was brought the remainder of the way to Salt Lake City, where she was buried. Margaret's daughter sat on the coffin to keep it from sliding as they finished their trip to Salt Lake City.

We have no reason to doubt the claim that Daniel Garn was the thirty-fifth convert to the Mormon Church. However, this cannot be proved since records were lost when property of the Mormons was destroyed in Nauvoo, Illinois. Whether or not this is true, there is no doubt that he was an early convert. As a competent, early convert, he attained many positions of responsibility in the early church, both before and after his arrival in Utah. He was President of the Elders Quorum, at times a Bishop of various Wards of the church, and a missionary to Germany, where he was the first mission president. In 1854 he was the Elder in charge of bringing a shipload of Saints from Liverpool, England, to America. In 1855 the territory created the position of Warden of the Penitentiary for the Utah Territorial Penitentiary and elected Daniel to the position. The book by McBride and Capener reports that he had been a bodyguard for Brigham Young. After Daniel's death, George Albert Smith, President of the LDS Church, told that Daniel had also served for a time as a bodyguard to The Prophet Joseph Smith.

Daniel owned a farm near 1700 South and 900 East in the Sugarhouse area of Salt Lake City. He was an accomplished millwright. It was reported that he helped build the first gristmill in the state, in City Creek Canyon. It was also reported that he sharpened the millstones for Isaac Chase's gristmill, which still stands in Liberty Park in Salt Lake City.

In 1851, while on his way to Germany for a mission trip, Daniel stopped in Toledo, Ohio. His youngest brother, Philip James Garn and his wife, traveled about 45 miles over dusty roads in a horse-drawn wagon to visit Daniel. There they heard Daniel preach about the LDS Church and its beliefs and were converted. At that time Philip James Garn and his wife lived among family in Jackson Twp., Sandusky County. Upon hearing of their conversion to the Mormon faith, their families and friends quickly ostracized them. They no longer felt welcome in their own community. Finally, in the spring of 1855, they sold their home and joined a party that left Sandusky County for Utah.

Philip and his family arrived in Salt Lake City in September of that year and were taken in immediately by his brother Daniel. Philip soon bought a farm in Centreville, Utah, about twelve miles north of Salt Lake City. He lived in Utah for only a little over three years because he became ill and died in January of 1859. He had not reached his fortieth birthday. If he had lived as long as Daniel, he undoubtedly would also have had a big impact on the development of the state. However, he, like Daniel, left a lasting impact through their descendants who live in Utah today.

#### **First Generation**

1. **Johannes¹ GERN** was born about 1615. He is named as the father of David Gern in David's birth record and in the Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families). He is also named as the father of his other children, named below, on their birth records. Johannes' birth date is an estimate based on the year he married. Although his name appears in the records as Hanss or Hanß, his formal name was undoubtedly Johannes since Hanss was the common nickname for both the formal first name Johannes and the secondary name Johann. Some will no doubt call him Hanss. We choose to use his more formal name Johannes.

Do not confuse this Johannes Gern with the Johannes Gern who appeared as person #1 in the first edition of the book. Additional generations of Gerns have been included in this edition and it is only a coincidence that the first person in both editions had the name Johannes Gern. The Johannes Gern who was person #1 in the first edition is also in this edition and appears as person #8.

Johannes GERN married **Barbara HEUTZER** on 30 April 1637 in Neidlingen, Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany.<sup>[40]</sup> Barbara HEUTZER was born about 1615. Her birth date is an estimate based on the year she married.

We do not have any information about when Hanss and Barbara arrived in Neidlingen or when they left or died. Records in Neidlingen predate the date of their marriage in 1637, which is the earliest record that we can associate with any ancestors of the Gerns who immigrated to America. But we do not find references to Gerns in any of the earlier records that have been indexed. It is possible that they moved to Neidlingen shortly before their marriage. It is also possible that records that name their parents and establish where they came from have been destroyed. Some records were destroyed during World War II when small towns like Neidlingen sent their records to larger towns with better storage facilities that they thought would be safe only to discover that the records were still destroyed because larger towns were targeted far more often than small towns.<sup>[41]</sup> Another possibility, which we hope is the case, is that the records exist but have not yet been indexed.

The appearance of two sons named Michael/Michel and two daughters named Maria in their family suggests that older siblings probably died and younger children were named after them. The only child of Hanss and Barbara that we are certain survived to adulthood is their last, David Gern.

Johannes GERN and Barbara HEUTZER had the following children, all born in Neidlingen, Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany: [42]

2. i. **Michael<sup>2</sup> GERN** was born in January 1638. He appears in one of the indexes as Michael Geern.

<sup>39</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Davidt [sic] Gern, 7 May 1653, cites FHL #957407 and FHL #1055821, accessed 10 March 2014; birth date and place also reported in Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>40 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Hanss Gern and Barbara Heutzer, 30 April 1637, cites FHL 1055823, accessed 10 March 2014; Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>41</sup> Private communication from Juergen L. W. Pohlman, friend of the author.

<sup>42</sup> Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #957407 and FHL #1055821, accessed on 10 March 2014, son Michael as Geern [sic] in the latter film, parents as Hanss and Barbara Gern in all cases; see Appendices 46 and 47 for David Gern.

- ii. Johannes<sup>2</sup> GERN was born on 27 February 1640. His name appears as Hanss in the records. His name would have been Johannes, which we use here.
- iii. Michel² GERN was born on 9 April 1642.
   iv. Maria² GERN was born on 22 August 1646. She appears in one of the indexes as Maria
- v. Maria<sup>2</sup> GERN was born on 24 January 1651. 6.
- +7. vi. **David<sup>2</sup> GERN** (1653 1713).

### **Second Generation**

7. **David<sup>2</sup> GERN** (Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Johannes GERN, person #1, and Barbara HEUTZER) was born on 7 May 1653 in Neidlingen, Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany. [43] He died on 21 December 1713 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [44] He is identified as a resident and winegartner in the Kürnbach Book of Families. His children that were born to his first wife were born in Neidlingen. He moved from Neidlingen to Kürnbach some time between 1688 when his third child was born in Neidlingen and 1701 when he married in Kürnbach. The Kürnbach Book of Families clearly identifies him as the husband of the two wives listed here.

David GERN married **Barbara HAEUSSLER** (daughter of **Christoff HAEUSSLER** and **Maria**) on 8 November 1681 in Neidlingen, Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany. <sup>[45]</sup> The Kürnbach Book of Families reports her surname as Houser and Hauser whereas her marriage record gives her surname as Haeussler. We do not know which spelling is most appropriate.

Barbara HAEUSSLER was born on 12 January 1653 in Neidlingen, Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany. [46] She died about January 1701 in Zaisersweiher, Germany. [47] The Kürnbach Book of Families reports where she died and suggests that David Gern had gone to Zaisersweiher around that time in hopes of making a better living. He undoubtedly either settled in or returned to Kürnbach soon after Barbara's death since he remarried there in 1701. Zaisersweiher was a village about five miles southwest of Kürnbach. It was destroyed during the Thirty Years War in the early 1600s and was undoubtedly rebuilt. In 1975 Zaisersweiher was combined with two other villages to form the present-day village of Maulbronn, Germany.

David GERN and Barbara HAEUSSLER had the following children, all born in Neidlingen, Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany: [48]

- +8. i. **Johannes**<sup>3</sup> **GERN** (1682 1744).
- 9. ii. **Barbara<sup>3</sup> GERN** was born on 24 February 1686. [49] The Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families) reports her birth a year earlier than the date shown here which comes from the Neidlingen church records. She died on 30 April 1721 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [50]

44 Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>47</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Davidt [sic] Gern, 7 May 1653, cites FHL #957407 and FHL #1055821, accessed 10 March 2014; birth date and place also reported in Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>45 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, David Gern and Barbara Haeussler, 30 April 1637, cites FHL #957408 and #1055823, accessed 17 January 2014; Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, her father's name as Stophel, see Appendix 46.

<sup>46 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 9 April 2014, Barbara Heuessler, 12 January 1653, parents as Christoff Heuessler and Maria, cites FHL# 957407and 1055821.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, names David and Barbara's first three children and David's two children by his second wife, see Appendix 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>49</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Barbara Gern, 24 February 1686, cites FHL #957407 and FHL #1055821, accessed 15 March 2014; Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135 and Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135 and Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

- +10. iii. Margretha Gottlieba<sup>3</sup> GERN (1689 ).
  - 11. iv. **Anna Magdalena** GERN was born on 17 January 1692. [51] Her absence from the list of David and Barbara's children in the Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families) in Appendix 46 suggests that she died young, probably in Neidlingen.

David GERN next married Anna Elisabeth REUCHLIN (daughter of Hans Martin REUCHLIN) on 25 July 1701 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [52] Her surname may have been Beuchlin instead of Reuchlin. The old handwriting, which may be seen in Appendix 46, is quite difficult to read. Anna Elisabeth REUCHLIN died on 1 April 1710 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [53]

David GERN and Anna Elisabeth REUCHLIN had the following children, both born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [54]

- v. Frantz<sup>3</sup> GERN was born on 31 May 1702. [55] He died on 23 May 1705 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [56]
- vi. **David<sup>3</sup> GERN** was born on 22 June 1708.<sup>[57]</sup> The Kürnbach church books list only his birth and no other entries about him. It is presumed that he moved away from Kürnbach as a young man.

<sup>51 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Anna Magdalena Gern, 17 January 1692, cites FHL #957407 and FHL #1055821, accessed 15 March 2014; birth date and place also reported in Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>52</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>53</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>54</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, names David and Elisabeth's two children and David's first three children by his first wife, see Appendix 46.

<sup>55 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Frantz Gern, 31 May 1702, cites FHL #1272389, accesed 15 March 2014, mother as Elisabetha; Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>56</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>57</sup> "Deutschland. Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, David Gern, 22 June 1708, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 15 March 2014, mother as Elisabetha; Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

### **Third Generation**

8. **Johannes**<sup>3</sup> **GERN** (David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David GERN, person #7, and Barbara HAEUSSLER) was born on 27 September 1682 in Neidlingen, Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany. He died on 30 January 1744 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Johannes appeared in the first edition of the book as person #1 because we did not know about his parents and grandparents when the first edition was published. At that time we also did not have a date for his birth and estimated that he was born about 1680.

Johannes GERN married **Anna Catharina HOFMANN** (daughter of **Hans Jerg HOFMANN** and **Anna Maria**) on 6 November 1708 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [60] Anna Catharina HOFMANN was born on 23 November 1685. [61] She died on 9 May 1752 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [62]

Johannes GERN and Anna Catharina HOFMANN had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [63]

- 14. i. Maria Regina GERN was born on 30 August 1709. [64] She died on 7 April 1724. [65]
- 15. ii. **Hans Jerg<sup>4</sup> GERN** was born on 4 December 1711. [66] No information other than his birth and christening record appears in the Kürnbach Church books. This suggests that he moved away from Kürnbach before marrying.
- +16. iii. **Johann Adam<sup>4</sup> GERN** (1714 1782).
- +17. iv. Maria Elisabeth GERN (1720 1796).
- +18. v. Margareth<sup>4</sup> GERN (1724 ).

10. **Margretha Gottlieba<sup>3</sup> GERN** (David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of David GERN, person #7, and Barbara HAEUSSLER) was born on 6 March 1689 in Neidlingen, Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany.<sup>[67]</sup> The Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families) places her birth a year earlier than the date shown here which comes from the Neidlingen church records.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>58</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Johannes Gern, 27 September 1682, cites FHL #957407 and FHL #1055821, accessed 15 March 2014; Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135 and Family of David Gern, page 137, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46.

<sup>60</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>62</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>64</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46.

<sup>65</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46.

<sup>66</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>67</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Margretha Gottlieba Gern, 6 March 1689, cites FHL #957407 and FHL #1055821, accessed on 15 March 2014; birth date and place also reported in Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of David Gern, page 137 and Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46.

Margretha Gottlieba GERN married **Hans Michael THORWARTH** (son of **Melchoir THORWARTH** and **Anna**) on 9 July 1715 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [68] Hans Michael THORWARTH was born on 8 April 1668 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [69] He died on 4 August 1728 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [70] Margaretha is named as the second wife of Hans Michael Thorwarth in the Kürnbach Book of Families. The record for Hans Michael Thorwarth also reports that after he died, Margaretha remarried and reports the date of her marriage, which is in agreement with the <familysearch.org> index of a record for a marriage of Jerg Albrecht Birer [sic] to Margareth Thorwarth. We are convinced that the index transcribed his name incorrectly and that it should be Geier or similar.

Margretha Gottlieba GERN and Hans Michael THORWARTH had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany:<sup>[71]</sup>

- 19. i. **Louyse<sup>4</sup> THORWARTH** was born on 23 November 1716.<sup>[72]</sup> She died on 3 December 1765 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.<sup>[73]</sup>
- 20. ii. **Andreas<sup>4</sup> THORWARTH** was born on 28 November 1718.<sup>[74]</sup> He undoubtedly remained in Kürnbach because the Kürnbach Book of Families reports that his family may be found on page 231. He married **Christina WEISSERT** (daughter of **Hanss Jerg WEISSERT**) on 27 October 1744 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. <sup>[75]</sup>
- 21. iii. **Johannes<sup>4</sup> THORWARTH** was born on 2 September 1723. [76] He undoubtedly remained in Kürnbach because the Kürnbach Book of Families reports that his family may be found on page 109. He married **Justina Barbara HAEUESLER** (daughter of **Hanss Jerg HAEUESLER**) on 5 May 1756 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [77]

Margretha Gottlieba GERN next married **Jerg Albrecht GEIER** on 14 August 1731 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [78] Although the <familysearch.org> index spells his surname as Birer and

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorworth, page 65, names their three children, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, FHL #1272389, accessed 10 February 2014.

<sup>68 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Hans Michel Thorwarth and Margareth Gernen [sic], 9 July 1715, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 15 March 2014; Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46.

<sup>69</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46.

<sup>70</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Louyse Thorwarth, 23 November 1716, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 10 February 2014, father as Hans Michel Thorwarth, mother as Margareth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>73</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46, her death date in the record is difficult to read.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Andreas Thorwarth, 28 November 1718, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 10 February 2014, father as Hans Michel Thorwarth, mother as Margareth.

<sup>75 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Andreas Thorwart [sic] and Christina Weissert,27 October 1744, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 10 February 2014, his father as Hanss Michael Thorwart, her father as Hanss Jerg Weissert.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Johannes Thorwarth, 2 September 1723, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 10 February 2014, father as Hans Michael Thorwarth, mother as Margareth.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Johannes Thorwarth and Justina Barbara Haeuesler, 5 May 1756, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 10 February 2014, his father as Michel Thorwart, her father as Hanss Jerg Haeuesler.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>78</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth, page 65, see Appendix 46, cites Jerg Albrecht Geier as Margretha (Gern) Thorwarth's second husband; "Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>,

hers as Thorworth, the date of the marriage matches the date found for the second husband of Margretha (Gern) Thorwarth in the Kürnbach Book of Families. Margretha Gottlieba GERN and Jerg Albrecht GEIER had the following child:

22. iv. **Hans Jerg<sup>4</sup> GEIER** was born on 3 October 1732 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.<sup>[79]</sup>

Jerg Albrecht Birer [sic, undoubtedly Girer or Geier] and Margareth Thorwarth [undoubtedly, nee Gern], 14 August 1731, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 4 March 2014.

<sup>79 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Hans Jerg Girer [sic, probably Geier], 3 October 1732, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 7 March 2014, father as Jerg Albrecht Girer, mother as Margareth.

### **Fourth Generation**

16. **Johann Adam<sup>4</sup> GERN** (Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Johannes GERN, person #8, and Anna Catharina HOFMANN) was born on 7 March 1714 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [80] He was christened at the Evangelisch in Kürnbach on 7 March 1714. [81] Although christened as Johann Adam Gern, his name appears as Hans Adam Gern or Hanss Adam Gern on the birth and christening records of each of his children listed below and on his marriage record. An image of his birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. He died on 11 September 1782 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [82]

Johann Adam GERN married **Anna Maria ARNOLD** (daughter of **Hans Adam ARNOLD** and **Anna Catharina BUTZ**) on 20 November 1736 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [83] Anna Maria ARNOLD was born on 18 February 1711 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [84] She died on 11 February 1779 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [85] Anna Maria's mother's surname appears as Butzer in the Kürnbach Book of Families. Elsewhere we have seen the name simply as Butz. The "er" on the end of her father's name in the Kürnbach Book of Families was probably the "er' suffix often added to the surnames of German men.

Johann Adam GERN and Anna Maria ARNOLD had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [86]

- +23. i. **Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN** (1738 1808).
- 24. ii. **Joseph<sup>5</sup> GERN** was born on 4 October 1742.<sup>[87]</sup> He was christened the next day. He died on 13 October 1742 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.<sup>[88]</sup>
- +25. iii. **Georg Adam<sup>5</sup> GERN** (1744 1823).
- +26. iv. **Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN** (1748 1810).

17. **Maria Elisabeth<sup>4</sup> GERN** (Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Johannes GERN, person #8, and Anna Catharina HOFMANN) was born on 26 April 1720 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.<sup>[89]</sup> She was christened that day in Kürnbach.<sup>[90]</sup> She died on 14 March 1796.<sup>[91]</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>80</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135 and Family of Johann Adam Gern, page 83, see Appendix 46.

<sup>81 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>82</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hanns Adam Gern, page 83, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hanns Adam Gern, page 83, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, as Hans Adam Gern, accessed at then pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hanns Adam Gern, page 83 and Family of Hans Adam Arnold, page 38, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hanns Adam Gern, page 83 and Family of Hans Adam Arnold, page 38, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johann Adam Gern, page 83, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>87</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johann Adam Gern, page 83, see Appendix 46.

<sup>88</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johann Adam Gern, page 83, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, and Family of Hanss Jerg Laessle, page 33, see Appendix 46.

Maria Elisabeth GERN married **Hanss Jerg LAESSLE** (son of **Georg Adam LAESSLE** and **Maria**) on 28 January 1744 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [92] Hanss Jerg LAESSLE was born in 1719. [93] He died in 1755. [94] In addition to the children listed below, the Kürnbach Book of Families suggests that there was a child Andreas who was associated with the family. See the family of Hanss Jerg Lassle, page 33 in Appendix 46. We are unable to decipher that portion of the record to confidently declare how he is connected with the family.

Maria Elisabeth GERN and Hanss Jerg LAESSLE had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany and died there if a death is reported: [95]

- 27. i. **Christina Catharina**<sup>5</sup> **LAESSLE** was born on 12 November 1744. The index at <familysearch.org> reports that she was born on 11 December 1744 but that she was christened a month earlier on 12 November 1744. Therefore, this birth date may be incorrect.
- 28. ii. Maria Barbara<sup>5</sup> LAESSLE was born on 10 May 1746. She died on 12 September 1747.
- 29. iii. Maria Barbara<sup>5</sup> LAESSLE was born on 16 February 1749. She died on 16 June 1751.
- 30. iv. Hans Jerg<sup>5</sup> LAESSLE was born on 14 September 1753. He died on 24 January 1755.
- 31. v. **Johann Paulus<sup>5</sup> LAESSLE** was born on 14 September 1755. He died on 25 December 1756. His and his father's names appear as Laesslen in his birth and christening record.

18. **Margareth<sup>4</sup> GERN** (Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Johannes GERN, person #8, and Anna Catharina HOFMANN) was born on 19 January 1724 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [96] She was christened that day in Kürnbach. [97]

Margareth GERN married **Hanss Jacob STEINMETZ** on 9 November 1745 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [98] The page in the Kürnbach Book of Families for Margaretha's father reports that Margaretha's family appears on page 207 of that book. We have not examined that record but presume that it is consistent with the records from the <familysearch.org> index that are presented below.

Margareth GERN and Hanss Jacob STEINMETZ had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [99]

91 Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, and Family of Hanss Jerg Laessle, page 33, see Appendix 46.

<sup>90 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>92 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>93</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hanss Jerg Laessle, page 33, see Appendix 46.

<sup>94</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hanss Jerg Laessle, page 33, see Appendix 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>95</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Hanss Jerg Laessle, page 33, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed on 26 November 2013.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>96</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johannes Gern, page 135, see Appendix 46.

<sup>97 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>98 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, as Margaretha Gern, accessed at then pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>99 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389 and #1192099, father as Johann Jacob, Hanns Jacob, or Jacob, Mother as Margaretha in all records, accessed on 26 and 27 November 2013.

- 32. i. **Dorothea Luisa<sup>5</sup> STEINMETZ** was born on 25 September 1746.
- 33. ii. **Philipp Christoph**<sup>5</sup> **STEINMETZ** was born on 21 May 1748. His and his father's surnames appear as Steinmez in his birth record.
- 34. iii. Catharina Barbara<sup>5</sup> STEINMETZ was born on 19 August 1750.
- 35. iv. **Maria Elisabeth**<sup>5</sup> **STEINMETZ** was born on 6 February 1753. She died on 22 April 1814. Her birth record also reports her death date.
- 36. v. **Dorothea<sup>5</sup> STEINMETZ** was born on 30 March 1754. Presumably she died young since another child by this name appears in the family at a later date.
- 37. vi. **Johann Jacob<sup>5</sup> STEINMETZ** was born on 13 May 1757. Presumably he died young because a brother with the same name [surname Steinmez] appears in the family two years later.
- 38. vii. **Johann Jacob<sup>5</sup> STEINMETZ** was born on 7 March 1759. His and his father's surnames appear as Steinmez in the index.
- 39. viii. **Dorothea<sup>5</sup> STEINMETZ** was born on 10 November 1761. She died on 5 March 1830. Her birth record also reports her date of death.
- 40. ix. **Johannes**<sup>5</sup> **STEINMETZ** was born on 17 March 1765.
- 41. x. Anna Margaretha<sup>5</sup> STEINMETZ was born on 10 December 1769.

### **Fifth Generation**

23. **Johannes**<sup>5</sup> **GERN** (Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Johann Adam GERN, person #16, and Anna Maria ARNOLD) was born on 3 March 1738 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [100] He was christened the same day at the Evangelisch in Kürnbach. An image of his birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. Records in America refer to him as John Garn with the surname frequently spelled using a variation of Garn.

We note here that McBride and Capener give his birth as 21 March 1738.<sup>[101]</sup> And Philip Graham Garn may give another birth date. Appendix 1 has a discussion of our reasons, the evidence, and the sequence of events that led us to change Johannes' birth date to 3 March 1738, the date in the Kürnbach records. A brief summary is that we believe a character on his grave marker was ignored when people tried to determine his birth date and another character that has been interpreted to be the digit "6" should actually be interpreted as an old style "b," which looks more like the number "6." Using this interpretation we believe that his grave marker reports that he died when he was 70 years old and that he was born on the third month of the year and the third day of the month. However, for a complete discussion it is essential to read Appendix 1.

He died on 24 September 1808 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[103]</sup> P. Garn reported finding his grave on a farm that was the Garn homestead along Bob's Creek near Weyant, Pennsylvania, north of Bedford, which we visited to record its location.<sup>[104]</sup> P. Garn also argues, correctly we believe, that two other grave markers that are nearby and lack inscriptions are for Margaret, wife of John Garn, and for their son John Garn (#46).

John Garn died intestate and when his estate was settled, three quitclaim deeds associated with his land clearly name his two sons Frederick and John Karn [sic], in that order, and his two daughters, Barbara, wife of Thomas Croyl [sic], and Catharine, wife of Peter Mock [Jr.]. These quitclaim deeds appear in Appendix 6. The quitclaim deeds report that John died intestate and that his land was divided between his two sons. The sons settled their father's estate by making payments to their sisters and each other in return for the quitclaim deeds to prevent any of them from contesting either Frederick or John's inheritance.

Images on the following page show his grave marker. The second image has been highlighted to make the lettering clearer for the reader.

104 P. Garn, 1: 75-82; GPS coordinates of grave marker are N40 deg., 12.908 min., W078 deg., 34.039 min., +/- 14 feet.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johann Adam Gern, page 83, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

Don W. McBride and Ella Smith Capener, The *Garn (Carn) family in America*, (Salt Lake City, Utah, 1964) [hereafter **McBride and Capener**, also listed in references at the end of the book], [FHL# 1421913 it. 15, descendant information], p. 1:3; Index to McBride by Vernean B. Perry, [FHL# 1421913 it. 14, index].

Philip Graham Garn, *History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches*, (Tempe, Arizona, 1989, [hereafter **P. Garn**, also listed with references at the end of the book] [FHL# 1697279 it. 1-3], Vols. 1-3, at pp. 1:75-82; Index by Vernean Perry, Index to P. Garn (Boise, Idaho, 199?), FHL# 1425049, it. 2.

<sup>103 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 101037092.

 $<sup>{}^{105}\</sup>operatorname{Bedford}\operatorname{County},\operatorname{Pennsylvania}\operatorname{Deeds},\operatorname{Deed}\operatorname{Book}\operatorname{G},\operatorname{pp.}654\text{-}656,\operatorname{first}\operatorname{reported}\operatorname{by}\operatorname{P.}\operatorname{Garn},\operatorname{1:}45\text{-}49\operatorname{at}47.$ 



Grave marker for Johannes Gern, person #23

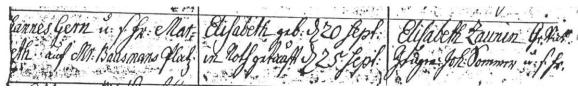
When we published the first edition of this book, we believed the first line of the inscription was "1808 Sept." However, closer inspection reveals that it has the exact date of death inscribed, "1808 Sep 24."



Highlighted grave marker for Johannes Gern, person #23

Johannes GERN married **Margaret SEYN** (daughter of **Elisabeth**) on 21 June 1767 in Lancaster, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. [106] We accept P. Garn's analysis and conclusion that her surname was Seyn and not Lein. [107] We do not know when or where Margaret was born or the name of her father. Her mother is named as Elisabeth Zaun(in), a grandmother, in the baptism record of Johannes and Margaret's first child, also named Elisabeth. [108] The "in" ending on Elisabeth Zaun's name is a suffix frequently added to women's surnames in German and would not have been part of her actual surname. And Zaun would not have been her name before marriage. It may have been another spelling of Seyn or the way the person recording the baptism record chose to spell the name Seyn. And it could be that Margaret's mother was once married to a Mr. Seyn and remarried to a Mr. Zaun.

An image of the baptism record is shown below.



Baptism Record of Elisabeth Gern, naming her grandmother as Elisabeth Zaun

The record is interpreted to read: [109]

Parents: Johannes Gern and wife Margareth at Mr Bausman's place Elisabeth Gern, born: September 20, 1769, bapt: September 25, 1769 in necessity Sponsors: Elisabeth **Zaun**in, grandmother and John: Sommer and his wife.

As noted earlier, the "in" after Zaun above is a suffix and would not have been part of Elisabeth's surname.

John and presumably Margaret appeared on the 1800 U.S. Federal Census in Bedford and St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [110] That census listed a man and a woman, both 45 or older in the household. Margaret SEYN was born about 1745. [111]

The first record we find on Johannes Gern or John Garn in Bedford County, Pennsylvania, is as John Garn [sic] on the 1789 tax list. [112] He was living on 240 acres of land that he did not own. He owned two horses and three cows at the time. Two years later he appears on the tax list as John Carn. [113] At the time he was living on 239 acres that was probably the same place where he lived two years before. He had three horses and three cows. The valuation of his property was 172 pounds. Since the average

Marriage record of John Gern and Margaret Seyn, 31 June 1767, First Reformed Congregation, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, as reported by F. Edward Wright, *Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Church Records of the 18th Century* (Lewes, Delaware 1994), Vol. 2, p. 163.
 P. Garn, 1:53-61

Baptism record of Elisabeth Gern [sic], Church Records 1768 - 1797, Trinity Lutheran Church, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, page 10, photocopy provided by Lancaster County Historical Society, 230 N. President Ave., Lancaster, Pennsylvania; Debra D. Smith and Frederick S. Weiser, translators and editors, *Trinity Lutheran Church Records, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, 1767 - 1782*, (Apollo, Pennsylvania, 1995), Vol. 2, p. 11.

Debra D. Smith and Frederick S. Weiser, cited above.

<sup>1800</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Johannes Gern, Bedford and St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 36, p. 450, as John Kerns.

<sup>111</sup> Date is an estimate based on when she married.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>112</sup> Bedford Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Tax Returns, 1789.

Bedford Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Tax Returns. 1791.

farmer at the time typically had only one horse, John's ownership of more than one horse may mean he was doing well in America.

P. Garn has found and reported on the purchases and sales of land that John Garn owned which we report here. [114] On 7 June 1796 he bought a tract of 239 and 1/4 acres of land called "Verden" under the name John Kern from William Proctor for 150 pounds "lawful money of Pennsylvania." [115] A survey of the land that he purchased from William Proctor is shown in Appendix 5. The property he bought was probably the land where he resided in 1789 and 1791. The description of the land indicates that it was in then St. Clair Twp. along the waters of Bobs Creek.

On 6 October 1803 John Kern [sic] and wife Margaret sold to John Stoneking four acres and 15 perches of land. [116] On 7 March 1804 he added to his holdings when he received a Patent for land under the name John Karn for a tract of land called "Poland" having about 113 acres, also along Bobs Creek. [117] A survey of the land he received in this patent is also shown in Appendix 5.

Johannes GERN and Margaret SEYN had the following children:[118]

- i. Elisabeth<sup>6</sup> GERN was born on 20 September 1769 in Lancaster, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. [119] An image of her baptismal record may be seen in the biography of her parents. [120] She died about 25 September 1769 in Lancaster, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. She was baptized "In Necessity," which is a baptism by a minister outside the church of the parents and was permitted by some denominations when the child was not expected to live until it could be baptized by the minister of the parents' church. Therefore we believe she died soon after she was baptized. We do not find any evidence of a marriage between an Elizabeth Garn and a John Mock, which was reported by McBride and Capener for this Elizabeth. [121] Furthermore, Elizabeth's birth date is the same as the incorrect birth date that McBride and Capener give for Elizabeth's sister Maria Barbara Garn, person #44.
- ii. Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN (1770 1825).
- iii. Maria Barbara<sup>6</sup> GARN (1773 1855).
- iv. Catharina<sup>6</sup> GARN (1776 1856).
- v. **John<sup>6</sup> GARN** (1778 1833).

25. Georg Adam<sup>5</sup> GERN (Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Johann Adam GERN, person #16, and Anna Maria ARNOLD) was born on 23 September 1744 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe,

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Deeds, Deed Book D, pp. 544 - 546.

<sup>116</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania Deeds, Deed Book F, pp. 349-350.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>117</sup> Pennsylvania Land Surveys, Survey Book C97, p. 162, Warrant 217.

Baptism record of daughter Elizabeth, cited above; Bedford County, Pennsylvania Deeds, Deed Book G, pp. 654-656, names last four

Baptism record of Elisabeth Gern [sic], cited above.

<sup>120</sup> It is interesting to note that the date of Elisabeth's birth is the same date that McBride and Capener (p. 1) incorrectly reported for her sister Maria Barbara. Also of interest is that Elisabeth's birth date is the date that McBride and Capener (p. 1) give for the birth of another Elizabeth whom they report was born to a Frederick Garn and wife Frannie and whom they report married a John Mock. Our research has not found this Frederick and shows that he undoubtedly was the Conrad Gern, person #26, in this book. The recycling of Elisabeth's birth date and our inability to find records on the Elisabeth that McBride and Capener report was born to a Frederick Garn or evidence of a John Mock that she might have married convinces us that these records by McBride and Capener were mixed up.

McBride and Capener, pp. 1 and 2.

Baden, Germany. [122] He was christened the next day. He died on 2 July 1823 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [123]

Georg Adam GERN married **Anna Elisabetha WOESNER** (daughter of **Mathias WOESNER** and **Anna**) on 12 February 1771 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Anna Elisabetha WOESNER was born on 2 November 1744 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. She died on 3 December 1797 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. When the first edition of the book was published, we believed that her surname was Oesterlen, the name under which she and Georg Adam Gern married. However, the Kürnbach Book of Families makes it clear that she had been married first on 17 February 1767 to Caspar Oesterle with whom she had several children. The Kürnbach Book of Families reports the details on both of Anna Elisabetha's families and makes it clear that on 12 February 1771 she was married to George Adam Gern as her second husband, that her maiden name was Wößner, Wössner or Woesner, and names her parents.

Georg Adam GERN and Anna Elisabetha WOESNER had the following children:<sup>[127]</sup>

- +47. i. **Barbara**<sup>6</sup> **GERN** (1772 ).
- +48. ii. Samuel Friederich<sup>6</sup> GERN (1775 ).
- 49. iii. **Anna Juliana**<sup>6</sup> **GERN** was born on 11 October 1777 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. She died on 11 May 1787 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- 50. iv. **Anna Elisabetha**<sup>6</sup> **GERN** was born on 2 August 1780 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. She died on 29 September 1781 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- +51. v. **Johann Adam<sup>6</sup> GERN** (1783 1856).
- 52. vi. Christoph<sup>6</sup> GERN was born on 25 December 1785 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. An image of his birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. He died in 1812 in Russia. The Kürnbach Book of Families is difficult to read. However, it indicates the year he died and indicates that he had been conscripted into Napoleon's army, France at the time being in control of the part of Germany where the Gerns lived, and that he went to war against the Prussian Empire. The record indicates that he died during the war along with many other brave German "Fallen." Undoubtedly he was one of the approximately 380,000 non-French soldiers in Napoleon's 650,000 man army when he invaded Russia and suffered huge losses because Napoleon was unprepared for Russian guerrilla warfare and especially Russia's winter weather. Records of the campaign indicate that when the army retreated from Russia, scarcely 27,000 soldiers were still fit to fight, that 380,000 were dead or missing and 100,000 had been captured. Christoph undoubtedly was one of the dead or "Fallen" and though it is not certain, he likely died in Russia.

<sup>122</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johann Adam Gern, page 83 and Family of Georg Adam Gern, page 306, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then <pri>pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>123</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Georg Adam Gern, page 306, see Appendix 46.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Georg Adam Gern, page 306, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, she with surname Oesterlen, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Georg Adam Gern, page 306, see Appendix 46.

<sup>126</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Georg Adam Gern, page 306, see Appendix 46.

<sup>127</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Georg Adam Gern, page 306, see Appendix 46.

26. Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN (Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Johann Adam GERN, person #16, and Anna Maria ARNOLD) was born on 4 November 1748 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [128] He was christened the following day at the Evangelisch in Kürnbach. An image of his birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. He died after 1810, probably in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [129] We believe he is the Conrod Cains [sic] who appeared on the census in Guilford Twp. in 1810 [130]

The book by McBride and Capener reports that the name of the father of John Garn, person #56, was Frederick. However, there is plenty of evidence to conclude that this Conrad was the father of John Garn, person #56, and the people we have assigned as John Garn's (#56) siblings. See Appendix 1 for a complete discussion of our reasons for making this assignment.

Conrad GERN married Christina Barbara HAUSER (daughter of Christoph HAUSER and Catharina Regina GUNTHER) on 24 January 1775 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [131] An image of their marriage record may be seen in Appendix 4. She appears as Christina Barbara Hauser in christening records, also shown in Appendix 4, for her first, second, and sixth children and as Catharina Barbara in christening records for her third, fourth and fifth children, as can be seen in Appendix 4. Differences are not evidence of multiple wives for Conrad, especially since her name as Catharina Barbara is both preceded and followed by her name as Christina Barbara. She would have been known as Barbara and the formal name Christina or Catharina would rarely have been used in connection with her and therefore would have easily been mistaken by someone recording the christening information. [132] We believe the person that recorded the information got the wrong formal name and that Christina Barbara and Catharina Barbara were the same person.

Aside from their marriage in 1775 and the births of their children, we have not found anything else about them until their emigration in 1785. [133] The record shows that the family boarded the Brig Lydia, commanded by Gardner Hammond, in Amsterdam, Holland, and that Conrad, his wife Barbara, and their children Christopher, Conrad, Cordula, John, and Hanna arrived in Philadelphia on 29 October 1785. We are convinced that their departure from Amsterdam prompted the stories that the family was from Holland.

Christina Barbara HAUSER was born on 18 October 1752 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [134] She was christened at the Evangelisch in Kürnbach on 19 October 1752. Her surname appears as Hauser in the Kürnbach Book of Families record for the family of her husband and as Houser in the record of her father's family in the same book. She died on 12 October 1827, probably in Guilford

Ralph Beaver Strassburger, Pennsylvania German Pioneers, A Publication of the Original Lists of Arrivals in the Port of Philadelphia from 1727 to 1808, Volume III, 1785-1808, (Norristown, Pennsylvania, 1934), List 333, pp. 14-15.

<sup>128</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Johann Adam Gern, page 83, and Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, he as Cunrad Gern and his father as Hanss Adam Gern, accessed at then pilot.familysearch.org on 11 June 2010.

<sup>129 1810</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M252, Roll 52, page 862, indexed as Conrod Cains.

<sup>130 1810</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M252, Roll 52, page 862, indexed as Conrod Cains.

<sup>131</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

<sup>132</sup> See Appendix 28 for a discussion of naming conventions.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169 and Family of Christoph Houser, page 82, see Appendix 46; "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1272389, surname as Hausser, accessed at then <pilot.familysearch.org> on 11 June 2010.

Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[135]</sup> We believe a grave marker for a Barbara Gern in the Solomon's Evangelical Lutheran Church Cemetery in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, is hers. The marker either did not have a birth date or age for Barbara or the information was impossible to transcribe. However, Christina Barbara would have been known by the name Barbara. And her husband and children clearly lived in the area. Therefore we believe the marker belonged to her.

The family probably lived for a while in New Jersey because their son Adam Garn reported on the 1850 and 1860 U.S. Censuses that he was born in New Jersey about 1788. [136] A Conrad Garn [sic] signed a petition to the New Jersey Legislature on 3 March 1795 in then Nottingham Township of Burlington County to request instruction of the youth in one of the buildings that they had erected. [137] It is impossible to know if the person who signed the petition was Conrad Gern or someone else, possibly a Kern, whose name was transcribed as Garn. Nottingham Township no longer exists in Burlington County. Parts of it became Trenton, New Jersey.

Fifteen years after their immigration they appear on the 1800 U.S. Census in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania with the surname Karns. On that census Conrad and Barbara were obviously the two adults who were over 45 years old. There was also a female who was 16 to 25 who may have been Cordula, born in 1776 but likely was Johanna Christina, born in 1784. A boy 10 to 15 years old was undoubtedly Adam. And the two boys under 10 years old were undoubtedly Jacob and Samuel. We do not know the identities of the two girls under 10 years old or the girl 10 to 15 in that census, although Christina, born in 1790, had to be one of the three.

Conrad appears with the surname Kern or Kerns on the 1799, 1804 and 1807 tax lists of Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [139]

Conrad GERN and Christina Barbara HAUSER had the following children, born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany (1-6), and in America (7-10): [141]

- +53. i. Christopher<sup>6</sup> GARN (1775 1820).
- 54. ii. **Cordula<sup>6</sup> GARN** was born on 2 December 1776. [142] An image of her birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. She came to America with her parents, arriving in Philadelphia in 1785 on a ship that had departed from Amsterdam.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Solomon's Evangelical Lutheran Church Cemetery, p. 12-155, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Guilford Township Tax Return for 1799, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 3, 1796-1800, p. 281, as Kern; Guilford Township Tax Return for 1804, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 4, 1804-1807, p. 27, as Kerns; Guilford Township Tax Return for 1807, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 4, 1804-1807, p. 102/162 - page has both numbers, as Kerns.

<sup>136 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 39A, as Adam Garn; 1860 U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, page 240, as Garns.

U.S. Census Reconstructed Records, Manuscript Collection, 1680s-1970s, State Library Coll., #101-390 [New Jersey State Archives]; Call No.: Box 5-2, Folder 373; Page No.: 2 Family No.: 7, accessed at <ancestry.com> on 30 March 2014.

<sup>1800</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 38, p. 854, as Conrad Karns.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099, see Appendix 4; Ralph Beaver Strassburger, Pennsylvania German Pioneers, *A Publication of the Original Lists of Arrivals in the Port of Philadelphia from 1727 to 1808*, Volume III, 1785-1808, (Norristown, Pennsylvania, 1934), List 333, pp. 14-15.

See biographies of children born in America for reasons for placing them in this family

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099.

- 55. iii. Conrad<sup>6</sup> GARN was born on 31 March 1778 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [143] An image of his birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. He came to America with his parents, arriving in Philadelphia in 1785 on a ship that had departed from Amsterdam. He probably was the Conrad Gurn [sic] who died on 30 May 1813 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. [144] The record indicates that he was buried in the First Presbyterian cemetery. The birth of Conrad's brother Adam in New Jersey suggests that the family stayed in the area for a while after their arrival in Philadelphia. Also, the record indicates that Conrad was 35 years old at the time of his death, in agreement with birth records in Germany. It appears that Conrad remained in Philadelphia after the rest of the family moved west. He married Elizabeth about 1800. Elizabeth was born about 1782.<sup>[145]</sup> She died on 2 June 1813 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. [146] The record for Elizabeth's death is on the same piece of paper as the report of her husband's death. They are the only two names reported on the paper. The same database that reports Conrad and Elizabeth's deaths reports a child of Mr. Gurn died earlier. This child probably was this Conrad and Elizabeth's child. There is a record of a marriage between a Conrad Garn and Hattie Miller, which occurred on 16 July 1701 at Saint Michael's and Zion Church in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. [147] This could be a record of his marriage, evidence that Hattie was another name for Elizabeth, evidence that he married more than once, or even evidence that the original record naming Elizabeth as the wife of a Conrad Gurn was for an entirely different person. We have not sorted this out.
- +56. iv. **John<sup>6</sup> GARN** (1780 - 1873).
- 57. v. Christina Barbara<sup>6</sup> GERN was born on 12 May 1782 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [148] An image of her birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. She died on 7 September 1783 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [149]
- vi. Johanna Christiana<sup>6</sup> GARNES (1784 1846).
- +59. vii. Adam<sup>6</sup> GARN (1788 1868).
- +60. viii. **Christina**<sup>6</sup> **GERN** (1790 1871).
- ix. **Jacob<sup>6</sup> GARN** (1793 1848).
- x. Samuel<sup>6</sup> GARNS (1795 1880). +62

143 Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099.

<sup>144 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Death Certificates, 1803-1915," index, cites FHL #1862560, accessed at then pilot.familysearch.org on 4 July 2010 and again on 29 March 2014 to view the image of the record.

Age at death was 31 years.

<sup>146 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Death Certificates, 1803-1915," index and images, <www.familysearch.org>, accessed 29 March 2014, Elizabeth Gurn, 2 June 1813, cites FHL# 1862560, Elizabeth at age 31.

Pennsylvania and New Jersey. Church and Town Records. 1708-1985. <ancestry.com>, accessed 16 May 2014. Conrad Garn and Hatty Miller, 16 July 1801.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46.

### **Sixth Generation**

43. **Frederick**<sup>6</sup> **GARN** (Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Johannes GERN, person #23, and Margaret SEYN) was born about 1770 in Pennsylvania. We have not found a birth record for Frederick. A theory presented by P. Garn suggests that Frederick was born in Europe based on a tradition that the family returned to Holland between 1778 and 1787 to recover money left there before the family first immigrated to America. Although they may have gone to Holland at some time to recover money left there, we believe that Frederick was not born in Europe because the 1880 U.S. Federal Censuses of six of his children place the birth of their father in Pennsylvania. So the theory proposed by P. Garn that Frederick was born in Europe probably is not correct. Still, this does not rule out Frederick Garn as a son of Johannes Gern. He undoubtedly was born before his family's move to Maryland where three younger siblings were born.

McBride and Capener reported that two different men named Frederick Garn (Carn) married the two women listed below as wives of this Frederick with one Frederick being born in 1770 in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, and the other being born in 1778 in Amsterdam, Holland, that one was the brother of John Garn (#56) and the other was the brother of John Garn (#46). We show here that the same man married both women and that he belongs as a brother of John Garn (#46) and as the son of John Garn (#23). A Bedford County history written in 1884 reports that Frederick was the son of John Garn (#23). And the Orphans Court papers associated with the distribution of Frederick's estate establish that his land was part of the property along Bobs Creek that had once belonged to John Garn (#23), placing him as John's son. [155]

Unfortunately the belief that there were multiple Frederick Garns persists to this day, undoubtedly because people fail to review evidence uncovered since Mcbride and Capener made their initial claim. As noted above, McBride and Capener report both 1770 and 1778 as the birth year for Frederick because they did not know there was only one Frederick. We believe the earlier of these two dates is more likely correct. Frederick shows up on the 1800 Census where he is listed in the 26 - 45 age group. This suggests a birth in 1774 or before. Also, his appearance before his brother John in papers associated with the distribution of their father's estate is evidence that he was probably older than John, who was born in 1778. For these reasons and in the absence of other evidence, we use McBride and Capener's earlier year, 1770, as his birth year.

A history of Bedford County written in 1884 reports that Frederick was an early resident of then Union Township and that he erected the first sawmill in the township. [157]

Geri Arnold, does not give specific citations to Orphan's Court pages but clearly reports that evidence may be found there and should be credited with this discovery.

P. Garn, 1: 66, note that dates were incorrectly reported as 1767 to 1778 and corrected with an errata sheet appearing in the microfilm version of book in FHL #1697279

See 1880 Censuses of Christian, Catherine, Sarah, Henry, Hannah, and Leah; 1880 Census of daughter Susan does not list a birth place for her father

<sup>152</sup> McBride and Capener, 2, 3, 114, 578A

<sup>154</sup> History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884), p. 351

<sup>155</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania Orphan's Court Records, Docket 4, p. 252.

<sup>156 1800</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Bedford and St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M32-36, p. 451, indexed by Ancestry.com as Kern.

He died on 6 April 1825 in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [158] Some records report that he died in 1859, which clearly is incorrect based on estate files at the court house in Bedford. It appears that someone confused the year of his second wife's death with the year he died.

Frederick GARN married **Fanny MOCK** (daughter of **Peter MOCK**, **Sr.** and **Elizabeth**) about 1795 in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[159]</sup> Fanny MOCK was born in 1774, probably in Pennsylvania. <sup>[160]</sup> She died before her father signed his will on 12 May 1815, probably in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[161]</sup>

All ten of Frederick's children listed below as children of his two wives appear in petitions and other records in Orphan's Court and estate papers filed after Frederick's death. [162] Spouses of Catharine, Mary and Sarah are also named in Frederick's estate papers. [163] See also Appendix 7 for one set of Orphan's Court papers that name all ten children as Frederick's children including his married daughters as Catharine Beard, Mary Stufft, and Sarah Feather.

Although Fanny is not named explicitly in the will of her father, Peter Mock, Sr., her seven children are named. And the three listed below as children of Magdalene Oster are named as minors in one of the Orphan's Court petitions filed by Magdalene even though she reported that Frederick had ten children and two of Fanny Mock's children were still minors at the time. This suggests that the three she named in her petition were her natural children. It also means that the same Frederick Garn married both Fanny Mock and Magdalene Oster.

Frederick GARN and Fanny MOCK had the following children: [166]

- +63. i. **George<sup>7</sup> CARN** (1797 1878).
- +64. ii. **Christian M.**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1799 1882).
- +65. iii. Catherine<sup>7</sup> CARN (1801 1883).
- +66. iv.  $Mary^7 CARN (1802 1874)$ .
- +67. v. Sarah, CARN (1803 1896).
- +68. vi. **Henry**<sup>7</sup> **CARN** (1808 1888).

Frederick Garn Estate, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Estates, File 1845-30, filed in 1845 but cites death date - These papers are final accounts of administrators of guardianships set up for his children when Frederick died in 1825; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 119501486.

Estimated date based on when children were born; parents' names from Fred D. Ickes, *Peter Mock Genealogy, Vol. 1, Early Settlers of St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pennsylvania*, (Fishertown, PA, no date), person 4, pp. 4-5, available at the Bedford County Historical Society; surname SAMPLE for Fanny's mother is easily proven to be incorrect according to descendant Geraldine R. (Harr) Arnold (private communication, ca. September 2010).

Fred D. Ickes, *Peter Mock Genealogy, Vol. 1, Early Settlers of St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pennsylvania*, (Fishertown, PA, no date), person 4, pp. 4-5, available at the Bedford County Historical Society.

Will of Peter Mock, Sr., Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Book 1, pp. 481-482.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Orphan's Court Docket 4, pp. 110-113, 135, 155-158, 139-140, 179-180, 182, 189-190, 193, 235, 252, 406, at 113, surname as Garn; Frederick Garn Estate, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Estates, Files 1825-8 and 1845-30.

Frederick Garn estate papers, cited above, p. 155.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>164</sup> Will of Peter Mock, Sr., Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Book 1, pp. 481-482, children with surname Carn.

<sup>165</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania Orphan's Court Docket 4, p. 110.

Will of Peter Mock, Sr., Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Book 1, pp. 481-482, children with surname Carn; Fred D. Ickes, *Peter Mock Genealogy, Vol. 1, Early Settlers of St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pennsylvania* (Fishertown, PA, no date), p. 5, available at the Bedford County Historical Society, names children and their spouses.

+69. vii. Hannah<sup>7</sup> CARN (1812 - 1883).

Frederick GARN next married **Magdalene OSTER** (daughter of **John Valentine OSTER** and **Maria CLAYCOMB**) on 19 September 1814 in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [167] Magdalene's parents' names appear in the Oster family file at the Bedford County Historical Society in Bedford, Pennsylvania. [168] We have not attempted to verify the report in the file.



Grave marker for Magdalena Oster, wife of Frederick Garn, person #43

Magdalene OSTER was born on 17 March 1778. [169] She died on 22 April 1859, probably in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [170] Magdalena's name appears on a list of communicants at the Old

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Marriage announcement appearing in 1814 in The True American as reported by James B. Whisker, Ed., *Bedford County Pennsylvania Archives*, (1985 and reprinted 1992), Vol. 1, p. 17, Frederick's surname as Gern.

Bedford County Historical Society Family Files, Oster Family, File 1096, available at Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania.

From age at death, 81 yrs, 1m, & 5d.

Gravemarker of Magdalene Carn [sic], Osterburg Cemetery, Osterburg, Pennsylvania, GPS coordinates are N40 deg., 10.054 min., W078 deg., 31.101 min., +/- 15 feet; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, PA, Book 1, pp. 121-135, at 124; <www.findagrave.com> Memorial# 78655353.

Log Church in Osterburg, Pennsylvania, in June 1925. [171] The records for communions cover a period from November, 1820 through June, 1825. This is the only time Magdalena's name appears with the communicants. Interestingly, it was the first communion that the church held after her husband died.

Frederick GARN and Magdalene OSTER had the following children:<sup>[172]</sup>

- +70. viii. **Susanna**<sup>7</sup> **CARN** (1815 1894).
- +71. ix. Leah<sup>7</sup> CARN (1817 1904).
- +72. x. Andrew<sup>7</sup> CARN (1820 1856).

44. **Maria Barbara**<sup>6</sup> **GARN** (Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Johannes GERN, person #23, and Margaret SEYN) was born on 10 September 1773 in Frederick Co., Maryland. Her birth was mistakenly reported to be on 20 September 1769 in Holland (McBride and Capener, p. 1). We have not seen any record that supports this date or place. We believe P. Garn is the first to report the date and place shown here as well as the reference to a source that supports the information. The alert reader will note that the incorrect date reported for Barbara's birth is the same as the date when her sister Elizabeth (#42) was born in or near Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Undoubtedly someone had a record that John and Margaret had a child on that date and mistakenly assumed Barbara was the child born then. She died on 11 October 1855 in Summerhill Twp., Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. A photo of her grave marker seems to support this date. [176]

Maria Barbara GARN married **Thomas CROYLE, Jr.** (son of **Thomas CROYLE, Sr.** and **Judith**). Some records report that they married in 1785. We have not found anything that supports this date and are convinced it is wrong since Barbara would have been quite young to have married in 1785 and their first child would have been born about eight years after their marriage. In 1820 Thomas and Barbara gave land in Summerhill, Pennsylvania, on which they built a small log church, which was the start of the Saint John Lutheran Church there. Thomas and Barbara appeared on the 1850 U.S. Census in Summerhill, Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. [179]

Thomas CROYLE, Jr. was born in 1760 in Snake Spring Valley, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [180] His mother Judith was reported to be an American Indian. Thomas was a blacksmith, farmer and trapper.

Wallace Croyle, "*My Search for the Truth*," report on the Croyle family in the Croyle family file at Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania (no date or place of publication cited), pp. 59, 62.

Helen Shaffer Hill, "Old Log Church at Osterburg - a combined Lutheran & Reformed," births, baptisms, deaths and communicants, transcribed on 23 June 1933, Magdalena Gern listed as communicate in June 1825, available at the Bedford County Historical Society, #1228

Orphans Court and estate papers cited above name Frederick's ten children of which the first seven we have shown were children of Fanny Mock. The last three of the ten are listed as minors in a separate petition submitted by Magdalene Garn to the Orphans Court (Docket 4, p.110) even though she reported that Frederick had ten children and two of Fanny Mock's children were still minors at the time suggesting that the three she named were her natural children.

Maryland German Church Records, published by the Historical Society of Carroll Co., Maryland, Westminster, Maryland, Vol. 11, Apple Church near Thurmont, Frederick Co., Maryland, p. 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>174</sup> P. Garn, 1:67

<sup>176 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 80679569.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Deeds, Deed Book G, pp. 654-656, names spouse; Wallace Croyle, *My Search for the Truth*, pp. 1-2 and 61-72, names parents of Thomas, cited above.

Wallace Croyle, My Search for the Truth, p. 61, cited above.

<sup>179 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Thomas Croyle, Summerhill, Cambria Co., Pennsylvania, M432 761, p. 103A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>180</sup> Wallace Crovle, My Search for the Truth, pp. 1-6 and 61-72, cited above.

When his father, Thomas Sr., died, he willed all of his blacksmith tools to his son Thomas, which at the time was a significant legacy. He was reported to have been a blacksmith for the American army during the Revolutionary War. And a modern grave marker corroborates his service in the army at that time. [181] He died in 1858 in Summerhill Twp., Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. His will, written 25 April 1842 and recorded in Cambria Co., Pennsylvania, names his wife, all of his children, and the husband of his daughter Esther. [182] Thomas and Barbara were both buried in the cemetery at the Saint John Lutheran Church, in Summerhill, Pennsylvania, which is on land that they gave for the church and cemetery. [183]

Maria Barbara GARN and Thomas CROYLE. Jr. had the following children: [184]

- i. Samuel CROYLE was born on 8 December 1793 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He married Susana WEAVER.
- 74. ii. Frederick CROYLE was born in 1795 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He married Elizabeth KNEPPER.
- 75. iii. Margaret CROYLE was born in 1798. She married William REYNOLDS.
- 76. iv. Sarah CROYLE was born in 1800. She married James MCABEE.
- v. Mary CROYLE was born in 1803. She married Jacob STINEMAN.
- vi. Elizabeth<sup>7</sup> CROYLE was born on 26 September 1810. She married James PATTERSON.
- 79. vii. Esther CROYLE was born in 1812. She married George MURRY. Although named in her father's will, Esther was explicitly prohibited from receiving any assets from her father's estate.

45. Catharina GARN (Johannes GERN; Johann Adam Johannes; David; Johannes) (daughter of Johannes GERN, person #23, and Margaret SEYN) was born on 15 June 1776 in Frederick Co., Maryland. [185] She died on 4 June 1856 in Reynoldsdale, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [186]

Catharina GARN married **Peter MOCK**, **Jr.** (son of **Peter MOCK**, **Sr.** and **Elizabeth**). Peter MOCK, Jr. was born in 1766. He died on 20 May 1826. The Peter Mock Genealogy reports that Peter and Catherina were buried "on Hoover farm, East St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pa." This Hoover farm may be the farm where we were told that Mock family members had been interred which was destroyed by the then owner of the land around 1985 by plowing over it. [190]

Will of Thomas Croyle, Jr., Cambria Co., Pennsylvania Wills, Book 2, pp. 60-62, FHL # 1294599, Item 2, names wife Barbara, all children, and George Murry, husband of daughter Esther; Wallace Croyle, My Search for the Truth, pp. 1-2 and 61-72, cited above, names parents of both Thomas and Barbara, all children and all spouses.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>181</sup> <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 22673202, Saint John Lutheran Cemetery, Summerhill, Cambria Co., Pennsylvania, accessed 16 September 2011.

Will of Thomas Croyle, Jr., Cambria Co., Pennsylvania Wills, Book 2, pp. 60-62, FHL # 1294599, Item 2.

Wallace Croyle, My Search for the Truth, p. 61, cited earlier.

Maryland German Church Records, published by the Historical Society of Carroll Co., Maryland, Westminster, Maryland, Vol. 5, Evangelical Reformed Church, Frederick, Maryland, p. 40 for Catherina's [sic] birth on 15 June 1776.

Fred D. Ickes, Peter Mock Genealogy, Vol. 1, Early Settlers of St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pennsylvania (Fishertown, PA, no date), p. 4, available at the Bedford County Historical Society; McBride and Capener, p. 537.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Deeds, Deed Book G, pp. 654-656, names spouse; Fred D. Ickes, Peter Mock Genealogy, p. 4, cited above, names Peter's parents; surname SAMPLE for mother is easily proven to be incorrect according to descendant Geraldine R. (Harr) Arnold (private communication, ca. September 2010).

Fred D. Ickes, *Peter Mock Genealogy*, p. 4, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>189</sup> Fred D. Ickes, *Peter Mock Genealogy*, p. 4, cited above.

Alecia McDonald, daughter of the current owner of the farm of Johannes Gern, person #23.

Catharina GARN and Peter MOCK, Jr. had the following children: [191]

- 80. i. Elizabeth MOCK. She married Abraham BURKET.
- 81. ii. Christian MOCK. He married Christina.
- 82. iii. Frances MOCK. She married Philip STAMBAUGH.
- +83. iv. **Peter**<sup>7</sup> **MOCK**, **III** ( ).
- 84. v. Margaret MOCK. She married William STAMBAUGH.
- 85. vi. Catherine MOCK. She married Michael WHITAKER.
- 86. vii. Thomas<sup>7</sup> MOCK.
- 87. viii. Joseph MOCK. He married Sarah WENTZ.
- +88. ix. **Rachel**<sup>7</sup> **MOCK** ( ).
- 89. x. Frederick MOCK. He married Barbara STAMBAUGH.
- 90. xi. Barbara MOCK. She married John BOYER.

46. **John<sup>6</sup> GARN** (Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Johannes GERN, person #23, and Margaret SEYN) was born on 22 January 1778 in Frederick Co., Maryland. He died on 27 July 1833. His will was probated the same day. A copy of his will appears in Appendix 8. His estate was settled on 19 April 1836. P. Garn reports that he was bitten by a rattlesnake while clearing slate rock from his land and died from the effects of the venom.

On 6 March 1829 John and his son, also named John, received patents for land in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [197] John received his as John Gern of Pennsylvania. His son received his as John Gern, Junior of Pennsylvania. The land that John received is the land he willed to his son Philip.

John GARN married **Susanna CABLE** (daughter of **John Martin CABLE** and **Mary Christiana RIPLEY**). [198] Years ago John's wife was misreported to have been Susanna Pringle instead of Susanna Cable. See Appendix 12 for a discussion of the evidence that places Susanna Cable as John's wife and a possible explanation for the original confusion. John and family appeared on the 1800 U.S. Census in Bedford and St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [199]

Fred D. Ickes, *Peter Mock Genealogy*, p. 4, cited above, reports spouses, also reports "children listed as in orphan's court records August 1830, O.C.D. Book 4, page 386," available at the Bedford County Historical Society.

Maryland German Church Records, published by the Historical Society of Carroll Co., Maryland, Westminster, Maryland, Vol. 3, Monocacy Lutheran Congregation and Evangelical Lutheran Church, Johannes' [sic] birth on 22 January 1778 is indexed as p. 89 but appears on p. 90.

<sup>193</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 115.

<sup>194</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Will of John Garn, Will Book 3, [FHL #0331358], pp. 37-38.

<sup>195</sup> John Garn Estate, Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Estates, File 1833-37.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>196</sup> P. Garn, p. 1:91.

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office [**BLM-GLO**], Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0790\_.266, Document Nr. 3840, by John Gern, Jr. [sic] of Pennsylvania; BLM-GLO, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0790\_.267, Document Nr. 3841, by John Gern, Jr., [sic] of Pennsylvania; BLM-GLO, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0790 .268, Document Nr. 3842, by John Gern [sic] of Pennsylvania.

Montgomery Co., Ohio records, Power of Attorney given to John Cable by John Garn and Susana Garn to recover her inheritance from her father's estate, Deed Book "M," p. 480, 1 November 1825, as reported and interpreted in P. Garn, 1: 110-114.

<sup>1800</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn, Jr., Bedford and St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 36, p. 450, indexed as John Kenn, Jr., even though he is listed right before his father, as John Kern, who precedes his brother, as Frederick Kern.

Susanna CABLE was born about 1778, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [200] Susan's age on the 1800 Census, cited above, places her birth in 1775 or later. She died in 1840 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [201]

John GARN and Susanna CABLE had the following children: [202]

- +91. i. Margaret GARN (1796 1854).
- +92. ii. **Jacob**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1798 1879).
- +93. iii. **Christina<sup>7</sup> GARN** (1800 1848).
- +94. iv. Elizabeth GARN (1801 1887).
- +95. v. **Daniel**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1802 1872).
- +96. vi. **Mary**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1804 1870).
- +97. vii. Samuel<sup>7</sup> CARN (1806 1860).
- +98. viii. **John<sup>7</sup> GARN** (1807 1868).
- +99. ix. **Joseph**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1809 1896).
- +100. x. **David**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1811 1848).
- +101. xi. Martin<sup>7</sup> GARN (1814 1890).
- +102. xii. Susanna<sup>7</sup> GARN (1815 1866).
- +103. xiii. **Philip James**<sup>7</sup> **GARN, Sr.** (1819 1859).

47. **Barbara**<sup>6</sup> **GERN** (Georg Adam<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Georg Adam GERN, person #25, and Anna Elisabetha WOESNER) was born on 11 October 1772 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.<sup>[203]</sup> Barbara GERN married **Samuel FRANK** on 8 September 1795 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.<sup>[204]</sup>

Barbara GERN and Samuel FRANK had the following child: [205]

i. Georg Adam<sup>7</sup> FRANK was born on 12 June 1796 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [206] He married Christina Barbara SCHNEIDER (daughter of Johann Georg SCHNEIDER and Christina Barbara BECKER) on 4 April 1820 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [207] Christina Barbara SCHNEIDER was born about 1798. [208]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>200</sup> P. Garn, p. 3:254.

McBride and Capener, p. 115; Note that no grave marker was recorded for her in the Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Will Book 3, [FHL #0331358], pp. 37-38, names all children and daughters by first and married names except possibly Susan, who married a Garn and retained the Garn surname but may not have been married when the will was written.

<sup>203</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Georg Adam Gern, page 306, see Appendix 46.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Samuel Frank and Barbara Gern, 8 September 1795, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 16 March 2014, names her parents.

Birth and marriage records of son name his parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>206</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Georg Adam Franck [sic], 12 June 1796, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, mother as Barbara G.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Georg Adam Franck [sic] and Christina Barbara Schneider, 20 April 1820, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, his father as Franck, her age: 22.

Age 22 when married.

48. Samuel Friederich<sup>6</sup> GERN (Georg Adam<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Georg Adam GERN, person #25, and Anna Elisabetha WOESNER) was born on 22 May 1775 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [209]

Samuel Friederich GERN married Christina CRAMER (daughter of Johann Georg CRAMER and Anna Regina) on 5 February 1799 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [210] Christina CRAMER was born on 24 December 1772 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany, [211] She died on 12 February 1826. [212]

Samuel Friederich GERN and Christina CRAMER had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [213]

- i. **Gottlieb**<sup>7</sup> **GERN** (1799 ). +105.
- ii. Samuel Friederich GERN was born on 21 December 1801. He died on 26 May 1812 in 106. Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- +107. iii. **Georg Adam<sup>7</sup> GERN** (1804 1841).
- 51. Johann Adam<sup>6</sup> GERN (Georg Adam<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Georg Adam GERN, person #25, and Anna Elisabetha WOESNER) was born on 10 February 1783 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. An image of his birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. He died on 17 March 1856 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [214] Johann Adam GERN married Johanna Regina MUELLER (daughter of Johann Christoph MUELLER and Johanna Regina CLAUSS) on 20 November 1810 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germanv. [215] Johanna Regina MUELLER was born on 3 February 1785 in Kurnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germanv. [216] She died on 11 June 1859. [217]

Johann Adam GERN and Johanna Regina MUELLER had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [218]

- i. Samuel GERN was born on 3 July 1812. He died on 15 January 1814. 108.
- ii. **Johann Christoph**<sup>7</sup> **GERN** was born on 10 August 1813. He died on 22 January 1814 in 109 Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- 110. iii. **Susanna Catharina<sup>7</sup> GERN** was born on 4 January 1816. [219] She died on 25 February 1890. [220] She married Christoph Heinrich ASCHINGER (son of

 $<sup>^{209} \ \</sup>text{K\"{u}rnbach Familien Buch (K\"{u}rnbach Book of Families), Family of Georg Adam Gern, page 306, see Appendix 46.}$ 

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Samuel Friderich Gern and Christina Cramer, 5 February 1799, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 16 March 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>211</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Christina Cramer, 24 December 1772, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 17 March 2014, reports death, names parents, mother as Anna Regina.

Birth record also reports date of death.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>213</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, mother of Samuel Friederich as Gromer, deaths of Samuel Friederich and Georg Adam reported with birth record.

Death date reported with birth record, Appendix 4.

<sup>215 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Johann Adam Gern and Johann Regina Mueller [sic, undoubtedly Johanna Regina Mueller], 10 November 1810, cites FHL #1272389, accessed 16 March 2014, names fathers.

<sup>216 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Johanna Regina Mueller, 3 Feb 1785, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 17 March 2014, reports death, names parents.

Death reported with birth information.

<sup>218 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1192099 for all births, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, deaths when reported for children were reported with birth records.

Heinrich ASCHINGER and Katharina BECKER) on 16 July 1840 in Kürnbach. Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [221]

- iv. **Johanna** GERN was born on 22 March 1817. She died on 4 August 1817 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- v. Samuel GERN was born on 19 January 1819. [222] He clearly was named after his 112. deceased brother. The index for his birth record incorrectly reports his father as Georg Adam Gern and correctly names his mother. However, his marriage record correctly names both parents and reports the same birth date for him as the date that appears on his birth record. He married Regina Wilhelmina DRECHSEL on 3 February 1846 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [223] Regina Wilhelmina DRECHSEL was born on 11 April 1822.<sup>[224]</sup>
- 113. vi. **Johann Christoph**<sup>7</sup> **GERN** was born on 5 June 1820. He died on 20 August 1820 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. He clearly was named after his deceased brother.
- 114. vii. **Johanna** GERN was born on 2 November 1821. She died on 21 November 1821 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. She clearly was named after her deceased sister.
- 115. viii. **Johann Christoph**<sup>7</sup> **GERN** was born on 4 September 1823. He died on 29 October 1824 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. He clearly was named after two deceased older brothers.
- 116. ix. Georg Adam<sup>7</sup> GERN was born on 2 July 1825. He died on 11 September 1825 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- 53. Christopher<sup>6</sup> GARN (Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Conrad GERN, person #26, and Christina Barbara HAUSER) was born on 19 September 1775 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [225] An image of his birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. He came to America with his parents, arriving in Philadelphia in 1785 on a ship that had departed from Amsterdam. He may have been the Christoph Gern who was one of the "Young Men Confirmed" at Easter services in 1791 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. [226] The record reports that he moved away soon after his confirmation.

We next find him in then Franklin Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, which township later became the city of Chambersburg. [227] He appeared on the Franklin Township tax list in 1804. [228] In 1810 he

<sup>225</sup> Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>219</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Susanna Catharina Gern, 4 January 1816, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, reports death, names parents, mother as Johanna Mueller.

Birth record reports date of death.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>221</sup> "Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Susanna Katharina Gern and Christoph Heinrich Aschinger, 16 July 1840, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Samuel Gern, 19 January 1819, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, reports death, names parents, mother as Johanna Regina Mueller, and father as Georg [sic] Adam Gern but marriage record gives birth date and names father correctly.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Samuel Gern and Regina Wilhelmina Drechsel, 3 February 1846, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names his parents, reports birth dates.

Birth date reported on marriage record.

Debra D. Smith and Frederick S. Weiser, translators and editors, *Trinity Lutheran Church Records, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, 1782* -1796, (Apollo, Pennsylvania, 1998), Vol. 3, pp. 335, 355.

History of Franklin County, Pennsylvania (Chicago, 1887, pub. by. Beers), p. 596.

appeared there on the U.S. Census with five males under 10 years old, a female 10 to 15 years old, and another female, presumably his wife, who was 26 to 44 years old. [229] He was also in the 26-44 years old group in that census.

In 1804 he posted an interesting notice in the local newspaper, which read: [230] WAS FOUND in the subscriber's hay loft, on Sunday evening last, a piece of linen. The owner by proving property and paying charges may have it again - CHRISTOPHER GERN.

He died in 1820, probably in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [231] The Orphan's Court record that reports his death also reports the following:

The petition of William S. Davis adm. of Christopher Gern decd. was read setting forth - That the said Christopher Gern died intestate some time in the year 1820 [sic] leaving a widow and seven children, that the personal estate of the said intestate is insufficient for the payment of his debts as by the statement herewith produced appears, and that the said intestate died seized in his demise[?] as[?] of fee of and in a certain house and half lot of ground being the western half of lot no 17 in the general plan of the Borough of Chambersburg and adjoining George Price on the west[,] James McKee on the East[,] Market Street on the North[,] and an ally on the South. He therefore prayed the court to grant an order[?] for the sale of said property for the payment of the debts. Amount of debts \$664.75 - no personal property

The Orphan's Court record is not dated. However, a record before it is dated 2 October 1827 and one after it is dated 3 October 1827. Letters of Administration for the disposition of his estate were granted on 23 July 1827. [232] The records indicate that a file once existed for his estate, which had File Number 2398. There is no microfilm of this estate among estate records at the Franklin County Courthouse and a search in the archives by staff members at the Courthouse did not uncover any records associated with Estate File 2398.

Market Street where Christopher's property was located is now known as Lincoln Way. Although the exact location of the property is uncertain, James McKee, who owned the adjoining property on Market Street in 1827 when the Orphan's Court record was recorded, owned a lot in 1830 that can be placed on the south side of Market Street in the first half block west of the Square in the center of Chambersburg. [233] The information about James McKee's property also reported that it was next to a log tavern. This suggests that Christopher's property was in the first half block west of the Square and on the south side of what is now known as Lincoln Way in Chambersburg and that he may have operated a tavern. The newspaper article cited earlier supports this hypothesis. If Christopher's property was located on the south side of then Market Street in the first half block west of the Square, then that property is now occupied by Central Presbyterian Church.

 $<sup>^{228} \</sup> Tax\ Record\ for\ Christopher\ Kerns, Franklin\ Township\ Tax\ Return\ for\ 1804, Franklin\ Co., Pennsylvania\ Records\ of\ Valuations, book$ 4, 1804-1807, p. 37.

<sup>1810</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Franklin Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M252, Roll 54, page 938, as Christopher Gern.

Franklin Repository, 25 April 1804, as reported by the Kittochtinny Historical Society, [Franklin Co., Pennsylvania] in *Franklin* County Footnotes, v. 1, January-March 1980, p. 45.

Orphan's Court Records, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Docket C, p. 129.

Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Wills, Book D, p. 44.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>233</sup> Conversation with Ann Hull, Director, Franklin County Historical Society, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 13 October 2010.

We have not discovered any information that would allow us to name his wife or other children. It is interesting that the 1830 Census reports an Elizabeth Gerny [sic] as the head of a household in Chambersburg. [234] We have examined the record and it appears as though the surname was actually Gerns instead of Gerny. The household had three women living there, one aged 80-89, one aged 50-59, and one under 20. The woman who was 50-59 was the right age to have been a wife for Christopher. However, it is impossible to know if she was related. Also, the female under 20 could have been a daughter still living in the home. The older woman, if her age is correct, would have been too old to be Christopher's mother since she was born in 1752 and would have been in the 70 to 79 age group.

Christopher GARN had the following children: [235]

- i. **Christopher**<sup>7</sup> **GARNS** (1800 1856). +117.
- ii. **John<sup>7</sup> GARN** (1800 1870). +118.
- 119. iii. Eliza GARN was born about 1815, probably in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [236] We are placing the Eliza Garnes who was married to John Shields in 1836 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, as the daughter of Christopher Garn because his family is the only one that makes sense to place her in. [237] She married **John SHIELDS** on 7 April 1836 in Waynesboro, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [238] We believe Eliza and John Shields are the couple who appear on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census in Beaver Dam Twp., Dodge Co., Wisconsin, in the 1850 Census. [239] They were both born in Pennsylvania. And their oldest child, named Glasner [sic] on the census, appears to have been named after Rev. George W. Glessner, who married the couple in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. John SHIELDS was born about 1812 in Pennsylvania. [240]

56. John<sup>6</sup> GARN (Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Conrad GERN, person #26, and Christina Barbara HAUSER) was born on 16 August 1780 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [241] An image of his birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. His grave marker places his birth on 16 August, but two years earlier than the German church records. He may have lost track of the year he was born or he may have claimed an earlier birth to make his age closer to that of his wife, who was older than him. Either way, the agreement of the month and day of his birth by the German church records and his grave marker establishes that the John Garn who died in Sandusky

<sup>234 1830</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elizabeth Gerny [sic], Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M19, Roll 151, Page 257, FHL# 20625, household had female age 80-89, female age 50-59, and female under 20.

See individual biographies of his children below for reasons for assigning them as his children.

From 1850 U.S. Census, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>237</sup> We presumed she was 18 to 28 years old when she married, placing her birth between about 1808 and 1818, in agreement with the census, cited below, which we also presume was theirs. Since the marriage occurred in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, she likely was born there. The only Garn men who were in the area who were old enough to be her father were Christopher Garn, person #53, John Garn, person #56, or, if born near 1818, Adam Garn, person #59. We can exclude both John Garn and Adam Garn as her father because their wills either do not mention a daughter Eliza or the Eliza was born too late. A daughter of Christopher Garn, who was reported on the 1810 Census was over 10 years old and outside the birth range postulated for Eliza. However, the orphan's court record of Christopher Garn indicated that he had an additional child born after that census, who could have been this Eliza. Since we are able to exclude the other Garns in the area as her father, we are placing Eliza as the daughter of Christopher Garn.

Franklin County Historical Society Marriage Records, Chambersburg, PA, Waynesboro Reformed Church Marriage Records, marriages by Rev. Geo. W. Glessner, number 113, she as Garnes.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Shields, Beaver Dam Twp., Dodge Co., Wisconsin, M432 996, p. 79A.

From 1850 U.S. Census, cited above.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099.

County, Ohio, in 1873 was the son of Conrad Gern. He came to America with his parents, arriving in Philadelphia in 1785 on a ship that had departed from Amsterdam.

He died on 12 May 1873 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [242] His will, written 23 July 1860 was probated on 16 May 1873 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [243] A copy of the will is included at Appendix 9. An obituary reports the following: [244] Died. - On Monday morning last, at the residence of his daughter in Washington Township, Mr. John Garn, aged 96 [sic] years. He was a native of Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, and moved to Ohio some 42 years ago, settling in the Black Swamp where he has since resided. He was an industrious farmer, and by dint of toil and strict economy accumulated considerable property. He possessed a strong constitution and his powers of endurance were remarkable. He made two or three journeys to Pennsylvania and back, on foot and alone, in the early days, accomplishing the journey at the rate of 40 miles a day. For the last 25 years he has not farmed, but was always busy at some kind of work, and scorned the idea of being idle. He did not believe in taking medicine, and almost to the last refused all medical assistance.



Grave marker for John Garn, person #56

Two letters dated 27 December 1863 and 22 January 1876, which were written to "Uncle Samuel Garn" and traced to Adam (#59) Garn's son John (#125), clearly place this John Garn as a brother of Adam Garn and Samuel Garns (#62). Copies of the letters may be seen in Appendix 16.

The letter dated 27 December 1863 mentions that old uncle John and Aunt Susannah were still living and that old uncle John was "midling smart for his age." John would have been 83 at the time. The letter dated 22 January 1876 mentions that both John and Susannah were dead, that their son Abraham had moved to Indiana, and that John Garn, Jr. (#98), who married "old uncle John's daughter," was also dead.

Results of Y-DNA tests taken by descendants are evidence that establishes a relationship to male descendants of Conrad's brother Johannes (#23) and Conrad's other children. Other evidence connecting him to other children of Conrad include a marriage under the name Kern to a Susan Smith in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, where Conrad Gern lived, and his appearance first as John Kerns and later as John Garns with Jacob Garns (#61) in the records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church near Buffalo Mills, in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [245] This Jacob Garn's later associations in

Gravemarker of John Garn, Metzgar Cemetery, Jackson and Scott Townships, Sandusky Co., Ohio, died 12 May 1873, aged aged 94 years, 8 months and 26 days, GPS coordinates of grave marker are N41 deg., 19.585 min., W083 deg., 18.083 min., +/- 19 feet; James Blum, *Metzgar Cemetery, Scott [and Jackson] Township, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Transcripts of inscriptions*, found in Cemeteries of Sandusky Co., Ohio, Vol. 2, Madison Twp. thru York Twp., 1976 [hereafter, **Metzgar Cemetery Records**, also listed in references at the end of the book], available at Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library, Fremont, Ohio; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81970771

Sandusky Co., Ohio Estates, File #1900, 1873, will of John Gern [sic] located at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>244</sup> Fremont Weekly Journal, 16 May 1873, p. 3, col. 3.

See the Lyberger Church Records in Appendix 11.

Ashland Co., Ohio, with Garns who were known to have come from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, particularly Adam Garn (#59), who was known to have married in Franklin County, and whose son John (#125) and daughter Catharine (#128) were also born there, are additional connections between this John Garn and the others.

John GARN married Susannah SMITH (daughter of George SMITH and Susanna) before 13 February 1804, probably in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [246] Their marriage is reported in Orphan's Court documents recorded in 1804 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. See Appendix 12 for a discussion of our reasons for naming Susan Smith as John's wife.

Although John is identified in this record with the surname Kern, we are convinced this record refers to John Garn. Susan's father was from Guilford Twp., the same township where John's father appeared on the 1800 U.S. Census. [247] And we do not find other Kerns in the area at the time. The next report that we can confirm as a report about John Garn is the Lyberger Church record, which refers to him initially as John Kerns and later as John Garns.

Susan's father was reported to have served as a private in the American army during the Revolutionary War. [248] One of his descendants was accepted into the Daughters of the American Revolution through a daughter other than Susannah based on George's service in the Revolutionary War. [249]

John and Susanna initially settled in Buffalo Mills, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, where John received a patent for land. [250] A copy of the patent is included at Appendix 10. The post office in Buffalo Mills sits on property that John received in his patent.



Grave marker for Susan, wife of John Garn, person #56

John and family were members of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church in that community; see Appendix 11 for copies of some of the records from that church. The records there show that John and daughter Christina were confirmed on 8 November 1821.

John's residence in Bedford County, Pennsylvania, is mentioned in a history of Bedford County, written in 1884. [251] That history reports that a John Karns [sic] owned land along Buffalo Run in Buffalo Mills and that he sold it prior to 1836 and went to Ohio. And we know that he purchased land in Sandusky

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>246</sup> Orphan's Court records, Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Docket A, pp. 161-162, 174, he as John Kern.

Orphan's Court record of George Smith, cited above; Tax Record for George Smith, Guilford Township Tax Return for 1799, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 3, 1796-1800, p. 283.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>248</sup> Virginia Shannon Fendrick, *American Revolutionary Soldiers of Franklin County, Pennsylvania*, (Chambersburg, PA, 1969), p. 245, published for the Franklin County Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Application for Membership to the Daughters of the American Revolution by Glenna Freeman McLaughlin. National Number 613370. based on service of George Smith, DAR Ancestor #A105412, in Pennsylvania during the Revolutionary War.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>250</sup> Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Land Patents, 1830, No. 657, to John Carns [sic].

History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884), p. 360.

Co., Ohio, in the early 1830s. [252] The land that he purchased in Ohio is described in Government Land Office records exactly as described in his will, cited above, and shown in Appendix 9.

John and his family appeared on the 1820 and 1830 U.S. Federal Censuses, as Kern or Karns, in then Napier Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [253]

In 1860 they appeared on the census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [254] Ten years later John appeared there on the census, living with his daughter Christina. [255] In the first census he reported being born in Bavaria and in the second he reported being born in Deutschland, or Germany.

Susannah SMITH was born on 21 January 1776 in Pennsylvania. [256] She died on 25 September 1864, probably in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [257] In her old age she probably suffered from a severe case of kyphosis, which likely contributed to her death. Her condition was reported in a letter from nephew John Garn, person #125, to his uncle Samuel, person #62. An image and our transcript of that letter appear in Appendix 16.

John GARN and Susannah SMITH had the following children: [258]

- +120. i. **Christina**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1806 1880).
- +121. ii. **Abraham**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1810 1890).
- +122. iii. Catherine GARN (1811 1840).

58. **Johanna Christiana**<sup>6</sup> **GARNES** (Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Conrad GERN, person #26, and Christina Barbara HAUSER) was born on 17 May 1784 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [259] An image of her birth record may be seen in Appendix 4. She died on 14 September 1846, probably in Franklin Co., Ohio. [260] We originally believed and claimed that she died in Germany before her parents immigrated to America. Our reasons for rescinding this claim are provided in Appendix 45. Briefly, she is named as Hannah Garnes, the mother of Elizabeth

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Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0810\_.366, Document Nr. 4988, by John Carnes [sic] of Sandusky Co., Ohio; Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0850\_.303, Document Nr. 6931, by John Carnes [sic] of Sandusky Co., Ohio.

<sup>253 1820</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Napier Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M33-98, p. 22, indexed as John Kerns; 1830 U.S. Federal Census, Napier Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M19-152, p. 100, as John Karus

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653 1032, p. 250, John, age 82, born in Bavaria.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>255</sup> 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Christina Miller, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 159A, also in household, John Garns, age 92, born in Deutschland [Germany].

Date from age at death on grave marker.

Gravemarker of Susan Garn, Metzgar Cemetery, Jackson and Scott Townships, Sandusky Co., Ohio, died 25 Sept 1864, aged 88 years, 8 months and 4 days, GPS coordinates of grave marker are N41 deg., 19.583 min., W083 deg., 18.084 min., +/- 19 feet; Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 1900, Will of John Garn (as Gern), written 23 July 1860 and probated 16 May 1873, names all three children, will at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Kürnbach Familien Buch (Kürnbach Book of Families), Family of Conrad Gern, page 169, see Appendix 46; Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099.

Franklin County, Ohio, Cemeteries, Vol. III, Jefferson & Truro Townships, Franklin County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, (Columbus, OH, 1981), p. 37, inscription for Johanna Christiana Mills, wife of M. L., reported read ca. 1940; Grave marker and associated information for Johanna Christiana Garnes Mills, <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 32518264.

Mills, within the biography of her son-in-law in an 1875 Fulton County, Ohio, Atlas.<sup>[261]</sup> And her age-at-death on her grave marker, where her name appears as Johanna Christiana Mills, gives a birth date that matches exactly the birth of Johanna Christina Gern in Kürnbach, Germany.

Johanna Christiana GARNES married **Michael L. MILLS**. [262] Michael L. MILLS was born in 1782 in New York. He died on 9 August 1872, probably in Franklin Co., Ohio. [263] In addition to the children listed below, we have seen reports that Michael and Hannah had a son Henry L., born in 1818, a daughter Mary L., born in 1823, and a son David, who was born in 1827 and died in 1921. We have not verified these reports but have no reason to doubt them.

Johanna Christiana GARNES and Michael L. MILLS had the following children: [264]

- i. **Rebecca<sup>7</sup> MILLS** was born in 1806 in Pennsylvania. [265] She died in 1874 in Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio. [266] She married **John H. SMITH** on 10 May 1829. [267] John H. SMITH was born in 1767. [268] He died in 1846 in Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio. [269]
- ii. **Elizabeth<sup>7</sup> MILLS** was born on 5 March 1812 in Sussex Co., New Jersey. <sup>[270]</sup> She married **Eccles NAY** (son of **Jeremiah NAY** and **Mary DUNSHEE**) on 8 January 1831 in Jefferson Twp., Franklin Co., Ohio. <sup>[271]</sup> Eccles NAY was born on 11 September 1807 in Bristol, Vermont. <sup>[272]</sup>

59. **Adam<sup>6</sup> GARN** (Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Conrad GERN, person #26, and Christina Barbara HAUSER) was born on 19 August 1788 in New Jersey. [273] We place him as a son of Conrad Gern because Y-DNA tests establish a relationship to descendants of other known members of the family, because Conrad Gern had a son who was 10 to 15 years old on the 1800 U.S. Federal Census, because he was from Guilford Township when he married, which is where Conrad Gern lived, because his son John was born in Franklin [County, state not specified but we presume Pennsylvania], and because his daughter Catharine was born in Guilford Township.

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Historical Atlas of the World Illustrated, Fulton County, Ohio, H. H. Hardesty & Co., Publishers, (Chicago, 1875), within biography of Eccles Nay, p. 9, found at <a href="http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohfulton/AtlasBioINDEX.html">http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohfulton/AtlasBioINDEX.html</a>.

Historical Atlas of the World Illustrated, Fulton County, Ohio, cited above; See also Appendix 45.

Carol A. Hubbard, Will Book E & F, 1864-1877, Franklin County, Ohio, Will Abstracts, Every Name Index, Franklin County Genealogical and Historical Society Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, (Columbus, OH, 2003), abstract for Michael L. Mills, p. 68.

Daughter Rebecca named in ancestor chart cited with Rebecca, parents of Elizabeth named in biography of Elizabeth's husband in Appendix 45.

Ancestor Chart for Alice (Hite) Gallion, The Franklintonian, Vol. XVII, No. 1, Franklin County Genealogical Society Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, (Columbus, OH, Jan 1989) p. 13.

<sup>266 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 93455131; Ancestor Chart, cited above.

Bible Records-Kitzmiller (Carson, Mills, Smith) Family, The Franklintonian, Vol. XVI, No. 1, Franklin County Genealogical Society Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, (Columbus, OH, Jan 1988) p. 54.

Ancestor Chart, cited above.

Ancestor Chart, cited above.

Historical Atlas of the World Illustrated, Fulton County, Ohio, cited above; See also Appendix 45.

Historical Atlas of the World Illustrated, Fulton County, Ohio, cited above; See also Appendix 45; Marriage Record, Ecclis [sic] Nay and Elizabeth Mills, 8 January 1831, Franklin Co., Ohio, <familysearch.org> Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 29 July 2012, cites FHL 285142, p. 7.

Historical Atlas of the World Illustrated, Fulton County, Ohio, cited above.

From age at death, 80v, 4m, 2d.

The best evidence for placing Adam as Conrad's son, however, may be found in two letters dated 27 December 1863 and 22 January 1876, which were written to "Uncle Samuel Garn" and traced to Adam's son John (#125). These clearly place Adam Garn as a brother of John (#56) and Samuel (#62). The letters refer to Samuel as Uncle Samuel and also mention "old uncle John and his wife Aunt Susannah." Copies of the letters may be seen in Appendix 16.

He died on 21 December 1868 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [274] Information for his death record was provided by his son Jacob, who reported that Adam was a farmer and died of old age. There is a grave marker for Adam and wife Eve in a Mohican Twp., Ashland County cemetery known as Bethel Cemetery. [275] He went mostly by the name Adam. However, the name on his grave marker is John A. Garn.

His formal name, based on his grave marker, must have been John Adam Garn, which reflects the German naming conventions his parents used (see Appendix 28). He would have been known by the name Adam in almost all situations. His grave marker and



Grave marker for Adam Garn, person #59, and wife Eve

perhaps the 1820 Census of a John Garns, cited below, are the only instances where the name John appears in connection with him. He likely would appear as John Adam Garn in any birth record that might be uncovered for him.

Adam wrote his will on 25 December 1858.<sup>[276]</sup> It was proved in Ashland Co., Ohio, on 29 December 1869. A copy of his will appears in Appendix 13. His sons John and Jacob were executors for his estate.<sup>[277]</sup>

Adam married, probably around 1812, undoubtedly in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. We do not know the name of his wife. However, a biography of his daughter Catharine and her husband in the Ashland Co. History indicates that her mother died in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, and that Adam remarried. Furthermore, the naming of several children in his will who were born before his marriage to Eve Cell convinces us that he had another wife before his marriage to Eve Cell. We believe he is the John Garn who appeared on an early census in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [278]

Adam GARN had the following children: [279]

274 Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, Book 1, pp. 12-13, as Adam Garn; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443197.

Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194; GPS coordinates of the grave are N40 deg, 48.802 min, W082 deg, 08.291 min, +/- 18 ft.

Ashland Co., Ohio Wills, Book 2, pp. 552-554, as Adam Garn.

Estate file of Adam Garn, Ashland County Court of Common Pleas, (storage), Ashland, Ohio, filed 29 December 1868, file no. 2227, Doc. 3, p. 13.

<sup>1820</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M33 101, p. 108, as John Garns.

Ashland Co., Ohio Wills, Book 2, pp. 552-554, as Adam Garn, names wife Eve and all children in both families except Adam Henry but does not assign mothers, family assignments are based on estimated birth year of child unless otherwise indicated.

- +125. i. **John<sup>7</sup> GARN** (1813 1889).
- +126. ii. **Jacob<sup>7</sup> GARN** (1815 1888).
- iii. Adam Henry GARN was born about 1820. This birth year is an estimate. Although we 127. interpret his grave marker to report that he was the son of Adam and Eve Garn, we believe that his mother was Adam's first wife based on the 1840 Census of Adam Garn in Mohican Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, which reports only one male child in the home. [280] This child, age 5-9, was most certainly Adam and Eve's son Solomon, who would have been eight years old. This suggests that Adam Henry Garn was already out of the home when the 1840 Census was taken. And this would generally not be true if he were twelve years old or under, the age he would have been if Eve's son. Also, it would not have been unusual to report that he was Eve's son even if he were actually a step-son. Therefore we believe he was the son of Adam's first wife. Having made this assumption, we confess that we have no idea where to place him in the family. Therefore the birth year is an estimate. He died on 13 December 1840 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [281] Although the inscription on his grave marker, read in 1940, reported his full name and the first name of his father as John [sic], it did not give a name for his mother. Having examined the grave marker, we are convinced it reports that he was the son of Adam and Eve Garn.
- +128. iv. Catharine GARN (1823 1885).
- +129. v. Hannah<sup>7</sup> GARN (1825 1859).
  - 130. vi. **Samuel**<sup>7</sup> **GARN**. [282]

Adam GARN next married **Eve CELL** on 10 June 1828 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[283]</sup> In 1850 Adam and Eve appeared on the U.S. Census in Perry Twp., Ashland Co. <sup>[284]</sup> Ten years later they were living in Mohican Twp. <sup>[285]</sup> After Adam died, Eve appeared on the census alone in 1870 and living with her son Solomon in 1880. <sup>[286]</sup>

Eve CELL was born on 30 March 1802, probably in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [287] Some records suggest she was the daughter of Henry Cell. [288] Although no source is cited for this particular claim, it probably is true because a Henry Cell appeared on the 1810 Census with three daughters under ten years

280 1840 U.S. Federal Census of Adam Garn, Mohican Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 432, Page 15, FHL# 20179.

Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #5, Perry Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1987), p. 155, reports Adam Henry Garn, s/o John?, and date of death; <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 103753569.

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We confess that we do now know where Samuel fits into the family. We have found only one record that we can confidently associate with him. He is named as a son of Adam Garn in Adam's will. But he was given only one dollar in the will whereas Adam's other children and a grandchild of Adam each received over 700 dollars. And we cannot find any record in his father's estate that shows the dollar was ever paid. He does not appear in Adam Garn's household in the 1850 Census. So we believe he probably belongs in Adam's first family. Others will probably arrive at better reasons for why he does not appear in the public records. The only reason we can think of is that there may have been some disagreement between Adam and his son and Samuel may have moved far away and even possibly started using another name.

Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Historical Society Church Records, Marriages, German Reformed Church - Zion Reformed Church, South Main Street and West Liberty Street, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, p. 6 (typed transcript), entry 75, as Adam Gern and Eve Cell.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Adam Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 39A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>285</sup> 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Adam Garns, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 240.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>286</sup> 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Eve Garnes, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 797A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Solomon E. Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 211A, E.D. 90, includes widowed mother Eve Garn in household.

From death record.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions; private communication, Carolyn Choppin, Cell, Celle, Sell Family researcher, Woodland Park, CO.

old in Guilford Twp., Franklin County, where Adam Garn lived as a child. [289] Estate files for Henry Cell and wife Elizabeth do not name children and therefore cannot confirm the report. [290]

She died on 4 February 1894 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [291] Her name appears on the same grave marker as Adam. In May of 1890 she was reported to be 95 [sic] years old and the oldest resident of Perry Twp., in Ashland County. [292] Another news item is undoubtedly about her even though it suggests a birth about seven years before that found in other records. [293] The news item reports: *Mrs. Garn residing in Perry Township is probaly* [sic] *the oldest lady residing in Ashland county, she is in her 99th year. Her yougest* [sic] *progeny now living is Mrs. B. Harmon of Perry, who is 45 years old. The old lady is blind and partially helpless and loves her pipe as she did for years gone by.* 

Adam GARN and Eve CELL had the following children: [294]

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+131. vii. Elizabeth GARN (1829 - ).
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- +132. viii. Maria GARN (1832 1925).
- +133. ix. **Barbara Ann<sup>7</sup> GARN** (1835 1910).
- +134. x. Susannah<sup>7</sup> GARN (1837 1858).
- +135. xi. **Rebecca<sup>7</sup> GARN** (1839 1861).
- +136. xii. **Solomon<sup>7</sup> GARN** (1841 1883).
- +137. xiii. Christiana GARN (1846 1906).
- +138. xiv. Mary Margaret GARN (1848 1942).
- +139. xv. Sarah Ann GARN (1851 1878).

60. **Christina**<sup>6</sup> **GERN** (Conrad<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Conrad GERN, person #26, and Christina Barbara HAUSER) was born in April 1790 in New Jersey. [295] She died on 8 October 1871 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [296] Our reasons for placing her as a daughter of Conrad and Barbara Gern appear in Appendix 17.

Christina GERN married **John KAHL** about 1813, probably in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [297] They were reported to have moved from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, to Ashland Co., Ohio, around 1830. [298]

Newspaper article about Eve Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 9 May 1890, as reported by Anne Dallas Budd, Newspaper Abstracts of Ashland County, Ohio, (Port Cliinton, Ohio, 1992), v1, Abbe-Grose, found at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Belleville, Ohio.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>289</sup> 1810 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Cell, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 54, p. 862.

Franklin County, Pennsylvania Estates, Henry Cell estate, file 1305 and Elizabeth Cell estate, file 8101.

Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, 4 February 1894, bk. 2, p. 57.

News item about Mrs. Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Gazette, 9 Aug 1892, as reported in the Obituaries Notebook, D-I, 1890-1915, Ashland Co., Library, Ashland Co., Ohio.

Ashland Co., Ohio Wills, Book 2, pp. 552-554, as Adam Garn, names wife Eve and all children in both families but not mothers, family assignments based on estimated birth year of child unless otherwise indicated.

From age at death on death record and grave marker, cited below.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 1, 1867 - 1879*, (Ashland, Ohio, 1999), p. 50, as Cristina Kahl, reports death on 4 October 1871; Grave marker of Christena, w/o John Kahl as reported by Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194, death on 8 October 1871, age 81y, 6m; <a href="www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 44443248.

Baptismal Certificate of their son Jonathan, cited in Appendix 17 names parents; Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, (Atlanta, no date), p. 27, Christina's first name only, found at Franklin Co., Historical Society, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania; Date based on year of birth of first child.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>298</sup> Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, cited above.



Grave markers for Christina Gern, person #60, and her husband

John and Christina appeared on the 1850 and 1860 Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [299] In 1860 they were listed immediately after Christina's brother Adam. John KAHL was born on 7 May 1789 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania. [300] He died on 2 December 1862, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [301]

John wrote his will on 6 September 1862, which was probated on 23 April 1863 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [302] The will gave everything to his wife Christina. The only child mentioned was Solomon, who had a "certain top buggy," which John wished to also go to his wife. Solomon's relationship to John and Christina was not mentioned. The copy of the will recorded in the will book notes that he signed his name on the will in German.

John wrote a letter in 1857 to his brother-in-law Samuel Garns which helped establish that John's wife Christina was the daughter of Conrad Gern. An image and our transcript of that letter appear in Appendix 17.

Christina GERN and John KAHL had the following children: [303]

- 140. i. William<sup>7</sup> KAHL was born in 1814. He died in 1891.
- +141. ii. **Jonathan<sup>7</sup> KAHL** (1818 1904).

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<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Kahl, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 59B, indexed as John Kabel; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of John Kahl, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 240.

Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, cited above; Grave marker inscription, cited below, places birth in 1790.

Grave marker of John Kahl as reported by Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194 age 72y. 7m.

Ashland Co., Ohio, Wills, Will of John Kahl, vol. 2, pp. 194 and 195, also found in his estate file, file no. 1350; Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, (Atlanta, no date), p. 33, cited above.

Parents named in Jonathan's Baptismal Certificate, cited in Appendix 17, Solomon named in John's will, All children named by Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, (Atlanta, no date), pp. 28-29, as source for birth information about children unless otherwise noted, found at Franklin Co., Historical Society, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

- iii. **Solomon<sup>7</sup> KAHL** (1820 1892).
- iv. George KAHL was born in 1824. He died in 1852.
- v. **Absolom<sup>7</sup> KAHL** was born in 1827. He died in 1892. 144.
- 145. vi. **Barbara**<sup>7</sup> **KAHL** was born in 1832.

61. Jacob<sup>6</sup> GARN (Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Conrad GERN, person #26, and Christina Barbara HAUSER) was born about 1793, probably in Pennsylvania. [304] We place him as a son of Conrad Gern for several reasons. The best evidence appears in Appendix 17 where a note by a granddaughter of Jacob's daughter Sarah reports that Sarah and her husband Jonathan Kahl were first cousins. This establishes that Jacob had to be a brother of Christina Gern, person #60. And Christina is proven in Appendix 17 to be a sister of other Garns who have been proven to be Conrad's sons. Other circumstantial evidence of the relationship is that Conrad Gern had two sons under 10 years old in the 1800 U.S. Federal Census, one of whom we are convinced was this Jacob. Y-DNA testing establishes a close relationship between this Jacob Garn and other sons of Conrad Garn as reported in Appendix 2. Records show that Jacob lived among at least three other children of Conrad Gern in two different places. Jacob and John Garn #56 both attended the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church near Madley, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, [305] When both John and Jacob moved from Pennsylvania to Ohio, Jacob moved to live near Adam Garn, person #59, and Christina Gern, person #60, two other siblings. McBride and Capener reported that John Garn #56 had a brother named Jacob even though they reported an incorrect birth year for him. [306]

He died about February 1848 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [307] He wrote his will on 18 January 1848, which was proved on 20 March 1848 in Ashland County, Ohio. [308] A copy of his will appears in Appendix 14. He named his son-in-law James Carothers as executor. His estate was settled in 1850. [309]

Jacob GARN married Mary Ann ELRICK (daughter of George ELRICK and Elizabeth) about 1818 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She is named in her father's will and Jacob and Mary's mother are named executors of her father's will. [310] Mary's father George Elrick gave one-third of his estate to his wife Elizabeth Elrick and two-thirds to his son-in-law Jacob Karns [sic] and Jacob's wife Mary, excepting one dollar to each of his nine other children. Undoubtedly there is a story behind this



Grave marker for Jacob Garn, person #61

 $<sup>^{304}</sup>$  Date estimated from when first child was born and also 1820 and 1830 Federal Censuses which are cited below.

Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, Church Records, Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, see Appendix 11.

McBride and Capener, 1-2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 101250314.

Ashland County, Ohio Wills, Will of Jacob Garn, written 18 January 1848 and proved 20 March 1848, book 1, pp. 61-63, names wife and all children.

Estate file of Jacob Garn, Ashland County Court of Common Pleas, (storage), Ashland, Ohio, filed 1849, file no. 166, final settlement

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Will of George Elrick, written 3 January 1823, Book 2, pp. 193-194, indexed as Elerick, names wife Elizabeth, son-in-law Jacob Karns [sic] and Jacob's wife Mary, names other children.

distribution of his estate that we will never know. Mary's father George Elrick served as a Private in Baron Von Ottendorff's Corps, Continental Line, during the American Revolutionary War.<sup>[311]</sup>

Jacob and Mary Ann were members of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church near Buffalo Mills, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, where Jacob's brother John, person #56, lived. See Appendix 11 for some records from that congregation. Mary was confirmed there on 8 December 1831.

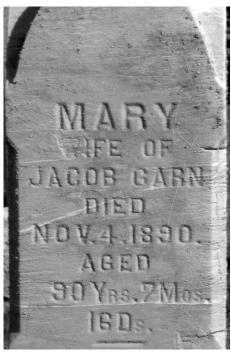
Jacob's family appeared on the same page of the 1820 U.S. Federal Census as his brother John, person #56, in then Napier Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [312] Ten years later they were enumerated in Londonderry Twp. in the same county. [313]

Mary Ann ELRICK was born about 1800, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [314] She died on 4 November 1890 in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [315] A copy of her will appears in Appendix 15.

Apparently she was quite active in her old age. A newspaper article reports that in 1882 she traveled alone and visited relatives in Wyandot and Williams Counties, Ohio and Adams Co., Indiana, as she did once a year. [316]

An obituary reports the following about her:<sup>[317]</sup> Mrs. Mary Garn, better known as Grandmother Garn, was buried last Thursday. She attained the age of ninety years and was the mother of ten children; all have lived to be heads of families but one, it having died in youth. She has endured many hardships and privations of the pioneer life. She has fought the battles of life alone, her husband having died forty years ago. She was a kind neighbor and mother.

Another obituary reports the following:<sup>[318]</sup>
Another pioneer has been laid to rest. Mrs. Mary Garns [sic], who has been a sufferer for a long time, died on Tuesday, the



Grave marker for Mary Ann, wife of Jacob Garn, person #61

4th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chris. Wiles, at the advanced age of 92 years 7 months and a few days. She was buried in Yankeetown cemetery.

<sup>311</sup> DAR Records of George Elrick, Ancestor #: A038052.

<sup>312 1820</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Napier Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M33\_98, p. 22, as Kerns.

<sup>313 1830</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn, Londonderry Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M19\_152, p. 88, as Gam.

Year estimated from census; 1850 U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 59A, as Mary Ann Garn; 1860 U.S. Federal Census, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, M653\_1051, page 262, as Mary Garn.

Wayne County, Ohio Wills, File 7365, Will of Mary Garn, written 22 December 1883 and filed on 8 November 1890.

Ashland [Ohio] Press, 19 January 1882 [year 1884 crossed out and 1882 handwritten above], as reported by Anne Dallas Budd, Newspaper Abstracts of Ashland County, Ohio, (Port Cliinton, Ohio, 1992), v1, Abbe-Grose, found at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Belleville, Ohio.

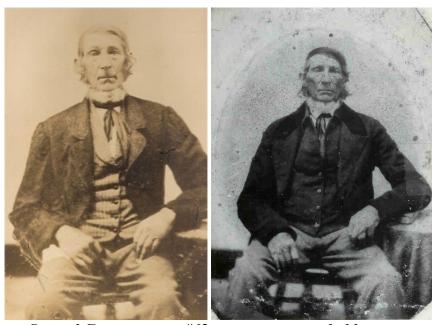
<sup>317</sup> Obituary of Mary Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 20 November 1890.

<sup>318</sup> Obituary of Mary Garns [sic], Ashland [Ohio] Gazette, 11 November 1890.

Jacob GARN and Mary Ann ELRICK had the following children: [319]

- i. Susanna<sup>7</sup> GARN (1819 1890).
- ii. Catharine GARN (1822 1900). +147.
- iii. Sarah<sup>7</sup> GARN (1823 1921). +148.
- iv. Henry S. GARN (1824 1913). +149.
- v. Mary Ann<sup>7</sup> GARN (1826 1893). +150.
- +151. vi. **Louisa**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1829 1912). +152. vii. **Samuel**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1832 1911).
- +153. viii. Elizabeth GARN (1834 1913).
- +154. ix. **Jeremiah**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (1843 1919).

62. Samuel<sup>6</sup> GARNS (Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Conrad GERN, person #26, and Christina Barbara HAUSER) was born on 9 April 1795, probably in New Jersey. [320] Census records disagree on where he was born with New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware all being cited. [321] Since there is some evidence that a brother was born in New Jersey, we selected New Jersey from among these choices.



Samuel Garns, person #62, as a younger and older man

names all children, daughters by married names and gives locations (cities) of children, see Appendix 15.

Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, Church Records, Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, pp. 13, and 28 of original record and 6 and 12 of the typed transcript, Samuel is incorrectly indexed on p. 13 instead of 12 of typed transcript, names first seven children and their birth and baptism dates; Ashland County, Ohio Wills, Will of Jacob Garn, written 18 January 1848 and proved 20 March 1848, book 1, pp. 61-63, names wife and all children, see Appendix 14; Wayne County, Ohio Wills, File 7365, Will of Mary Garn, written 22 December 1883 and filed on 8 November 1890, Letters Testamentary at end of file

Family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62, see Appendix 21.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Saml Karns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M432 781, p. 85B, Samuel, 54, born in New Jersey; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garnes, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M653 1112, p. 726, Saml Garnes living in Henry Garnes household, 61, born in Pennsylvania; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Frieze, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M593 1346, p. 452A, Sml Garnes living in Jacob Frieze household, 75, born in Delaware.

We place him as a son of Conrad Gern because two letters dated 27 December 1863 and 22 January 1876, which were written to "Uncle Samuel Garn" and traced to Adam (#59) Garn's son John (#125), clearly place Adam Garn as a brother of John (#56) and Samuel (#62). The letters refer to Samuel as Uncle Samuel and also mention "old uncle John and his wife Aunt Susannah." Copies of the letters may be seen in Appendix 16. Since John Garn (#56) is clearly a son of Conrad Gern, Samuel Garns is also Conrad's son. Furthermore, a Y-DNA test on one of Samuel's descendants places him as a member of the Garn family. [322] And he lived in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, near where Conrad Gern lived. He clearly was one of the two sons under 10 years old in the 1800 U.S. Federal Census of Conrad Gern.

The 1840 U.S. Federal Census lists a Samuel Kerns who was undoubtedly him even though he was "too young" because he was in the 30-39 age group and should have been in the 40-49 age group. [323] A tax record from 1843 reports that he owned 16 acres of land in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, which was worth \$1168, that he owned a horse and two cows, and that he was a weaver. [324]

He died on 27 May 1880 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [325] A notice of his death appeared in a local newspaper.[326]

Samuel GARNS married Susanna HOWENSTINE on 4 April 1822 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [327] Susanna HOWENSTINE was born on 27 March 1802 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [328] She died on 14 January 1855 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [329] Both Samuel and Susanna were buried in the Loop Farm Family Cemetery on Dry Run Road in Lemasters, Franklin County. [330]

We have not been able to find information about Susanna's parents. We searched for a relationship to Thaddeus Hoenstine, who married Leah Garn, person #71, but could not find a connection. We know that this Thaddeus Hoenstine had a sister whose name has not been discovered and a daughter named Susanna who could easily have been named after a sister of Thaddeus. But we have not been able to establish a relationship between this Susanna Howenstine and Thaddeus Hoenstine.

Samuel GARNS and Susanna HOWENSTINE had the following children: [331]

<sup>322</sup> See Appendix 2 for details.

<sup>323 1840</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Kerns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 312, p. 458.

Robert F. Cell, 1843 Tax Records, Franklin County, Pennsylvania, (Edinburg, TX, 1991), p. 69, available at the Franklin County Historical Society.

Family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62, see Appendix 21; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 111979643.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites the Daily Reg. 9 June 1880, age at death, 85y, 1m, 24d, placing his birth on 3 April.

Family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62, see Appendix 21.

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<sup>330 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 111979643, 111979870, 21617867 and 55219710; John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions* of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 18, Peters Township, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1988), p. 18-127, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

All children and their birth dates listed in Family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62, some children listed as Kerns, see Appendix 21; GEDCOM file of Samuel Garns, person, #62, and descendants provided by John N. Garns, contains research by James Houpt of Florida, Miriam Garns (deceased) of Hagerstown, Maryland, and John N. Garns, of Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania [hereafter Houpt, Garns and Garns, also listed in references at the end of the book]; Miriam Garns, The Garns Family Roots, (Hagerstown, MD, 1987), [hereafter **Miriam Garns**, also listed in references at the end of the book].

- i. **Jacob<sup>7</sup> GARNS** was born on 2 February 1824 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 4 April 1824 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, and was buried in Loop Family Cemetery on Dry Run Road in Lemasters, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, on 7 April 1824. [332]
- 156. ii. **John<sup>7</sup> GARNS** was born on 5 January 1825 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 25 February 1832 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He was buried in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania on 27 February 1832.
- +157. iii. **Harriet<sup>7</sup> GARNS** (1826 1900).
- 158. iv. **Jacob<sup>7</sup> GARNS** was born on 8 July 1828 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 17 February 1832 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [334] He was buried on 20 February 1832.
- +159. v. **Samuel Andrew**<sup>7</sup> **GARNS** (1832 1865).
- +160. vi. **Henry**<sup>7</sup> **GARNS** (1834 1912).
- 161. vii. Susannah<sup>7</sup> GARNS was born on 28 March 1836 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- +162. viii. **John<sup>7</sup> GARNS** (1838 1902).
- +163. ix. Jeremiah GARNS (1839 1927).
- 164. x. Levi<sup>7</sup> GARNS was born on 26 December 1840 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 1 March 1847 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [335]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>332</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns; Family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62, see Appendix 21.

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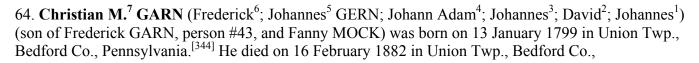
### **Seventh Generation**

63. **George<sup>7</sup> CARN** (Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Fanny MOCK) was born on 23 April 1797 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 29 January 1878 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. Most of his descendants seem to have used the Carn spelling of the surname.

George CARN married **Christine PRINGLE**. [338] George and Christine or Christina appeared on the 1850 - 1870 U.S. Federal Censuses in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [339] Their son John appeared with them on the earlier census. And a Peggy Stuff [sic] who appeared with them on one census was probably their daughter Margaret. Christine PRINGLE was born on 13 November 1794 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [340] She died on 21 November 1877 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [341] George and Christine or Christian were buried at Imler Cemetery in Imler, Pennsylvania. [342]

George CARN and Christine PRINGLE had the following children: [343]

- +165. i. **William<sup>8</sup> CARN** (1818 1886).
- +166. ii. **Jacob<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1822 1879).
  - 167. iii. **Sarah**<sup>8</sup> **CARN** was born on 21 February 1825 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 8 February 1852. She never married.
- +168. iv. Susannah CARN (1826 1907).
- +169. v. Margaret<sup>8</sup> CARN (1828 1900).
- 170. vi. **Samuel<sup>8</sup> CARN** was born on 24 September 1830 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 5 June 1841. He never married.
- +171. vii. **John<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1833 1904).



Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Cemetery at Imler, PA, Book 1, pp. 103-113, at 106; McBride and Capener, p. 579.

**Garn Spinning Wheel** 

<sup>337 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78427503; Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 579.

<sup>338</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>339</sup> 1850 U.S. Federal Census of Georg Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_751, p. 254B; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Geo Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 661; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of George Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, p. 689B, as Gharn.

McBride and Capener, p. 579.

Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 579.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>342</sup> Imler Cemetery inscriptions, cited above.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; documents cited with several children name parents and siblings.

From grave marker inscription, cited below.

Pennsylvania.<sup>[345]</sup> He was buried in Mock Cemetery, also known as Weyant Church Cemetery, on Mock Cemetery Road between Weyant and Imler, PA.<sup>[346]</sup>

His will was probated on 6 March 1882.<sup>[347]</sup> See Appendix 18 for a copy of his will. The version of his will found in the estate file corrects an error in the version found in the will book which at one point, when naming his children, omitted the name of the husband of Catherine and then omitted Susan, suggesting that Catherine was intermarried with Edmund Conrad. This error can be inferred from other information in the version found in the will book and is corrected in the version found in the estate papers.

The will (estate version) named his wife and heirs Catherine, intermarried with Solomon Mock [sic, Mauk], Susannah, intermarried with Edmund [sic, Edward] Conrad, John I. Garn, George I. Garn, Margaret, intermarried with Adam Breigle [Briggle], Hannah I. Garn, Daniel I. Garn, and heirs of his daughters Rachel, intermarried with Henry Sawer [sic, Lower] and Mary, intermarried with John Russel. He also reported that there were twelve heirs of his daughters Rachel and Mary without naming them.



Grave marker for Christian M. Garn, person #64

Although descendants of several of his siblings used the Carn spelling, his descendants who settled in Ohio appear to have used the Garn spelling of the surname as do others in the family who settled in Ohio.

Christian M. GARN married **Elizabeth ICKES** (daughter of **Henry ICKES** and **Catherine HINISH**) on 6 July 1827 near Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. The marriage date comes from McBride and Capener. We suspect the marriage may have been earlier since census records support the birth of at least one child before this date. Christian and wife Elizabeth appeared on the 1850 - 1880 U.S. Federal Censuses with one or more children. Elizabeth ICKES was born on 22 August 1805 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 19 May 1890 in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Will of Christian M. Garn, Book 5, pp. 551-553, FHL#331359; Bedford County, Pennsylvania Estate Records, Estate of Christian M. Garn, File 1882-0015.

<sup>345 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 80504727; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Mock Cemetery Between Imler and Weyant, PA, Book 5, pp. 63-64, at 64.

GPS coordinates of grave marker are: N40 degrees 12.522 min, W078 deg, 32.626 min, +/- 16 ft.

Elizabeth is named in the probate file of her husband, surname appears on the death records of sons John, George and Daniel; McBride and Capener, p. 632.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Christian Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_751, pp. 254B and 255A; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Christian Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1070, pp. 652-653; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Christian Garn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, p. 698A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Christian M. Garn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 341B, as Garm.

McBride and Capener, p. 632; Age at death on tombstone, cited below, gives birth two months earlier but transcript questioned the interpretation of inscription.

Metzgar Cemetery Records, death on 19 May 1890, age at death, 84y, 8m, 27d, with a "?" following age at death, named as wife of C. M.; Death Announcement for Mrs. Garn, Fremont Journal, Fremont, Ohio, 23 May 1890, p. 3, col. 3, as mother of John I. Garn of Millersville.

Christian M. GARN and Elizabeth ICKES had the following children: [352]

- +172. i. **Rachel<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1824 1880).
- +173. ii. **Mary**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1827 1870).
- +174. iii. Catherine<sup>8</sup> GARN (1828 1890).
- +175. iv. Susannah<sup>8</sup> GARN (1829 ).
- +176. v. **Margaret I.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1831 1908).
- +177. vi. **John Ickes<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1833 1910).
- 178. vii. **Jacob<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born in 1836 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [353] We find him only in McBride and Capener, who report that he died in childhood.
- +179. viii. George I.8 GARN (1838 1921).
- 180. ix. **Hannah**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 27 February 1841 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [354] She died on 18 June 1907 in Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio. [355] She married **John KISABERTH** on 30 December 1886 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [356] We believe the marriage between Anna Garn and John Kisseberth in Sandusky Co., Ohio is the marriage reported by McBride and Capener. John KISABERTH was born in 1837 in Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio. [357] McBride and Capener report that his marriage to Hannah was his second marriage.
- +181. x. **Daniel Ickes**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1844 1932).
- 182. xi. **William<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born in 1847 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died in 1850.
- 183. xii. **Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born in 1850 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. McBride and Capener report that she died in childhood.
- 65. **Catherine**<sup>7</sup> **CARN** (Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Fanny MOCK) was born on 13 July 1801 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[358]</sup> She died on 4 February 1883 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[359]</sup>

Catherine CARN married **Jacob BEARD**.<sup>[360]</sup> Jacob BEARD was born on 15 May 1794 in Germany.<sup>[361]</sup> He died on 27 August 1859 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[362]</sup> Jacob and Catherine appeared on the 1850 Census in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[363]</sup> In 1860 and

McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 670.

1850 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Beard, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432 751, p. 251B.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Will of Christian M. Garn, Book 5, pp. 551-553, FHL#331359, omits Jacob, William and Elizabeth; McBride and Capener, p. 632, omits Mary; 1850 U.S. Federal Census of Christian Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432 751, pp. 254B and 255A, omits Rachel, Mary, Catherine, Susannah, and Jacob.

<sup>353</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 632.

<sup>355</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 670.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. 12, p. 514, she as Anna and he as Kisseberth.

McBride and Capener, p. 670.

<sup>358</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 672.

McBride and Capener, p. 672.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>360</sup> Jacob named as Catherine's husband in estate papers of Catherine's father.

<sup>361</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 672.

<sup>362</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 672.

1880 Catherine appeared alone on the census in the same location.<sup>[364]</sup> The Peter Mock Genealogy by Fred D. Ickes, cited above, reports that this Catherine Carn married a second time to John Carn [sic] III. John Garn III was person #98 in this book. Although it is true that John Garn, person #98, married a Catherine Garn, the Catherine Garn that he married was Catherine, person #122 in this book. The Catherine Garn/Carn who married Jacob Beard appeared on the 1880 Census as Catherine Beard well after John Garn (#98) had died, which is evidence that she did not remarry to a Garn after Jacob Beard died. <sup>[365]</sup>

Catherine CARN and Jacob BEARD had the following child: [366]

i. **Francis<sup>8</sup> BEARD** was born on 12 August 1819 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [367] He died on 17 May 1908 in Kimmel Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [368] He appeared on the 1900 Census in the home of Benjamin Walter whose wife may have been Francis' daughter. [369]

66. **Mary**<sup>7</sup> **CARN** (Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Fanny MOCK) was born on 19 May 1802, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[370]</sup> Her grave marker at Find A Grave, cited with her death information, reports she was born in 1804. Census records suggest an earlier birth, around 1802, which places her in the family in the same order as children are named in documents. The day and month come from her grave marker. She died on 13 September 1874 in Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio. <sup>[371]</sup>

Mary CARN married **Jacob STUFFT**. [372] They moved to Richland Co., Ohio soon after they married. A power of attorney document was executed there and submitted by Jacob to the court in Bedford County to authorize Samuel Gill to represent Mary's interests in her fathers' estate. [373] The document reads as follows:

Know all men by these presents that I, Jacob Stufft of Richland County in the State of Ohio, in Right of my wife Mary Stufft, late Mary Garn one of the heirs and legal Representatives of Frederick Garn late of St. Clair township Bedford County dec'd Do hereby authorize and empower Samuel Gill of Bedford County my true and lawful attorney, for and in my name to Refuse to take any part or parcel whatever of the Real estate of the said Frederick Garn, dec'd, at the valuation and to request that the same may be sold by order of the Orphans Court of Bedford County. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and offered my seal this seventeenth day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and twenty six.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>364</sup> 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Catherine Beard, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 636, as Cath Beard; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Catharine Beard, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 341B, E.D. 237.

<sup>1880</sup> Census of Catharine Beard, cited above.

Death record of Francis names parents.

From death record.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 18 April 2014, Francis Beard, 17 May 1908, certificate 54569, reports birth date and place, names parents; <www.findagrave.com> Memorial# 30572886.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Francis Beard, Kimmel Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1376, page 1A, E.D. 18, cites FHL# 1241376, reported as boarder in home of Benjamin Walter.

From censuses and Find A Grave, cited below.

<sup>371 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 67456556.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>372</sup> Jacob is named as spouse in estate papers of Mary's father, see Appendix 7.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania Orphan's Court Docket 4, pp. 179-180.

Jacob and Mary appeared on the 1850-1870 U.S. Federal Censuses in Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio [374]

Jacob STUFFT was born about 1794 in Pennsylvania. [375] We do not know if or how this Jacob Stufft might have been related to the Jacob Stufft who married Margaret Carn, person #169. He was born with the name Stufft. At some point he dropped the second "T" from his name and became Jacob Stuff.

Mary CARN and Jacob STUFFT had the following children, all probably born in Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, whose descendants appear to use the Stuff spelling of their surname. [376]

- i. Michael<sup>8</sup> STUFF was born about 1826.
- ii. Sarah<sup>8</sup> STUFF was born about 1829.
- iii. Catharine<sup>8</sup> STUFF was born about 1832.
- iv. **Jacob<sup>8</sup> STUFF** was born about 1834.
- v. **John<sup>8</sup> STUFF** was born about 1836. 189.
- vi. Simon<sup>8</sup> STUFF was born about 1838. The 1860 and 1870 Censuses of his parents report that he was blind.
- 191. vii. Elisabeth<sup>8</sup> STUFF was born about 1840.
  192. viii. Frederick<sup>8</sup> STUFF was born about 1842.
- 193. ix. Samuel<sup>8</sup> STUFF was born about 1844.
- x. William<sup>8</sup> STUFF was born about 1846. 194.

67. Sarah<sup>7</sup> CARN (Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Fanny MOCK) was born on 3 September 1803. [377] She appears in the records as Sarah, Sally, Salome and Saloma. She died on 18 December 1896. [378]

Sarah CARN married Mathias FEATHER. [379] Mathias and Sarah appeared on the 1850 Census in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [380] In 1860 and 1870 they appeared on the census in St. Clair Twp., also in Bedford County. [381] And in 1880 they appeared on the census in Harrison Twp., again in Bedford County. [382] Mathias FEATHER was born on 7 June 1802. [383] He died on 12 May 1898. [384]

<sup>376</sup> 1850 U.S. Federal Census, cited above, names all children, some appear on 1860 Census and Simon appears on all three.

 $<sup>^{374}\ 1850\</sup> U.S.\ Federal\ Census\ of\ Jacob\ Stufft,\ Jefferson\ Twp.,\ Richland\ Co.,\ Ohio,\ M432\_724,\ p.\ 434B;\ 1860\ U.S.\ Federal\ Census\ of\ M432\_724,\ p.\ 434B;\ Marchand\ Co.,\ M432\_724,\ p.\ 434B;\ Marchand\ Co.,\ M432\_724,\ p.\ M434B;\ Marchand\ M432\_724,\ p.\ M434B;\ Marchand\ M432\_724,\ p.\ M434B;\ Marchand\ M432\_724,\ p.\ M434B;\ M434B$ Jacob Stufft, Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, M653 1029, p. 205, surname as Stuff; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Stufft, Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, M593 1261, p. 68A, surname as Stuff.

From censuses, cited above.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, PA, Book 1, pp. 121-135, at

<sup>378 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 78655371; Gravemarker inscription of Saloma Carn, wife of M. Feather, Old Union Cemetery,

Mathias named as Sarah's spouse in papers settling the estate of her father.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mathias Feather, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432 751, p. 252A, wife as Sally,

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mathias Feather, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653 1072, p. 466, surname as Fetter; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Mathias Feather, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593 1304, p. 684B, he as Matthias, spouse as

<sup>382 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mathias Feather, Harrison Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 132D, E.D. 222, he as Matthias Feathers, spouse as Salome.

From age at death on grave marker, grave marker inscription, Old Union Cemetery, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>384</sup> Gravemarker inscription, Old Union Cemetery, cited above.

McBride and Capener list several children for this family. [385] However, they do not seem to correspond with the children named in the censuses cited above. We have not attempted to sort out the contradictions. The only children that we can name for certain are the children listed below.

Sarah CARN and Mathias FEATHER had the following children: [386]

- i. **Polly**<sup>8</sup> **FEATHER** was born on 7 August 1836 in Pennsylvania. [387] She died on 14 December 1909 in Napier Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [388]
- ii. **Rachel<sup>8</sup> FEATHER** was born on 6 April 1843. [389] Her grave marker places her as the 196. daughter of M & S Feather. She died on 28 December 1866. [390]

68. Henry CARN (Frederick GARN; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam; Johannes; David; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Fanny MOCK) was born about 1808 in Pennsylvania. [391] Henry is named in his father's estate papers and in the will of his maternal grandfather. He died on 5 April 1888 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [392]

Henry CARN married Maria KING. Only her surname is given by McBride and Capener. [393] Her full name is reported by Geri Arnold, whose claims we have not verified but do not dispute. [394] Any children born to Henry were undoubtedly born to his marriage to Maria King since we do not find children listed in censuses who might have been from his marriage to his second wife. Mrs. Arnold also reports that Henry had children Mary Jane, William F. and Amanda, born in 1844, 1846 and 1848, respectively. We have not verified these claims either but to not dispute them. We do not find Henry or Maria in the 1850 U.S. Census. A Samuel Carn who died in Norristown, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania, on 28 April 1920, may have been the son of Henry and Maria. [395] His death record reports that he was born on 25 December 1840 in Pennsylvania and places him as the son of Henry Carn and Mary Cole [sic]. We have not fully explored if this Samuel was Henry's son. Henry CARN and Maria KING had the following child:

i. Catherine<sup>8</sup> CARN was born about 1842 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [396] She died on 5 December 1917 in West St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [397] Her death record gives her surname as Kresisele and reports that her father was Henry Garn [sic]. Although

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Polly Feather, 14 December 1909, certificate 115898, reports birth date, parents indexed as Cyrus Feather and Soloma Carn.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Samuel Carn, 28 December 1920, certificate 51075, reports birth date, parents indexed as Henry Carn and Mary Cole.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Catherine Kresisele, 5 December 1917. certificate 131323, age 75, father as Henry Carn, mother not named.

<sup>385</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 677.

<sup>386</sup> Relationships cited with children.

<sup>387</sup> From death record.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, PA, Book 1, pp. 121-135, at

<sup>390</sup> Gravemarker of Rachel, [listed as] Dau. of M. & S. Feathers, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.

Estimated from 1870 and 1880 U.S. Censuses cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>392</sup> Estate File for Henry Carn, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Estates, File No. 1888-31, contains Oath of Death by Adolphus Burkett, stating date Henry died, and waiver of right to be administrator of Henry's estate by his widow, Margaret Carn.

McBride and Capener, p. 3.

<sup>394</sup> Geri Arnold, p. 9.

Age 75 when she died.

it does not name her mother, we believe that Henry was married to Maria at the time Catherine was born.

Henry CARN next married **Margaret**.<sup>[398]</sup> Margaret was born about 1844 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[399]</sup> Henry's marriage to Margaret is quite confusing. Margaret appears as the widow of Henry in his estate papers. And she appears as his wife in the 1880 U.S. Census with him being approximately 35 years older than Margaret.<sup>[400]</sup> A Margaret Garn also appears with Henry on the 1860 and 1870 U.S. Censuses.<sup>[401]</sup> However, on the 1860 U.S. Census Margaret's age is 14 years old, whereas Henry's is 59 years old. We suspect that Margaret appearing in the 1860 U.S. Census may have been a daughter and that the name of Henry's wife who appears on the 1880 U.S. Census and in his estate papers was a coincidental match. We know from the 1880 U.S. Census that a Franklin Peterson was living in the Carn household and was listed as Henry's stepson. Therefore Margaret must have been married prior to her marriage to Henry. In 1870 a John Garn, age 11, appears in Henry's home. He may also have been a son. We have not found anything else about him. He does not appear in Henry's home in 1860.

69. **Hannah**<sup>7</sup> **CARN** (Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Fanny MOCK) was born on 13 July 1812, probably in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [402] She died on 14 March 1883, probably in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [403] Her grave marker reports that her surname was Garn before marriage.

Hannah CARN married **Conrad CLAYCOMB** (son of **Conrad CLAYCOMB** and **Anna Dorothy**). [404] Conrad and Hannah appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [405] Conrad was reported to be a brother of John Claycomb, who married Susanna Carn, person #70. [406] Conrad CLAYCOMB was born on 6 October 1810. [407] He died on 10 July 1903. [408] Conrad and Hannah were buried in Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Pennsylvania. [409]

Hannah CARN and Conrad CLAYCOMB had the following children:<sup>[410]</sup>

198. i. Mary<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB.

199. ii. Leah<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB.

400 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garn [sic], Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 337A, E.D. 237.

 $<sup>^{398}</sup>$  Margaret is named as wife in 1880 U.S. Federal Census cited below and in Henry's estate papers.

From 1880 U.S. Census.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>401</sup> 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 649; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garn [sic], Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, p. 698B.

From grave marker inscription, cited below.

<sup>403 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78848668; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Book 1, pp. 137-148, at 142, she as Hannah (Garn).

Mary Alice Claycombe Adney, *Genealogy of the Claycomb(e) Family*, (Richmond, IN, 1985), pp 13-14, a copy found at Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, PA; Hannah as Hannah (Garn) on grave marker inscription, cited above.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Conrad Claycomb, King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 197D, E.D. 226.

<sup>406</sup> Mary Alice Claycombe Adney, cited above.

From grave marker, cited below.

<sup>408</sup> Cemetery Inscriptions Reformed Cemetery, cited above.

<sup>409</sup> Cemetery Inscriptions Reformed Cemetery, cited above.

<sup>410</sup> Mary Alice Claycombe Adney, *Genealogy of the Claycomb(e) Family*, (Richmond, IN, 1985), pp 13-14, a copy found at Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, PA; Geri Arnold, p. 9, lists all children except George and Mazzie.

- 200. iii. Amos<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born on 15 July 1840 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [411] He died on 21 November 1912 in King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [412]
- iv. George<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB. 201.
- v. Mazzie<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB. 202.
- 203. vi. William<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB.
- 204. vii. Tobias<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB.
- 205. viii. David<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB.
- 206. ix. Catherine<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB. 207. x. Sarah<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB.

70. Susanna CARN (Frederick GARN; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam; Johannes; David; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Magdalene OSTER) was born on 20 August 1815. [413] Although McBride and Capener place her birth in 1806, she is clearly Magdalene Oster's daughter. Since her parents married in 1814, she clearly was born much later than 1806. The birth date given here is supported by Susanna's age in censuses cited below and the order in which her name appears in the list of Frederick's children in the Orphans Court records. See Appendix 7 for one of the Orphans Court records. She died on 4 May 1894 near Pleasantville, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [414] Two newspapers carried announcements of her death. [415]

Susanna CARN married John CLAYCOMB (son of Conrad CLAYCOMB and Anna Dorothy). [416] John was reported to be a brother of Conrad Claycomb, who married Hannah Carn, person #69. [417] John and Susanna appeared on the 1850 - 1870 Censuses in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [418] After John's death Susanna appeared on the 1880 Census in the same place. [419] John CLAYCOMB was born on 15 March 1807. [420] He died on 31 October 1879. [421] Both John and Susanna were buried at the Pleasantville Cemetery in Pleasantville, Pennsylvania. [422]

Susanna CARN and John CLAYCOMB had the following children: [423]

- i. **Josiah**<sup>8</sup> **CLAYCOMB** was born about 1834.
- ii. Samuel<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born about 1836. 209
- 210. iii. Mary<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born about 1837.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Amos Claycomb, 21 November 1912, certificate 105238, gives birth date and place, names parents.

414 <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 14426491, incorrectly reports birth year; Pleasantville Cemetery inscriptions, cited below.

Birth information appears on death record.

Pleasantville Cemetery inscriptions, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 684; Geri Arnold, p. 10; Mary Alice Claycombe Adney, Genealogy of the Claycomb(e) Family, (Richmond, IN, 1985), p. 9, a copy found at Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, PA.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>415</sup> Bedford Gazette, Bedford, Pennsylvania, 11 May 1894; Bedford Inquirer, Bedford, Pennsylvania, 11 May 1894, p. 4, col. 8.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>416</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 684; Geri Arnold, cited above; Mary Alice Claycombe Adney, cited above.

Mary Alice Claycombe Adney, cited above.

<sup>418 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Claycomb, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_751, p. 163B; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of John Claycomb, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653 1072, p. 468; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of John Claycomb, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593 1304, p. 681A, indexed as Claycob.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Susan Claycomb, St Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 316A, E.D. 235.

From Pleasantville Cemetery inscriptions, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>421</sup> From Pleasantville Cemetery inscriptions, cited below.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Pleasantville Cemetery, p. 137.

All children appear on one or more census, cited above, with birth order based on ages in censuses; McBride and Capener, p. 684.

- 211. iv. Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born about 1840.
- 212. v. **John<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB** was born about 1842.
- 213. vi. **Andrew**<sup>8</sup> **CLAYCOMB** was born about 1844.
- 214. vii. Thaddeus<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born about 1846.
- 215. viii. Leah<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born about 1848.
- 216. ix. **Amanda**<sup>8</sup> **CLAYCOMB** was born on 10 June 1855 in Pennsylvania. [424] She died on 19 June 1907 in Altoona, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [425] Her surname on her death record, Maloy, indicates that she had married.
- 217. x. Elmira<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born about 1855.
- 218. xi. William Henry<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born about 1857.
- 219. xii. Sarah Ann<sup>8</sup> CLAYCOMB was born about 1860.

71. **Leah**<sup>7</sup> **CARN** (Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Magdalene OSTER) was born on 7 September 1817, probably in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [426] She died on 13 September 1904, probably in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [427] An obituary in a Bedford newspaper reports her death on 13 September 1904. [428]

Leah CARN married **Thaddeus HOENSTINE**. [429] Thaddeus and Leah appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in East Saint Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [430] Thaddeus HOENSTINE was born on 28 June 1817. [431] He died on 7 February 1898. [432] Both Thaddeus and Leah were buried in Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Pennsylvania. Thaddeus wrote his will on 15 June 1874, which was probated in Bedford County on 16 February 1898. [433] The will names his "beloved wife Leah," and Susana, Joseph, Andrew, Emma, Frank and Ziegler as his children, the other children having died before the will was written.

A book reports and names four brothers of Thaddeus and reports that he had at least one sister who was not named. [434] We have explored the possibility that Susanna Howenstine, the wife of Samuel Garns (#62), might have been related to Thaddeus but have not found a connection.

Leah CARN and Thaddeus HOENSTINE had the following children: [435]

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Amanda Maloy, 19 June 1907 certificate 55063, gives birth date, names parents.

432 <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78848753; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Book 1, pp. 137-148, at 142.

From death record.

From grave marker inscription, cited below.

<sup>427 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78848754, accessed 31 March 2014; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Book 1, pp. 137-148, at 142.

Bedford Gazette, Bedford, PA, 23 September 1904, p. 1.

<sup>429</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 578A and 707; grave markers, cited above and below indicate a marriage.

<sup>430</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Thaddeus Hoenstine, East Saint Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 300A, E.D. 234, as Hoenstein.

From grave marker, cited below

Will of Thaddeus Hoenstine, Bedford County Wills, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Book 7, p. 511.

Hoenstine loose bound book, Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.

- 220. i. **daughter**<sup>8</sup> **HOENSTINE** was born on 13 February 1838. [436] She died on 17 February 1838. [437]
- 221. ii. **Samuel<sup>8</sup> HOENSTINE** was born on 24 August 1839.<sup>[438]</sup> He died on 19 September 1866.<sup>[439]</sup>
- 222. iii. Mary<sup>8</sup> HOENSTINE was born on 25 December 1840.<sup>[440]</sup> She died on 13 July 1842.<sup>[441]</sup>
- 223. iv. Susanna<sup>8</sup> HOENSTINE was born in 1842. She died in 1932.
- 224. v. **David<sup>8</sup> HOENSTINE** was born in 1844. He died in 1868.
- 225. vi. Joseph H.8 HOENSTINE was born in 1845. He died in 1899.
- 226. vii. **Andrew J.**<sup>8</sup> **HOENSTINE** was born in 1847. He died in 1902. He was buried in Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Pennsylvania. [442]
- 227. viii. Emmaline<sup>8</sup> HOENSTINE was born in 1849. She died in 1944.
- 228. ix. **Franklin G.** HOENSTINE was born in 1842. His mother's obituary reports that he was the county treasurer at Winnemucca, Nevada.
- 229. x. Sarah A. HOENSTINE was born on 6 April 1854. [443] She died on 30 January 1859. [444]
- 230. xi. **Zeigler<sup>8</sup> HOENSTINE** was born on 9 April 1857 in Pennsylvania. [445] He died on 19 June 1948 in San Bernardino, California. [446] His mother's obituary reports that he was living in Montana when she died.
- 231. xii. Albert G. HOENSTINE was born in 1862. He died in 1863.

72. **Andrew**<sup>7</sup> **CARN** (Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Frederick GARN, person #43, and Magdalene OSTER) was born on 31 December 1820 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. His birth and christening record at the Old Log Church in Osterburg, Pennsylvania, reports a birth date as shown here. The date derived from his age at death on his grave marker places his birth on 20 November 1820. Either the church record was written or transcribed incorrectly or someone miscalculated his age for his grave marker. He is identified on the church records as Andros Gern, son of Fred'k and Magdalena. He died on 2 October 1856 in Bedford

Will of Thaddeus Hoenstine, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 707; Hoenstine loose bound book, Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.

From grave marker inscription.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, PA, Book 1, pp. 121-135, at 126.

<sup>438</sup> From grave marker.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, PA, Book 1, pp. 121-135, at 126.

From grave marker inscription.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, PA, Book 1, pp. 121-135, at 126.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Book 1, pp. 137-148, at 139.

From grave marker.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, PA, Book 1, pp. 121-135, at 126.

From death record.

California, Death Index, 1940-1997, <ancestry.com>, accessed 17 April 2014, Zigler Hoenstine, 19 June 1948, gives birth date, gives surnames only of parents.

Helen Shaffer Hill, "Old Log Church at Osterburg - a combined Lutheran & Reformed," births, baptisms, deaths and communicants, transcribed on 23 June 1933, Andros Gern [sic], born 31 December 1820, baptized 10 June 1810, parents as Fred'k and Magdalena Gern, available at the Bedford County Historical Society, #1228.

Co., Pennsylvania. [448] Andrew died intestate and his estate was settled in 1856. [449] When the estate was settled, his widow requested that her brother John Furney be the administrator.

Andrew CARN married **Catharine FURNEY**.<sup>[450]</sup> In 1850 Andrew and Catharine were living in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[451]</sup> Catharine FURNEY was born about 1820 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[452]</sup> We have seen claims that Andrew and Catharine had a son Ziegler in 1852 and that after Andrew's death, Catharine remarried to Michael Stiffler.<sup>[453]</sup> We have not verified this report but have no reason to doubt it either.

Andrew CARN and Catharine FURNEY had the following child: [454]

232. i. Elmira<sup>8</sup> CARN was born about September 1850 in Pennsylvania.

83. **Peter**<sup>7</sup> **MOCK, III** (Catharina<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Peter MOCK, Jr., and Catharina GARN, person #45) Peter MOCK, III married **Susanna CARL**. [455]

Peter MOCK, III next married Catherine NISEWANGER. [456]

88. **Rachel**<sup>7</sup> **MOCK** (Catharina GARN; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam ; Johannes; David; Johannes (daughter of Peter MOCK, Jr., and Catharina GARN, person #45) Rachel MOCK married **Jacob DIVELY**. According to McBride and Capener, Rachel and Jacob had eleven children. [457] We identify only Sarah below because she married someone who is also a member of the family.

Rachel MOCK and Jacob DIVELY had the following child: [458] +233. i. Sarah DIVELY (1853 - 1925).

91. **Margaret**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born in 1796 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She died about 1854 in Iowa. [459] The book, *Cemetery lists of Bedford County*, by Jan Oberle, reports that after Joseph died, Margaret moved to Muscatine City, Iowa, died about 1854, and was buried in Muscatine. We have not found independent corroboration of this place and date of death.

Elmira named on 1850 U.S. Census cited above.

458 McBride and Capener, pp. 570, 633, 634.

<sup>448 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78655352; Grave Marker of Andrew Carn, Osterburg Cemetery, Osterburg, Pennsylvania, GPS coordinates of grave marker are N40 deg., 10.054 min., W078 deg., 31.101 min., +/- 15 feet; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Old Union Cemetery, Osterburg, PA, Book 1, pp. 121-135, at 124.

Estate File of Andrew Carn, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Estates, File No. 1856-50.

 $<sup>^{450}</sup>$  Catharine named as widow in estate papers of Andrew.

<sup>451 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Andrew Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_751, p. 255A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>452</sup> From 1850 U.S. Census cited above.

<sup>453</sup> Geri Arnold, p. 10.

Fred D. Ickes, Peter Mock Genealogy, Vol. 1, Early Settlers of St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pennsylvania (Fishertown, PA, no date), p. 4, available at the Bedford County Historical Society.

<sup>456</sup> Fred D. Ickes, Peter Mock Genealogy, Vol. 1, Early Settlers of St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pennsylvania (Fishertown, PA, no date), p. 4, available at the Bedford County Historical Society.

<sup>457</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 570.

Jan Oberle, Cemetery Lists of Bedford County, (pub. ca. 1997), Vol. 4, page 86; <www.findagrave.com> Memorial# 115486768.

However, the Civil War pension file of her son Winfield Scott Ake reports that he lived for a time in Muscatine before the Civil War. And her son Samuel Ake served in an Iowa regiment during the Civil War. These reports support the claim that Margaret moved to and died in Muscatine.

Margaret GARN married Joseph B. AKE (son of John AKE and Permilla HARRISON) about 1818. [460] She is named as Margaret Ake in her father's will. Joseph B. AKE was born about 1797. [461] He died on 4 October 1849 in Pavia, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [462] Joseph received "his share of Real Estate..." when payments were disbursed from the estate of Margaret's father. [463] Joseph's mother's maiden name, Parmilla Harrison, appears in the DAR Ancestor Index where Joseph's father is identified as a Patriot for his service in the Revolutionary War. [464]

A Bedford County history reports that Joseph B. Ake and his son Adolphus were early owners of the mill in King Township that was later owned by Andrew Mowry which undoubtedly was the origin of the name, Mowry's Mill, by which the region around Weyant, Pennsylvania, is known. [465]

Margaret GARN and Joseph B. AKE had the following children: [466]

- i. **Jacob<sup>8</sup> AKE** died before 29 November 1848. [467] 234.
- ii. John H.<sup>8</sup> AKE. [468] He married Parmela. 235.
- iii. Caselton<sup>8</sup> AKE (1822 1886). +236
  - iv. Parmilla<sup>8</sup> AKE died in 1853. She married David LEWIS. David LEWIS died in 1854. 237.
  - v. Samuel<sup>8</sup> AKE was born on 14 August 1826 in Mowry's Mill, Bedford Co., 238. Pennsylvania. [469] He died on 26 May 1914 in Bedford, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [470] The 1884 history of Bedford County has biographical information about Samuel. [471] It reports that he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1852, that he served in Co. H, 1st Iowa Infantry from 14 May 1861 to 20 August 1861, and that he also served in Co. H, 22nd Pennsylvania Cavalry, from 23 February 1863 to 14 August 1865. After the war he continued practicing law and branched out into surveying by serving as a clerk in the state surveyor-general's office where he was a surveyor and civil engineer. He also was well known as a pension claim agent for other soldiers filing for pensions.

History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884), p. 343.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>460</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 115, names Margaret's husband; Carol Mock and Iona Corle, *Our Ake History*, Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, softbound genealogies, file 3259, no date, names Margaret's husband and his parents; Jan Oberle, Cemetery Lists of Bedford County, cited above.

He was 52 when he died, according to Jan Oberle, *Cemetery Lists of Bedford County*, cited above.

Jan Oberle. Cemetery Lists of Bedford County, cited above.

John Garn Estate, Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Estates, File 1833-37; P. Garn, 1:140.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 464}$  DAR Records for John Ake, Ancestor# A000908.

Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Orphans Court Book 8, pp. 201, 208, 212, 217-229, 235, and 252, as cited in the Ake family file at the Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, names children and spouses.

Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, vertical files, Ake family file, cites Bedford County Orphans Court Book 6, p. 424 in addition to Orphans Court records cited above.

Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, vertical files, Ake family file, cites Bedford County Will Book 3, p. 13 in addition to Orphans Court records cited above.

From death record.

<sup>470</sup> Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 18 April 2014, Samuel Ake, 26 May 1914, certificate 46763, gives birth date and place, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 16567157.

History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884), pp. 214-

- 239. vi. Adolphus<sup>8</sup> AKE.
- 240. vii. **Delilah**<sup>8</sup> **AKE** was born on 26 July 1831 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [472] She died on 16 April 1915 in Carrolltown, Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. [473] She married **David C. WETZELL**. [474] David C. WETZELL was born in November 1827 in Pennsylvania. [475] He died on 23 January 1904 in Carrolltown, Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. [476]
- 241. viii. **Lucinda**<sup>8</sup> **AKE** was born on 24 August 1833 in Mowry's Mill, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [477] She died on 27 February 1900 in Summerhill Twp., Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. A photo of her grave marker on her memorial on Find A Grave reports that she died on 4 March 1900. However, her obituary, that appeared in the newspaper on 9 March 1900 reports that she died on the date shown here. She married **Joseph PRINGLE**. Joseph PRINGLE died in 1892.
- 242. ix. **Kinzev<sup>8</sup> AKE** died before 1860.
- +243. x. Winfield Scott<sup>8</sup> AKE (1842 1922).
  - 244. xi. Susan<sup>8</sup> AKE. She married D. R. KOONS.
- 92. **Jacob**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 8 December 1798 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [479] He is named in his father's will. He received a patent for land in Seneca Co., Ohio, in 1828. [480] In 1835 he received seven patents for land in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [481]

He died on 26 September 1879, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [482] Jacob wrote his will on 8 March 1879 and added a codicil on 24 March 1879. [483] The will names all of the children

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From death record

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Delilah C. Netzell [sic, should be Wetzell], 26 May 1914, certificate 34017, gives birth date and place, names parents, incorrectly places mother's birth in Holland; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>> Memorial# 121858938.

Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, vertical files, Ake family file, he as Whetzel.

<sup>475 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com> Memorial# 95829738.

<sup>476 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com> Memorial# 95829738.

<sup>477 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com> Memorial# 76375495; place reported in obituary, cited below.

Obituary of Lucinda (Ake) Pringle, Bedford, Pennsylvania, Gazette, 9 March 1900, 67 at time of death, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ake, names living siblings as Samuel Ake, Esq., of Bedford, Adolphus Ake of Norfolk, Virginia, W. W. Ake of Washington, D.C., Mrs. Susanna Koontz of Fremont, Ohio, and Mrs. Delilah Wetzel of Carroltown, Pennsylvania; <www.findagrave.com> Memorial# 76375495.

<sup>479 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83420468, age at death on grave marker gives date reported here; McBride and Capener, p. 116, report birth on 4 June 1798; we are not sure which is correct.

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0780\_.409, Document Nr. 3483, by Jacob Gern [sic].

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0870\_.251 Document Nr. 7887, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0870\_.252 Document Nr. 7888, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0870\_.253 Document Nr. 7889, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0870\_.257 Document Nr. 7893, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0870\_.307 Document Nr. 7943, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0870 .308 Document Nr. 7944, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0920 .398 Document Nr. 10561, by Jacob Garn.

Death Announcement for Jacob Garn, Fremont Journal [Ohio], 3 October 1879, p. 3, col. 4; *Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries*, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 42, as Jacob Garns, Sr. Birth date from age at death is 8 Dec 1798; McBride and Capener, p. 116.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 2572, Will of Jacob Garn, written 8 March 1879 with codicil written 24 March 1879 and filed 2 October 1879, names all children except Jacob, Jr., and Sheriotty. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

listed below except Sheriotty, who died young, and his son Jacob, who died 13 years before the will was written. A copy of the will and our transcript may be seen in Appendix 31.

Jacob GARN married Elizabeth BIDDLE (daughter of Andrew BIDDLE and Margaret SHOENFELT) on 26 May 1825 in Greenfield Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [484] At the time Greenfield Twp. was part of Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, which may explain why McBride and Capener report that they were married in St. Clair, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. Elizabeth is named as the wife of Jacob Garnes [sic] in her father's will. [485] Her mother is named in family records dating from 1923. [486]

The History of Sandusky County, Ohio, has a short section about Jacob and his family. [487] It reports that two years after their marriage, they moved to Richland, Ohio, undoubtedly Richland Co., where Jacob's cousin, Mary Carn, person #66, settled and where Jacob's brother Daniel, person #95, also lived for a while. Jacob and Elizabeth lived there for two years and then moved to Seneca Co., Ohio, for five years before settling in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1833. The first election in the township in 1834 was held at his residence, as were several elections in succeeding years.



Jacob Garn, person #92

Jacob and Elizabeth appeared on the 1850-1870 U.S. Censuses in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [488] After Jacob's death, Elizabeth appeared there on the census in 1880. [489]

Elizabeth BIDDLE was born on 23 October 1807 in St. Clair, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [490] She died on 10 September 1889, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [491] One of her obituaries calls her Mother Garn and reports that she, "endured the hardships of pioneer life, being a mother to all." Both Jacob and Elizabeth were buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Gibsonburg, Sandusky

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>484</sup> Marriage Records of Adam Black, Justice of the Peace, Greenfield Twp., Blair Co. (then Bedford Co.), Pennsylvania, Blair County Genealogical Society Newsletter, Blair County, Pennsylvania, June, July, August 2011, Vol. 32, No. 2, p. 11, she as Elizabeth Bittle.

Will of Andrew Biddle, Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Wills, Book D, pp. 71-73, names daughter Elizabeth as wife of Jacob Garn.

Andrew Biddle Family information, from letter from ?erald H. Helsel, dated 24 March 1953, which quotes a letter dated 12 July 1923, found in the Biddle File of the Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Vertical Files, names Andrew's spouse and family, including daughter Elizabeth as wife of Jacob Garnes [sic].

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 797.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432 726, p. 19B, as Gern, names all children except Sheriotty; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653 1032, pp. 252 and 253, as Garns; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593 1264, p. 166B, indexed as Gams.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elizabeth Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 300B, E.D. 85, as Garns.

McBride and Capener, p. 116; age at death gives birth on 24 September 1807; we are not sure which is correct.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 42, as Elizabeth, wife of J. Garn, Sr. Birth date from age at death is 24 September 1807; McBride and Capener, p. 116; Obituary of Mrs. Jacob Garn, Fremont Journal (Weekly), Fremont, Ohio, 20 September 1889, p. 3, col. 1, death on 11 [sic] September 1889, birth on 23 October 1807 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania; Death Announcement for Elizabeth Garn, Fremont Democrat Messenber, 19 September 1889, p. 3, col. 7, death on 10 September 1889, age 81v, 10m, 17d [sic].

County. Their children appear with both the Garn and Garns spellings, Garns being mostly in the early records and Garn in the later records.

Jacob GARN and Elizabeth BIDDLE had the following children: [492]

- +245. i. **John<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1826 1909).
- +246. ii. Andrew<sup>8</sup> GARN (1826 1918).
  - 247. iii. **Jacob**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 10 December 1828, probably in Richland Co., Ohio. [493] The History of Sandusky County reports his parents had 16 children, of whom 14 are named. [494] This Jacob was one of two not named. However, his grave marker appears in the same cemetery as his parents, which reports he had died by the time the history was written. He also appears in McBride and Capener. He died on 22 January 1866 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [495]
- 248. iv. **Sheriotty**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 10 November 1829, probably in Seneca Co., Ohio. [496] She died on 18 October 1831, probably in Seneca Co., Ohio. [497] There is a grave marker for her in the West Union Cemetery in Gibsonburg that spells her name Charlotte and reports a birth on 16 November 1829. [498] Since the history of Sandusky County suggests that the family was living in Seneca County at the time of her death, we placed her death there. The grave marker in Sandusky County may mean that the history's timeline for the family's residence in Seneca County is incorrect or that a marker was placed in the cemetery well after her death. The spelling of her name and birth date that we report are from McBride and Capener. We do not know which is correct. The History of Sandusky County reports her parents had 16 children, of whom 14 are named. Sheriotty was one of two not named. [499]
- +249. v. **Milton<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1830 1914).
- +250. vi. Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> GARN (1832 1904).
- +251. vii. Margaret Ann<sup>8</sup> GARN (1834 1904).
- +252. viii. Elijah<sup>8</sup> GARN (1835 1920).
- +253. ix. Adam B.8 GARN (1837 1927).
- +254. x. **Tobias**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1838 1916).
- +255. xi. Susanna<sup>8</sup> GARN (1840 1910).
- +256. xii. Peter<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1841 1913).
- +257. xiii. Samuel<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1843 1913).
- +258. xiv. **Daniel**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1844 1918).
- +259. xv. **David**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1846 1934).
- +260. xvi. Levi<sup>8</sup> GARN (1848 1929).

Will of Jacob Garn, cited above; all children except Sheriotty named on 1850 U.S. Census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 116.
 From age at death on grave marker; McBride and Capener, p. 116.

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland 1882) p. 797

<sup>495 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83383694; Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 42; McBride and Capener, p. 116.

<sup>496</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 116.

McBride and Capener, p. 116.

<sup>498 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83384029.

History of Sandusky County, cited above.

93. **Christina**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 3 April 1800 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 12 June 1848, probably in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [500] She is named as Christina Riply [sic] in her father's will.

Christina GARN married **David RIPLEY** (son of **Valentine RIPLEY**) on 5 April 1819 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. The disbursement of the estate of Christina's father paid, "David Ripley One hundred and ninety dollars in part of his wifes [sic] legacy," of his estate. David RIPLEY was born on 7 August 1796 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died in 1851. He received a patent for land in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1837. His appearance on the 1850 U.S. Census in Indiana without Christina and with four of his last five children is additional evidence that the family did not remain in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, as reported by McBride and Capener. [505]

Christina GARN and David RIPLEY had the following children: [506]

- 261. i. Mary Ann<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born on 7 February 1820.
- 262. ii. Daniel<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born on 13 January 1822.
- 263. iii. John<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born on 25 March 1826.
- 264. iv. Son<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born in 1827.
- 265. v. Susanna<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born on 8 October 1828.
- 266. vi. Elizabeth Ellen<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born on 28 October 1830.
- 267. vii. **David<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY** was born on 24 February 1832.
- 268. viii. Aaron<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born on 24 February 1835.
- 269. ix. Margaret<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born on 17 May 1836.
- 270. x. Christina<sup>8</sup> RIPLEY was born on 24 March 1840.

94. **Elizabeth<sup>7</sup> GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 26 October 1801 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [507] She died on 10 August 1887 in Muddy Creek, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [508]

Elizabeth GARN married **David KLOTZ** (son of **Martin KLOTZ** and **Catharine**) on 3 July 1821 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [509] She is named as Elizabeth Glotz [sic] in her father's will. [510]

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH1010\_.178, Document Nr. 14783, by David Ripley.

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<sup>500</sup> Don W. McBride and Capener, p. 178, reports death in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, which disagrees with her husband's acquisition of a land patent in Sandusky Co., Ohio, and places of birth reported for several children in the 1850 U.S. Census of her husband.

McBride and Capener, p. 178; Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Deeds, Book P, pp. 606-610, contains several deeds, dated 1823 and 1824, associated with disposal of property of Valentine Ripley and names David and wife Christina Ripley, recorded 30 January 1830.

McBride and Capener, p. 178.

McBride and Capener, p. 178.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>505</sup> 1850 U.S. Federal Census of David Ripley, Rochester Twp., Fulton Co., Indiana, M432 146, p. 420A.

McBride and Capener, p. 178, first several children probably born in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, the last five born in Ohio, per the 1850 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>507</sup> From age at death on grave marker; McBride and Capener, p. 179; Klotz Family File, Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, vertical files.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;a href="mailto:swww.findagrave.com">508</a>
 <a href="www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 14792607; Metzgar Cemetery Records, as wife of David, Sr., age at death was 85y, 9m, 14d; McBride and Capener, p. 179.

McBride and Capener, p. 179; Klotz Family File, Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, vertical files.

<sup>510</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Will of John Garn, Will Book 3, [FHL #0331358], pp. 37-38.

Although the husbands of her sisters received their wives' shares of John Garn's estate, Elizabeth's share was given directly to her.<sup>[511]</sup> Elizabeth appeared with several of her children but without her husband on the 1850 U.S. Census in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[512]</sup>

David KLOTZ was born in 1796 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died in 1834 in Muddy Creek, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [513] Although McBride and Capener report that he died in 1884, we are convinced that he was the David Klutz [sic] who was reported to have died in 1834 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. His wife's appearance alone on the 1850 U.S. Census and the distribution of proceeds from her father's estate directly to Elizabeth instead of to her husband support this conclusion. We have not found any report for the cause of David's early death. However, the 1882 History of Sandusky County, cited above, reports that there was a cholera outbreak in Sandusky County in 1834. He may have succumbed to cholera.

Elizabeth GARN and David KLOTZ had the following children: [514]

- 271. i. **Phillip<sup>8</sup> KLOTZ** was born on 24 April 1822 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 14 May 1905 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. He married **Elizabeth Ann SNYDER**.
- 272. ii. Susan<sup>8</sup> KLOTZ was born on 21 October 1824. She married Samuel FOUGHT.
- 273. iii. John<sup>8</sup> KLOTZ was born in 1826. He married Anna ICKES.
- 274. iv. **Martin<sup>8</sup> KLOTZ** was born in 1828. He died on 24 February 1919 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He married **Julia Ann METZGER**.
- 275. v. Samuel<sup>8</sup> KLOTZ was born in 1829.
- 276. vi. Catherine<sup>8</sup> KLOTZ was born in 1831.
- 277. vii. **David<sup>8</sup> KLOTZ** was born on 21 September 1833. He died on 25 May 1899 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. He married **Catherine MOSES**.
- 278. viii. **Sarah Ann<sup>8</sup> KLOTZ** was born on 28 October 1836. She died on 24 May 1911 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. She married **Richard W. FICKES**.

95. **Daniel<sup>7</sup> GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 13 December 1802 in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[515]</sup>

Daniel received patents for land in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1832.<sup>[516]</sup> We do not know if he ever attempted to live on the land or how he disposed of it.

As a young man Daniel became a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (LDS Church) or Mormon Church is it is also called. It was reported that he was the thirty-fifth person

512 1850 U.S. Federal Census of Elizabeth Klotz (as Klutz), Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 55A.

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<sup>511</sup> John Garn Estate, Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Estates, File 1833-37; P. Garn, 1:140.

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 746, reports the burial of David Klutz in 1834 which may actually have been 1835 or 1836 given the birth of his daughter in 1836.

McBride and Capener, p. 179, also names spouses; Klotz Family File, Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, Pennsylvania, vertical files, also names spouses; evidence of early residence in Sandusky Co., Ohio, disputes claims by McBride and Capener that all children were born in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.

Date and place from death record; McBride and Capener, p. 115.

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0800\_.494, Document Nr. 4583, by Daniel Gern [sic]; Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0810\_.464, Document Nr. 4582, by Daniel Gern [sic].

baptized into the church. During his lifetime he held a number of high positions in the church, went on a number of mission trips and was the Elder in charge of a ship bringing Saints from England. It was also reported that he served as a bodyguard for both Joseph Smith, founder of the LDS Church, and Brigham Young, an early leader of the LDS Church. Additional details may be found in the Utah section of the Introduction.

Daniel entered into polygamy after joining the LDS Church. He had five wives. The first wife had probably died before he married his third wife. He had children by his first, fourth and fifth wives.

He died on 20 April 1872 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [517] He was buried in the Salt Lake City Cemetery.

Daniel GARN married Margaret MOSES (daughter of Samuel MOSES and Catherine SHAFFER) on 2 December 1824 in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [518] McBride and Capener (p. 198) report that Daniel and Margaret's son Samuel was born in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio, and that several other children were born in Jefferson, Ohio, without specifying whether this was a township or the county. In other places (pp. 219 and 221) they report that Daniel and Margaret's children David and Mary Ann were born in Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. We believe these reports are correct because we find a Daniel Cairns [sic] on the 1830 U.S. Census in Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, who fits the description of this Daniel. [519] And Daniel's brother Jacob, person #92, was reported to have lived there for a while. Furthermore, we believe a Jacob Swift [sic] who appears two persons below Daniel in that census was actually Jacob Stufft, whose wife was Mary Carn, person #66, a first cousin of Daniel. There is no doubt that this Jacob and Mary Stufft lived in Richland Co., Ohio, in 1826. Although we are unable to prove the township in which they lived in 1826, Jacob and Mary clearly lived in Jefferson Township in 1850 and later. Therefore, we believe that Daniel lived for a time near his cousin and brother and that the reports in McBride and Capener are correct.

Margaret MOSES was born on 27 September 1806 in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [520] She died on 16 September 1848 in Echo Canyon, Utah. [521] As Daniel's family was approaching the end of their iourney as pioneers to their new home in Utah, Margaret accidentally cut herself with a knife on the back of her leg, developed blood poisoning, and died one week before the family's arrival in Salt Lake City.

Daniel GARN and Margaret MOSES had the following children: [522]

i. John<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 26 November 1825 in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 13 April 1826. We find John only in McBride and Capener.

<sup>517</sup> Death record of Daniel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Utah Deaths and Burials, 1888-1946, accessed 1 July 2011, cites FHL# 26553, p. 128, #51117, although database reports beginning in 1888, his death in 1872 is reported there; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial#

P. Garn, p. 1:147; date and place from McBride and Capener, p. 198; Margaret named as mother on death records of children Samuel and Mary Ann.

<sup>1830</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, M19-139, p. 8, as Cairns.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>520</sup> P. Garn, p. 1:147; McBride and Capener, p. 198.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>521</sup> P. Garn, p. 1:154; McBride and Capener, p. 198.

<sup>522</sup> Still living children appear on 1850 U.S. Census, cited with Daniel's second wife; McBride and Capener, p. 198; parents also named in biographies of some children, cited below.

- 280. ii. **Samuel<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 14 July 1827 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio.<sup>[523]</sup> He died on 29 August 1916 in Cedar Fort, Utah Co., Utah.<sup>[524]</sup>
- 281. iii. **David<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 8 September 1829 in Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. He died on 3 July 1871 in Dunedin, New Zealand. [525] He also appears as David Carn in McBride and Capener.
- 282. iv. **Mary Ann<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 22 December 1831 in Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. [526] She died on 24 April 1904 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [527]
- 283. v. Daniel<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 24 April 1834 in Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio.
- 284. vi. **Emma**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 28 October 1836 in Jefferson Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. She died on 10 September 1882.
- 285. vii. **Evalina<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 1 August 1839 in Adams Co., Illinois. She died on 21 May 1857.
- 286. viii. **Joseph<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 21 December 1843 in Nauvoo, Hancock Co., Illinois. He died on 19 April 1844.
- 287. ix. **Sarah Marinda**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 2 March 1846 in Nauvoo, Hancock Co., Illinois. [528] She died on 18 June 1918. [529] A marriage record and death record for two people whose parents agree with Sarah and the spouse McBride and Capener assign to her add credibility to their report that Sarah is Daniel's daughter. [530]

Daniel GARN next married **Priscilla MARSTELLER** in March 1847 near Omaha, Douglas Co., Nebraska. <sup>[531]</sup> It was reported that they married at Winter Quarters, where many Mormons spent the winter of 1847-1848 before heading west to Salt Lake City in the summer of 1848. Daniel and Priscilla did not have any children. They appeared on the 1850 and 1860 U.S. Federal Censuses in Salt Lake Co., Utah Territory. <sup>[532]</sup> In 1850 Daniel's children by his first wife appeared in the household. Also in the household were children by the name Bringhurst, suggesting that Priscilla may have been married to someone with that surname prior to her marriage to Daniel. In 1860 Daniel's fourth and fifth wives also appear in the household as Minnie and Mahalia. Priscilla MARSTELLER was born on 2 February 1806 in Montgomery Co., Maryland. <sup>[533]</sup> She died on 4 November 1866 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah <sup>[534]</sup>

From death record; McBride and Capener, pp. 198 and 199.

Utah Deaths, 29 August 1916, File No. 295, names parents; McBride and Capener, pp. 198 and 199.

McBride and Capener, pp. 198 and 219.

From death record; McBride and Capener, pp. 198 and 221.

Death Record for Mary Ann Ensign, Utah Deaths, 24 April 1904, file no. 524, cert. no. 401169, widowed, names parents; McBride and Capener, pp. 198 and 221.

McBride and Capener, p. 198.

McBride and Capener, p. 198.

Marriage Record for Karl D. Houtz and Alice B. Wilson, 18 June 1884, <familysearch.org), Utah Marriages, 1887-1966, accessed 30 June 2011, cites FHL# 430320, cn-151, his parents as Henry P. Houtz and Sarah Garns; Death Record for Bert Houtz, Utah Deaths, 3 February 1952, file no. 52290067, cert. no. 5204706, parents as Henry Houtz and Sarah Garner.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>531</sup> P. Garn, p. 1:147.

<sup>532 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Great Salt Lake, Utah Territory, M432\_919, p. 77B; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Salt Lake Co., Utah Territory, M653 1313, p. 1.

Birth information from death record; McBride and Capener, p. 224.

Death Record for Prisicilla Garn, <familysearch.org>, Utah Deaths and Burials, 1888-1946, accessed 30 June 2011, cites FHL# 26553, p. 72 #2850.

Daniel GARN next married Eliza EHARNES after 1850. [535] Both P. Garn and McBride and Capener report that she was Daniel's third wife. Since she does not appear on either the 1850 or 1860 U.S. Census, we presume they married after the 1850 census. No children were born to Daniel and Eliza's marriage. We do not have any additional information about her.

Daniel GARN next married Wilhelmina Augusta Johanna WAGNER (daughter of Danger Andrius WAGNER and Emma EFFNER) on 31 January 1856 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [536] She appears as Minnie in most of the records. In 1860 she appeared on the census with her oldest child in the same house with Daniel and his second and fifth wife. [537] Also in the home were Wilhelmina's mother and what appear to be two younger siblings with the surname Wagner. In 1870 she appeared as the head of the household with all five of her children in the dwelling immediately after the dwelling in which Daniel appeared with his fifth wife and her children. [538] Wilhelmina Augusta Johanna WAGNER was born on 3 November 1836 in Wroclaw, Poland. [539] McBride and Capener and P. Garn report that she was born in Breslau, Prussia, Germany. Breslau is the German name for Wroclaw, Poland. The city came under German control in the 1800s but has been under Polish control since the end of World War II. She died on 17 June 1939 in Ogden, Weber Co., Utah. [540]

Daniel GARN and Wilhelmina Augusta Johanna WAGNER had the following children: [541]

- x. Martin Daniel<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 25 November 1858 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [542] He died on 5 October 1920 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [543]
- xi. Andrew Danger<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 12 March 1861 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., 289 Utah. [544] He died on 17 August 1895. [545]
- 290. xii. Emelia Priscilla<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 6 June 1863 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [546] She died on 5 November 1871 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [547]
- 291. xiii. Josephine<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 15 January 1866 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [548] She died on 15 June 1951. [549] A marriage record confirms McBride and Capener's report of her marriage. [550]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>535</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 224; P. Garn, p. 1:147.

McBride and Capener, page 225; P. Garn, p. 1:147.

<sup>537</sup> See 1860 Census, cited with second wife.

<sup>538 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Minnie Garn (as Garnes), Sugar House Ward, Salt Lake Co., Utah Territory, M593\_1611, p. 525B, listed immediately after her husband Daniel and another of his wives.

McBride and Capener, page 225; P. Garn, p. 1:147.

McBride and Capener, p. 225.

All children appear on 1870 Census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 225; individual records of some children name parents.

From age at death on death record; place and also date in McBride and Capener, p. 225.

Death Record for Martin Garn, Utah Deaths, 5 October 1920, cert, no. 1778, spouse as Mary A. Garn, parents as Daniel Garn and Minnie Wagner.

McBride and Capener, p. 225.

McBride and Capener, p. 225.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 225.

Death Record for Emilie Garn, <familysearch.org>, Utah Deaths and Burials, 1888-1946, accessed 30 June 2011, cites FHL# 26553, pg124, #4959; McBride and Capener, p. 225.

McBride and Capener, p. 225.

McBride and Capener, p. 225.

Marriage Record for William James Huskinson and Josephine Garn, <familysearch.org>, Utah Marriages, 1887-1966, accessed 30 June 2011, cites FHL# 429053, ref. no. CN 17.

292. xiv. **Wilhelmina<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 21 July 1868 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [551] She died on 19 August 1944 in Ogden, Weber Co., Utah. [552]

Daniel GARN next married **Mahala GARN** (daughter of **Philip James GARN**, **Sr.**, person #103, and **Mary Magdalene FOUGHT**) on 12 January 1858 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [553] Mahala was Daniel's niece, the oldest child of Daniel's brother, Philip James Garn. In 1860 Daniel and Mahala appeared on the census with Priscilla and Minnie, two of his other wives. [554] Daniel and Mahala appeared on the 1870 U.S. Federal Census with the four of their children who were living at the time. [555] In 1880, after Daniel's death, Mahala appeared on the census as Mahala Smoot with her four youngest children. [556]

Mahala is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Mahala<sup>8</sup> GARN (Philip James<sup>7</sup>, Sr.; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johannes<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #372, in this book. Additional information about Mahala may be found in her biography at person #372.

Daniel GARN and Mahala GARN had the following children: [557]

- 293. xv. Lucy<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 16 January 1859 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [558] She died about July 1859. She was reported to have died when 6 months old.
- 294. xvi. **Benjamin<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 12 May 1860 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [559] He died about January 1861. He was reported to have died when 8 months old.
- 295. xvii. **Mary Magdalene<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 26 December 1861 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [560] She died on 27 August 1940 in Millcreek, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [561]
- 296.xviii. **Philip James**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 22 December 1862 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. <sup>[562]</sup> He died on 20 March 1938 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. <sup>[563]</sup>
- 297. xix. **William Franklin<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 24 January 1866 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [564] He died on 10 April 1891. [565]
- +298. xx. **Jacob Moroni<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1869 1928).

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<sup>551</sup> From age at death on death record; McBride and Capener, p. 225.

Death Record for Wilhelmina Garn Handley Wilson, Utah Deaths, 19 August 1944, cert. no. 430, spouse as C. Leonard Wilson, parents as Daniel Garn and Wilhelmina Wagner; McBride and Capener, p. 225.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>553</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 250; P. Garn, pp. 1:147 and 2:2-8.

Cited with Priscilla, Daniel's second wife.

<sup>555 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn (as Garnes), Sugar House Ward, Salt Lake Co., Utah Territory, M593\_1611, p. 525B, listed immediately before the household of his wife Minnie.

<sup>556 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Smoot, Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah, Roll 1337, p. 226C, E.D. 54.

<sup>557</sup> Children appear on censuses with parents of with their mother and step-father; McBride and Capener, p. 250.

Named only in McBride and Capener, p. 250.

Named only in McBride and Capener, p. 250.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 250.

Death Record for Mary Magdalene Garn Osguthorpe, Utah Deaths, 27 August 1940, file no. 1367, widowed, spouse as John Henry Osguthorpe, parents as Daniel Garn and Mahala; McBride and Capener, p. 250.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 250.

Death Record for Philip James Garn, Utah Deaths, 20 March 1938, file no. 539, spouse as Mary Ann Prye Garn, parents as Daniel Philip [sic] Garn and Mahalia Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 250.

McBride and Capener, p. 250; marriage record and censuses agree with year of birth.

McBride and Capener, p. 250.

299. xxi. Fanny Mahala<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 25 July 1872 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah [566]

96. Mary GARN (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes) (daughter of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 13 July 1804 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [567] She died on 22 January 1870 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [568] She is named in her father's will as Mary Icks. John Ickes received his wife's share of her father's estate when the estate was divided.

Mary GARN married John ICKES (son of Henry ICKES and Catherine HINISH) on 25 December 1825 in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [569] John and Mary appeared on the 1850 and 1860 U.S. Censuses in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [570]

John ICKES was born on 10 December 1803 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [571] He died on 3 February 1881 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [572] John surveyed a portion of the town of Helena, Ohio, for his brother-in-law Joseph Garn when the town was being laid out. [573]

Mary GARN and John ICKES had the following children born in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania (1) and in Sandusky Co., Ohio, (2-11):<sup>[574]</sup>

- i. Samuel<sup>8</sup> ICKES was born on 17 December 1827. 300.
- ii. Susannah<sup>8</sup> ICKES was born on 12 June 1829. 301.
- +302. iii. Henry<sup>8</sup> ICKES (1830 1908).
  - iv. Catherine<sup>8</sup> ICKES was born on 26 October 1831.
  - v. Mary Ann<sup>8</sup> ICKES was born on 20 April 1833. 304.
- vi. Levi C.8 ICKES was born on 13 April 1836. He died on 12 January 1916 in Webster 305 Twp., Wood Co., Ohio. [575]
- 306. vii. **David D.**<sup>8</sup> **ICKES** was born on 3 April 1837.
- 307. viii. **John J.**<sup>8</sup> **ICKES** was born on 20 November 1838.
- ix. Daniel<sup>8</sup> ICKES was born on 9 September 1840.
- x. Sarah Ann<sup>8</sup> ICKES was born on 18 April 1842. 309.
- xi. Margaret Rebecca<sup>8</sup> ICKES was born on 28 September 1844. 310.

97. Samuel CARN (John GARN; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam; Johannes; David; Johannes) (son of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 6 May 1806 in Bedford Co...

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>566</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 250.

McBride and Capener, p. 291.

<sup>568 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 82902729; McBride and Capener, p. 291.

McBride and Capener, p. 291; John and Mary named as parents on death record of son Levi.

<sup>570 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Ickes, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 43A, indexed as Ickers; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of John Ickes, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653 1032, p.p. 481 and 482, indexed as John Jokes.

McBride and Capener, p. 291; Death record gives birth in 1804 in Pennsylvania.

Death Record for John Ickes, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 7 July 2011, cites FHL# 511730, ref. no. p. 20 cn 99, widowed, born in Pa in 1804; McBride and Capener, p. 291.

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 773.

Children 3-11 appear on 1850 U.S. Census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 291

Death Record for Levi Ickes, Ohio Deaths, 12 January 1916, file no. 8006, married, parents as John Ickes and Mary Garn.

Pennsylvania. [576] All records we have found for him use the Carn spelling of the name. Although his siblings seem to have used the Garn spelling, they moved to Ohio. Apparently he preferred the spelling used by some of his cousins, sons and other descendants of Frederick Garn, who remained in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died about July 1860 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He signed a codicil to his will on 16 June 1860 and the will was proved on 12 July 1860. A copy of his will appears in Appendix 19. The will suggested that he was a wealthy man because the will granted or disposed of several pieces of land and business interests in Bedford Co., Cambria Co., Philadelphia, and in Denton, Iowa.

Samuel held a number of positions of responsibility in Bedford County. He was the sheriff of the county from 1845 to 1848.<sup>[578]</sup> He held the office of chief burgess in 1851 and 1852.<sup>[579]</sup> He also was listed among the men who were innkeepers in the early days.<sup>[580]</sup>

Samuel CARN married **Hannah**.<sup>[581]</sup> Samuel and Hannah appeared on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census in the Borough of Bedford, Pennsylvania, with their son Adam.<sup>[582]</sup> That census reports that he was a merchant. Hannah was born about 1810 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[583]</sup>

Samuel CARN and Hannah had the following children: [584]

- +311. i. Henrietta S.<sup>8</sup> CARN (1831 ).
- +312. ii. Adam B.<sup>8</sup> CARN (1833 1903).

98. **John<sup>7</sup> GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 5 May 1807 in St. Clair, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He is named in his father's will. He appears as John Garn, Jr., in the will of his father-in-law, John Garn, person #56. He died on 4 July 1868 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [585] An announcement in a local newspaper also reported his death. [586]

There are two sets of probate papers for his estate.<sup>[587]</sup> The two estate files for John Garn name his second wife Fanny and minor sons David and Silas. The first deals with personal property while the second is for the sale of his real estate, which was bought by his son Demas Garn. In the biography of his father, we noted that this John received two patents for land in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 6 March 1829. The land received in those patents was part of his estate.

<sup>584</sup> Children named as Henrietta or Ettie Williamson and Adam in Samuel's estate file.

<sup>576</sup> From McBride and Capener, pp. 115 and 298, agrees with year derived from 1860 U.S. Census cited below.

<sup>577 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 89093447; Estate File for Samuel Carn, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Estates, File No. 1860-27.

<sup>578</sup> History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884), p. 219.

<sup>579</sup> History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, p. 253, cited above.

History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, p. 252, cited above.

Hannah named as wife in estate files of Samuel, appears as Ann in 1860 U.S. Census, cited below.

<sup>582 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Carn, Bedford Borough, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 10.

<sup>583</sup> Date from 1860 U.S. Census cited above.

<sup>585 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81973722; Grave marker inscription, Metzgar Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 110, death in 1838, pp. 298 and 303 death on 4 July 1868.

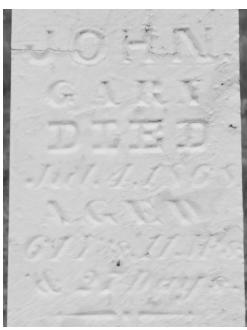
Fremont Weekly Journal [Ohio], 24 July 1868, p. 3, col. 2.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Probate File of John Garn (d1868), Files 1581 and 1757, currently held by the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio. In viewing the files, be aware that Guardianship papers granted to a Margaret F. Garns for Frank W. Garns, minor, were found in File 1757 and clearly belong to a different estate file. Although we may have accidentally mixed estate files, we believe the files were already mixed when we copied them..

John GARN married Catherine GARN (daughter of John GARN, person #56, and Susannah SMITH) on 7 February 1833 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [588] Although Catherine had died by the time the 1850 U.S. Census was recorded, her children appeared with their father and their step-mother in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [589] The order of the children on that census and in the will of Catherine's father is the order in which they appear below, which rearranges the order given by McBride and Capener. [590]

Catherine is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Catherine<sup>7</sup> GARN (John<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #122, in this book. Additional information about Catherine may be found in her biography at person #122.

John GARN and Catherine GARN had the following children: [591]



Grave marker for John Garn, person #98

i. Hannah<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 25 December
1833 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [592] She
died on 19 March 1919 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. [593] She married Daniel HARLEY
(son of Jacob HARLEY and Mary POWELL) about 1858. [594] Their marriage date
comes from the 1910 Census, which reports that they were married 52 years. [595] That
census also reports that no children were born to their marriage. Interestingly the 1900
U.S. Federal Census reports that they had been married 30 years. [596] However, earlier
censuses clearly support the 1910 Census report of the length of their marriage and
absence of children born to it. [597] Daniel HARLEY was born on 16 March 1832 in
Ohio. [598] He died on 19 September 1911 in Clinton Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [599]

+314. ii. **Maria<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1835 - 1921).

<sup>588</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, Vol. A, p. 64, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), both with surname Gerns.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn [as Gern], Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432 726, p. 42A.

McBride and Capener, pp. 110 and 298.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 1900, Will of John Garn (as Gern), written 23 July 1860 and probated 16 May 1873, will provides for children of deceased daughter Catherine, will at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

From death record.

Death Record of Hannah Harley, Seneca Co., Ohio, Deaths, 19 March 1919, File 22417, mother incorrectly named as Elizabeth Garn, information provided by Lola Mauk, a granddaughter of Hannah's half sister Sarah Ellen (Garn) Mauk.

McBride and Capener, pp. 110, 298.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Harley, Clinton Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll T624 1229, p. 9A, E.D. 140.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>596</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Harley, Clinton Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll T623 1320, p. 8A, E.D. 97.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Harley, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, p. 235; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Harley, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 150B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Harley, Clinton Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1065, p. 162A, E.D. 200.

From death record.

Death Record of Daniel Harley, Seneca Co., Ohio, Deaths, 19 Sept 1911, File 50608.

- +315. iii. **Delilah<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1836 1921). +316. iv. **John J.<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1839 - 1922).
- John GARN next married **Fanny KERNS** on 28 October 1841 in Seneca Co., Ohio. [600] She was given the surname Ash in McBride and Capener. However, the appearance of two boys with surname Ash in the 1850 U.S. Federal Census of John and Fanny Garn convinces us that Ash was her married name and that she had a different surname at birth. [601] They also appeared on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census in Jackson Twp. [602] After John died, Fanny moved to nearby Fremont, Ohio, where she appeared on the 1870 U.S. Census with several of their children. [603]

A marriage on 18 August 1836 in Sandusky Co., Ohio, between John Ash and Fanny Kerns is undoubtedly her first marriage. [604] This is confirmed by the death record of her son Silas, which reports his mother's name as Fanley Carns. Since his surname was clearly reported as Garns on the death record and hers as Carns, we believe she was not part of the Garn family. We do not know whether she preferred the Carns spelling on her son's death record or the Kerns spelling on the record of her first marriage.

Fanny KERNS was born on 23 March 1813 in Ohio. [605] She died on 24 November 1886, probably in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [606] She was buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County along with the spouse and at least two children of her son David. [607] Notices of her death appeared in newspapers. [608]

Fanny resided with her daughter Sarah Ellen in Clinton Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio in 1880. [609]

John GARN and Fanny KERNS had the following children: [610]

- 317. v. **Mary Etta<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born about 1842 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. She died on 24 June 1908 in Angola, Steuben Co., Indiana. [611] She never married.
- 318. vi. **William<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 17 July 1844 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. He died on 2 May 1869 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. His grave marker reports that he was a Civil War veteran. [612] It was reported that he never married.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>600</sup> Jean Seigley, *Marriages of Seneca County, Ohio, 1841-1899*, pub. by Seneca County Genealogical Society, (Tiffin, Ohio, 1994), p. 124, he as John Garn, she as Fanny Ash.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn [as Gern], Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432 726, p. 42A.

<sup>602 1860</sup> U.S. Census of John Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653 1032, p. 233.

<sup>603 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Fanny Garn, Fremont Ward 1, Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 24B, as Garnes, indexed as Garner.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. B, p. 121, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 7.

From age at death, cited below.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 51, identified as wife of John Garn, sexton records report burial on 3 July 1960.

<sup>607/
&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 103572368.

Death Notice for Mrs. Fanny Garn, Fremont Journal [Ohio], 10 December 1886, p. 4, col. 2, death at home of her daughter, Mrs. Daum; Death Notice for Mrs. F. Garn, Fremont Democratic Messenger [Ohio], 2 December 1886, p. 2, col. 5.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Census of George W. Mauk, Clinton Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1065, p. 161D, E.D. 200.

McBride and Capener, p. 303; 1850 and 1860 U.S. Federal Censuses of John Garn cited above, Silas as Cyrus on the 1860 Census.

Death Announcement for Miss Met Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 2 July 1908, p. 1, col. 2, sister as Mrs. Geo. Doum [sic]; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 114400342.

- 319. vii. **Demas<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born about 1846 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. He served in the Union army during the Civil War, enlisting in Co. D, 3rd Ohio Cavalry, on 24 February 1864. He was discharged on 4 August 1865 in Nashville at the end of the war. He married **Eliza**. Demas and Eliza appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Green Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. Eliza was born about 1844 in Canada.
- +320. viii. Sarah Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARN (1849 1930).
- 321. ix. **Eliza Ann<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born in July 1852 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. Censuses suggest a birth around 1850. Her grave marker reports a birth in 1851. And her Find A Grave memorial, cited below, reports a birth in July, 1852. She died on 27 January 1911 in Angola, Steuben Co., Indiana. [616] She married **George S. DAUM** on 23 November 1875 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [617] George S. DAUM was born on 14 November 1854 in Pleasant Bend, Henry Co., Ohio. [618] He died in 1925. [619]
- +322. x. David C.<sup>8</sup> GARN (1853 1934).
- +323. xi. Silas<sup>8</sup> GARN (1857 1912).

99. **Joseph**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 19 March 1809 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [620] The History of Sandusky County reports his birth in Bedford County in 1809 and the names of his two wives and their fathers. [621] A newspaper article written in 1874 tells of the difficulties faced by him and other early settlers who came to Washington Township. [622] It also reports on his entry into the grain business and ownership of a grain elevator. The town of Helena, Ohio, was established at his behest and named after one of his daughters. He received a patent for land in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1832. [623]

He died on 24 August 1896 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [624] He wrote his will on 20 June 1890, which was proved on 11



Grave marker for Joseph Garn, person #99

<sup>612</sup> Metzger Cemetery Records.

Richard L. Manion and Nan Card, *Sandusky County, Ohio, Civil War Soldiers*, pub. by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, 1992), pp. 121-122, as Demas Gern.

Eliza named as wife on 1880 Census, cited below.

<sup>615 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Demas Garn, Green Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, Roll 298, p. 205C, E.D. 109, as Demus Garns.

<sup>616 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com"><a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a><a href="https://w

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, Vol. G-11, p. 109, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005); McBride and Capener, pp. 303, 304.

<sup>618 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 50757021, accessed 31 March 2014.

<sup>619 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 50757021, accessed 31 March 2014.

From age at death on grave marker, Metzgar Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 310.

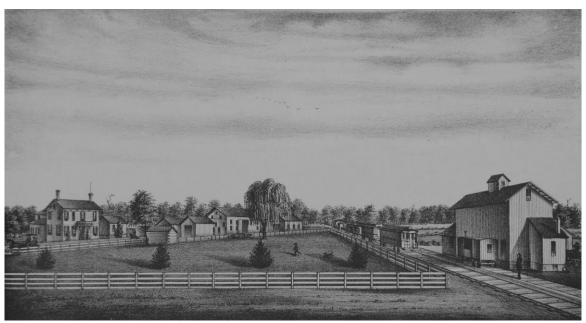
History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), pp. 768, 773.

<sup>622</sup> Fremont [Ohio] Weekly Journal, 28 August 1874, p. 2, col. 5.

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0800\_.374, Document Nr. 4456, by Joseph Gern [sic].

<sup>624 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81958600; Metzgar Cemetery Records; Will, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 310.

September 1896 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [625] A copy of his will and our transcript may be seen in Appendix 34. The will names fifteen children living at the time and distinguishes children born to his first wife from those born to his second wife. The will also names his second wife. It also reports that he had interests in oil companies in the area. And one may still see oil wells in the area around Helena, Ohio, though we did not see any operating at the time we were there.



Farm and grain elevator of Joseph Garn, person #99

Two obituaries report his death. [626] He died after a long illness with Bright's disease. The first obituary reports that he was a United Brethren preacher for nearly sixty years. The second obituary names his two wives. He was buried in Metzgar Cemetery with his two wives. [627]

Joseph GARN married **Lydia ICKES** (daughter of **Adam ICKES** and **Mary HAVERSTOCK**) about 1830, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. Joseph and Lydia and family appeared on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. Lydia ICKES was born on 17 March 1811 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [630] She died on 14 February 1854, probably in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio, [631]

Joseph GARN and Lydia ICKES had the following children: [632] +324. i. **Adam<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1831 - 1907).

628 Lydia named as first wife in History of Sandusky County, cited earlier, and in an obituary of Joseph, cited earlier; Lydia's father named in the same; Lydia's mother named only in McBride and Capener, p. 310.

<sup>625</sup> Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 2571, Will of Joseph Garn, written 20 June 1890 and proved 11 September 1896. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Fremont [Ohio] Daily News, 26 August 1896, p. 2, col. 3; Fremont [Ohio] Weekly Journal, 28 August 1896, p. 5, col. 6.

<sup>627</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Joseph Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432 726, p. 14A, indexed as Joseph Green.

Age at death on grave marker, Metzgar Cemetery Records, gives death a day later than shown here; McBride and Capener, p. 310.

<sup>632</sup> Children named in Joseph's will, census, McBride and Capener, p. 310, and individual records as noted below.

- ii. Leah<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 19 June 1834 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [633] 325. She died on 15 February 1852 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [634]
- iii. **Joseph Ickes**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1837 1868). +326.
- iv. Martin VanBuren<sup>8</sup> GARN (1839 1910). +327.
  - v. **John Wesley GARN** was born on 1 August 1841 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [635] He died on 24 March 1864. [636] His grave marker in Metzgar Cemetery near 328. Helena, Ohio, reports that he was Joseph and Lydia's son and that he served in the 45th Ohio Volunteer Infantry during the Civil War. McBride and Capener report that he never
- +329. vi. Emma<sup>8</sup> GARN (1845 1914).
- +330. vii. Mary Jane<sup>8</sup> GARN (1847 ).
- +331. viii. Rebecca<sup>8</sup> GARN (1850 1931).
- 332. ix. **Francis Marion<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 30 June 1853 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [637] He died on 15 March 1857. [638]

Joseph GARN next married Sarah ANDREWS (daughter of William ANDREWS) on 15 June 1854 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [639] McBride and Capener (p. 336) place Joseph and Sarah's marriage on 22 June 1855, a year and a week later than the records of Sandusky County, which we report here. Joseph and Sarah and family appeared on the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Censuses in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [640] Sarah ANDREWS was born on 9 January 1835 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [641] She died on 30 October 1893 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [642]

Joseph GARN and Sarah ANDREWS had the following children: [643]

- x. Milano T.<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 22 October 1856 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [644] He died on 15 November 1859. [645]
- +334. xi. Mary Mandilla<sup>8</sup> GARN (1858 1930).
- 335. xii. **Alice V. GARN** was born on 21 February 1860 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [646] She died in 1901. [647] She married **Charles R. HOWARD** on 13 November

638 Metzgar Cemetery Records, as son of Joseph and Lydia.

 $<sup>^{633}</sup>$  McBride and Capener, p. 310; Birth is a day later when computed from age at death on her grave marker.

<sup>634</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records, names her as daughter of Joseph and Lydia; McBride and Capener, p. 310.

<sup>635</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 310.

<sup>636</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 310.

From age at death on grave marker, cited below.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriage Records, marriage reported on both 14 and 15 June 1854, in vol. D, p. 55 and vol. 6-2, p. 104, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; Sarah named as second wife in History of Sandusky County, cited earlier, and in an obituary of Joseph, cited earlier, Sarah's father named in the obituary of Joseph.

hamed in the obtain of Joseph Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 287B, as Joseph Garns; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Joseph Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 273B, E.D. 84.

Grave marker inscription, Metzgar Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 336.

Metzgar Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 336.

Children named in Joseph's will, census, and in individual records as noted below.

From age at death on grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 336.

Metzgar Cemetery Records; the transcript of his grave marker inscription places him as a son of Joseph and Lydia. However, his mother's name on a photo we took of the grave marker looks more like Sarah than like Lydia, in agreement with McBride and Capener, p. 336, and with the date that Lydia died.

McBride and Capener, p. 336, year consistent with grave marker, cited below.

1886 in Jackson, Jackson Co., Michigan. [648] Although McBride and Capener report that she was not married, a paper dated 1896 in the estate file of her father reports her name as Alice V. Howard, living in Detroit, Michigan. An annotation, clearly added later, indicated that she had died. We suspect that Charles and Alice separated because her grave marker, as Alice V., clearly identifies her as the daughter of Joseph and Sarah Garn without indicating that she had a surname other than Garn. Charles R. HOWARD was born about 1854 in La Porte, Indiana. [649]

- +336. xiii. Riley Monroe<sup>8</sup> GARN (1862 1908).
- +337. xiv. Lauretta Ella<sup>8</sup> GARN (1864 1936).
- +338. xv. Cora May<sup>8</sup> GARN (1866 ).
- +339. xvi. Lottie<sup>8</sup> GARN (1870 1954).
- +340. xvii. Helena Sarah<sup>8</sup> GARN (1871 1941).
- 341.xviii. **Charles<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 5 August 1874, probably in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. Ohio. He died on 7 October 1877, probably in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. We suspect that this child, reported in McBride and Capener as the child of Joseph and Sarah, has been confused with another Charles Garn, person #763, whose death record clearly names different parents but places his death on the date reported by McBride and Capener.
- 342. xix. Naomi C.8 GARN was born on 28 March 1876 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [652] In 1910 she was living with her sister Mandilla and her husband in Wellston, Jackson Co., Ohio. [653] In 1920 she lived with a niece, Gladys, the daughter of her sister Lottie, in Pine River Twp., Gratiot Co., Michigan. [654] She died on 21 October 1940 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [655] She married Charles E. TIEDGEN (son of Joachim TIEDGEN and Sophia WALLERSEN) on 9 April 1926 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [656] Charles' father appears as Joachim Tiedgen on his marriage record and as Herman Tiedgen on his death record. Charles and Naomi appeared on the 1930 Census in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [657] Charles E. TIEDGEN was born on 20 September 1866 in Denmark. [658] He died on 27 November 1951 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [660]

<sup>647 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81960208; Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Marriage Record for Charles R. Howard and Alice V. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 27 July 2011, two citations, FHL 2342481, ref. no. v. 2, p. 63, rn 49 and FHL# 941635, ref. no., V. G-H, line #49, she as Alice B. Garn, born in Sanduscy [sic], Ohio.

From marriage record, cited above.

From age at death on grave marker; McBride and Capener, p. 336, places birth on 4 September 1874.

Metzgar Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 336, places death on 7 September 1877.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 343.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lewis L. Geibel, Wellston Ward 3, Jackson Co., Ohio, T624\_1198, p. 3B, E.D. 74, sister-in-law Naomi Garn living in household.

<sup>654 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Edgar Holton, Pine River, Gratiot Co., Michigan, T625\_764, p. 2B, E.D. 52, aunt Naomi Garn in household.

Death Record for Naomi Tiedgen, Ohio Deaths, 21 October 1940, file no. 64012, names spouse and parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 24936094.

<sup>656</sup> Marriage Record for Charles E. Tiedgen and Naomi Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 27 July 2011, cites FHL# 506650, ref. no. v20, Cn 6720, names parents.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles E. Tiedgens, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1866, p. 1B, E.D. 23, indexed as Tiedger.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 343, places birth in 1872 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio.

Death Record for Charles E. Tiedgen, Ohio Deaths, 27 November 1951, file no. 72496, parents as Herman Tiedgen and Sophia.

343. xx. **Arthur**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 2 August 1879 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [661] Since Arthur was only 17 when his father died, a guardian was appointed to handle his share of his father's estate. [662] He died on 23 November 1939 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [663] An obituary reports his death. [664] Arthur and Alta had gone from their home in Toledo to Helena, their former home, to visit Alta's sister on Thanksgiving day. On the return trip he had a heart attack while driving the car and went into the ditch. Fortunately Alta, though badly frightened, was not injured. He was a sales manager for an electrical supply company at the time of his death. Another obituary also reports his death and reports that he was a Mason. [665] He married **Alta K. MOSES** (daughter of **Frank MOSES** and **Alice SEIPLE**) on 17 December 1902 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [666] Arthur and Alta appeared on the 1910-1930 Censuses in Toledo, Ohio. [667] Alta K. MOSES was born on 5 August 1880 in Ohio. [668] She died on 23 September 1949 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [669] Arthur and Alta were buried in Metzgar Cemetery near Helena, Ohio. [670]

100. **David**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 8 January 1811 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [671] He received a patent for land in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1832. [672] He died on 2 February 1848 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [673] He wrote his will on 17 January 1848, which was probated in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [674] A copy of his will and our transcript may be seen in Appendix 36. His will names his wife and mentions children but does not name them. One interesting item in his estate file was a \$5.00 payment or donation to Otterbein University, which undoubtedly is the university that was founded the year before in Westerville, Ohio and is affiliated with the United Methodist Church.

660 Metzgar Cemetery Records.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 344.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 4584, Guardianship Papers for Arthur Garn, guardian appointed 18 September 1896, case settled 3 August 1900. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Death Record for Arthur Garn, Ohio Deaths, 23 November 1939, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, file no. 68408, spouse as Alta Garn, names parents; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 24840398; McBride and Capener, p. 344.

<sup>664</sup> Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 30 November 1939, p. 1, col. 5, spouse as Alta Garn, names living sisters.

Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 25 November 1939, p. 2, col. 8.

Marriage Record for Arthur Garn and Alta K. Moses, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 27 July 2011, names parents.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Arthur Garn, Toledo Ward 7, Lucas Co., Ohio, T624\_1207, p. 13B, E.D. 85; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of John F. Harman, Toledo Ward 13, Lucas Co., Ohio, T625\_1409, p. 11B, E.D. 136, Arthur and Alta K. Garn as lodgers in the home; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Arthur Garn, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1834, p. 8B, E.D. 42.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 344.

Death Record for Alta Van Wormer, Ohio Deaths, 23 September 1949, file no. 57148, married, parents as Frank Moses and Alice Moses; McBride and Capener, p. 344.

Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; McBride and Capener, p. 344, reports birth a day earlier.

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0800\_.373, Document Nr. 4455, by David Gern [sic].

<sup>673 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81975023; Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 476, Probate file for David Garn, names wife. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

David GARN married **Margaret Ann ICKES** (daughter of **Adam ICKES** and **Mary HAVERSTOCK**) about 1833. [675] After David's death, Margaret appeared on the 1850, 1870 and 1880 Census in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [676] We have not found her or her family on the 1860 Census. It is of interest to note that the transcript of the 1850 U.S. Census lists two children named David in the family, one aged 14 and one aged 4 years old. The names of both are difficult to read and Daniel's name was incorrectly transcribed as David.

Margaret Ann ICKES was born on 9 January 1815 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [677] The names of her parents are from McBride and Capener (p. 344). We have not confirmed their names. However, we believe they are probably correct. David's choice of his brother Joseph Garn as executor of his estate



Grave marker for David Garn, person #100

would have been a natural choice since Joseph's wife would have been a sister of David's wife Margaret. She died on 23 October 1891 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [678] David and Margaret were buried in Metzgar Cemetery near Helena, Ohio. [679] An obituary reports on her life, her move from Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, in 1834, her faithful membership in the United Brethren Church, and her death among other things. [680] Her obituary names her four sons and reports that all of them served in the Ohio Volunteer Infantry during the Civil War. Several notices in newspapers also reported her death. [681] The local German language newspaper carried a lengthy obituary for her. [682]

After David and Margaret died, their family Bible went to their son Isaac. When he was requested to prove his date of birth for his application for a pension based on his service in the Civil War, he had a transcript prepared of the births recorded in the Bible. [683] An image of the transcript of births from David and Margaret's family Bible may be seen in Appendix 37.

David GARN and Margaret Ann ICKES had the following children:<sup>[684]</sup>

+344. i. Sarah Ann<sup>8</sup> GARN (1834 - 1914).

+345. ii. **Daniel W.<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1836 - 1920).

+346. iii. **Mary**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1838 - 1867).

Margaret named as spouse in David's will; Death records of several children name parents; McBride and Capener, p. 344.

Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; McBride and Capener, p. 344, Obituaries, cited below.

Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Obituary of Margaret Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 29 October 1891, p. 4, col. 4.

Fremont Courier [Ohio], 29 October 1891, p. 4, col. 3, names four sons who served in Civil War, in German script.

Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; Individual records of children name one or both as parents.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 14A, indexed as Green; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 286B, as Margt Garns; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 272D, E.D. 84, grandson Leroy M. Weible, as Whipple, in household.

Obituaries, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 344, place death two days later than obituaries; Metzgar Cemetery Records, give year only as 1890 [sic].

Fremont Democrat Messenger [Ohio], 29 October 1891, p. 5, col. 7; Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 30 October 1891, p. 3, col. 2; Clyde Enterprise [Ohio], 29 October 1891, p. 1, col. 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>683</sup> Civil War Pension file, Isaac M. Garn, Co. G, 111th Regiment, Ohio Infantry, App. #340126, Cert. #240843, Widow's App. #1168616, Widow's Cert. #908543.

- 347. iv. Isaac M. GARN was born on 10 January 1841 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [685] Isaac fought for the Union army in Co. G. 111th Regiment. Ohio Infantry. during the Civil War and received a pension as a result. [686] He enlisted in Fremont, Ohio, on 18 August 1862 and was discharged in Cleveland, Ohio, on 17 June 1865. He is undoubtedly the Isaac Garn who surveyed part of the town of Helena, Ohio. [687] He died on 6 January 1921 in Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa. [688] His death record, censuses, and an obituary posted with his memorial on Find A Grave report that he was a produce merchant. [689] He married Tamson C. MITCHELL (daughter of Jacob MITCHELL and Cordelia RYDER) on 8 February 1866 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [690] Isaac and Tamson appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Helena, Ohio. [691] In 1900-1920 they appeared on the census in Vinton, Iowa. [692] Tamson C. MITCHELL was born in 1844 in Ohio. [693] She died in 1935. [694] Both Isaac and Tamson were buried in Evergreen Cemetery in Vinton. [695] An obituary that was posted with Isaac's burial information reports that E. M. Garn of the city was his nephew and that Irv Mitchell was a brother-in-law. This E. M. Garn was Eugene M. Garn, person #761, whose mother Rosina was Tamson's sister. The appearance of Rosina, Tamson and Irvin on the 1850 U.S. Census of Jacob and Cordelia Mitchell confirms this relationship. [696] The death record of Rosina and Tamson's brother Irvin provides the name of their mother. [697] Papers in Isaac's Civil War Pension File report that they never had any children.
- 348. v. **Alexander<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 10 July 1843 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[698]</sup> He served in the Union army during the Civil War, enlisting in Co. I, 72nd Ohio Infantry, on 15 October 1861 in Greensburg, Ohio.<sup>[699]</sup> He died on 24 October 1862 in

<sup>685</sup> Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; Death Record, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>686</sup> Civil War Pension file, Isaac M. Garn, Co. G, 111th Regiment, Ohio Infantry, App. #340126, Cert. #240843, Widow's App. #1168616, Widow's Cert. #908543.

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 773.

Death Record for Isaac M. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Iowa Deaths and Burials, 1850-1990, accessed 30 July 2011, cites FHL# 1871333, ref. no. p. 277, married, names parents, mother indexed as Margaret Jackes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;findagrave.com>, Memorial# 46062936.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 8 February 1866, vol. E, p. 187, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112, indexed as J. M. Garn and Tamzon C. Mitchel; Tamson C. Mitchell named as spouse in Isaac's Civil War Pension File, cited above..

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Isaac Garn, Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 104A, E.D. 75.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Isaac Garn, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa, T623\_417, p. 20A, E.D. 21; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Isaac M. Garn, Vinton Ward 3, Benton Co., Iowa, T624\_391, p. 11B, E.D. 24, as Garns, mother-in-law Cordelia in household; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Isaac Garn, Vinton Ward 4, Benton Co., Iowa, T625\_477, p. 1A, E.D. 27, as I. M. Garn but indexed as Gorm.

<sup>693</sup> Gravemarker inscription, cited below.

Grave marker for Tamson C. Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 46062771, accessed 7 August 2011, burial as T. C. Garn, Evergreen Cemetery, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa, additional information gives full name as Tamson C. Mitchell Garn and names parents as Jacob Mitchell and Cordelia Ryder.

Grave marker for Isaac M. Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 46062936, accessed 7August 2011, burial as I. M. Garn in Evergreen Cemetery, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa; Grave marker for Tamson, cited above.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Census of Jacob Mitchell, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432 726, p. 46A.

Death Record for Irvin Mitchell, <familysearch.org>, Iowa Deaths and Burials, 1850-1990, accessed 6 August 2011, cites FHL# 1871333, ref. no. p. 145, names parents.

Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; Age at death, Metzgar Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 344.

Richard L. Manion and Nan Card, *Sandusky County, Ohio, Civil War Soldiers*, pub. by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, 1992), pp. 117-118.

Memphis, Shelby Co., Tennessee, where he was reported to be in the hospital the day before with disease. <sup>[700]</sup> His grave marker identifies him as a Civil War soldier.

vi. **David W.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1846 - 1914).

101. Martin<sup>7</sup> GARN (John<sup>6</sup>: Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN: Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 17 February 1814 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [701] He died on 4 June 1890 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [702] His death was reported in an announcement and an obituary in newspaper articles.<sup>[703]</sup> Martin wrote a will on 28 September 1889, which was probated on 10 June 1890. [704] A copy of the will and our transcript may be seen in Appendix 38. His will names all seven of his children.

Martin GARN married Catharine CROYLE (daughter of Thomas CROYLE and Elizabeth Ann KLOTZ) about 1835 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [705] Martin and Catharine appeared on the 1850-1880 U.S. Censuses in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [706] Catharine CROYLE was born on 4 May 1818 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [707] She died on 30 September 1897 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [708] Two obituaries report her death and additional information about her. [709] After Catharine died, her estate was settled in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [710] The Application for Letters of Administration dated 11 October 1897 within the file names all seven sons and places the residence of Thomas in Coalville, Summit Co., Utah, of Ephraim in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah,



Grave marker for Martin Garn, person #101

 $<sup>^{700}</sup>$  Metzgar Cemetery Records, incorrectly transcribed as a son of D and N [sic, actually M on stone]; Civil War Service, cited above.

From age at death on grave marker and in obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 357.

<sup>702 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81762393; Metzger Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, p. 357.

Death announcement for Martin Garn, Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 6 June 1890, p. 3, col. 6, death on 3 June 1890; Obituary of Martin Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 5 June 1890, p. 4, col. 2, death "yesterday," which places death on 4 June 1890.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 3675, Probate file for Martin Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Catharine Croyle named as Martin's spouse on death records of several of their sons; McBride and Capener, p. 357, as date and place of marriage and source for names of her parents.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Martin Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432 726, p. 42B; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Martin Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653 1032, p. 238, as Garns; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Martin Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593 1264, p. 145B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Martin Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 90C, E.D. 75, as Garns.

From age at death on grave marker and in obituaries, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 357.

Metzger Cemetery Records: McBride and Capener, p. 357.

Obituary of Catharine Garn, as Katharine, Fremont Weekly Journal [Ohio], 8 October 1897, p. 3, col. 5; Obituary of Catharine Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 7 October 1897, p. 1, col. 3.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Probate Files, File 4784, Estate file for Catharine Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

of Edmund in Imbler, Union Co., Oregon, of Jesse, in Chester, Eaton Co., Michigan, and of Titus, Chauncey, and Zachariah in Helena, Ohio.

Martin GARN and Catharine CROYLE had the following children: [711]

- Thomas<sup>8</sup> GARN (1839 1920). +350.
- ii. **Ephraim**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 27 December 1841 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. 351. He died on 21 May 1921 in Elgin, Grand Co., Utah. [712] This death date comes from his death record. The date of 29 May 1920 given in McBride and Capener appears to be a mixup with the death date of his brother Thomas. Ephraim appeared as a single person in the home of his brother Thomas in Ogden, Utah, when the 1870 Census was recorded. In 1880 he appeared on the Census in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [713] Centerville is where papers dated 1897 in his mother's estate reported that he lived. In 1900 and 1910 he appeared on the Census in Elgin, Grand Co., Utah. [714] He married **Laura Sunderlin ELDREDGE** in 1876. [715] Ephraim's spouse is named in McBride and Capener. We have not attempted to verify her name. However, Ephraim certainly was married since his marital status was widowed on the 1900 Census and divorced on the 1910 Census. Laura Sunderlin ELDREDGE was born on 20 January 1856 in Coalville, Summit Co., Utah. [716] We have not found any record that Ephraim and Laura had children
- iii. Edmund D.8 GARN (1843 1915). +352.
- iv. **Titus<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1845 1906). +353.
- v. Chauncey C. 8 GARN (1848 1922). +354.
- +355. vi. **Jesse<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1850 1938).
- +356. vii. **Zachariah C.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1854 1918).

102. **Susanna**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 2 December 1815 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [717] She died on 11 January 1866 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. [718] Susannah was the community midwife. There was a report that, "neighbors generally called on her in such cases," after she delivered her grandson, Charles Milroy Garn, person #848. [719]

Susanna GARN married Abraham GARN (son of John GARN, person #56, and Susannah SMITH) about 1832, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. The evidence for placing Susanna Garn as the wife

<sup>711</sup> Children named in Martin's will, in Catharine's estate file, and on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 357, as source for birth dates of children unless otherwise noted.

Death Record for Ephraim Garn, <familysearch.org>, Utah Death Certificates, 1904-1956, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 2259132, cert. no. 10, marital status unknown, names of parents unknown.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ephraim Garn, Centerville, Davis Co., Utah, Roll 1336, p. 299D, E.D. 15, as Garnes.

<sup>714 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ephraim Garn, Elgin, Grand Co., Utah, T623\_1683, p. 12B, E.D. 96, as Ephriam Garns; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Ephraim Garn, Elgin, Grand Co., Utah, T624 1603, p. 1B, E.D. 50, as Ephriam Garn.

<sup>715</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. and 376.

<sup>716</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 376.

McBride and Capener, p. 32; also from age at death on grave marker.

<sup>718 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 30855226; Obituary of Abraham reports first wife's death in 1866, see Appendix 22; McBride and Capener, p. 32; Grave marker, Burr Oak or Vorhees Cemetery, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, GPS coodinates of grave marker are N41 deg., 15.947 min., W086 deg., 26.028 min. +- 28 ft.

Susannah Burns vs. John W. Garn, Marshall County Circuit Court, Marshall Co., Indiana, paternity suit, 1863.

of Abraham Garn appears in the will and estate of Susanna's father. The will names Susanna Garn as the youngest daughter of John Garn, #46, and the estate gives each daughter's share of the estate to her husband. Susanna's share was given to Abraham Garn. A copy of the will and the part of the estate granting Susanna's share to Abraham Garn may be seen in Appendix 8.

We believe that Abraham and Susanna married in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, because there is no marriage record in Sandusky Co., Ohio, where a marriage record reports the marriage of Abraham's sister to Susanna's brother. Abraham's family appeared on the 1840 U.S. Federal Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [720] Ten years later they appeared on the census again in Jackson Twp. [721] Abraham's obituary reports that they moved from Ohio to Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana in 1858. They appeared there on the 1860 U.S. Census. [722] Abraham and Susanna owned the southeast quarter, or 160 acres, of section 5 of Union Township.<sup>[723]</sup>

We are aware that McBride and Capener (p. 32) give 1828 as the year of Abraham and Susanna's marriage. We are convinced this is incorrect for several reasons. Susanna would have been only 13 years old, which would have been young to marry. There would have been a gap of about five years between when they married and when they had their first child, after which they had children on a regular basis until, according to Abraham's obituary, there were fifteen of them. Her father's will, written 31 August 1832 does not indicate that she was married, and the 1830 U.S. Federal Census of Abraham's father shows a male 15-19 years old in the household, suggesting that Abraham, who would have been about to turn 20 years old, was still in the home. Also in the home of Abraham's father was a 15-19 year old female, who undoubtedly was Abraham's younger sister, Catherine, and not a wife of Abraham. Therefore we are convinced the marriage was not in 1828 and was probably a year or so before their first child was born.

Abraham received a patent for land in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1835. [724]

Abraham is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Abraham<sup>7</sup> GARN (John<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #121, in this book. Additional information about Abraham may be found in his biography at person #121.

Susanna GARN and Abraham GARN had the following children: [725]

- i. **Josiah<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 24 January 1834. <sup>[726]</sup> He died on 17 November 1835. <sup>[727]</sup>
- ii. **John Washington**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1835 1916). +358.
- +359. iii. **David<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1836 1902).
- iv. **Samuel<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1838 1870). +360.
  - v. **William<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 6 February 1840.<sup>[728]</sup> He died on 22 January 1842.<sup>[729]</sup> 361

 $<sup>^{720}</sup>$ 1840 U. S. Census of Abram Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 425, p. 20.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>721</sup> 1850 U. S. Federal Census, Abram Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 42B, as Gern.

<sup>722 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Abraham Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, M653\_278, p. 739, indexed as Abraham Garries.

<sup>723 1881</sup> Map of Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, obtained from Marshall County Historical Museum, Plymouth, Indiana, reportedly taken from Daniel McDonald, [History of] Marshall County Indiana, 1836 – 1880, (Chicago, 1881).

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0950\_.476, Document Nr. 12134, by

McBride and Capener, pp. 32-33; Children other than Josiah, William and Sophia, named in will, obituary, or censuses, cited above.

From age at death on grave marker, cited below.

Grave marker, Metzgar Cemetery Records, as son of A. & S. Garn.

- 362. vi. **Mary**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 4 November 1841 in Ohio. [730] She died on 4 October 1859. [731] She was buried in Burr Oak Cemetery, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana.
- 363. vii. **Philip James**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 24 April 1843 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [732] He died on 12 December 1901 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. He married **Julia N. KEMMERLING** (daughter of **Rev. Peter KEMMERLING** and **Elizabeth HARTZELL**) in 1867 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [734] Julia was a sister of Catherine, who married Philip's brother David, person #359. [735] Philip and Julia appeared on the 1870-1900 U.S. Censuses in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [736] The 1900 Census reports that Julia never had any children. Julia N. KEMMERLING was born on 11 May 1848 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [737] She died on 10 November 1911. [738]
- +364. viii. Martin<sup>8</sup> GARN (1845 1901).
  - 365. ix. **Sophia<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 26 April 1847.<sup>[739]</sup> She died on 16 July 1849.<sup>[740]</sup>
  - 366. x. **Joshua**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 9 June 1848 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [741] In 1880 he appeared on the census in the household of his brother Benjamin in Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska. [742] He died on 8 January 1912 in Omaha, Nebraska. [743] An obituary reports his death. [744] Joshua wrote a will on 18 February 1891, which was settled in Gage Co., Nebraska. [745] The will names his heirs including numerous nieces and nephews. Joshua

729 Grave marker, Metzgar Cemetery Records, as son of A. & S. Garn.

From age at death on grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 32.

732 From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 65.

Julia named as spouse in Philip's obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 65.

Date from grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 65.

From age at death on grave marker, cited below.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

Will and Estate of Joshua Garn, Estate No. 2287, 1912, Gage Co., Nebraska, names heirs including nieces and nephews.

<sup>728</sup> From age at death on grave marker, cited below.

<sup>(</sup>Chesterfield, Missouri), 1985, Vol. I, page 103; McBride and Capener, p. 32.
(Www.findagrave.com), Memorial# 30855536; Marshall Co., Indiana Cemetery Records, compiled by the Missouri State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Joe H. Capps, State Regent, Retyped and Indexed by Jeannine Tussey Preston, (Chesterfield, Missouri), 1985, Vol. I, page 103; McBride and Capener, p. 32.

<sup>733 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 38612347; Obituary of Philip J. Garn, Culver Citizen, Culver, Indiana, 20 Dec 1901, p. 1, col. 4, spouse as Julian Kemmerling; *Marshall Co., Indiana Cemetery Records*, compiled by the Missouri State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Joe H. Capps, State Regent, Retyped and Indexed by Jeannine Tussey Preston, (Chesterfield, Missouri), 1985, Vol. I, page 72; McBride and Capener, p. 65.

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 798.

<sup>736 (</sup>Cleveland, 1902), p. 736.

1870 U.S. Federal Census of Philip J. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, M593\_342, p. 213A, he as James Garns, spouse as Judia Garns; 1880 U. S. Federal Census of Philip J. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, Roll 297, p. 197A, E.D. 108; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Philip J. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623 392, p. 16B, E.D. 82, he as Philipp J. Garn.

Death Record for Julia Garn, Marshall Co., Indiana, Deaths, 10 November 1911, gives date of birth, names parents; *Marshall Co., Indiana Cemetery Records*, compiled by the Missouri State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Joe H. Capps, State Regent, Retyped and Indexed by Jeannine Tussey Preston, (Chesterfield, Missouri), 1985, Vol. I, page 72; McBride and Capener, p. 65.

<sup>740</sup> Grave marker, Metzgar Cemetery Records, as daughter of A. & S. Garn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>742</sup> 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Benjamin F. Garn, Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska, Roll 749, p. 41C, E.D. 343, as B. F. Garn, brother Joshua in household.

Nebraska Deaths, 8 January 1912, Registered No. 352, father as Abraham, mother not named, birth in Ohio; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

Obituary of Joshua Garn, Beatrice Daily Express, Beatrice, Nebraska, 9 January 1912 issue, cites Mrs. Tinkler as a sister who was undoubtedly a sister-in-law.

and Hortense were both buried in Evergreen Home Cemetery in Beatrice, Nebraska. [746] He married **Hortense MCKIBBEN** on 29 July 1885 in Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska. [747] In 1900 Joshua and Hortense lived in Midland Twp., Gage Co., Nebraska. [748] In 1910 they lived in Beatrice, Gage County. [749] After Joshua's death, Hortense appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses, again in Beatrice. [750] Hortense appears as Mary on one census, Mary H. on two censuses and as Hortens on a fourth. Her name is Hortense on her marriage record. No children were born to this marriage, as the 1900 and 1910 Censuses report that she had not had any children. Hortense MCKIBBEN was born in October 1863 in Illinois. [751] She died on 3 May 1931 in Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska. [752]

- +367. xi. **Benjamin Franklin<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1849 1931).
- +368. xii. George Washington<sup>8</sup> GARN (1851 1923).
- +369. xiii. Mandes Edward<sup>8</sup> GARN (1853 1909).
- +370. xiv. Francis Aaron<sup>8</sup> GARN (1855 1889).
- +371. xv. Sarah Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARN (1858 1927).

103. **Philip James**<sup>7</sup> **GARN, Sr.** (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #46, and Susanna CABLE) was born on 1 May 1819 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[753]</sup> He died on 18 January 1859 in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah.<sup>[754]</sup> He is named in his father's will.

Philip James GARN, Sr. married **Mary Magdalene FOUGHT** (daughter of **Michael FOUGHT** and **Elizabeth KLINE**) on 9 August 1838 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[755]</sup> Mary appears as Polly Garn in the will of her father.<sup>[756]</sup> Mary was given, "One dollar only and no more," whereas her siblings got much more. This was suggested by P. Garn to be a reflection of his dissatisfaction with Mary for joining the Mormon Church.

Philip and Mary and children appeared on the 1850 U.S. Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [757] After Philip's death, Mary appeared with children on the 1860 and 1870 Censuses in

Marriage Record for Joshua Garn and Hortense Mckibben, <familysearch.org>, Nebraska Marriages, 1855-1995, accessed 25 March 2011, cites FHL# 1940547, Ref. 147, his parents as A Garn and S. Garn, her parents unnamed; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>746</sup> <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 128106153 and 128106295.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>748</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Joshua Garn, Midland Twp., Gage Co., Nebraska, T623\_928, p. 7B, E.D. 59, surname Garns, she as Mary H.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Joshua Garn, Beatrice Ward 2, Gage Co., Nebraska, T624 846, p. 12B, E.D. 42, indexed as Gatney.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Hortense M. Garn, Beatrice Ward 2, Gage Co., Nebraska, T625\_986, p. 2A, E.D. 47, as Hortens M. Garn; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Hortence Garn, Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska, Roll 1281, p. 7B, E.D. 7, as Mary H., surname transcribed or indexed as Grass.

<sup>751</sup> From marriage record and censuses, cited above.

<sup>752</sup> Obituary of Hortense Garn, Beatrice Daily Sun, Beatrice, Nebraska, 4, 5, and 6 May 1931 issues.

<sup>753</sup> P. Garn, pp. 1:168-172; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

<sup>754 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 76914531; P. Garn, pp. 1:168-172; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 116, as Philip Gern to Polly Fought on 31 July 1838, v. 1, p. 2, and as Philip James Gern to Mary Magd. Fought, on 9 Aug 1838, v. B, p. 171/95; P. Garn, p. 1:168; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Will proved 27 July 1861, Sandusky Co., Ohio, as reported by P. Garn, 3:191-193.

<sup>757 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Philip Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726,p. 42A, as Phillip Gern.

Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [758] In 1880 Mary is listed alone on the census living near two children in the same place. [759]

Mary Magdalene FOUGHT was born on 12 September 1820 in Madison Twp., Perry Co., Ohio. [760] She died on 24 September 1915 in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [761]

Philip James GARN, Sr. and Mary Magdalene FOUGHT had the following children: [762]

- i. Mahala<sup>8</sup> GARN (1839 1922). +372.
- ii. Micah<sup>8</sup> GARN (1841 1916). +373.
- iii. **son1**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 4 April 1843 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [763] He died on 4 April 1843 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.
- iv. son2<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 4 March 1844 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[764]</sup> He died on 4 March 375. 1844 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.
- v. **Philip James**<sup>8</sup> **GARN, Jr.** (1845 1900). +376.
- vi. **Samuel<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1847 1932).
- +378. vii. Nathaniel<sup>8</sup> GARN (1849 1872).
- 379. viii. Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 19 April 1851 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[765]</sup> She died on 20 June 1934 in Farmington, Davis Co., Utah. [766] Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to Elizabeth and her family. [767] She married **John FORD** on 4 January 1868 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [768]
- ix. Daniel<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 18 May 1853 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [769] He died in January 380. 1854, probably in Sandusky Co., Ohio.
- x. Mary Magdalene<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 31 March 1855 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [770] She 381. died on 5 July 1944 in Woods Cross, Davis Co., Utah. [771] Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to Mary and her family. [772] She married William Henry Jex SMITH on 4 January 1872 in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [773] Their daughter Ella,

<sup>758 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mary M. Garn, Centerville, Davis Co., Utah Territory, M653\_1313, p. 367, as Mary M. Carn; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Mary Garn, Centerville, Davis Co., Utah, M593 1610, p. 230A, as Mary Garns.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mary M. Garn, Centerville, Davis Co., Utah, Roll 1336, p. 299C, E.D. 15, as Mary M. Garns.

<sup>760</sup> From death record; P. Garn, 1:180-182; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Death Record for Mary Magdaline Garn, 24 September 1915, Utah Deaths, file 61, widowed, parents as Martin [sic] Fought and Elizabeth Cline [sic]; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Family Records in Bible owned by Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt [sic] Garn, as reported in both images and transcripts by P. Garn, 1:192-193; Children also appear on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Death Record for Elizabeth Garn Ford, Utah Deaths, 20 June 1934, cert. no. 49, spouse as John Ford, parents as Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>767</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:191-201.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>768</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:191-201; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Death Record for Mary Magdalene Garn Smith, Utah Deaths, 5 July 1944, cert. no. 50, spouse as William Henry Jex Smith, parents as Phillip [sic] Garn and Mary Magdalene Vote [sic].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>772</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:202-213.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>773</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:202-213; McBride and Capener, pp. 392 and 503.

- who married Joseph Aaron Rigby Capener, was coauthor of the McBride and Capener book quoted frequently in this book.
- xi. Emma<sup>8</sup> GARN was born on 27 February 1857 in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [774] She died on 23 July 1934 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [775] Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to Emma and her family. [776] She married **Joseph FORD** on 7 February 1876 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [777]

105. **Gottlieb**<sup>7</sup> **GERN** (Samuel Friederich<sup>6</sup>; Georg Adam<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel Friederich GERN, person #48, and Christina CRAMER) was born on 2 July 1799 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [778] Gottlieb GERN married Charlotta Augusta MEEL (daughter of Johann Wilhelm MEEL and Eva Elisabetha BRECHT) on 14 March 1826 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [779] Charlotta Augusta MEEL was born on 19 June 1805. [780] Her marriage record gives her name as Augusta Charlotta. The birth records of all four children give her name as Charlotta Augusta.

Gottlieb GERN and Charlotta Augusta MEEL had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [781]

- i. Johann Jacob<sup>8</sup> GERN was born on 18 May 1830. He died on 26 July 1830 in Kürnbach, 383. Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- ii. Johanna Christina<sup>8</sup> GERN was born on 19 May 1831.<sup>[782]</sup> She married Julius BAUER 384. (son of Johann Jacob BAUER and Sophia AABMAN) on 26 May 1859 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [783] Julius BAUER was born on 18 February 1829. [784]
- iii. Gottlieb Friedrich<sup>8</sup> GERN (1834 1908).
- 386. iv. Wilhelm August<sup>8</sup> GERN was born on 1 September 1839.

107. **Georg Adam<sup>7</sup> GERN** (Samuel Friederich<sup>6</sup>; Georg Adam<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel Friederich GERN, person #48, and Christina CRAMER) was born on 8

<sup>776</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:214-225.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Death Record for Emmie Garn Ford, <familysearch.org>, Utah Deaths and Burials, 1888-1946, accessed 5 July 2011, cites FHL# 26567, cn 1162, spouse as Joseph Ford, parents as Philip Garn and Mary Magdaline [sic] Vought [sic].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>777</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:214-225; McBride and Capener, pp. 392 and 516.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Gottlieb Gern, 2 July 1799, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents; birth date also given in marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Tog "Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Gottlieb Gern and Augusta Charlotta Meel [sic], 14 March 1826, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, gives birthdates of Gottlieb and Augusta Charlotta, names parents.

Birth date given in marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, deaths of Johann Jacob and Gottlieb Friedrich reported with birth records.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Johanna Christina Gern, 19 May 1831, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, mother as Charlotta Augusta Meel; birth also reported on marriage record.

<sup>783 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Johanna Christina Gern and Julius Bauer, 26 May 1859, cites FHL #1272390, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, her mother as Meele, reports birth dates.

Birth date appears on marriage record.

November 1804 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [785] He died on 12 October 1841 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden. Germanv. [786]

Georg Adam GERN married Karolina Regina KRIMMEL (daughter of Johannes KRIMMEL and Susanna Juliana GRAM) on 25 March 1828 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [787] Karolina Regina KRIMMEL was born on 8 July 1806 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [788] Her birth and marriage records give her first name as Carolina whereas birth records of her children use Karolina as the spelling. She died on 25 December 1852. [789]

Georg Adam GERN and Karolina Regina KRIMMEL had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [790]

- i. Samuel Friedrich<sup>8</sup> GERN (1828 ). +387.
- ii. Karolina Regina<sup>8</sup> GERN was born on 19 June 1833 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, 388. Germany. [791] Her name is spelled Karolina on her birth record and Carolina on her marriage record. She married Samuel Peter KNAUSS (son of Johann Peter KNAUSS and Margaretha DEHN) on 14 January 1858 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [792] Samuel Peter KNAUSS was born on 8 September 1819 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [793]

117. **Christopher**<sup>7</sup> **GARNS** (Christopher<sup>6</sup> GARN; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Christopher GARN, person #53) was born about 1800, probably in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [794] He is placed as a son of Christopher Garn, person #53, because he would have been named after his father, because John Garn, person #56, did not name a Christopher Garn in his will, because other younger brothers of Christopher Garn, person #53, were too young to be his father, and because Conrad Gern, person #26, and wife, already had a son named Christopher. He appeared on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census, cited above, with his wife and three children.

An 1843 tax record reports that he lived in Washington Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, that he did not own any land, that he had property worth \$160, and that he was a shoemaker. [795]

<sup>785 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Georg Adam Gern, 8 November 1804, reports death on 12 October 1841, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents.

<sup>786</sup> Birth record reports date of death.

<sup>787 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Georg Adam Gern and Carolina Regina Krimmel [sic], 25 March 1828, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents.

<sup>788 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Carolina Regina Krimmel [sic], 8 July 1806, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 17 March 2014, names parents, reports date of death.

Death date reported on birth record.

<sup>790 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Karolina Regina Gern, 19 June 1833, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, mother as Karolina Regina Krimmel; birth date also reported on marriage record.

<sup>792 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Samuel Peter Knauss and Carolina Regina Gern [sic], 14 January 1858, cites FHL #1272390, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, her mother as Regina Kimmel, reports birth dates.

Birth date reported in marriage record.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Quincy Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M432-782, page 403B, as Christopher Garns.

Robert F. Cell. 1843 Tax Records. Franklin County. Pennsylvania. (Edinburg, TX, 1991), p. 69, available at the Franklin County Historical Society.

He died on 13 September 1856 near Newville, Richland Co., Ohio. [796] We believe he is the Christopher Garns whose death was reported to have occurred at this time and place. His age at the time was 54 years, 9 months, in close agreement with the 1850 Census, which placed his age at 50 years old. Furthermore, his brother John was already in the vicinity, making it more likely that Christopher may have also moved to the area.

Christopher GARNS married Eliza. [797] Eliza was born about 1810 in Maryland. [798]

Christopher GARNS and Eliza had the following children: [799]

- i. Mary J. GARNS was born about 1828 in Pennsylvania.
- ii. George W. 8 GARNS was born about 1830 in Pennsylvania.
- 391. iii. Ann C.8 GARNS was born about 1838 in Pennsylvania.

118. **John<sup>7</sup> GARN** (Christopher<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Christopher GARN, person #53) was born on 30 November 1800, probably in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [800] He died on 13 September 1870 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [801] A letter from John's grandson Charles H. Garn, claims that John was killed when detraining from a passenger train at Wooster when John's son Henry Wachtel Garn was eight or nine years old. [802] We doubt this report since John's death record is in Ashland County instead of Wayne County where Wooster is located and his death record reports that he died of lung disease. His death record also reports that he was a basket maker.

John GARN married **Lydia POORMAN** (daughter of **John POORMAN**) on 18 May 1827 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [803] John and Lydia appeared on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania with the children listed below. [804] Between 1850 and 1854 John disappeared and Lydia moved to Baltimore, Maryland, where she appeared as the head of the household on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census with her three youngest sons and a daughter Anna, who probably was the Nancy who appeared on the census ten years earlier. [805] In 1870 and 1880 Lydia appeared on the censuses in the home of George Camblitt and wife in Baltimore, Maryland. [806]

798 1850 U.S. Federal Census, cited above.

<sup>796</sup> Death Announcement for Christopher Garns, Seneca Advertiser, (Tiffin, Ohio), 26 September 1856, p. 2, col. 6, reports death on 13 September near Newville, Richland Co., Ohio.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census, cited above.

<sup>799 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census, cited above.

<sup>800</sup> From age at death, 69y, 9m, 13d.

<sup>801</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, Book 1, pp. 24-25.

Letter dated 9 February 1968 from Charles H. Garn, son of Henry Wachtel Garn to his nephew Kenneth H. Garn, letter within Garn family file at the Ashland County Library, Ashland Co., Ohio.

Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Historical Society Church Records, Marriages, German Reformed Church - Zion Reformed Church, South Main Street and West Liberty Street, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, p. 3 (typed transcript), entry 40, typed record transcribes Lydia as Silvia Poorman, he as John Kerns, son of Christopher Kerns; marriage also reported in Lydia's application for pension based on service of her son Samuel in the Civil War, cited below.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M432 781, pp. 92B-93A, indexed as Carrous.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lydia Garns, Baltimore Ward 19, Baltimore (Independent City), Maryland, M653 466, p. 171, indexed

<sup>1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lydia Garns, Baltimore Ward 20, Baltimore (Independent City), Maryland, M593 580, p. 459A, indexed as Lidia Guras in home of Geo, H. Cramblitt; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Lydia Garns, Baltimore, Baltimore City, Maryland, Roll 505, p. 375B, E.D. 208, in home of George Cramblitt.

While living in Baltimore, Lydia applied for and received a Mother's Pension based on the service and death of her son Samuel A. Gerns in the Civil War. [807] The pension clearly reports the date of her marriage as Lydia Poorman to John Garn (as Gerns) in agreement with records of the Zion Reformed Church cited above.

Lydia POORMAN was born about 1806 in Pennsylvania. [808] She died about December 1891, probably in Baltimore, Baltimore Co., Maryland. [809] She and her children spelled the name as Garns, Gerns or Gern in most of the records.

Since there is evidence that John deserted Lydia, she may have received help in raising her children, either by sending children to her brother-in-law or by older nephews or nieces moving in with her. The similarity of the names and closeness of birthdates of some of her children to those appearing in the household of her brother-in-law, Christopher Garns, person #117, on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census suggests the possibility that some of Lydia's children may have been living with her brother-in-law's family, or vice versa, when the census was recorded. Her son George is only three years younger than a son by the name George W. Garns in the Christopher Garns household in 1850. And her daughter Nancy, who probably was the Anna who appeared with Lydia on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census, may have been the Ann C. Garns, who was about two years older than Nancy, and appeared in the Christopher Garns household in the 1850 Census.

John GARN and Lydia POORMAN had the following children: [810]

- 392. i. George<sup>8</sup> GARNS was born about 1833 in Pennsylvania.
- 393. ii. Sarah<sup>8</sup> GARNS was born about 1835 in Pennsylvania. We do not find Sarah on the census after 1850.
- 394. iii. **Nancy**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** was born about 1840 in Pennsylvania. She is probably the Anna who appeared on the 1860 Census with Lydia.
- 395. iv. Henry<sup>8</sup> GARNS was born about 1842 in Pennsylvania. We do not find Henry on the census after 1860.
- 396. v. **Samuel A.** \*GERNS\* was born about 1845 in Pennsylvania. He died on 22 August 1862 near Warrenton, Fauquier Co., Virginia. He fought in the Union army during the Civil War, enlisting in Co. B of Purnell's Legion of the Maryland Volunteer Infantry on 18 September 1861 in Baltimore. While in the service, he got typhoid fever and died at Catlett's Station, near Warrenton. His mother's application for a pension based on his service reports that he left no widow or children. [811]
- 397. vi. **Isaac<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born about November 1849 in Pennsylvania.

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 $<sup>^{807}</sup>$  Civil War Pension, Samuel A. Gerns, cited below.

From census records cited above.

Roop Civil War Pension, Samuel A. Gerns, cited below, Lydia dropped from pension rolls on 4 December 1891 because she had died.

<sup>810 1850</sup> U.S. Census for all children and 1860 U.S. Census for last four children, censuses cited above.

Civil War Pension, Samuel A. Gerns, Pvt., Co. B, Purnell's Legion, Maryland, Civil War, Mother's Application #47577, Mother's Certificate #21374. We note here that files received from the National Archives had mixed records of one Samuel A. Gere [sic] in with records of Samuel A. Gerns. Samuel A. Gere served in a Minnesota regiment, married, and is easily shown to be a different person. We cannot explain the mixing of records but note that we have seen mixed Civil War pension records before.

John GARN next married Margaret STOUGH (daughter of George STOUGH) on 6 June 1854 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [812] We are placing the John Garn who married Margaret Stough as the son of Christopher Garn of Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, because Y-DNA testing of one of John and Margaret Stough's descendants is an exact match to Y-DNA of other branches of the family establishing a relationship (see Appendix 2), because he lived in Ashland County, Ohio, among other Garns who are part of the family and had come from either Bedford (Jacob #61) or Franklin County (Adam #59), Pennsylvania, because the Christopher Garn household in the 1810 U.S. Federal Census of Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, had five males under ten years old, one of which had to be this John Garn, because a John Kerns or Gerns, son of Christopher Kerns [sic] of Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, married there, and because he was born too early to have been a son of the older Garns (Adam Garn #59 and Jacob Garn #61) that settled in Ashland County, Ohio. We are convinced that he is the John Kerns [sic] who was reported to be the son of Christopher Kerns [sic] of Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, and whose marriage to Lydia Poorman is reported in church records there. Prior to John Garn's marriage to Margaret in 1854, we find no records on him in Ashland Co., Ohio, His appearance in Ashland Co., Ohio, occurred four years after the 1850 U.S. Federal Census, the last record of him living with Lydia Poorman. Although the pension application of John's wife Lydia Poorman reports that John died in Springfield, Illinois, in October, 1848, we are convinced this was claimed to bolster her chances of getting the pension. John's appearance on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census with Lydia in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania is clear evidence that she knew in 1850 that he had not died in 1848 as Lydia claimed in her pension application dated 12 March 1864.

John and Margaret appeared on the 1860 U.S. Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [813]

Margaret STOUGH was born on 3 March 1817 in Fayette Co., Pennsylvania. [814] She died on 25 February 1888 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [815] A report of her death says she was the widow of John Garns and former widow of Samuel Rhamey, reports where she was born, names her father and reports that he came to Blachleyville, Wayne Co., Ohio, "in an early day," and kept a tavern there for many years. [816] Margaret and her first husband appeared in the 1850 U.S. Census in Mohican Twp. [817] In 1880 Margaret was still in Mohican Twp. where she appeared in the home of her son Jacob Ramey without any of her Garn children. [818] No doubt her children were placed with relatives as we have suggested happened for children born to John's first marriage and to John's brother Christopher, person #117, when he died.

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John GARN and Margaret STOUGH had the following children: [819]
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+398. vii. Mary<sup>8</sup> GARN (1853 - 1935).

+399. viii. Sarah<sup>8</sup> GARN (1856 - 1927).

+400. ix. Henry Wachtel<sup>8</sup> GARN (1861 - 1933).

815 Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, 25 Feb 1888, bk. 2, p. 64.

<sup>812</sup> Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, Book 2, p. 229, she as Miss Margarite Ramy.

<sup>813 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garns, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 260.

From death record.

Necrology Report, Ashland [Ohio] Gazette, 19 September 1888, as reported in The Pastfinder, Quarterly Newsletter of the Ashland County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, vol. 8, issue 1, February 1989, continued from vol. 7, issue 4, November 1988.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Ramey, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432 658, p. 74A.

<sup>818 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Garns, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 115B, E.D. 86.

First two children appear on 1860 U.S. Census cited above, death record of last child places him as their son.

120. **Christina**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #56, and Susannah SMITH) was born about 1806 in Pennsylvania. Christina was confirmed along with her father at the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church on 8 November 1821; see Appendix 11 for details. Her confirmation date together with her age on censuses cited below suggest she was born around 1806, much earlier than 1813, which was reported in McBride and Capener (p. 32). She is named in her father's will, which provided for her and her children. She died after 12 June 1880.

Christina GARN married **Elias MILLER** (son of **Peter MILLER** and **Elizabeth**). [822] McBride and Capener name Elias Miller as Christina's husband and the children listed below as their children. This list of children also appears as heirs of Elias Miller in Chancery Records in Sandusky Co., Ohio, with daughter Susannah listed by her married name, Brubaker. [823] Christina's children, John, William, George, Simon, Susanna Brubaker, Hannah, and Peggy Butler are also named as her children in the will of her father. Note that Susannah is listed as Susannah Brubaker, with the same surname she has in the Chancery Records. [824] So there can be no doubt that Elias Miller was Christina's husband. Since the oldest and youngest appearing on the 1850 Census of Christina, cited later, also are named in her father's will, we may presume that all ten children in the Chancery Records are Christina's.

Elias appears as a minor son of Peter Miller in Orphans Court papers assigning a guardian to Peter Miller's six minor children in 1807, Peter Miller having died intestate in 1805. [825] And a will of Elizabeth Miller probated in 1826 in Bedford County names sons Elias and Andrew and daughter Elizabeth (as Betsy), all three of whom are listed in the 1807 guardianship papers. [826] A history of Bedford County, Pennsylvania, written in 1884 reports descendants of other Millers in the area and allows us to exclude them as the father of this Elias. [827]

Elias' family appeared on the U.S. Federal Census in 1830 in Napier Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [828] They appeared three names before Christina's father's family, who appears on the following page as John Karns.

Elias MILLER was born between 1800 and 1807. [829] He died about 1844. Many have claimed that he died on or before 24 October 1842. We are convinced that this date comes from an incorrect

823 Sandusky Co., Ohio Chancery Records, LG 1, v. 8, pp.44-45, Peggy as Rebecca, source stored at Hayes Library, Fremont, Ohio.

<sup>820</sup> Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 1900, Will of John Garn (as Gern), written 23 July 1860 and probated 16 May 1873. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio, see Appendix 9 for a copy of the will.

She appeared on the 1880 Census, cited below.

<sup>822</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 111

<sup>824</sup> See Appendix 9 for a copy of Christina's father's will.

Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Orphans Court Records, Docket 2, p. 144, undated but record two above dated 7 August 1807, names
Abraham Miller and George Funk as Guardians of the estates of Peter, Elias, Andrew, Elizabeth, Phoebe, and Mary, minor children of
Peter Miller Deceased during their minority; Estate of Peter Miller, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Estates, 1805, File 9.

<sup>826</sup> Will of Elizabeth Miller, Bedford Co. Pennsylvania Estates, 1826, File 1A, names sons Elias and Andrew and daughter Betsy.

History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884), pp. 362, 371, and biography of John E. Miller after p. 366.

<sup>1830</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elias Miller, Jr., Napier Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M19 152, p. 99.

<sup>1830</sup> and 1840 Censuses, cited above, place his birth after 1800 and a guardian was appointed for him in 1807 in a Guardianship appointment cited above.

transcription of the Chancery Record cited earlier, which has the following words on two consecutive lines:

... are the Heirs at law and legal representatives of Elias Miller dec'd [deceased] That said Elias Miller on the 24th day of October AD 1842 became bound...

The confusion appears to be over the transcription of Elias' name in the second line shown above. The handwritten letters in Elias' name in the original record are poorly formed. Some have interpreted the "E" in his first name to be a "C" and the "lia" to be "hri" and concluded that someone named Chris Miller became bound on that day to buy Elias Miller's land even though the "said Chris Miller" is not mentioned elsewhere in the report. The use of the word "said" implies and makes sense only if a Chris Miller has already been discussed in the report. And only Elias Miller is discussed in the report. The correct transcription of the record makes it clear that Elias Miller entered into contract on that day. The Chancery Record was recorded on 29 March 1852, which means that Elias died before that date. We are convinced he died well after 24 March 1842, the date he became "bound" in the Chancery Record because of the birth of a daughter in 1845. This suggests he was living in 1844 or early 1845. After Elias' death Christina appeared on the 1850 Census in Woodville, Sandusky Co., Ohio, with nine of her ten children. [830] A Susannah Brubaker who appeared separately on that census was undoubtedly her married daughter. [831] In 1870 Christina appeared on the census in Madison Twp. and in 1880 she appeared on the census in Washington Twp., both in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [832]

Christina GARN and Elias MILLER had the following children: [833]

- 401. i. William<sup>8</sup> MILLER was born about 1828.
- 402. ii. **Susannah**<sup>8</sup> **MILLER** was born about 1829. She is undoubtedly the Susannah Brubaker who appeared as the wife of Michael or William Brubaker in the 1850 Census.<sup>[834]</sup>
- 403. iii. Catharine<sup>8</sup> MILLER was born about 1831.
- 404. iv. **Hannah**<sup>8</sup> **MILLER** was born about 1832.
- 405. v. **George<sup>8</sup> MILLER** was born about 1834.
- 406. vi. **David<sup>8</sup> MILLER** was born about 1834.
- 407. vii. Abraham<sup>8</sup> MILLER was born about 1836.
- 408. viii. **John<sup>8</sup> MILLER** was born about 1837.
- 409. ix. Simon P.8 MILLER was born about 1842.
- 410. x. **Margaret**<sup>8</sup> **MILLER** was born about 1845. Although named Margaret in McBride and Capener, she appears as Rebecca in Chancery Records of Sandusky County and as Peggy in the will of her grandfather and the 1850 census, cited earlier.

121. **Abraham**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #56, and Susannah SMITH) was born on 5 September 1810 in Buffalo Mills, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[835]</sup> Abraham is named in the will of his father, who gave him \$10.00 and also provided for Abraham's sons John and David. Abraham is also named as a son of John Garn in a

835 Birth date appears in obituary, see Appendix 22; McBride and Capener, p. 32; also from age at death on grave marker.

<sup>830 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Christina Miller, Woodville, Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 25A.

<sup>831 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Susannah Brubaker, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 14A.

<sup>832 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Christina Miller, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 159A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Christina Miller, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 274A, E.D. 84, indexed as Christain Miller.

McBride and Capener, p. 111; Chancery Records, cited above, Margaret as Rebecca; order of children based on 1850 Censuses, cited above

<sup>834 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Susannah Brubaker, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 14A.

letter that his cousin, also named John Garn, wrote to his uncle Samuel Garns.<sup>[836]</sup> Abraham was confirmed at the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church near Buffalo Mills on 26 October 1826; see Appendix 11 for details.

He died on 29 January 1890 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. [837] Abraham wrote his will on 5 March 1889, which was probated in court in Marshall Co., Indiana. A copy of the will appears in Appendix 22. An obituary appeared in The Republican, a Marshall Co. newspaper. A copy of the obituary also appears in Appendix 22.

In 1864 he filed a foreclosure suit against his sons John W. Garn and David Garn. [838] We believe that the suit probably was agreed upon by Abraham and his son John W. Garn. At the time his son John was involved in a paternity suit and may have discontinued payments on property he had acquired from Abraham so that Abraham could foreclose to prevent John from losing the property to satisfy any judgment from the suit. We also believe this property was part of a tract of property that David Garn owned in 1881 when a map showed him as the owner of a section of land northwest of where Abraham lived. [839] We suspect that Abraham owned the quarter of land and sold half to John and half to David and that the suit named both as a precaution. We have not found any evidence that David was also involved in any other legal actions at the time. Abraham was a farmer.

Abraham GARN married **Susanna GARN** (daughter of **John GARN**, person #46, and **Susanna CABLE**) about 1832, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. The evidence for placing Susanna Garn as the wife of Abraham Garn appears in the will and estate of Susanna's father. The will names Susanna Garn as the youngest daughter of John Garn, #46, and the estate gives each daughter's share of the estate to her husband. Susanna's share was given to Abraham Garn. A copy of the will and the part of the estate granting Susanna's share to Abraham Garn may be seen in Appendix 8.



Grave marker for Abraham Garn, person #121

 $<sup>^{836}</sup>$  See Appendix 16 for images and a transcript, second letter written by John Garn.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 30855320; Obituary, see Appendix 22; McBride and Capener, p. 32; Grave marker, Burr Oak or Vorhees Cemetery, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, GPS coodinates of grave marker are N41 deg., 15.947 min., W086 deg., 26.028 min. +- 28 ft.

Abraham Garn vs. John W. Garn and David Garn, Marshall Court of Common Pleas, Marshall Co., Indiana, Second Day, May Term, 1864, foreclosure suit.

<sup>1881</sup> Map of Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, obtained from Marshall County Historical Museum, Plymouth, Indiana, reportedly taken from Daniel McDonald, [History of] *Marshall County Indiana, 1836 - 1880*, (Chicago, 1881), shows land just north of Union Twp. owned by David Garn.

We believe that Abraham and Susanna married in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, because there is no marriage record in Sandusky Co., Ohio, where a marriage record reports the marriage of Abraham's sister to Susanna's brother. Abraham's family appeared on the 1840 U.S. Federal Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [840] Ten years later they appeared on the census again in Jackson Twp. [841] Abraham's obituary reports that they moved from Ohio to Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana in 1858. They appeared there on the 1860 U.S. Census. [842] Abraham and Susanna owned the southeast quarter, or 160 acres, of section 5 of Union Township.<sup>[843]</sup>

We are aware that McBride and Capener (p. 32) give 1828 as the year of Abraham and Susanna's marriage. We are convinced this is incorrect for several reasons. Susanna would have been only 13 years old, which would have been young to marry. There would have been a gap of about five years between when they married and when they had their first child, after which they had children on a regular basis until, according to Abraham's obituary, there were fifteen of them. Her father's will, written 31 August 1832 does not indicate that she was married, and the 1830 U.S. Federal Census of Abraham's father shows a male 15-19 years old in the household, suggesting that Abraham, who would have been about to turn 20 years old, was still in the home. Also in the home of Abraham's father was a 15-19 year old female, who undoubtedly was Abraham's younger sister, Catherine, and not a wife of Abraham. Therefore we are convinced the marriage was not in 1828 and was probably a year or so before their first child was born.

Abraham received a patent for land in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1835. [844]

Susanna is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Susanna<sup>7</sup> GARN (John<sup>6</sup>): Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #102, in this book. Additional information about Susanna may be found in her biography at person #102.

Abraham GARN and Susanna GARN had fifteen children. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the children have already been named and given numbers 357 to 371 and appear earlier in the book with the biography of Susanna, person #102.

Abraham GARN next married Lydia BAUGHMAN on 18 November 1866 in Summit Co., Ohio. [845] She had the surname Crocker when they married. And we are aware that McBride and Capener (Eratta sheet, p. vii) report that her surname was Crocker. However, the Civil War pension file of Myron Crocker provides evidence that his wife was Lydia Baughman and that after Myron's death Lydia remarried to Abraham Garn of Union Township, Marshall County, Indiana. [846] The pension file has

<sup>1840</sup> U. S. Census of Abram Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 425, p. 20.

<sup>841 1850</sup> U. S. Federal Census, Abram Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 42B, as Gern.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>842</sup> 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Abraham Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, M653\_278, p. 739, indexed as Abraham Garries.

<sup>1881</sup> Map of Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, obtained from Marshall County Historical Museum, Plymouth, Indiana, reportedly taken from Daniel McDonald, [History of] Marshall County Indiana, 1836 – 1880, (Chicago, 1881).

Bureau of Land Management, Government Land Office Records, Accession/ Serial Nr.: OH0950\_.476, Document Nr. 12134, by

Marriage Record for Abram Garn and Lydia Crocker, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 28 March 2011, cites FHL# 900963, Ref. no 174, two separate transcriptions, one as Aham Garr to Lydia Crocker (101738-6) and one as Abram Gam to Lydia A. Crocker (M51436-4).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>846</sup> Civil War Pension File for Myron Crocker, Co. E., 124th Ohio Infantry, Widow's Application No. 37665, Widow's Certificate No. 95344, Minor's Application No. 157018, Minor's Certificate No. 128556, note that the National Archives microfilmed pension index card for Myron mistakenly names the guardian as David Crocker instead of David Garn, who is named as Guardian in the pension file.

copies of records of both marriages of Lydia, first as Lydia Baughman and later as Lydia Crocker. After Lydia's remarriage, she lost her pension based on Myron Crocker's service and death. However, her minor children were still eligible for support. Guardianship Papers that were executed in Marshall County, Indiana, and were included in the pension file named David Garn as their Guardian. This David Garn was clearly the son of Abraham Garn, Lydia's second husband.

Abraham, Lydia, and several of Abraham's children appear on the 1870 U.S. Census in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. A 15-year-old Mary Crocker, who appeared with them on the 1870 Census and was listed as a servant girl, matches a Mary J. Crocker who appeared on the 1860 Census of Miron and Lydia Crocker in Summit Co., Ohio. [848]

Abraham, along with several of his children, moved from Indiana to Nebraska some time after the 1870 U.S. Census because he appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census with Lydia in Beatrice Twp., Gage Co., Nebraska. [849] Abraham's sons Martin, Joshua and Benjamin Franklin Garn were also in the township in the 1880 U.S. Census. Abraham probably moved back to Indiana soon after the census because his son Martin moved back before 1 January 1881 when a child was born in Indiana.

Lydia BAUGHMAN was born on 28 July 1818 in Ohio. [850] She died on 24 August 1892. [851]

122. **Catherine**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #56, and Susannah SMITH) was born about 1811 in Buffalo Mills, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She is named in the will of her father, which identified her as the deceased wife of John Garn, Jr., and provided for their children, Hannah, Mariah, Dalia[sic], and John, in that order.<sup>[852]</sup> She was christened on 28 August 1813 in the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[853]</sup> She died about 1840.<sup>[854]</sup> The birth of her son in 1839 and her husband's remarriage in 1841 places her death around 1840.

Catherine GARN married **John GARN** (son of **John GARN**, person #46, and **Susanna CABLE**) on 7 February 1833 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [855] Although Catherine had died by the time the 1850 U.S. Census was recorded, her children appeared with their father and their step-mother in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [856] The order of the children on that census and in the will of Catherine's father rearranges the order given by McBride and Capener. [857]

<sup>1870</sup> U. S. Census of Abram Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, page 28 or 212+, dwelling 196, family 196.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Miron Crocker, Norton Twp., Summit Co., Ohio, M653\_1039, p. 56.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Census of Abraham Garn, Beatrice Twp., Gage Co., Nebraska, Roll 749, p. 40B, E.D. 343.

<sup>850 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 38468239.

<sup>851 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 38468239.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 1900, Will of John Garn (as Gern), written 23 July 1860 and probated 16 May 1873. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

See Appendix 11 for an image of the record.

<sup>854 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 110404067.

<sup>855</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, Vol. A, p. 64, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), both with surname Gerns.

<sup>856 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn [as Gern], Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 42A.

McBride and Capener, pp. 110 and 298.

John is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as John<sup>7</sup> GARN (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #98, in this book. Additional information about John may be found in his biography at person #98.

Catherine GARN and John GARN had four children. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the children have already been named and given numbers 313 to 316 and appear earlier in the book with the biography of John, person #98.

125. **John<sup>7</sup> GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Adam GARN, person #59) was born on 19 May 1813 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [858] He died on 2 May 1889 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [859] His grave marker appears to report his death on 1 May 1889.<sup>[860]</sup>

John Garn wrote letters in 1863 and 1876 to his Uncle Samuel Garns (as Garn), person #62, which helped establish relationships among several members of the Garn family. Images and our transcript of these letters may be seen in Appendix 16.

John wrote his will on 28 February 1882, which was probated in Ashland Co., Ohio, and named all eight of his children. [861] A copy of his will appears in Appendix 20. He probably was the John Garn who was elected as a Mohican Township Trustee in April 1862.<sup>[862]</sup>

John GARN married Mary HART (daughter of George HART) on 1 December 1836 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [863] John and Mary appeared on the 1850 - 1870 U.S. Federal Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [864] Mary's father was living with the family when the 1850 U.S. Census was recorded. John appeared without Mary on the 1880 U.S. Census, where it was reported that he was a widower. [865] His son John L. and daughter-in-law Rose were living with him when the census was taken.



Grave marker for John Garn, person #125

<sup>858</sup> From age at death.

<sup>859 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443195; Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, 2 May 1889, book 2, p. 65, 1890, #1.

<sup>860</sup> Grave marker, cited with Find A Grave above and Bethel Cemetery records cited below.

<sup>861</sup> Ashland Co., Ohio Wills, Book 5, pp. 245-247.

<sup>862</sup> H. S. Knapp, A History of the Pioneer and Modern Times of Ashland County, from the Earliest to the Present Date, (Philadelphia,

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 4A, p. 152, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898*, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 87; Mary named as Mary Hart on death records of sons Adam and William and as Polly Hart on death record of son John L.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, pp. 57B-58A, indexed as John Garens; 1860 U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653 930, p. 240, indexed as John Garns; 1870 U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593 1169, p. 698B, indexed as John Garns.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL#1254991, p. 125B, E.D. 86.

Mary HART was born about 1816 in Pennsylvania. She died on 16 December 1875 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [866] John and Mary were buried in Bethel Cemetery in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, where John's parents were buried. [867]

John GARN and Mary HART had the following children: [868]

- i. Amanda<sup>8</sup> GARN was born about 1841, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. She married **S. B. KELLY** on 6 August 1868 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [869] This couple may have been the Samuel B. Kelly and wife Amanda who lived in Williams Co., Ohio in 1880 and in Wichita, Kansas in 1910. [870]
- ii. Adam A.8 GARN (1842 1932).
- iii. **Melinda<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1844 1890).
- iv. Elizabeth Ann<sup>8</sup> GARN was born about 1847, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. She married **Calvin HENRY** on 5 September 1867 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [871]
- v. William M.<sup>8</sup> GARN (1849 1927).
- +416. vi. Rebecca<sup>8</sup> GARN (1853 1923).
- +417. vii. **John L.<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1855 1941).
- +418. viii. Mary Catharine<sup>8</sup> GARN (1857 1934).

126. Jacob GARN (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Adam GARN, person #59) was born on 6 July 1815, probably in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [872] He died on 17 September 1888 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [873] His death record reports that he was a farmer and that his death was caused by a tumor.

Jacob GARN married Elizabeth JACKSON on 23 November 1837 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [874] Jacob and Elizabeth appeared on the 1850-1880 U.S. Federal Censuses in Mohican Twp. [875] Elizabeth JACKSON was born on 1 January 1816 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania. [876] She died on 17 May 1883 in Perry Twp.,

Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 193.

<sup>866</sup> Appendix 16, second letter, gives details of her death.

Ashland Co., Ohio Wills, Book 5, pp. 245-247, names all children; birth information about children from censuses cited above unless otherwise reported.

Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 6 August 1868, book 3, p. 434.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Madison Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, Roll 1077, FHL#1255077, p. 468B, E.D. 3; 1910 U.S. Federal Census, Wichita Ward 2, Sedgwick Co., Kansas, T624 456, p. 5A, E. D. 113.

Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 5 September 1867, bk 3, p. 380, we believe this record is for this Elizabeth Ann Garn but have not found other records to confirm the association.

<sup>873 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 39592766; Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, book 2, p. 65, 1889, #1.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 4A, p. 101, as reported in Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 87; Death records of both children name Elizabeth Jackson as the mother.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432 658, p. 57B, indexed as Jacob Gassens; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653 930, p. 242, indexed as Jacob Garns; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593 1169, p. 696B, indexed as Jacob Gorn; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL# 1254991, p. 205A, E.D. 90.

Necrology report and obituary, cited below.

Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[877]</sup> Her obituary and a necrology report agree on her death date and both place her birth on 1 January 1816. However, both also report her age at death to have been 67 years, 3 months, 23 days, which places her birth on 24 January 1816. Her grave marker reports her death date and age at death, which are consistent with the death date and age at death in the obituary and necrology report. [878] We are uncertain which birth date is correct.

Jacob GARN and Elizabeth JACKSON had the following children: [879]

- +419. i. **Henry J.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1839 1924).
- +420. ii. Sarah<sup>8</sup> GARN (1842 1926).

128. **Catharine**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59) was born about 1823 in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [880] She died on 25 July 1885 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [881]

She appears as Catharine Mower, the third child named in her father's will. Her father's will mentions the sale of land to William Mower, which can be identified on maps as part of 160 acres immediately north of Adam Garn's property. [882]

Catharine GARN married **William MAURER** (son of **John MAURER** and **Barbara ROTHARMAL**) on 12 March 1840 in Wayne Co., Ohio. William and Catharine appeared on the 1850-1880 U.S. Federal Censuses in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. William MAURER was born on 30 April 1813 in Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania. The surname appears as Maurer, Mawer, Mower, Mowrer, and Mowrey on the records.

Catharine GARN and William MAURER had the following children: [886]

421. i. William<sup>8</sup> MAURER was born about 1840 in Ohio.

Necrology Report within S. Riddle, *History of Ashland County, Pioneer Historical Society*, (Ashland, Ohio, 1888), p.115; Obituary of

879 1850 and 1860 Federal Censuses cited above and death records of children cited below.

Necrology Report within S. Riddle, *History of Ashland County, Pioneer Historical Society*, (Ashland, Ohio, 1888), p.115; Obituary of Elizabeth Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 24 May 1883, as reported by Anne Dallas Budd, *Newspaper Abstracts of Ashland County, Ohio*, (Port Cliinton, Ohio, 1992), v1, Abbe-Grose, found at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Belleville, Ohio.

<sup>878 &</sup>lt;findagrave.com>, Memorial# 39592765.

Place from George William Hill, *History of Ashland County, Ohio, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches*, (Cleveland, 1880, reprinted Evansville, Indiana, 1972), p. 332; date from census records cited below.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894*, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 76, as Catharine Maurer of Perry Twp., d. 25 July 1885, age at death, 63y.

Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #5, Perry Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1987), p. xi, section 34; Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. xii, section 3.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 4A, p. 333, he transcribed as William Musser, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898*, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 371; George William Hill, *History of Ashland County, Ohio, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches*, (Cleveland, 1880, reprinted Evansville, Indiana, 1972), p. 332.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Maurer, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 40A; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of William Mowery, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 238; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of William Maurer, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 794B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of William Mawer, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 992, p. 209B, E.D. 90.

George William Hill, *History of Ashland County, Ohio, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches*, (Cleveland, 1880, reprinted Evansville, Indiana, 1972), p. 332.

George William Hill, *History of Ashland County, Ohio, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches*, (Cleveland, 1880, reprinted Evansville, Indiana, 1972), p. 332.

- ii. Adam<sup>8</sup> MAURER was born about 1842 in Ohio.
- iii. John<sup>8</sup> MAURER was born about 1845 in Ohio.
- 424. iv. Mary Ann<sup>8</sup> MAURER was born about 1847 in Ohio.

129. Hannah<sup>7</sup> GARN (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59) was born on 12 May 1825. [887] She died on 20 July 1859. [888]

Hannah GARN married William RYLAND on 16 January 1843 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [889] William and Hannah appeared on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [890] William RYLAND was born on 28 August 1814 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [891] He died on 5 June 1889 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [892] In 1880 we find someone named William Ryland married to a woman named Sarah. This is undoubtedly the same William Ryland who appears on the 1850 Census with Hannah since he was a carpenter on both censuses and born about 1815 on one and about 1814 on the other. [893]

Hannah GARN and William RYLAND had the following children: [894]

- i. Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> RYLAND was born about 1844 in Ohio. 425.
- 426. ii. Jane<sup>8</sup> RYLAND was born about 1846 in Ohio.
- iii. Sophsoma<sup>8</sup> RYLAND was born about 1848 in Ohio.
- iv. Parvin<sup>8</sup> RYLAND was born about April 1850 in Ohio. [895] In 1860 he appeared on the census as a 10-year-old in the household of Wesley Chesrown. [896] He married Melinda FAIR (daughter of Christian FAIR and Elizabeth SCHMUCK) on 24 September 1874 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [897] They lived in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio in 1880. [898] Melinda FAIR was born on 11 December 1852 in Ohio. [899] She died on 3 March 1934 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [900]

888 <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 93096646; Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194, grave inscription for Hannah Ryland, w/o Wm, Bethel Cemetery, Section 2, Mohican Twp.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mbox{\footnotesize 887}}$  From age at death on grave marker.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 4B, p. 16, he transcribed as William Riland, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898*, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 371.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Wm. Ryland, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432 658, p. 58A.

Date from age at death on grave marker, place from death record.

Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194, grave inscription for William Ryland, Bethel Cemetery, Section 2, Mohican Twp., age at death, 74y, 9m, 8d; Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1*, 1880 - 1894, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 105, William Ryland, birth in Bedford Co., PA, death in Mohican Twp.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Ryland, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 127B, E.D. 86.

Children named in 1850 U.S. Census cited above and individual records as noted below.

<sup>895</sup> From 1850 U.S. Census of parents and 1860 U.S. Census cited below.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Wesley Chesrown, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653 930, p. 256, Parvin Ryland living in household.

<sup>&</sup>lt;br/><beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 7 November 2010, cites FHL# 425756, Ref. No. vol. 8, p. 350, she as

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Parvin Ryland, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1077, p. 283B, E.D. 235, spouse as Belinda.

 $<sup>^{900}</sup>$  Death Record of Melinda Ryland, Ohio Deaths, 3 March 1934, File No. 20383, names spouse, parents.

- 429. v. Mary M.<sup>8</sup> RYLAND was born on 4 May 1855. [901] She died on 12 September 1856. [902]
- 131. **Elizabeth<sup>7</sup> GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born about 1829 in Pennsylvania. [903] She may have been the widowed, 73-year-old Elizabeth Harpster, who died on 7 January 1902 in Summit Co., Ohio. [904] However, we have not been able to verify this.

Elizabeth GARN married **William HARPSTER** on 2 March 1851 in Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[905]</sup> They appeared on the 1860 U.S. Census in Perry Twp., and the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[906]</sup> In 1900 an Elizabeth Harpster of the right age appears as a mother-in-law in the home of John F. and Amanda Hoy. <sup>[907]</sup> William HARPSTER was born about 1827 in Ohio. <sup>[908]</sup> Two censuses report he was born in Ohio and one reports a birth in Pennsylvania.

Elizabeth GARN and William HARPSTER had the following children: [909]

- 430. i. Sarah A.8 HARPSTER was born about 1856 in Ohio.
- 431. ii. **Henry**<sup>8</sup> **HARPSTER** was born on 8 November 1857 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [910] He died on 13 February 1933 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [911] He married **Mary**. [912]
- 432. iii. **Joseph<sup>8</sup> HARPSTER** was born on 3 March 1860 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [9<sup>13</sup>] He appears as John on the 1870 U.S. Federal Census. He died on 7 November 1941 in Canton, Stark Co., Ohio. [914] He married **Minnie**. [915]
- 433. iv. **Adam<sup>8</sup> HARPSTER** was born on 17 December 1864 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [916] He died on 11 September 1887 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [917]
- 434. v. **Erwin<sup>8</sup> HARPSTER** was born on 30 September 1866 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [918] He died on 8 September 1887 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [919]

From age at death on grave marker, cited below.

<sup>902</sup> Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194, grave inscription for Mary M. Ryland, d/o Wm & H, d. 12 Sept 1856, age at death, 1y, 4m, 8d, Bethel Cemetery, Section 2, Mohican Twp.

From census records cited below.

<sup>904 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 9 November 2010, cites FHL# 900949, Ref. No. v. 3, p. 106, widowed.

Marriage Record for William Harpster and Elizabeth Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, 2 March 1851, bk. 2, p. 46.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Harpster, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 238; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of William Harpster, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 697A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of William Harpster, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 123B, E.D. 86.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John F. Hoy, Baughman Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T623\_1331, p. 2A, E.D. 138, wife Amanda, mother-in-law Elizabeth Harpster.

From census records cited above.

<sup>909</sup> Children appear on censuses cited above and on records cited with individuals below.

<sup>910</sup> From death record.

Death Record for Henry Harpster, Ohio Deaths, 13 February 1933, File No. 7145, names parents, mother as Elizabeth Garns spouse as Mary Harpster.

<sup>912</sup> Spouse named on death record.

<sup>913</sup> From death record.

Death Record for Joseph Harpster, Ohio Deaths, 7 November 1941, File No. 69854, names parents, spouse as Minnie Harpster.

<sup>915</sup> Spouse named on death record.

From age at death on death record.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 51.

- 435. vi. **Ezra<sup>8</sup> HARPSTER** was born on 21 October 1868 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [920] He died on 15 April 1936 in Rittman, Wayne Co., Ohio. [921] He married **Anna**. [922]
- 436. vii. Amanda N.<sup>8</sup> HARPSTER was born about 1872 in Ohio.<sup>[923]</sup> She married John F. HOY.<sup>[924]</sup> We believe Amanda married John F. Hoy based on the appearance of a mother-in-law named Elizabeth Harpster who is the correct age in the home of John and Amanda Hoy on the 1900 U.S. Census. John F. HOY was born about 1869 in Ohio.

132. **Maria**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born on 13 August 1832 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [925] She died on 26 August 1925 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [926] It is interesting to note that her death record reports that her father was born in Jersey, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. We were unable to find a Jersey in Bedford Co. [927] Undoubtedly the reference to Jersey was meant to be New Jersey. However, the inclusion of Bedford County establishes a link with her uncles who lived there even though we have not uncovered evidence that Maria's father ever lived there.

Maria GARN married **Henry G. BARKLEY** (son of **Jacob BARKLEY** and **Mary GRINDLE**) on 30 March 1858 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [928] Although Henry's parents are not named in the report of his death, they are named on the death record of Peter Barkley, who married Maria's sister Barbara. Henry and Peter appear as children in the 1850 U.S. Federal Census of Mary Barkley convincing us that Henry is also a child of Jacob and Mary. [929] Henry and Maria appeared on the census in 1860 and 1870 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co. [930] In 1880 they lived in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [931] After Henry's death, Maria lived in Ashland County with her two sons living in the home with her. [932]

<sup>918</sup> From age at death on death record.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 51.

From death record

Death Record for Ezra Harpster, Ohio Deaths, 15 April 1936, File No. 28683, names parents, mother as Betsy Garn, spouse as Anna Harpster.

Spouse named on death record.

From census records.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John F. Hoy, Baughman Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T623\_1331, p. 2A, E.D. 138, wife Amanda, mother-in-law Elizabeth Harpster.

From death record.

Death Record for Maria Barkley, Ohio Deaths, 26 August 1925, File No. 49004, widowed, spouse as Henry G. Barkley, father as John A. Garn, mother as Eve Sell, father's birth in Jersey [sic], Bedford Co., Pa; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443184.

Private Communication, Gillian Leach, Director, Bedford Co., Historical Society, Bedford, PA.

<sup>928</sup> Marriage Record for Henry Barkley and Mariah Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, 30 March 1858, bk. 2, p. 418; Marriage also reported in Henry's Civil War pension file.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Census of Mary Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 39B, Mary head of household with sons Peter,18 and Henry, 16.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 239; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 795A.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Barkley, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1077, p. 286A, E.D. 235.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Maria Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 7A, E.D. 15; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Maria Barkley, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 1A, E.D. 9; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Maria Barkley, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 13A, E.D. 9.

Henry G. BARKLEY was born on 3 March 1833 in Ohio. [933] He died on 4 February 1894 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [934] Henry served in the Union army during the Civil War. [935] He enlisted in Co. I, 163rd Ohio Volunteer Infantry on 2 May 1864 at Jeromesville, Ohio and was discharged on 10 September 1864 at Camp Chase, Ohio. He claimed and received a pension based on, "ague, kidney, liver and malariat [malaria] trouble and sciatic rheumatism at Fort Pocahantas, Va in August 1864." Henry and Maria were buried in Bethel Cemetery in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [936] His grave marker also reports his service in the Civil War.

Maria GARN and Henry G. BARKLEY had the following children: [937]

- i. **Malcus**<sup>8</sup> **BARKLEY** was born about 1859 in Ohio. He died before 1870. He is named on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census and is not found on the 1870 Census. His mother in the 1910 U.S. Federal Census reported being the mother of three children of whom two were still living.
- 438. ii. **Thornton G.<sup>8</sup> BARKLEY** was born on 19 November 1865 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[938]</sup> He died on 15 May 1946 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[939]</sup> He was single in every census on which we found him.
- 439. iii. **Henry Ubertis<sup>8</sup> BARKLEY** was born on 19 May 1868 in Ohio. [940] He died on 3 January 1951 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [941] In 1930 he was head of the household with his brother Thornton living with him. [942] His death record reports that he never married.
- 133. **Barbara Ann<sup>7</sup> GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born on 30 August 1835 in Ohio.<sup>[943]</sup> She died on 11 October 1910 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[944]</sup>

Barbara Ann GARN married **Peter BARKLEY** (son of **Jacob BARKLEY** and **Mary GRINDLE**) on 13 July 1856 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [945] In 1860 they lived in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co. [946] They lived

Death Record for Thornton G. Barkley, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 10 November 2010, cites FHL# 2372807, Cert. No. 27577, names parents.

<sup>933</sup> From age at death on death record.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 5.

Oivil War Pension file for Henry G. Barkley, Co. I, 163rd Ohio Volunteer Infantry, App. #603659, Cert. #379838, Wid. App. 591205, Wid. Cert. 400332.

<sup>936</sup> Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194.

Children are named on censuses cited above and on death records cited below.

From death record

From death record.

Death Record for Henry Ubertis Barkley, Ohio Deaths, 3 January 1951, File No. 00098, as H. U. Barkley, names parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>942</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Henry U. Barkley, Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 3A, E.D. 14, indexed as Harry H. Barkley.

From death record.

Death Record for Barbara Barkley, Ohio Deaths, 11 Oct 1910, File No. 70042, widowed, father as Adam Garn, mother as Eve Sell, informant as Sylvester Barkley; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 43700723.

Marriage Record for Peter Barclay [sic] and Barbary [sic] A. Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk. 2, p. 331.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Barkley, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653 930, pp. 240-241.

in Perry Twp., Ashland Co. when the 1870-1900 Censuses were taken. [947] In 1910 Barbara was widowed, head of the household, with sister Margaret M. Harmon living with her. [948]

Peter BARKLEY was born on 24 January 1832 in Ohio.<sup>[949]</sup> He died on 5 November 1909 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[950]</sup> Peter served in Co. I, 163rd Ohio Infantry in the Union army during the Civil War.<sup>[951]</sup> He enlisted on 2 May 1864 at Columbus, Ohio, and was honorably discharged in Columbus on 10 September 1864.

Barbara Ann GARN and Peter BARKLEY had the following children: [952]

- i. **Sylvester**<sup>8</sup> **BARKLEY** was born on 24 September 1858 in Ohio. [953] He died on 6 January 1935 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [954] He appears as Wesley O. on the 1880 U.S. Census with his parents. He married **Martha Ann WILE** on 28 January 1883 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [955] They lived in Perry Twp., Ashland Co. when the 1910 Census was taken. [956] Martha Ann WILE was born about 1865 in Ohio.
- 441. ii. **Irvin W. BARKLEY** was born on 7 January 1860 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [957] His death record reports that he was born exactly four years earlier even though the date shown here is computed from his age at death on the same death record. A birth in 1860 is consistent with census records, cited with his parents and below. The 1900 census reports a birth in January, 1860. And his birth is reported as 5 [sic] January 1860 in the Civil War pension file of his father. He died on 12 June 1941 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [958] His grave marker reports his name as Irving W. Barkley. [959] In 1930 he lived with a daughter in Wooster, Ohio, when the census was taken. [960] He married **Mary C. PURDY** on 10 August 1879 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [961] They lived in Ashland, Ohio in 1900 and 1920. [962] Mary C. PURDY was born about 1862 in Ohio. [963]

Death Record for Peter Barkley, Ohio Deaths, 5 November 1909, File No. 59226, married, parents as Jacob Barkley and Mary Grindle, Sylvester Barkley as informant.

Oivil War Pension file for Peter Barkley, Co. I, 163rd Ohio Volunteer Infantry, App. #522058, Cert. #308823, Wid. App. 931702, Wid. Cert. 694658.

<sup>1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 794B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Peter Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 206C, E.D. 90; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Peter Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 6B, E.D. 15, includes Hallie D. Kendig, age 14, as granddaughter.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Barbra [sic] A. Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 2B, E.D. 16, widowed, includes Margaret M. Harmon, age 62, as sister.

From death record

<sup>952</sup> Children and their births are reported in Peter's Civil War pension file; Children appear on censuses cited above and on individual records as noted below.

From death record; Date also reported in Civil War pension file of his father.

Death Record for Sylvester Barkley, Ohio Deaths, 6 Jan 1935, File No. 7219, names parents.

Don and Lucille Boyd, *Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886*, (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), at Vol. 5, p. 2 of section indexed by males, cites p. 335 of original.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>956</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Sylvester Barkley, Perry Twp., Aslland Co., Ohio, t624 1151, p. 2B, E.D. 16.

From age-at-death on death record.

Death Record for Irvin W. Barkley, Ohio Deaths, 12 June 1941, File No. 39881, 81y, 5m, 5d at death, widowd, names parents, mother as Barbra Garnes Barkley, spouse incorrectly as Barbara Garnes Barkley, Mrs. Chas. C. Smith as informant.

<sup>959 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 23849580, as Irving W. Barkley.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>960</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Csnsus of Charles C. Smith, Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1888, p. 6B, E.D. 34, Arvin [sic] Barkley, age 70, living in household as father-in-law of head.

Don and Lucille Boyd, *Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886*, (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), at Vol. 5, p. 2 of section indexed by males, cites p. 87 of original.

- 442. iii. **Ida M.**<sup>8</sup> **BARKLEY** was born on 4 March 1867 in Ohio. [964] She died on 23 April 1938 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [965] She married **Elza FRIDLINE** on 4 October 1891 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [966] They appeared on the 1900 Census in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, with several children. [967] Elza FRIDLINE was born in November 1867 in Ohio. He died in 1914. [968]
- 134. **Susannah**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born on 11 April 1837 in Ohio. [969] She died on 18 December 1858. [970] She appears on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census of her parents and in her husband's Civil War pension file.

Susannah GARN married **James Alexander HOSLER** on 14 October 1855 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [971] According to Alexander's Civil War pension file, he remarried to Sarah A. Grindle after Susannah died and Sarah remarried Jerry Mish after Alexander died.

James Alexander HOSLER was born on 25 March 1837.<sup>[972]</sup> His pension file, cited below, notes in several places that his formal name was James Alexander Hosler but that he went by the name and was called by the name Alexander Hosler, the name that appears on his marriage record. He died on 27 March 1863 in Millikens Bend, Madison Co., Louisiana.<sup>[973]</sup>

Alexander Hosler served in the Union army during the Civil War. [974] He joined Co. I, 16th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, on 16 August 1862 and died in the service. The circumstances of his death were reported in several affidavits in his pension file. One by William Grindle reported that he was personally acquainted with James A. Hosler...

<sup>962 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Erwin [sic] Barkley, Ashland Ward 3, Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 7B, E.D. 12; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Irvin W. Barkley, Ashland Ward 3, Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 6A, E.D. 13.

From census records.

From Civil War pension file of her father; death record reports birth four days later.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, Deaths, 1908-1953," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 11 June 2014, Ida M. Fridline, 23 April 1938, spouse as Elga Fridline, parents as Peter Barkley and Barbara Gain, birth on 8 March 1867, cites Richland, Ohio, ref. 24873, FHL# 2023561; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 14231469.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 11 June 2104, Elza Fridline and Ida May Barkly, 4 October 1891, cites Ashland Co., Ohio, ref. p. 299, cn9352, FHL# 2079407.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elza Fridline, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1237, Page 7A, E.D. 15, FHL# 1241237.

 $<sup>^{968}</sup>$   $<\!\!$  www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 14146353.

Derived from age at death on grave marker.

Death reported in her husband's Civil War pension file, cited below; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443228; Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194, grave inscription for Susan Hosler, w/o J.A., d. 18 December 1858, age at death, 21y, 8m, 7d, Bethel Cemetery, Mohican Twp., Section 2.

Marriage Record for James Alexander Hosler and Susannah Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk. 2, p. 294, he as Alexander Hosler.

From grave marker inscription, cited below.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;a href="www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 44443227; Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194, grave inscription for J.A. Hosler., Bethel Cemetery, Mohican Twp., Section 2.

Civil War Pension file, James A. Hosler, Co. I, 16th Ohio Infantry, Wid. App. #19659, Wid. Cert. #38551, Minor App. # 191242, Minor Cert. # 149233.

who died at Millikens Bend La on the 27th day of March A.D. 1863, of injuries received in the chest on or about the 25th day of December 1862, on the Mississippi River between Memphis and Vicksburg, on board the "Fanny Bullet" by the fall of a stick of cord wood, from the wood scaffold of said boat, in the night time while soldier was lying on his back asleep, striking him endways [in the chest], leaving him unconscious for a time and much injured from which injuries he never recovered but continued getting worse...

The pension file reports that he died in his tent at Millikens Bend three months later. His grave marker also reports that he served in Co. I, 16th Ohio Volunteer Infantry. [975]

Susannah GARN and James Alexander HOSLER had the following child: [976]

i. Leora<sup>8</sup> HOSLER was born on 14 August 1856 in Ohio. [977] In 1860 she appeared on the census as a 3-year-old in the home of her grandparents, Adam and Eve Garn. In 1870 she was living with John Hosler and wife Rebecca. [978] She was undoubtedly a niece. An affidavit in her father's Civil War pension file, which was submitted by Eve and Mary Garn was clearly provided by her grandmother Eve and Mary, possibly the wife of her mother's half brother John Garn. The paper reported that they had been present when Leora was born. (As midwives?) Numerous papers in the pension file declare that after her father's death, her step-mother drew a pension but provided no support for her. After her step-mother's remarriage, her guardian secured a Minor's Pension for her based on her father's service. She married Aaron Sanford PALMER on 29 January 1874 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [979] The marriage record does not give ages for either husband or wife. However, we believe the Leora Hossler [sic] reported in this marriage was Alexander and Susannah's daughter.

135. **Rebecca<sup>7</sup> GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born on 6 September 1839 in Ohio.<sup>[980]</sup> She died on 27 May 1861.<sup>[981]</sup>

Rebecca GARN married **William O. ZIMMERMAN** on 15 September 1859 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [982] We are convinced that Adam Garn's daughter is the Rebecca Garn who married William O. Zimmerman. The other Rebecca Garn in the area was under ten years old and can be proven to have

<sup>975 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443227.

Ohild named Civil War pension file of her father; Child is named as Oly Hosler in her grandfather's will and appears on 1860 Census in Adam Garn household.

Date appears in her father's Civil War pension file.

<sup>978 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Hossler, Vermillion Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 857A.

Marriage Record for Aaron Sanford Palmer and Leora Hosler, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 19 August 2011, cites FHL# 425756, she as Hossler; Marriage Record for Aaron S. Palmer and Leora Hosler, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 19 August 2011, cites FHL# 425756, ref. no. vol. 8, p. 285, she as Leona Hossler.

From age at death on grave marker.

Find A Grave Memorial for Rebecca Zimmerman, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443262; Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194, grave inscription for Rebecca, w/o Wm, Bethel Cemetery, Section 2, Mohican Twp.

<sup>982</sup> Marriage Record of William O. Zimmerman and Rebecca Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk. 2, p. 488.

married someone else. William and Rebecca appeared on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [983]

William O. ZIMMERMAN was born about 1836 in Ohio. [984] He is probably the son of Eli Zimmerman who was Adam Garn's neighbor and was also requested by Adam Garn to be appointed as an appraiser of his estate. Eli Zimmerman appears on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census living near Adam Garn with a son William who is the right age to be the William who married Rebecca. [985] After Rebecca died, William remarried. [986] Children who appeared in his home on the 1870 Census were too young to have been Rebecca's children. [987] Therefore we believe Rebecca did not have any children who survived to adulthood.

Rebecca GARN and William O. ZIMMERMAN had the following child: [988]

444. i. **Hesacia<sup>8</sup> ZIMMERMAN** was born on 21 December 1860. [989] He died on 12 September 1861. [990]

136. **Solomon**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born on 22 December 1841 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[991]</sup> He died on 30 June 1883 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[992]</sup> His mother lived with him when the 1880 U.S. Federal Census was recorded.<sup>[993]</sup> His grave marker reports that he served in the Union army during the Civil War as a Private in Co. I, 16th Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Solomon GARN married **Rhoda Ann HOLLINGER** (daughter of **Jacob HOLLINGER** and **Sarah BROWN**) on 9 April 1865 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [994] In 1870 and 1880 they lived in Perry Twp.,



Grave marker for Solomon Garn, person #136

985 1850 U.S. Federal Census of Eli Zimmerman, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 39A.

Gravemarker, as s/o W. & R., listed immediately before the inscription of his mother's grave marker cited with her.

<sup>983 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Zimmerman, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653 930, p. 241

<sup>984</sup> From 1860 U.S. Census.

Marriage Record for William O. Zimmerman and Martha M. Eagle, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 12 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079406, Ref. No. v3, p. 181, rn 59.

<sup>1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Zimmerman, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593 1169, p. 249.

 $<sup>^{988}</sup>$  Named as child of W & R. on his grave marker listed before his mother's grave inscription, cited above.

From age at death

From age at death on death record and grave marker.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894*, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 44, death on 30 June 1883, age at death, 41y6m8d; Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194, grave inscription for Solomon Garn, d. 30 June 1883, age at death, 41y6m8d, Bethel Cemetery, Section 2, Mohican Twp.; GPS coordinates of grave marker, N40deg, 48.798min, W082deg, 08.292min +-18 feet.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Solomon E. Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 211A, E.D. 90, includes widowed mother Eve Garn in household.

Marriage Record for Solomon Garn and Rhoda A. Hollinger, 9 April 1865, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk.3, p. 222.

Ashland Co., Ohio. [995] Rhoda Ann HOLLINGER was born on 26 October 1846 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [996] She died on 23 August 1938 in Massillon, Stark Co., Ohio. [997] After Solomon died, Rhoda remarried to Jacob Clippinger. [998] She was a defendant, as Rhoda A. Clippinger, in a suit filed against Solomon's heirs in 1903. [999]

Solomon GARN and Rhoda Ann HOLLINGER had the following children: [1000]

- +445. i. **Amanus Thomas<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1865 1941).
- +446. ii. **Solomon Edgar<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1874 1943).

137. **Christiana**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born on 13 April 1846 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. She appears in her father's will as Christiana. However, we find her name spelled as Christian, Christie Ann, Christy Ann, Christiann and Christine in the records. She died on 9 September 1906 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1002]

Christiana GARN married **Henry SEALER** (son of **George SEALER** and **Amanda SHUEY**) on 1 September 1868 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1003] Henry and Christiana appeared on the 1870 Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1004] In 1880 and 1900 they lived in Perry Twp., Ashland County. [1005] Henry SEALER was born on 2 September 1843 in Lebanon Co., Pennsylvania. [1006] He died on 19 December 1913 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1007] Both Henry and Christiana were buried

<sup>1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Solomon Garns, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 797A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Solomon Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 211A, E.D. 90, Holland as Solomon's father's birth place, mother Eve Garn living in household.

<sup>996</sup> From death record.

Death Record for Rhoda Ann Clippinger, Ohio Deaths, 23 August 1938, File No. 48851, names parents, mother as Sahra Brown, residence in Jeromesville, Ohio, death in Masssilon, Ohio.

Don and Lucille Boyd, Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886, (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), at Vol. 5, p. 13 of section indexed by females, cites p. 575 of original, she as Rhoda A. Garnes.

News item regarding law suit against Solomon Garn heirs, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 18 March 1903, as recorded in the Obituary Notebook, D-I, 1890-1915, Ashland County Library, Ashland, Ohio.

Children named on census cited above and in individual records cited below.

Birth date from grave marker reading, age at death on death record gives birth on 19 April 1846.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;a href="www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 40334979; Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 2, 1895
 - 1908, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), death report of Christian [sic] Sealer, 9 September 1906, age at death 60y4m21d, p. 103, cites original record on p. 213 entered in 1907; Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 145, grave inscription for Christy Ann Sealer, d. 9 September 1906, born 13 April 1913, Bethel Cemetery, Section 2, Mohican Twp.

Marriage Record for Henry Sealer and Christie Ann Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, 1 September 1868, bk. 3, p. 437.

<sup>1004 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Sealer, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 698B.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Sealer, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 205A, E.D. 90; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Sealer, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 8A, E.D. 15, indexed by Ancestry as Pealer and Seales.

Date from grave marker cited with death; place from George William Hill, *History of Ashland County, Ohio, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches*, (Cleveland, 1880, reprinted Evansville, Indiana, 1972), p. 326.

Death Record for Henry Sealer, Ohio Deaths, 19 December 1913, File No. 67226, married, names parents

in the Bethel Cemetery in Mohican Twp.<sup>[1008]</sup> There is a Civil War marker on his grave indicating that he served in Co. A, 209th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry. After Christiana died, Henry remarried.<sup>[1009]</sup>

Christiana GARN and Henry SEALER had the following children: [1010]

- 447. i. Nora A.8 SEALER was born about 1872 in Ohio.
- 448. ii. **Henry Melvin<sup>8</sup> SEALER** was born on 22 November 1873 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1011] He appears as Melvin Sealer on some records.
- 449. iii. **Hugh Bert**<sup>8</sup> **SEALER** was born in June 1879 in Ohio.<sup>[1012]</sup> He appears on his marriage record as shown here and on the censuses as Ubertus or Ubertis. He married **Ethel Blanche BOWER** (daughter of **Martin BOWER** and **unknown HAWK**) on 22 November 1906 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1013]</sup> Ethel Blanche BOWER was born in 1888.<sup>[1014]</sup>
- 450. iv. **Evelyn<sup>8</sup> SEALER** was born in April 1884 in Ohio. [1015] She married **Marcelles B. CLARKE** (son of **Lemuel CLARKE** and **May BEAMAN**) on 22 September 1910 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1016] Marcelles B. CLARKE was born in 1876. [1017]

138. **Mary Margaret**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born on 9 January 1848 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1018]</sup> She appears as Margaret in her father's will. However, other records refer to her as Mary Margaret and in a few cases as just Mary. She died on 5 January 1942 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1019]</sup>

Mary Margaret GARN married **Benjamin F. HARMON** on 3 November 1870 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1020] Benjamin and Margaret lived in Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio in 1880. [1021] We did not

Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 145, grave inscription for Henry Sealer, d. 19 December 1913, born 2 September 1843, Bethel Cemetery, Section 2, Mohican Twp includes Civil War Marker for Co. A, 209 PA Vol.

Marriage Record for Henry Sealer and Alice Lucas, <a href="https://example.com/beta-familysearch.org">https://example.com/beta-familysearch.org</a>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 14 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg 484, , names parents, she married as Alice Newcomer.

Children appear on the 1880 and 1900 U.S. Federal censuses cited above and name parents on individual records cited below; George William Hill, *History of Ashland County, Ohio, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches*, (Cleveland, 1880, reprinted Evansville, Indiana, 1972), p. 326, names first three children.

Birth Record for Henry Melvin Sealer, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, 22 November 1873, bk. 1, pp. 160-161, names parents, mother as Christian Garn.

 $<sup>^{1012}</sup>$  From 1900 U.S. Federal Census cited with parents.

<sup>1013 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 14 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg 265, names parents, groom's mother as Garn, bride's mother as Hawk.

From marriage record.

From 1900 U.S. Federal Census.

<sup>1016 &</sup>lt;br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 14 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg 92, names parents, bride's mother as Anna Garn.

From marriage record.

From death record.

Death Record for Mary Margret Harmon, Ohio Deaths, 5 January 1942, Ref. No. 108, names parents, mother as Eve Sell, death on 5 Jan 1943, birth on 9 Jan 1848, but age at death as 93y9m6d; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443216.

Don and Lucille Boyd, *Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886*, (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), at Vol. 4, p. 14 of section indexed by females, cites p. 40 of original, she as Margaret.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Benj. F. Harmon, Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1076, p. 144A, E.D. 229.

find Margaret on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census. In 1910 she lived with her sister Barbara Barkley. [1022] Benjamin F. HARMON was born on 28 November 1845 in Rowsburg, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1023] He died on 30 April 1896 in Rowsburg, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1024]

Mary Margaret GARN and Benjamin F. HARMON had the following children: [1025]

- 451. i. Clement<sup>8</sup> HARMON was born about 1871 in Ohio.
- 452. ii. Harvey<sup>8</sup> HARMON was born about 1871 in Ohio.
- 453. iii. **Jennie<sup>8</sup> HARMON** was born about 1876 in Ohio.
- 454. iv. **Russell<sup>8</sup> HARMON** was born about 1877 in Ohio.
- 455. v. **Ora**<sup>8</sup> **HARMON** was born about November 1879 in Ohio.
- +456. vi. Caroline B.8 HARMON (1882 1959).

139. **Sarah Ann<sup>7</sup> GARN** (Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam GARN, person #59, and Eve CELL) was born about 1851 in Ohio. [1026] She is named in her father's will. She died before 6 October 1878. On that date her husband remarried to a woman named Emma Lawrence. [1027] Isaiah and Emma appeared on the 1880 U.S. Federal Census in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, with two sons born before Isaiah and Emma married. [1028] Birth records of the two sons both name their mother as Sarah A. Garn. By 1900 Isaiah and his second wife were living Sedgwick Co., Kansas, where Isaiah and Sarah's son Jacob appeared on the census with them. [1029]

Sarah Ann GARN married **Isaiah SMYSER** on 26 September 1869 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1030] We have not found any documents that establish that the Sarah who married Isaiah Smyser was the daughter of Adam Garn. However, other Sarah Garns, #399 and #982, in the area would have been too young to have married when this marriage occurred. Therefore we place Adam Garn's daughter, who was the right age, as the Sarah who married Isaiah Smyser. Isaiah SMYSER was born on 22 June 1845 in Ohio. [1031] He died on 21 April 1918. [1032] He was buried in Kechi Cemetery in Park City, Sedgwick Co., Kansas and shares a grave marker with his second wife.

Sarah Ann GARN and Isaiah SMYSER had the following children: [1033]

<sup>1022 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Barbra [sic] A. Barkley, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 2B, E.D. 16, widowed, includes Margaret M. Harmon, age 62, as sister.

From age at death on death record.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 2, 1895 - 1908*, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 48. cites original record in 1897 at p. 80, no. 1, as Benj. Harmon. Death record of Benj. Harmon.

Children except last child appear on 1880 Census cited above; records of last child, cited below, establish parents.

<sup>1026</sup> From 1860 U.S. Federal Census, cited with her parents.

Marriage Record of Isaiah Smyser and Emma Lawrence, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 14 November 2010, cites FHL# 425757, Ref. No. 172.

<sup>1028 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Isaiah Smyser, Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1076, p. 52A, E.D. 226, he as Isiah, spouse as Emaline.

<sup>1029 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Isaiah Smyser, Kechi Twp., Sedgwick Co., Kansas, T623\_499, p. 9A, E.D. 263.

<sup>1030</sup> Marriage Record of Isaiah Smyser and Sarah A. Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk. 3, p. 498, he as Isaiah Smysee.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1031</sup> From Find A Grave, cited below; Year supported by 1880 U.S. Federal Census cited above.

<sup>1032 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 5631639.

Birth records of both sons name parents.

- i. **Herbert L.**<sup>8</sup> **SMYSER** was born on 11 May 1870 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [1034] In 1910 he was married and living in Sedgwick Co., Kansas. [1035] He died on 1 November 1942 in 457. Wichita, Sedgwick Co., Kansas. [1036]
- ii. Jacob W.8 SMYSER was born on 29 July 1872 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [1037] He 458. died on 6 July 1954.[1038]

141. Jonathan<sup>7</sup> KAHL (Christina<sup>6</sup> GERN; Conrad<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John KAHL, and Christina GERN, person #60) was born on 31 October 1818 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1039] See Appendix 17 for an image of his birth and baptismal certificate. He died on 30 October 1904 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1040] This date comes from his Find A Grave memorial. However, the image with the memorial appears to indicate a death on 17 November 1904. Other records report another date. [1041] We do not know which date is correct.

Jonathan wrote his will on 13 February 1892, which was probated in Ashland Co., Ohio, on 10 December 1904. [1042] The will gave everything to his wife Sarah and then divided the estate between his children upon her death. The will also named his children, including his daughters and their husbands. His son Elmer was the executor. Like his father, it appears as though his signature on his will was written in German. Images of his will and our transcript appear in Appendix 40.

Jonathan was a blacksmith and a farmer. He and Sarah were buried in the Jeromesville Cemetery in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio.

Marjorie Kahl Lawrence, the daughter of Jonathan and Sarah's son Elmer, wrote a biography about Elmer Kahl and his family, which includes a small amount of information about Jonathan and Sarah and perceptions about their German heritage. [1043]

Jonathan KAHL married **Sarah GARN** (daughter of **Jacob GARN**, person #61, and **Mary Ann ELRICK**) on 28 November 1841 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [1044] In 1850 they appeared on the

<sup>1034</sup> Birth Record for Herbert L. Smyser, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 14 November 2010, cites FHL# 475466, names parents, Herbert with surname Smyser, father with surname Snyser.

<sup>1035 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Herbert L. Smyser, Delano Twp., Sedgwick Co., Kansas, T624\_456, p. 3A, E.D. 80.

<sup>1036 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 54229349.

Birth record for Jacob W. Smyser, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 14 November 2010, cites FHL# 475466, names parents, both Jacob and his father with surname Snyser.

<sup>1038 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 5629798, accessed 23 April 2014, although memorial currently reports name as J. U. (Birt) Smyser, it clearly belongs to the son Jacob who was born to Isaiah and Sarah Ann because it has the same birth date as the birth record for Jacob in Wayne Co., Ohio, and he was buried in the same cemetery as his father.

Baptismal Certificate, cited in Appendix 17; Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, (Atlanta, no date), p. 28, found at Franklin Co., Historical Society, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania; Grave marker, cited below, gives same date.

<sup>1040 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 64020153; Grave marker inscription from Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 150.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 2, 1895 - 1908, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 60, death on 30 October 1904 at age 86y, 10m, 12d, cites original record on p. 92, 1905, no. 4, as Joneth Kahl; Marilyn Kahl, Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl, (Atlanta, no date), p. 28, cited above, places death on 28 November 1904.

Ashland Co., Ohio, Wills, Will of Jonathan Kahl, vol. 8, pp. 583-587, also found in his estate file, file no. 7415.

Marjorie Kahl Lawrence, A Star In His Right Hand, (Mulberry, IN, 1986), available at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville,

census in Mohican Twp., Ashland County. [1045] In 1860 through 1900 they appeared on the census in Perry Twp., Ashland County. [1046] After Jonathan died, Sarah is found in Perry Twp. in 1910 and living with her daughter Miranda Feeny in the city of Ashland in 1920. [1047].

Sarah is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Sarah<sup>7</sup> GARN (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #148, in this book. Additional information about Sarah may be found in her biography at person #148.

The reader will note that this marriage between Jonathan Kahl and Sarah Garn was a marriage between first cousins. Marriages between first cousins that occurred in the 1800s should not be judged by the same standards that we use today. They occurred far more frequently at that time than they do today. So it should not be surprising that some occurred in the Garn family. See Appendix 17 for evidence of this first cousin marriage. For a discussion of consanguineous marriages, see Appendix 27.

Jonathan KAHL and Sarah GARN had the following children: [1048]

- 459. i. Catharine<sup>8</sup> KAHL was born about 1845 in Ohio.
- 460. ii. **Ella<sup>8</sup> KAHL** was born on 15 June 1850 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1049] She appears as Sarah E. on some of the early censuses. She died on 1 December 1938 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1050] She married **Emanuel ROSEBERRY** on 20 March 1868 in Ashland Co., Ohio [1051]
- 461. iii. **Delphia<sup>8</sup> KAHL** was born on 1 December 1856 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1052] She died on 24 March 1932 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1053] She married **Alpheus WITMER**. [1054]
- 462. iv. Martha Jane<sup>8</sup> KAHL was born on 15 February 1859 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1055] She died on 3 June 1944 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1056] She married Samuel WITMER. [1057]

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 4B, p. 29, he transcribed as Jonathan Rayl, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index*, 1813-1898, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 371; Date as 28 October 1841 in Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, (Atlanta, no date), p. 28, cited above; Sarah's spouse is named Johnauth Kahl on her death record.
 1045
 1850 U.S Federal Census of Jonathan Kahl, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 59A, as Kahel.

<sup>1046 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Kahl, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 234, as Kale; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Kahl, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 799B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T9, Roll 991, E.D. 90, p. 204C, indexed as Jonathan Kohl; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Kahl, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623 1237, p. 9A, E.D. 15.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Sarah Kahl, Perrry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 5B, E.D. 16; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Miranda Feeny, Ashland Ward 2, Ashland Co., Ohio, T625 1347, p. 8B, E.D. 12.

All children named in Jonathan's will, on censuses cited above, and on some individual records cited below.

From death record.

Death Record for Ella Roseberry, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 2023670, Cert. No. fn 68041, widowed, names spouse, parents, mother indexed as Sarah Gann.

Marriage Record for E. W. Roseberry and Ella Kahl, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, cites FHL# 2074386, he as E. W. Roseberry; Emanuel's name from Ella's death record.

From death record.

Death Record for Delphia Witmer, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 1992569, Cert. No. fn 13271, widowed, names spouse, parents, father's birthplace as Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania.

Spouse named on Delphia's death record.

From death record.

Death Record for Martha Jane Witmer, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 2032360, Cert. No. fn 35859, names spouse, parents, widowed.

Spouse on Martha Jane's death record.

- v. **Miranda**<sup>8</sup> **KAHL** was born on 22 October 1861 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1058] She died on 4 July 1953 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1059] She married **John H. FEENY**. John appears with Miranda and children on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census. [1060] After 1900 Miranda appears as the head of the household in the city of Ashland where she is reported divorced on the 1910 and 1930 Censuses and widowed on the 1920 Census. [1061] John H. FEENY was born about 1861 in Ohio.
- 464. vi. Elmer<sup>8</sup> KAHL was born on 25 December 1868 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1062] He married Mary A. MCCLURE (daughter of George MCCLURE and Harriet DORY) on 28 June 1900 in Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio. [1063] Mary A. MCCLURE was born on 21 July 1874 in Clark Co., Ohio.
- 142. **Solomon**<sup>7</sup> **KAHL** (Christina<sup>6</sup> GERN; Conrad<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John KAHL, and Christina GERN, person #60) was born on 16 April 1820 in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1064] He died on 3 April 1892 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1065] He wrote his will on 12 December 1889, which was probated in Ashland Co., Ohio, on 3 April 1892. [1066] He was a blacksmith. After the death of his brother George, Solomon was named guardian for Edward B. Kahl and John H. Kahl, minor heirs of George Kahl. [1067]

Solomon KAHL married **Catherine GILL** on 20 October 1842.<sup>[1068]</sup> Catherine GILL was born on 7 February 1825.<sup>[1069]</sup> She died on 3 March 1893.<sup>[1070]</sup>



Grave marker for Solomon Kahl, person #142

Death Record for Miranda Feeny, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 2246548, Cert. No. 42883, names parents.

1060 1900 U.S. Federal Census of John H. Feeny, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 3B, E.D. 15.

1061
 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Miranda Feeny, Ashland Ward 2, Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 5B, E.D. 12, divorced; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Miranda Feeny, Ashland Ward 2, Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 8B, E.D. 12; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Miranda Feeny, Ashland City, Ashland Co., Ohio, Toll 1749, p. 29B, E.D. 20, divorced.

Birth Record for Elmer Kahl, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079446, Ref. No. v 2, p. 52; date and place also given on marriage record.

Marriage Record for Elmer Kahl and Mary A. McClure, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 465395, Ref. No. bk 1896-98, p. 359 and as Ref. No. v. 18, p. 359, names parents, groom's mother as Sarah Guard.

Date from age at death on grave marker; Place from Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, (Atlanta, no date), p. 37, found at Franklin Co., Historical Society, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

Date from grave marker inscription by Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194; place from Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, (Atlanta, no date), p. 37, found at Franklin Co., Historical Society, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443245.

Photocopy of will within Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, pp. 45-47, cited above, names living children, names daughter Susannah as wife of Adam A. Garn, who was named executor, names deceased son John.

Guardianship Papers for John H. Kahl and Edward B. Kahl, heirs of George Kahl, Ashland Co., Probate Court, Ashland Co., Ohio, Doc. 1, p. 30, case 62, Solomon Kahl as Guardian, final account for John H. Kahl filed 31 March 1860, final account for Edward B. Kahl filed 4 April 1862.

Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, p. 37 names spouse and her surname, Solomon Kahl Will on p. 45 names spouse, cited above.

From age at death on grave marker inscription, cited below.

From death record.

Solomon KAHL and Catherine GILL had the following children, all born in Ashland Co., Ohio: [1071]

- 465. i. **John George<sup>8</sup> KAHL** was born on 20 January 1844. He died on 1 October 1887 in Mifflin, Ashland Co., Ohio.
- +466. ii. Susannah<sup>8</sup> KAHL (1846 1918).
  - 467. iii. **Isaac W.<sup>8</sup> KAHL** was born on 23 May 1849. He died on 25 January 1885 in Ashland Co., Ohio.
  - 468. iv. **Samuel Snyder<sup>8</sup> KAHL** was born on 13 June 1850. He died on 5 June 1935 in Nankin, Ashland Co., Ohio. The 1909 History of Ashland County has a biography about him. [1072]
  - 469. v. **Daniel Martin<sup>8</sup> KAHL** was born on 9 September 1852. He died on 15 May 1935 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio.
  - 470. vi. Lodema<sup>8</sup> KAHL was born in 1860. She died on 22 January 1862 in Ashland Co., Ohio.

146. **Susanna**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 9 November 1819 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1073]</sup> See Appendix 11 for a record of her birth and christening. She died on 5 August 1890 in Decatur, Adams Co., Indiana.<sup>[1074]</sup>

Susanna GARN married **Peter JACKSON** on 3 March 1850 in Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1075] In 1850 they lived in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1076] Between 1850 and 1860 they moved to Adams Co., Indiana, where they appeared on the 1860-1880 Censuses. [1077] On 18 November 1890 when Letters Testamentary were issued for the will of Susanna's mother, the residence of Susanna Jackson's heirs was Decatur, Indiana, and Susanna was reported to be deceased at the time. Peter JACKSON was born on 8 June 1825 in Ohio. [1078] He died on 2 June 1898 in Decatur, Adams Co., Indiana. [1079] An obituary reports on his life, marriage, and death. [1080]

<sup>1070</sup> Grave marker inscription in Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194; Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894*, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 63.

Death record of Susannah names parents; Marilyn Kahl, *Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl*, (Atlanta, no date), pp 37-47, names children, source for birth and death information on children unless otherwise noted, found at Franklin Co., Historical Society, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

A. J. Baughman, *History of Ashland County, Ohio*, (Chicago, 1909), pp. 561-562.

Records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, cited with Susanna's parents.

<sup>1074 &</sup>quot;Indiana, Death Index, 1882-1920," <familysearch.org>, accessed 4 April 2014, Susan Jackson, 5 August 1890, age, 71, cites book H-19 on page 100 within the series produced by the Works Progress Administration; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 61023129, accessed 3 April 2014, incorrectly reports birth on 5 January 1820.

Marriage Record of Peter Jackson and Susan Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 21 October 2010, cites FHL# 905932; Marriage also reported in Peter's obituary, cited below.

<sup>1076 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Jackson, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 59B.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Jackson, St. Marys Twp., Adams Co., Indiana, M653\_242, p. 122; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Peter Jackson, St. Marys Twp., Adams Co., Indiana, M593\_296, p. 97A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Peter Jackson, Decatur, Adams Co., Indiana, Roll 264, p. 149D, E.D. 139.

Find A Grave memorial, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Indiana, Death Index, 1882-1920," <familysearch.org>, accessed 4 April 2014, Peter Jackson, 2 June 1898, age, 73, cites book H-19 on page 198 within the series produced by the Works Progress Administration; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 61023113, birth on 8 June 1825.

Obituary of Peter Jackson, Decatur Democrat, [Decatur, Indiana], 9 June 1898, reports marriage to Miss Susan Garn on 3 March 1850, posted with Find A Grave Memorial# 61023113.

Susanna GARN and Peter JACKSON had the following children: [1081]

- Milton William<sup>8</sup> JACKSON was born on 3 November 1851. [1082] He died on 25 February 1857. [1083]
- ii. Adeline<sup>8</sup> JACKSON was born about 1853 in Ohio. 472.
- iii. Milligan Allen<sup>8</sup> JACKSON was born about 1855 in Indiana. He married Ida VAN 473. BUREN (daughter of Nick VAN BUREN and Maggie JACKSON) on 4 April 1900 in Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1084] Ida VAN BUREN was born in 1871 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio.
- iv. Melissa Leora<sup>8</sup> JACKSON was born about 1857 in Indiana. She married 474 Warren J. CASE (son of Washington CASE and Catharine FRYSINGER) on 12 April 1883 in Decatur, Adams Co., Indiana. [1085] Warren J. CASE was born in Van Wert Co., Ohio.
- v. Elzev Wilson<sup>8</sup> JACKSON was born about 1860 in Indiana. 475.
- vi. Lavina<sup>8</sup> JACKSON was born about 1861 in Indiana.
- 477. vii. Sophrona<sup>8</sup> JACKSON was born on 17 September 1864. [1086] She died on 29 September 1864 [1087]

147. Catharine GARN (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 16 April 1822 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1088] See Appendix 11 for a record of her birth and christening. She died on 20 November 1900 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1089]

Catharine GARN married **James CAROTHERS** on 31 December 1846 in Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[1090]</sup> They appeared on the 1880 Census in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. <sup>[1091]</sup> James CAROTHERS was born about 1820 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[1092]</sup> He died on 8 October 1895 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1093]

Catharine GARN and James CAROTHERS had the following children: [1094]

Children named in censuses cited above and in individual records as noted below.

<sup>1082</sup> Find A Grave memorial, cited below.

<sup>1083 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 61023108, birth on 3 November 1851, death on 25 February 1857, as son of P & S Jackson.

Marriage Record of M. A. Jackaon and Ida Van Buren, <br/>
Seta familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 21 October 2010, cites FHL# 905935, Ref. No. p107, names parents, groom's mother as Susan Garne, bride's birth in Clarey [sic] Ohio, but

Marriage Record of Warren J. Case and Malissa Lenora Jackson, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 21 October 2010, cites FHL# 2321466, Record No. 167, names parents.

Find A Grave memorial, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 61023122 birth on 17 September 1864, death on 29 September 1864, as daughter of P & S

<sup>1088</sup> Records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, cited with Catharine's parents.

Death Record of Catherine Carothers, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, burials, 1854-1997, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 905940, Ref. No. yr 1901-1908, p. 27, age, 77, widowed, parents not named.

<sup>1090</sup> Marriage Record of James Carothers and Cahtarine Garns, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, 31 December 1846, bk. 1, p. 49.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Census, Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio, T9, Roll 1079, E.D. 159, p. 400B.

<sup>&</sup>lt;br/><beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, burials, 1854-1997, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 905940, Ref. No. v 1891-1901, p. 30, married, age, 75, birth in Chambers Beery, Pa. [ undoubtedly Chambersburg, PA].

From census records cited above and records of individuals below.

- i. Agnes<sup>8</sup> CAROTHERS was born about 1850 in Ohio. She appears as Amanda on the 478. 1870 U.S. Census.
- ii. Jenny<sup>8</sup> CAROTHERS was born about 1851 in Ohio. 479.
- iii. Celestia<sup>8</sup> CAROTHERS was born on 29 May 1853 in Ohio. [1095] She died on 24 January 480. 1941 in Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1096] Her death record suggests that she went by the name Essie.
- iv. Jeremiah<sup>8</sup> CAROTHERS was born on 29 December 1856 in LaGrange Co., 481. Indiana. [1097] He died on 25 April 1946 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1098] He married
- v. Florence<sup>8</sup> CAROTHERS was born about 1859 in Ohio. We found her only on the 1860 482. U.S. Census.
- vi. Alpharetta<sup>8</sup> CAROTHERS was born about 1862 in Ohio.

148. Sarah<sup>7</sup> GARN (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 16 September 1823 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1100] She is identified as Sally Ann in the Lyberger Lutheran Church records of her birth and christening and as Sarah in the wills of her parents. See Appendix 11 for a record of her birth and christening. She died on 14 July 1921 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1101]

Sarah GARN married Jonathan KAHL (son of John KAHL and Christina GERN) on 28 November 1841 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [1102] In 1850 they appeared on the census in Mohican Twp., Ashland County. [1103] In 1860 through 1900 they appeared on the census in Perry Twp., Ashland County. [1104] After Jonathan died, Sarah is found in Perry Twp. in 1910 and living with her daughter Miranda Feeny in the city of Ashland in 1920. [1105].

Jonathan is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Jonathan<sup>7</sup> KAHL (Christina<sup>6</sup> GERN: Conrad<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #141, in this book. Additional information about Jonathan may be found in his biography at person #141.

Death Record of Celestia (Essie) Carothers, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 2023891, Cert. No. fn 7466. names parents.

1098 <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 22 October 2010, cites FHL# 2372807, Cert. No. 26555, as Jerry D. Carothers, names parents, mother as Catherine Garns, spouse as Mae Dow Carothers, birth in LaGrange, Indiana.

1099 Jeremiah's death record reports spouse as Mae Dow Carothers.

Records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, cited with Sarah's parents; date also given on death

Ohio Deaths, 14 July 1921, File No. 36705. names parents, mother as Mary Elderick, spouse as Johnauth Kahl, informant was Mrs. Ella Rosebery; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 64019353.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 4B, p. 29, he transcribed as Jonathan Rayl, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index,* 1813-1898, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 371; Date as 28 October 1841 in Marilyn Kahl, Ancestors of Charles Thomas Kahl, (Atlanta, no date), p. 28, cited above; Sarah's spouse is named Johnauth Kahl on her death record. 1850 U.S Federal Census of Jonathan Kahl, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432 658, p. 59A, as Kahel.

1104 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Kahl, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 234, as Kale; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Kahl, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593 1169, p. 799B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T9, Roll 991, E.D. 90, p. 204C, indexed as Jonathan Kohl, 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Kahl, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623 1237, p. 9A, E.D. 15.

1105 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Sarah Kahl, Perrry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 5B, E.D. 16; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Miranda Feeny, Ashland Ward 2, Ashland Co., Ohio, T625 1347, p. 8B, E.D. 12.

From age at death on death record.

From death record.

The reader will note that this marriage between Jonathan Kahl and Sarah Garn was a marriage between first cousins. Marriages between first cousins that occurred in the 1800s should not be judged by the same standards that we use today. They occurred far more frequently at that time than they do today. So it should not be surprising that some occurred in the Garn family. See Appendix 17 for evidence of this first cousin marriage. For a discussion of consanguineous marriages, see Appendix 27.

Sarah GARN and Jonathan KAHL had six children. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the children have already been named and given numbers 459 to 464 and appear earlier in the book with the biography of Jonathan, person #141.

149. **Henry S.**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 27 November 1824 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1106] See Appendix 11 for a record of his birth and christening. He died on 2 October 1913 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [1107] The Ashland Press reported the following about him in his obituary: [1108]

He united with the Oak Grove U.B. Church 66 years ago, being one of the charter members. He hewed the logs to build the church and helped support it all these years. He was a good father and useful citizen.

The Oak Grove U.B. Church is identified in the book, "Church Records of Ashland County, Ohio, Vol. I," as the Bethel Church, which is the church that several other Garns, including Henry's uncle Adam Garn, person #59, and aunt Christina (Gern) Kahl, person #60, undoubtedly attended since they were buried in the church cemetery. [1109]



Grave marker for Henry S. Garn, person #149

An earlier article suggests that he may have spent a few years in Indiana and reports the following:<sup>[1110]</sup> Henry S. Garn, who until a few years ago resided near Jeromeville, is lying seriously ill at his home near Green Castle, Ind. Mr Garn while butchering several months ago received a very slight scratch and now it has turned to blood poisioning [sic]. At last reports he was very low.

Henry S. GARN married **Elizabeth Ann BASFORD** (daughter of **George W. BASFORD** and **Anna RIDGLEY**) on 26 September 1846 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1111] In 1860-1880 they appeared on the

<sup>1106</sup> Records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, cited with Henry's parents; date and place also appear on death record.

Ohio Deaths, 2 October 1913, File No. 59721, names parents, mother as Elizabeth Elerick or Elerich, informant, Mrs. Mina DeVoe; Obituary of Henry Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Democrat, 16 October 1913, names spouse; Obituary of Henry Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 15 October 1913, names spouse; <a href="www.findagraye.com">www.findagraye.com</a>, Memorial# 40178350.

Obituary of Henry Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 15 October 1913, names spouse.

<sup>1109</sup> Church records book is available from the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society.

<sup>1110</sup> News article about Henry S. Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 4 February 1897.

Marriage record of Henry Garn and Elizabeth Ann Basford, 26 September 1846, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk. 1, p.27.

U.S. Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1112] In 1900 they lived in Medina Co., Ohio, in the same house with son Timothy. [1113] And in 1910 they were in Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, with daughter Rosella Wells living with them. [1114]

Elizabeth Ann BASFORD was born on 5 March 1830 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1115] She died on 6 October 1911 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [1116] The 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses report that she was the mother of 14 children and that 11 were living when the census was recorded.

Henry S. GARN and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD had the following children:<sup>[1117]</sup>

- i. **Jeremiah GARN** was born on 24 April 1847 in Ashland Co., Ohio. He died on 7 November 1847 in Ashland Co., Ohio. There is a grave marker for Jeremiah in Pleasant View Cemetery in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio.
- 485. ii. **Elmira<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 24 December 1847 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1120] She died on 24 April 1848 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1121] There is a grave marker for Elmira in Pleasant View Cemetery in Plain Twp., Wayne Co. Ohio.
- 486. iii. **Martha J.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 26 April 1849 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1122] She died on 13 May 1864 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1123] There is a grave marker for Martha J. in Pleasant View Cemetery in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio.
- +487. iv. **Rozella**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1850 1926).
- +488. v. Lodemea<sup>8</sup> GARN (1852 1934).
- +489. vi. **George W.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1854 1932).
- +490. vii. **Thomas Jefferson<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1858 1911).
- +491. viii. Lillian Irene<sup>8</sup> GARN (1861 1942).
- +492. ix. **Eliza<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1863 1912).
- +493. x. **Timothy S.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1866 1951).
- 494. xi. Alva W.8 GARN was born on 28 September 1868 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1124] Although his death record reports that he was born in 1872, he appears on the 1870 U.S. Federal Census with his parents. The birth record of a then unnamed child born four years earlier than the date reported on his death record is clearly that of Alva. He died

1116 Ohio Deaths, 6 October 1911, File No. 55061, married, names parents, informant-Joe Mohr, indexed by some as Elizabeth Ann Garu.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1112</sup> 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garns, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 243; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garns, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, pp. 699A-699B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T9, Roll 991, E.D. 86, p. 124C.

<sup>1113 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garn, Homer Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T623\_1302, p. 2A, E.D. 44.

<sup>1114 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garn, Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624\_1239, p. 4A, E.D. 167, daughter Rosella Wells, age 55, living in household.

From death record.

First three children from family records cited below, other children named in censuses cited above and in records of individuals below.

Family records of Deanna Lynn (Kauffman) Applegate and daughter Marleen R. Applegate, descendants of Lillian Irene Garn, taken from diaries and other family information.

Family records of Deanna Lynn (Kauffman) Applegate and daughter Marleen R. Applegate, cited above.

Family records of Deanna Lynn (Kauffman) Applegate and daughter Marleen R. Applegate, cited above.

Family records of Deanna Lynn (Kauffman) Applegate and daughter Marleen R. Applegate, cited above.

Family records of Deanna Lynn (Kauffman) Applegate and daughter Marleen R. Applegate, cited above.

Family records of Deanna Lynn (Kauffman) Applegate and daughter Marleen R. Applegate, cited above.

Birth Record for Alva W. Garn as unnamed child, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, bk. 1, pp. 30-31, names parents.

on 28 November 1940 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [1125] He had worked as a coal miner.

- +495. xii. Eva A.<sup>8</sup> GARN (1871 1963).
- +496. xiii. Edna<sup>8</sup> GARN (1873 1944).
- +497. xiv. **Mina Ethel<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1876 1931).

150. **Mary Ann<sup>7</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 18 October 1826 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1126] See Appendix 11 for a record of her birth and christening. She died on 15 April 1893 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1127]

Mary Ann GARN married **William HEFFELFINGER** on 22 October 1848 in Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[1128]</sup> They appeared on the 1850 through 1880 U.S. Censuses in Perry and Mohican Townships, Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[1129]</sup> William HEFFELFINGER was born on 20 September 1821 in Pennsylvania. <sup>[1130]</sup> He died on 4 March 1886 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[1131]</sup>

Mary Ann GARN and William HEFFELFINGER had the following children: [1132]

- 498. i. **Olive A.**<sup>8</sup> **HEFFELFINGER** was born about 1850 in Ohio. We find her only on the 1850 Census
- 499. ii. **Calvin<sup>8</sup> HEFFELFINGER** was born on 4 April 1852 in Ohio.<sup>[1133]</sup> He died on 26 August 1918 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1134]</sup>
- 500. iii. **Wilbert<sup>8</sup> HEFFELFINGER** was born on 4 November 1853 in Ohio. [1135] He died on 24 February 1939 in Fostoria, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1136] He married **Lucy**. [1137]
- 501. iv. **John<sup>8</sup> HEFFELFINGER** was born about 1857 in Ohio.
- 502. v. Celestia<sup>8</sup> HEFFELFINGER was born about 1859 in Ohio.
- 503. vi. **Jeremiah**<sup>8</sup> **HEFFELFINGER** was born about 1863 in Ohio. He appears as Jerry on the 1880 Census.

Death Record for Alva W. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 28 November 1940, File No. 71167, single, names parents, informant was sister Irene Steward, birth on 28 September 1872; Announcement of Death of Alva Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Times, 6 December 1940.

Records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, cited with Mary Ann's parents.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 37472444; Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880
 - 1894, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 50, death record for Mary Haffelfinger [sic], 15 April 1893, age at death, 68y, 7m, 6d [sic].

<sup>1128</sup> Marriage Record for William Heffelfinger and Mary Garn, 22 October 1848, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk 1, p. 176.

<sup>1129 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Wm. Heffelfinger, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 57B; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of William Heffelfinger, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 235; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of William Heffelfinger, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 799B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census, Jeromeville, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T9, Roll 991, E.D. 86, p. 131A.

From age at death on death record.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894*, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 53, death record for William Hefflefinger [sic], 4 March 1886, age at death, 64y, 5m, 12d.

<sup>1132</sup> Children named in census records cited above and individual records cited below.

From death record

<sup>1134 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 23 October 2010, cites FHL# 1984383, Cert. No. fn50622, married, names parents.

From death record

<sup>1136 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 23 October 2010, cites FHL# 2023678, Cert. No. fn 13671, widowed, spouse as Lucy Heffelfinger, names parents, birth in Pennsylvania disagrees with censuses.

Death record of Wilbert names spouse as Lucy.

504. vii. **Clark**<sup>8</sup> **HEFFELFINGER** was born on 13 July 1865 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1138] He died on 10 March 1948 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [1139] He married **Margaret**. [1140]

151. **Louisa**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 28 November 1829 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1141] See Appendix 11 for a record of her birth and christening.

We believe she is the Louisa Garn who is named in a Marriage License Application dated 14 July 1849 for a marriage to George Basford, Jr., in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1142] The record does not have any certification that the marriage occurred. So it undoubtedly never happened. George Basford, Jr., was probably the brother of Elizabeth Ann Basford who married Louisa's brother Henry.

She died on 24 October 1912 in Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan. [1143] She was buried in the Floral Grove Cemetery in nearby Pioneer, Williams Co., Ohio. [1144] Although her age at death and birth place on her death record do not exactly match other records and her father is named as John Garn instead of Jacob Garn, there can be no question that this Louisa Eagle is the daughter of Jacob Garn and Mary Ann Elrick, who lived in the Garn household when the 1850 Census was recorded in Ashland County, Ohio, who married there and whose residence was Amboy, Michigan, when her mother's will was probated in 1890. The informant on Louisa's death record quite likely confused Louisa's father, who had died young and before Louisa was 20 years old, with William Eagle's father, who was named John, or with the John Garn who lived in the neighborhood in Ashland County and was undoubtedly quite visible and helpful to the family after Louisa's father's death. It is also possible that Louisa's father's formal name was John Jacob Garn, using the German naming conventions that were used for his brother Adam or formally John Adam Garn. However, we have not uncovered any record of the use of a more formal name for Jacob. In 1900 Louisa was living in the household of her son Lorin when the census was recorded.

Louisa GARN married **William EAGLE** (son of **John EAGLE** and **Susan SHIFFER**) on 23 February 1853 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1145] As noted above, Louisa was reported to be living in Amboy, Michigan when her mother's will was probated in 1890. This was in Hillsdale Co., Michigan, where William and Louisa were living when the 1880 Census was recorded. [1146]

William and Louisa appeared on the 1860 Census in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [1147] Note that two children, ages 11 and 9, who were listed out-of-sequence at the end of the list of children, must have

1139 <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 23 October 2010, cites FHL# 2246459, Cert. No. 21211, married, spouse as Margaret Heffelfinger, names parents.

Marriage Record of William Eagle and Louisa Garn, Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 23 February 1853, filed 10 April 1853, bk. 2, p. 149.

1880 U.S. Federal Census of William Eagle, Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan, T9, Roll 580, E.D. 81, p. 37A.

<sup>1138</sup> From death record.

Death record of Calvin names spouse as Margaret.

Records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, cited with Louisa's parents.

<sup>1142</sup> Marriage License Application of George Basford, Jr., and Louisa Garn, 14 July 1849, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk 1, p. 236.

Death Record for Louisa Eagle, Hillsdale Co., Michigan Deaths, 24 October 1912, bk. C, p. 55, parents as John Garn and Mary Elerick, age at death, 89y, 9m, 25d, birth place as Pennsylvania.

<sup>1144 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 128421581.

<sup>1147 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Eagle, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, M653\_1051, p. 261, two out-of-sequence children, Susanna, age 11 and John, age 9, named at end of family are children from William's previous marriage.

been from William's previous marriage since William and Louisa were married in 1853 and William and the older of the two children appeared together on the 1850 U.S. Census prior to William's marriage to Louisa. [1148] William's wife on the 1850 Census was named Hannah and was undoubtedly Hannah Rittenhouse. [1149] Also, the 1910 U.S. Census, cited below, reports that Louisa was the mother of five children, all of whom were living, and all of whom can be accounted for in the 1860 - 1880 Censuses.

William and Louisa appeared on the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Federal Censuses in Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan. After William's death, Louisa appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in the same place. [1151]

William EAGLE was born on 10 July 1819 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[1152]</sup> Although his death record reports Michigan as his birth place, Pennsylvania is cited in the censuses where we have found him. He died on 20 July 1899 in Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan.<sup>[1153]</sup> He was a stone mason.

Louisa GARN and William EAGLE had the following children, all probably born in Ashland Co., Ohio: [1154]

- 505. i. **William Jacob<sup>8</sup> EAGLE** was born on 30 November 1853,.<sup>[1155]</sup> He died on 22 September 1911 in Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan.<sup>[1156]</sup> He was a mason, like his father.
- 506. ii. **Sophia<sup>8</sup> EAGLE** was born about 1856.
- 507. iii. **Irving<sup>8</sup> EAGLE** was born on 31 December 1858. [1157] He died on 9 August 1925 in Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan. [1158] He was a clergyman.
- 508. iv. Mary<sup>8</sup> EAGLE was born about 1861.
- 509. v. Lorin R. EAGLE was born on 2 October 1864 in Reedsburg, Wayne Co., Ohio. [1159] He died on 16 August 1934 in Hillsdale, Hillsdale Co., Michigan. [1160] He married Jane. [1161]

152. **Samuel<sup>7</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 13 March 1832 in Bedford Co.,

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<sup>1148 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Eagle, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, M432\_740, p. 361A, wife as Hannah.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 April 2014, William Eagle and Hannah Rittenhouse, 3 November 1842, cites FHL# 425754.

<sup>1150 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Eagle, Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan, M593\_673, p. 216B, children Susanna and John, listed first, are from William's previous marriage to Hannah; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of William Eagle, Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan, Roll 580, p. 37A, E.D. 81.

<sup>1151 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Louisa Eagle, Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan, T623\_713, p. 5A, E.D. 84; 1910 U.S.Federal Census of Louisa Eagle, Amboy Twp., Hillsdale Co., Michigan, T624 649, p. 9A, E.D. 100.

From age at death on death record.

Death Record for William Eagle, Hillsdale Co., Michigan Deaths, 20 July 1899, bk. B, p. 146, as Wm. Eagle, names parents, age at death, 80y, 0m, 10d, birth in Michigan; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 128421858.

Children are named on 1860 - 1880 U.S. Federal Censuses and on individual records cited below.

From age at death on death record.

Death Record for William Jacob Eagle, Hillsdale Co., Michigan Deaths, 22 September 1911, bk. C, p. 36, married, parents as Wm. Eagle and Louise Garnes.

From age at death on death record.

Death Record for Irving Eagle, Hillsdale Co., Michigan Deaths, 9 Aug 1925, bk. C, p. 280, married, names parents.

From death record

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1160</sup> Hillsdale Co., Michigan Deaths, 16 August 1934, State File Nl. 129, names parents, spouse as Jane Eagle.

<sup>1161</sup> Jane named as spouse in Lorin R. Eagle's death record.

Pennsylvania.<sup>[1162]</sup> See Appendix 11 for a record of his birth and christening. He died on 5 January 1911 in Fairfield Twp., Dekalb Co., Indiana.<sup>[1163]</sup> At the time of his death he lived in or had recently lived in nearby Steuben Co., Indiana, and was buried in Circle Cemetery in Hudson, Steuben Co., Indiana.<sup>[1164]</sup>

Samuel GARN married **Sarah Jane COOPER** (daughter of **John COOPER** and **Nancy**) on 30 January 1853 in Ashland Co., Ohio. The appearance of John O. Garn in the 1860 U.S. Census in the home of John and Nancy Cooper suggests that he was their grandson and that Sarah was their daughter. This relationship is confirmed by John Cooper's estate, which names his deceased daughter and John O. Garn as a grandson. [1167]

Sarah Jane Cooper's marriage may have been to another Samuel Garn, who appears as person #130 in this book. However, our inability to find the other Samuel on the 1850 U.S. Census, where he should have appeared, and other censuses and records suggests that he had left the area by the time this marriage occurred. See Appendix 26 for our reasons for placing this Samuel as the husband of Sarah Jane Cooper.

Sarah Jane COOPER was born about 1829 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1168] She died on 15 December 1853 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1169] The birth of her son on the same day that she died suggests she died in childbirth

Samuel GARN and Sarah Jane COOPER had the following child: [1170] +510. i. **John Otis**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1853 - 1915).

Samuel GARN next married **Nancy SCOTT** on 29 May 1856 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1171] Samuel and Nancy appeared on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census in Wayne Co., Ohio. [1172] In 1870 they lived in LaGrange Co., Indiana. [1173] And in 1880 and 1900 they appeared on the U.S. Federal Census in Salem Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana. [1174] We can establish that the Samuel who married Nancy Scott is the same Samuel who is named in the will of Jacob Garn's wife Mary. Letters Testamentary in the will file and dated in 1890 report that her son Samuel lived in Turkey Creek, Indiana. Samuel and Nancy appear on

 $<sup>^{1162}</sup>$  Records of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, cited with Samuel's parents.

<sup>1163 &</sup>quot;Indiana, Death Index, 1882-1920," <familysearch.org>, accessed 4 April 2014, Samuel Garnes [sic], 5 January 1911, age, 78, cites book H-13 on page 31 within the series produced by the Works Progress Administration.

<sup>1164 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 114309829.

<sup>1165</sup> Marriage Record of Samuel Garn and Sarah Jane Cooper, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, 30 January 1853, bk.2, p. 146.

<sup>1166 1960</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Cooper, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 253, John O. Garn, age 6, living in household.

Estate file of John Cooper, Ashland County Probate Court (storage), Ashland, Ohio, filed 27 November 1874, file no. 2057.

From age, 24y, on grave stone inscription.

Gravestone, Mohicanville Cemetery, Section 32 of Mohican Twp., as reported by Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 184, she as w/o Samuel.

Death record of John Otis Garn names parents.

Marriage Record of Samuel Garn and Nancy Scott, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, 29 May 1856, bk. 2, p. 327.

<sup>1172 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, M653 1051, p. 261.

<sup>1173 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Springfield, LaGrange Co., Indiana, M593\_333, p. 294A, as Garen.

<sup>1174 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garn, Salem Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana, T9, Roll 312, E.D. 3, p. 278A; 1900 U.S. Census of Samuel Garn, as Garnes, Salem Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana, T623\_404, p. 10B, E.D. 106.

the 1880 and 1900 U.S. Federal Censuses in Salem Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana. And the record of the marriage of his daughter Alpha, which names both parents, reports that the marriage took place in Turkey Creek, Steuben Co., Indiana.

Nancy SCOTT was born about 1836 in Ohio. [1175] She died on 22 March 1920 in Auburn, Dekalb Co., Indiana.[1176]

Samuel GARN and Nancy SCOTT had the following children: [1177]

- ii. **James A.** <sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born about 1859 in Ohio.
- +512. iii. Socrates<sup>8</sup> GARN (1861 ).
- +513. iv. Alpha<sup>8</sup> GARN (1869 ).

153. Elizabeth GARN (Jacob Conrad GERN; Johann Adam; Johannes David; Johannes) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 1 March 1834 in Ohio. [1178] She died on 9 May 1913 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [1179]

Elizabeth GARN married Christian WILE (son of John WILE and Motte) on 6 January 1853 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1180] In 1860 they lived in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1181] They appeared on the 1870-1900 U.S. Federal Censuses in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [1182] Christian WILE was born on 28 April 1831 in Virginia. [1183] He died on 13 December 1909 in Chester Twp., Wavne Co., Ohio. [1184]

Elizabeth GARN and Christian WILE had the following children: [1185]

- i. **James Morgan<sup>8</sup> WILE** was born on 19 November 1853 in Ohio.<sup>[1186]</sup> He died on 22 September 1919 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1187]</sup>
- ii. Howard C.<sup>8</sup> WILE was born about 1856 in Ohio. He married Sadie O. RUMBAUGH 515. on 7 May 1878 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [1188]

Estimated from census records cited above; age on her death record, 88, places birth around 1832.

<sup>1176 &</sup>quot;Indiana, Death Index, 1882-1920," <familysearch.org>, accessed 4 April 2014, Nancy Garnes, 22 March 1920, age, 88, cites book 1CH-27 on page 56 within the series produced by the Works Progress Administration; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 114310369; Newspaper article reporting death of Nancy Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 29 March 1920, p. 6, col. 2, reports Mrs. Nancy Garn died "last week at her home in Auburn, Ind." and widow of Samuel."

Children named in census records cited above and in individual records as noted within their biographies.

From age at death on death record.

Death Record of Elizabeth Wile, Ohio Deaths, 9 May 1913, File No. 31387, widowed, names parents, date of birth, 9 May 1813 [sic] but age at death, 79y, 2m, 8d; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 43846924.

Marriage Record of Christian Wile and Elizabeth Garn, 6 January 1853, Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, bk.2, p. 136.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Christian Wile, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653 930, p. 235.

<sup>1182 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Christian Wile, Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, M593\_1280, p. 70B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Christian Wiles, Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1075, p. 54B, E.D. 226; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Christian C. Wile, Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T623 1331, p. 3A, E.D. 142.

Death Record for Christofer Wile, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 20 October 2010. cites FHL# 1927277, Cert. No. fn 64616, names parents.

From census records cited above and individual records cited with children below.

Death Record for James Morgan Wile. <a href="tel: 486">teta familysearch.org</a>. Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 20 October 2010, cites FHL# 1984826, Cert. No. fn51351, names parents.

- 516. iii. **John R.<sup>8</sup> WILE** was born on 7 February 1859 in Reedsburg, Wayne Co., Ohio. [1189] He died on 14 April 1932 in Paris, Union Co., Ohio. [1190] He married **Jennie**. [1191]
- 517. iv. **Elza N.<sup>8</sup> WILE** was born on 19 January 1863 in Ohio. [1192] He died on 29 May 1932 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [1193] He married **Vesta R.**. [1194]
- 518. v. Harvey WILE was born about 1867 in Ohio.
- 519. vi. **Myron L.<sup>8</sup> WILE** was born on 6 June 1870 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [1195] He died on 14 October 1925 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [1196] He married **Lydia M.**. [1197]
- 520. vii. **Jennie<sup>8</sup> WILE** was born on 25 December 1873 in Ohio. [1198] She died on 8 March 1917 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1199] She married **unknown HAWKE**. [1200]

154. **Jeremiah**<sup>7</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #61, and Mary Ann ELRICK) was born on 10 March 1843, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [1201] After his father's death, Jeremiah chose his mother as his guardian. [1202] The John Garn who posted bond for the guardianship was probably person #125.

Jeremiah served in the Union army during the Civil War.<sup>[1203]</sup> He enlisted in Co. F, 10th Ohio Volunteer Cavalry at Mansfield, Ohio, on 9 October 1863 and was discharged at Louisville, Kentucky, on 4 September 1964. He died on 9 January 1919 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio.<sup>[1204]</sup> An obituary reports that he fell down stairs and fractured a hip about a week before he died.

Marriage Record for Howard C. Wile and Sadie O. Rumbaugh, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 20 October 2010, cites FHL# 425757.

From death record.

Death Record for John R. Wile, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 20 October 2010, cites FHL# 1992573, Cert. No. fn 27240, names spouse, parents.

Jennie named as spouse on John's death record.

From death record.

Death Record for Elza N. Wile, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 20 October 2010, cites FHL# 1992661, Cert. No. fn 33776, names spouse, parents.

Vesta R. named as spouse on Elza's death record.

From death record.

Death Record for Myron L. Wile, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 20 October 2010, cites FHL# 1992682, Cert. No. fn 60528, names spouse, parents, mother as Elizabeth Garu.

<sup>1197</sup> Lydia M. named as spouse on Myron's death record.

Birth Record for unnamed child with Wile surname, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 7 October 2010, cites FHL 475466, names parents, father as C. Wile, although child is unnamed, birth date agrees with birth date on death record of Jennie (Wile) Hawke.

Death Record for Jennie Hawke, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 20 October 2010, cites FHL# 1983935, Cert. No. fn15320. names parents, father as C. Wile, first name of spouse not provided.

Jennie's surname on her death record was Hawke.

From age at death on death record, 75y, 9mo., 29 d.

Guardianship Papers for Jeremiah Garn, Ashland County Probate Court (storage), Ashland, Ohio, 15 September 1851, file no. 466.

<sup>1203</sup> Civil War Pension file, Jeremiah Garn, Co. F,10 Ohio Cavalry, App. #352214, Cert. #283887.

Find A Grave Memorial for Jeremiah Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 88691191; Death Record of Jeremiah Garn, Wyandot County, Ohio Deaths, 9 January 1919, File no. 7676, as Jeremiah Garns, father as Jacob Garn, mother as Mary Garn; Obituary of Jeremiah Garn, Fostoria [Ohio] Daily Review, 13 January 1919, p. 4, col. 2, names daughter as Mrs. Robert Hilty.

Jeremiah GARN married Catherine A. OVER (daughter of Henry D. OVER and Sarah) on 14 April 1864 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [1205] Although she is identified as Catharine Ober in some indexes of their marriage records, we are convinced her surname was Over. We believe the transcriber interpreted the name incorrectly on the marriage record. Death and marriage records of numerous children give the Over surname for their mother. Also, we do not find anyone with the surname Ober in indexes of people listed in Ashland County in the 1850 U.S. Federal Census. However, we do find a Henry D. Over with a four-year-old daughter named Kitty Ann, whom we believe is Catharine. [1206]

Jeremiah and Catharine appeared on the 1870 - 1900 U.S. Federal Censuses in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1207] An obituary of their son Elza reports that the family moved from Ashland County to Carey when he was six weeks old, which would have been around early April, 1867. After Catharine died, Jeremiah appeared on the 1910 Census with daughter Nellie and her husband. [1208]

Catherine A. OVER was born about 1847 in Ohio. [1209] She died on 16 April 1902 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1210] The 1900 Census cited above reports that she was the mother of twelve children and that eleven of them were living.

Jeremiah GARN and Catherine A. OVER had the following children: [1211]

- i. Legarthus GARN was born about 1865, probably in Ashland Co., Ohio. He appears only on the 1870 Census with his parents.
- ii. Elza N.<sup>8</sup> GARN (1867 1957). +522.
- iii. **Ora<sup>8</sup> GARN** (1869 1925).
- iv. **Viola I.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (1870 1924).
  - v. Mary<sup>8</sup> GARN was born about 1873, probably in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1212]
- vi. Alpharetta<sup>8</sup> GARN was born in August 1875, probably in Carey, Wyandot Co., 526. Ohio.[1213]
- 527. vii. **Willis<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 24 March 1878 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1214] He died on 4 March 1939 in Van Wert, Van Wert Co., Ohio. [1215] He managed the Inn Hotel on East

<sup>1205</sup> Marriage Record of Jeremiah Garn and Catharine Over, Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, book 3, p. 175, she as Catharine Ober or

<sup>1206 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry D. Over, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M432\_658, p. 54A, daughter Catharine as Kitty Ann.

<sup>1207 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio, M593\_1284, p. 693B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census, Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio, T9, Roll 1079, E.D. 159, p. 401C; 1900 U.S. Federal Census, Crawford, Wyandot Co., Ohio, T623 1334, E.D. 123, p. 1B, as

<sup>1208 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jeremiah Garn, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T624\_1241, p. 19B, E.D. 177, as Jermiah Garn.

From age at death on death record, 55y.

<sup>1210 &</sup>lt;br/> <br/> < parents unnamed; Obituary of Mrs. Jerry Garn, Wyandot Chief newspaper, 17 April 1902, p. 3, col 4, named only as Mrs. Jerry Garn

Children all named on censuses cited above and on birth, marriage and death records as noted below.

<sup>1212</sup> Appears only in the 1880 U.S. Federal Census of parents, cited above.

Birth month and year from 1900 U.S. Federal Census of parents, cited above, she as Alpharetta on 1880 Census and Allie on 1900

From death record.

Ohio Deaths, 4 March 1939, File No. 20965, names parents, mother as Catherine Anover, divorced but names spouse as Blanch R. Garn, informant was Eugene Garn; Obituary of Willis Garn, Van Wert Times Bulletin, Van Wert, Ohio, 6 March 1939, p. 8, names parents as Jeremiah and Catherine Garn, names surviving brothers Kenneth, Eugene, Elza, and Pearl and surviving sisters Mrs. Delmer Mulvaine and Mrs Alonzo Daniels; Tiffin, Ohio, Advertiser Tribune, 6 March 1939, p. 1, col. 1 and p. 10, col. 2, names parents and living siblings.

Main Street in Van Wert, Ohio, at the time of his death. He married **Blanch R. AULTMAN** (daughter of **George AULTMAN** and **Ellen KELLEY**) on 6 July 1904 in Seneca, Ohio. [1216] Willis and Blanch divorced. In 1930 he appeared on the U.S. Federal Census as a divorced man in the home of his brother Kenneth in Van Wert, Ohio. Blanch R. AULTMAN was born in 1884 in Lucky, Wood Co., Ohio. [1217]

- 528. viii. **Kenneth<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 12 July 1880 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1218] He died on 1 August 1950 in Van Wert, Van Wert Co., Ohio. [1219] He married **Bertha MITCHNER** (daughter of **William T. MITCHNER** and **Harriett SEVERS**) on 23 May 1916 in Van Wert, Van Wert Co., Ohio. [1220] Kenneth and Bertha appeared on the 1920 and 1930 U.S. Federal Censuses in Van Wert, Ohio. [1221] No children were named in either census or in their obituaries. Bertha MITCHNER was born on 1 September 1882 in Washington Court House, Fayette Co., Ohio. [1222] She died on 25 March 1962 in Van Wert, Van Wert Co., Ohio. [1223]
- +529. ix. Mont Pearl<sup>8</sup> GARN (1883 1958).
- 530. x. **Elzada**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** was born on 25 November 1886 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1224] Her death record reports the birth date given here. However, a birth record for a Harriet Garn, daughter of Jeremiah Garn and Catharine Over, reports a birth exactly one year earlier than the date on the death record. [1225] It is possible that Elzada was also known by the name Harriet. She died on 23 April 1941 in Marion, Marion Co., Ohio. [1226] She married **Delmar F. MULVAINE** (son of **Daniel H. MULVAINE** and **Mary CAMERON**) on 6 January 1907 in Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1227] No children appear in their household in the 1910 1930 Censuses. [1228] Delmar F. MULVAINE was born on 9 January 1890 in

Date from obituary, place from death record, age at death on death record gives 13 July 1880 as birth date.

Obituary of Bertha Garn, Van Wert Times Bulletin, Van Wert, Ohio, 26 March 1962, p. 2, names deceased spouse, parents as Mr. and Mrs. William T. Mitchner, no children named.

1225 <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 926699, Ref. No. p. 66, names parents.

From marriage record.

Ohio Deaths, 1 August 1950, File No. 52069. names parents, mother as Catherine Anover; Obituary of Kenneth Garn, Van Wert Times Bulletin, Van Wert, Ohio, 2 August 1950, p. 8, names parents, spouse, and surviving siblings, no children named.

Seta.familysearch.org
 Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 1015865, Ref. No. 2:3PN381L, names parents, Kenneth's mother as Katherine Overs, Bertha's father as W. T. Mitchner.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Kenneth Garn, Van Wert Ward 4, Van Wert Co., Ohio, T625\_1446, p. 6A, E.D. 34; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Kenneth Garn, Van Wert, Van Wert Co., Ohio, Roll 1890, p. 1A, E.D. 11, indexed as Keneth Garn, brother Willis living in household.

From obituary

<sup>1224</sup> From death record

Death Record for Elzada Garn Mulvaine, Ohio Deaths, 23 April 1941, Ref. No. 25563, names spouse and parents, mother as Catherine Oreer.

<sup>1227 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 1017132, Ref. No. it1, v9, p. 218, names parents.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Delmar F. Mulvaine, Prospect Twp., Marion Co., Ohio, T624\_1213, p. 3A, E.D. 101, indexed as Mcelvaine and Mulviaine; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Delmar F. Mulvaine, Marion Ward 3, Marion Co., Ohio, T625\_1416, p. 10A, E.D. 129; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Delmar F. Mulvaine, Marion, Marion Co., Ohio, Roll 1847, p. 14B, E.D. 14, indexed as Delwin Muhaine and Mulhaine.

Richwood, Union Co., Ohio. [1229] He died on 5 March 1946 in Marion, Marion Co., Ohio. [1230]

- 531. xi. **Nellie L.<sup>8</sup> GARN** was born on 10 March 1888 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1231] She married **Robert D. HILTY** (son of **Jacob HILTY** and **Rosalie BENTLY**) on 26 October 1909 in Wyandot Co., Ohio. [1232] In 1910 Robert and Nellie were living with her father when the census was recorded. We do not find them on the 1920 U.S. Census. However by 1930 they had moved to Dallas, Texas. [1233] No children were reported on either the 1910 or 1930 Census. Robert D. HILTY was born in 1888 in Bluffton, Allen Co., Ohio. [1234] He died on 3 June 1973 in Kerrville, Kerr Co., Texas. [1235]
- +532. xii. Eugene L.<sup>8</sup> GARN (1890 1964).
- 157. **Harriet**<sup>7</sup> **GARNS** (Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Samuel GARNS, person #62, and Susanna HOWENSTINE) was born on 22 October 1826 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1236] She died on 24 April 1900 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1237] The work of Houpt, Garns and Garns reported that she died on 23 March 1900 and that she was buried in Fairview Cemetery in Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Harriet GARNS married **Jacob FRIEZE**. [1238] Jacob and Harriet appeared on the 1860 and 1870 U.S. Censuses in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1239] Jacob FRIEZE was born about 1823. [1240]

Harriet GARNS and Jacob FRIEZE had the following children, all born in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania:<sup>[1241]</sup>

- 533. i. **Jeremiah**<sup>8</sup> **FRIEZE** was born about 1852.
- 534. ii. Ellen S.<sup>8</sup> FRIEZE was born about 1854.
- 535. iii. **Jacob Henry<sup>8</sup> FRIEZE** was born about 1856.
- 536. iv. **George W.**<sup>8</sup> **FRIEZE** was born about 1862.

<sup>1229</sup> Date from death record, place from death and marriage records.

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<sup>\*\*</sup>Seta.familysearch.org\*\*, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 926699, Ref. p. 66, indexed as Alouo Green but names parents as Jerry Garn and Catharine Over and birth agrees with birth year on censuses.

<sup>1232 &</sup>lt;br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 1017132, Ref. No. it1 v9 p. 432, names parents, Nellie's mother as Catherine Overs; <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 905935, Ref. No. p. 432, names parents, Nellie's mother as Catherine Overs.

<sup>1233 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Robert D. Hilty, Dallas, Dallas Co., Texas, Roll 2317, p. 28B, E.D. 62.

From census records cited above and death record.

<sup>1235 &</sup>lt;br/> <br/> <br/

<sup>1236</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62, see Appendix 21.

<sup>1238</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1239 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Frieze, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1112, p. 660, as Freeze; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Frieze, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1346, p. 452A, Sml Garnes living in Jacob Frieze household, 75, born in Delaware.

From census, cited above.

<sup>1241</sup> Children appear on one or both censuses, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

159. Samuel Andrew GARNS (Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel GARNS, person #62, and Susanna HOWENSTINE) was born on 15 May 1832 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1242] He died on 1 September 1865. [1243] He was buried near his parents in the Loop Family Cemetery on Dry Run Road in Lemasters, Pennsylvania. [1244]

Samuel served in the Union Army during the Civil War. [1245] He enlisted in Co. C of the 126th Pennsylvania Infantry at Mercersburg, Pennsylvania, on 2 August 1862 for a nine-month term of service. He was mustered into the unit at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, one week later. On 19 September, while at Sharpsburg, Pennsylvania, he received a surgeon's certificate to leave camp because of illness and returned to Mercersburg. During November and December he was reported to have deserted. However, he may have stayed away from his unit and remained in Mercersburg because he was still ill. A report dated 22 March 1863 taken near Falmouth Virginia indicates he had not yet rejoined his unit. However, some time between 1 April 1863 and 20 May 1863 he rejoined his unit. He may have been with his unit on 2 May near Chancellorsville where the unit was closely engaged and held its ground until their ammunition was exhausted. [1246] They were highly praised by General Tyler for their defense of their position during this engagement. The unit was mustered out at Harrisburg on 20 May 1863.

Samuel Andrew GARNS married **Martha SPECK**. [1247] Samuel and Martha appeared on the 1860 U.S. Census in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1248] After Samuel's death, Martha appeared on the 1870 Census in Antrim Twp. and on the 1880 Census in Upper Strasburg, both in Franklin County. [1249] Martha SPECK was born about 1832. [1250] She died on 12 January 1887 in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1251]

Samuel Andrew GARNS and Martha SPECK had the following children: [1252]

- i. Martha<sup>8</sup> GARNS was born about 1852 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- ii. **Jacob Henry**<sup>8</sup> **GARNES** (1855 1929). +538.
- iii. **John David<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (1857 1910). +539
- +540. iv. **Rev. Samuel Andrew<sup>8</sup> GARNES** (1859 1922).
- v. **Rev. William S.<sup>8</sup> GARNES** (1861 1926). +541
- vi. Mary Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1863 1941).

160. Henry GARNS (Samuel<sup>6</sup>: Conrad GERN: Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>: Johannes<sup>3</sup>: David<sup>2</sup>: Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel GARNS, person #62, and Susanna HOWENSTINE) was born on 7 December 1834 in Peters

<sup>1242</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62, see Appendix 21.

<sup>1244 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 111980396; John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 18, Peters Township, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1988), p. 18-127, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Samuel Garns, Civil War Service Record, Co. C, 126th Pennsylvania Infantry, from National Archives, Washington, DC.

<sup>1246 &</sup>lt;ancestry.com>, American Civil War Regiments, 126th Infantry Regiment Pennsylvania, accessed 13 April 2011.

<sup>1247</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1248 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garns, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1112, p. 603, as Saml Garnes.

<sup>1249 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Martha Garns, Antrim Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1345, p. 102B, as Garnes; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Martha Garns, Upper Strasburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1131, p. 140A, E.D. 94.

From 1860 Census, cited above.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites the Daily

Children appear on one or more census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1253]</sup> He died on 7 March 1912 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1254]</sup> An obituary reports his death and that he was buried in the Loop Graveyard.<sup>[1255]</sup> Apparently he was buried in the cemetery where his parents were buried and then moved to the Spring Grove Cemetery in Lemasters, Peters Twp., Franklin County, where he was buried along with his two wives.<sup>[1256]</sup>



Henry Garns, person #160

Henry was a cobbler or shoemaker. He worked out of a shop in Lemasters and made or repaired shoes for people there and in the surrounding villages. His granddaughter Miriam Garns reported that during his lifetime Henry made 5,420 pairs of shoes and repaired 45,240 pairs of shoes. Miriam Garns also reported finding the deed to property that Henry bought in Lemasters. The land was purchased from Adam Glazer and his wife on 23 April 1884. [1258]

Henry's father Samuel was undoubtedly bilingual, having grown up in a home where the parents had been born in Germany. And Samuel no doubt spoke German with his children. So Henry was also bilingual. Miriam reports of hearing her Aunt Mary tell of how older residents in the community would gather at Henry's cobbler shop and talk in German with Henry. [1259] After his death, his son Jacob, a barber, converted the shoe shop into a barber shop. [1260]

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Henry Garns Family Records, contains list of family members, births, and in some cases deaths, in possession of Milton L. Garns, grandson of Henry, [hereafter **Henry Garns Family Records**]; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Henry Garns Family Records; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 99035513.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Public Opinion, 8 March 1912.

<sup>1256 &</sup>lt;a href="www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 99035513; John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 18, Peters Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1988), p. 18-94, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>1257</sup> Miriam Garns, p. 37.

Franklin County Pennsylvania Land Records, Vol. 80, p. 200, item 2351, as reported by Miriam Garns, p. 21.

<sup>1259</sup> Miriam Garns, p. 17.

<sup>1260</sup> Miriam Garns, p. 5.

A newspaper article dated 8 June 1893 from Ashland, Ohio, reports that, "Henry Garns of Lemasters, Pa., was the guest of his son Prof. Garns here, and relatives near Jeromeville last week..." [1261] The Prof. Garns mentioned in the article was his son William Henry Garns, who was an instructor in the Ashland schools for a short time before becoming an architect. The relatives near Jeromeville would have been descendants of Henry's aunt Christina (Gern) Kahl, person #60, and uncles Christopher, person #53, Adam, person #59, and Jacob, person #61, all four of whom had descendants living in the area.

Henry GARNS married **Catharine HAULMAN** (daughter of **John HAULMAN** and **Elizabeth**) on 30 September 1856. [1262] Catharine appeared on the 1850 Census nearby in Peters Township with John and Elizabeth Haulman, whom we presume were her parents. [1263] Henry and Catharine appeared on the 1860 and 1870 Censuses in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1264]

Catharine HAULMAN was born on 10 June 1836 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1265] She died on 26 February 1877 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1266] Another record reports that she died at Bridgeport Dam [Markes], PA. [1267] Catharine's death five days after their last child was born was undoubtedly due to complications from the pregnancy and delivery. Like her husband, she was originally buried in the Loop Farm Family Cemetery near Lemasters and was later disinterred and buried in Spring Grove Cemetery with her husband. [1268]

Henry GARNS and Catharine HAULMAN had the following children: [1269]

- 543. i. daughter18 GARNS was born on 2 October 1857. [1270] She was stillborn.
- 544. ii. daughter28 GARNS was born on 2 January 1859. [1271] She was stillborn.
- 545. iii. **Eliza Jane<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 31 January 1860.<sup>[1272]</sup> She died on 19 December 1862.<sup>[1273]</sup>
- +546. iv. Susan Rebecca<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1861 1941).
- +547. v. Emma Catharine<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1863 1952).
- +548. vi. Sarah Ann<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1865 1939).
- +549. vii. **Jennie Mae<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (1866 1953).
- 550. viii. **Minnie Belle<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 5 December 1867 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1274] She appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in the home of her sister Jennie Mae and brother-in-law Richard Rosenberry. In 1910 she worked as a cook in their

<sup>1261</sup> Ashland [Ohio] Press, 8 June, 1893.

<sup>1262</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>1263 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Haulman, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll M432\_781, page 83B. With 1850 census.

<sup>1264 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1112, p. 726, as Garnes; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1346, p. 478A, Elizabeth Haulman, age 72, living in household, may have been Catharine's mother.

<sup>1265</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>1266</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1267</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>1268 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 99032697 and 111978408; Tombstone inscriptions, cited above with Henry.

<sup>1269</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

Henry Garns Family Records.

Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>1272</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>1273</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>1274</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

hotel. She died on 20 December 1954 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1275] She was buried in Stenger Hill Cemetery in Ft. Loudon, Pennsylvania. [1276]

- +551. ix. William Henry<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1869 1938).
- 552. x. **Samuel Elmer<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 11 May 1870 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1277] He died on 5 December 1913 in Des Moines, Iowa. [1278]
- 553. xi. **David Rush<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 10 May 1872 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1279] In 1900 he appeared on the census in the home of his sister Jennie Mae and brother-in-law Richard Rosenberry. He died on 28 January 1901 in Lemasters, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1280] He "was killed by the cars at Lemaster Station," in a train accident. He was buried near his parents in Spring Grove Cemetery in Lemasters. [1281]
- +554. xii. **John Calvin<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (1873 1941).
- +555. xiii. Charles Milton<sup>8</sup> GARNES (1875 1948).
  - 556. xiv. daughter3<sup>8</sup> GARNS was born on 21 February 1877. [1282] She was stillborn.

Henry GARNS next married **Malinda Frances WALT** on 3 February 1880 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1283] Henry and Malinda appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, with his children from his marriage to Catharine. [1284] In 1900 and 1910 they appeared on the censuses again in the same place. [1285] After Henry's death Malinda appeared on the 1920 Census as the head of the household, again in Peters Twp. [1286] She appears as Malinda F. or Malinda on three of these censuses and as Francis M. on one. Since the records of the family called her Malinda F., we believe she was named Malinda Frances. [1287]

Malinda Frances WALT was born on 3 November 1849 in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1288] She died on 2 August 1929 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1289] She was buried in Spring Grove Cemetery with her husband. [1290]

<sup>1275</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Necrology, Vol. 1*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), pp. 21 and 80, as Garnes, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Henry Garns Family Records.

Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Henry Garns Family Records; Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Public Opinion, 1 and 8 February 1901.

<sup>1281</sup> Tombstone inscription, cited with his father above.

<sup>1282</sup> Henry Garns Family Records.

Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1131, p. 243B, E.D. 98.

<sup>1285 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1413, pp. 9A-9B, E.D. 55, indexed as Garnes and Garner; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 3A, E.D. 30, as Garnes.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Francis M. Garns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 2A, E.D. 36, children Jacob A, Amelia G, and Mary E. living with her.

Henry Garns Family Records.

Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>1289 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 102750735; John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Necrology, Vol. 1*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), p. 27, as Garnes, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>1290 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 102750735.

Henry GARNS and Malinda Frances WALT had the following children: [1291]

- +557. xv. Luther Walt<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1880 1956).
- +558. xvi. **Jacob Arthur**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** (1882 1947).
- +559. xvii. Edward Otterbein<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1884 1948).
- 560.xviii. **Bessie Harriet<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 28 October 1885 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1292] She died on 18 August 1976 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1293] She married **B. F. LEE**. [1294]
- 561. xix. **Amelia Gail<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 9 January 1887 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1295] She appears as both Ameila Gail and Gail A. in the records. She died on 24 December 1945 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1296] She was buried in Spring Grove Cemetery in Lemasters with her parents, two brothers and a sister.
- 562. xx. **Mary Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 17 February 1889 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1297] She died on 27 May 1983 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1298] She was buried in Spring Grove Cemetery in Lemasters with her parents, two brothers and a sister.

162. **John<sup>7</sup> GARNS** (Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel GARNS, person #62, and Susanna HOWENSTINE) was born on 28 January 1838 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1299] He died on 15 May 1902 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1300] He wrote his will on 9 September 1885, which was probated on 17 July 1902 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. A copy of the will appears in Appendix 24.

John Garns served in the Union Army during the Civil War. [1301] He enlisted as a Private in Co., K of the 21st Pennsylvania Volunteer Cavalry on 25 July 1863 and served a term of six months. He was discharged at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania on 20 February 1864. Most of his service appears to have been guarding Harpers Ferry, which had been the site of John Brown's attack on the armory in 1859. [1302] Interestingly, John Brown's plans for the attack on Harpers Ferry appear to have been hatched in nearby Chambersburg. Papers within John's pension file report that at the age of 53 years he was 5' 9 & 1/2" tall and weighed 149 pounds. Another paper reports that when he was 59 years old, he was 5' 9" tall and weighed 136 pounds. His pension was granted because of an injury to his left arm, pharyngitis, and lumbago.

Henry Garns Family Records; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1292</sup> Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1293 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 112379655.

Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns, Bessie's spouse as Lee; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>\*</sup>www.findagrave.com\*>, Memorial# 112379221; Henry Garns Family Records; John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Necrology, Vol. 1, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), p. 58, as Gail Garnes, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1298 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 112379416; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1299</sup> Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1300</sup> Date found in Civil War pension file, cited below; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 30799185.

Civil War Pension file, John Garns, Co. K, 21st Pennsylvania Volunteer Cavalry, App. #805367, Cert. #565467, Widow's App. #765972, Widow's Cert. #543775.

<sup>1302 &</sup>lt;ancestry.com>, American Civil War Regiments, 21st Cavalry Regiment Pennsylvania, accessed 13 April 2011.

After John's death, his widow received a widow's pension and money to support their youngest child, Lulu, until she was 16 years old. Within the pension file are statements by John's widow attesting to Lulu's age. Other affidavits in the file were provided by John and Mary's children John G., Susan, as Sue, and Bessie, attesting that John and Mary lived together as husband and wife. John's brother Jeremiah, as Jere, provided an affidavit that reported that neither had been married prior to their marriage to each other. Also, there was an affidavit by the son of the man who married John and Mary, which reported that a diary kept by his father reported the date he married John and Mary. Finally, there were papers that gave Mary's birth date and place.

John was a blacksmith. [1303] Miriam Garns reported that once while shoeing a horse, it kicked him in the chest, causing a severe injury. Although he lived years after the incident, the family always believed that the kick from that horse contributed to his death years later.



John Garns, person #162

John GARNS married Mary Belle GRAHAM on 11 August 1864 in Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1304] John and Mary Belle appeared on the 1870-1900 Censuses in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1306] Mary Belle GRAHAM was born on 29 December 1845 in Greencastle, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1306] She died on 1 May 1923 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. John and Mary Belle were buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery in Antrim Twp., Franklin County, as were their children Susan Harriet, Ruth Hawbaker, Mary Belle, Nellie Ray, and Lulu Oellig. [1307]

John GARNS and Mary Belle GRAHAM had the following children: [1308]

- i. **Jacob Henry**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** (1865 1931). +563.
- ii. **Sabina Frances**<sup>8</sup> **GARNES** (1867 1946). +564.
- iii. **John Graham<sup>8</sup> GARNES, Sr.** (1869 1941). +565.
- iv. Susan Harriet<sup>8</sup> GARNS was born on 8 January 1871 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 12 June 1947 in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- v. Sarah Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1873 1946). +567.

 $<sup>^{1303}</sup>$  Miriam Garns, p. 51; also cited as Private and Blacksmith in his Civil War Pension file.

John Garns' Civil War Pension file, cited above.

<sup>1305 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garns, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1346, p. 426B, as Garnes; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of John Garns, Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1132, p. 428D, E.D. 108, as Garnes; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of John Garns, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623 1413, p. 6B, E.D. 52.

<sup>1306</sup> John Garns' Civil War Pension file, cited above.

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 7, Cedar Hill Cemetery, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 7-113, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

John Garns' Civil War Pension file, cited above; Note that Miriam Garns places one more child, Mary M. Garns, born 1893 and died in 1932, in this family, child is never mentioned in any papers in John Garns' pension file.

- 568. vi. **Ruth Hawbaker<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 1 September 1875 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 3 January 1961 in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She was a school teacher.
- 569. vii. Mary Belle "Mollie" GARNS was born on 14 January 1878 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 25 June 1885 in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- +570. viii. Bessie Salome<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1880 1960).
- +571. ix. Clyda Naomi<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1882 1962).
- 572. x. **Nellie Ray**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** was born on 5 February 1885 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1309] She died on 16 May 1980 in Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1310] Her obituary reports that she was a retired school teacher and that she had taught for more than 45 years.
- 573. xi. **Lulu Oellig<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 25 February 1889 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1311] She died on 24 February 1991 in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1312] Her obituary reports that she, "was just hours away from her 102nd birthday." She was buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery in Greencastle, Franklin County. [1313] According to papers within her father's Civil War Pension file, Lulu's middle name came from the surname of the physician who attended Lulu's birth.

163. **Jeremiah**<sup>7</sup> **GARNS** (Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel GARNS, person #62, and Susanna HOWENSTINE) was born on 28 July 1839 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1314] He died on 6 December 1927. [1315] An obituary reports his death. [1316]

Jeremiah provided an affidavit for the Civil War Pension file of his brother John, in which he appeared as Jere Garns and attested that he had known both John and Mary since the time they were of marriageable age, that neither had been married before and that they had lived together as husband and wife since the time they married.

Jeremiah GARNS married **Catherine STROCK** (daughter of **Jonathan STROCK** and **unknown MYERS**). [1317] Jeremiah and Catherine appeared on the 1860 and 1880 U.S. Censuses in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1318] In 1870 and 1900 - 1920 they appeared on the censuses in Guilford Twp., Franklin County. [1319] Catherine STROCK was born on 18 November 1839 in

1310 Obituary of Nell R. Garns, Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, p. 67.

1312 Obituary of Lulu O. Garns, Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, p. 66.

1315 <a href="https://www.findagrave.com"><a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a><a href="https://

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1860 U.S. Federal Census of Jeremiah Garns, Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1111, p. 438, as Garn; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Jeremiah Garns, Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1131, p. 287B, E.D. 100.

<sup>1309</sup> From obituary, cited below.

<sup>1311</sup> From obituary, cited below.

<sup>1313 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 30799929.

<sup>1314</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Obituary of Jeremiah Garns, The Record Herald Newspaper, Waynesboro, Franklin Co, Pennsylvania, Thursday, 8 December 1927, children as S. H., J. W., H. S., and D. Edward Garns of Marion, Miss Lydia Garns, at home, Mrs. Jonathan Unger of Cashtown, Mrs. C. D. Oyler of Chambersburg, and Mrs. D. L. Allen of Pittsburgh.

<sup>1317</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1319 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jeremiah Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1345, p. 234B; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Jeremiah Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 16A, E.D. 44, as Garnes; 1910 U.S. Federal

Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died in 1922.<sup>[1320]</sup> Both Jeremiah and Catharine were buried in Maplewood Cemetery, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1321]</sup>

Jeremiah GARNS and Catherine STROCK had the following children: [1322]

- 574. i. **Benjamin Franklin<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 31 October 1859. [1323] He died on 5 December 1861. [1324]
- +575. ii. Samuel Henry<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1861 1962).
- +576. iii. Mary Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARNS (1861 1933).
- 577. iv. **Twin<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 2 August 1863. She was a twin of Lydia Catherine. She died at birth and was not named.
- 578. v. **Lydia Catherine<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 2 August 1863 in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She was a twin. She died in 1933. [1325] She was buried in Maplewood Cemetery, where her parents were buried. [1326]
- 579. vi. **TwinSon1**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** was born on 20 October 1864. He died on 20 October 1864.
- 580. vii. **TwinSon2<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 20 October 1864. He died on 26 October 1864.



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- +581. viii. **Jonathan Jeremiah GARNS** (1865 1927).
- 582. ix. **Jacob Edward<sup>8</sup> GARNS** was born on 31 August 1868. He died on 21 September 1871. [1327] He was buried in Maplewood Cemetery in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1328]
- +583. x. **John William<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (1870 1947).
- +584. xi. **Harriet Elizabeth**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** (1872 ).
- +585. xii. Laura "Lolly" Frances GARNS (1874 ).
- +586. xiii. **Daniel Edwin<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (1876 1936).

Census of Jeremiah Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 21B, E.D. 19, as Jere Garns and indexed as Jen Gams and Jess Gams; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Jeremiah Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 2A, E.D. 21, as Jere Garns.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Tombstone inscriptions, cited above.

<sup>1322</sup> Named children appear on one or more census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Grave marker inscription, John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Grave marker inscription, cited above.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Tombstone inscriptions, cited above.

Death Report for Jacob E Garns, 22 September 1871 [sic], in United Brethern in Christ Church, Greencastle Circuit, 1854-1880, (#354), aged 3 years 20 days [sic], as son of Jeremiah & Catharine Garns, on microfilm at Cumberland County Historical Society, Carlisle, PA.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

- 587. xiv. Dessa Blanche<sup>8</sup> GARNS was born on 3 May 1879 in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 28 December 1880. She was buried in Maplewood Cemetery in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [1329]
- +588. xv. Norman Charles GARNS (1881 1907). +589. xvi. Harvey Strock GARNS (1884 1963).

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

# **Eighth Generation**

165. William<sup>8</sup> CARN (George<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of George CARN, person #63, and Christine PRINGLE) was born on 22 June 1818 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1330] He died on 29 June 1886 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.[1331]

William CARN married Susannah PRESSEL (daughter of Isaac PRESSEL and Mariah WILLET) in March 1847 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1332] William and Susannah appeared on the 1850-1870 Censuses in Union Twp. and on the 1880 Census in King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1333] Susannah PRESSEL was born on 4 August 1832 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1334] She died on 30 October 1889 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1335] William and Susannah were buried in the cemetery at Imler, Pennsylvania. [1336]

William CARN and Susannah PRESSEL had the following children, all born in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania:[1337]

- i. Mary Ann<sup>9</sup> CARN was born on 27 May 1848.<sup>[1338]</sup> She died on 23 January 1905 in Elmore, Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1339] She married **Samuel Crissman OSTER** on 16 September 1866 in Osterburg, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1340] Samuel Crissman OSTER was born on 23 January 1844 in Osterburg, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1341] He died on 12 August 1920 in Elmore, Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1342]
- ii. **Isaiah William<sup>9</sup> CARN** was born in 1850 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1343] He 591. died in 1919 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1344] He married Henrietta CREASY on 1 October 1871 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1345] Henrietta CREASY was born in 1854.<sup>[1346]</sup> She died in 1917.<sup>[1347]</sup>

1333 1850 U.S. Federal Census of William Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_751, p. 258B; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of William Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 643, as Wm. Carn; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of William Carn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, pp. 710A and 710B, as William Karn; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of William Carn, King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 195C, E.D. 226.

<sup>1330</sup> Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Cemetery at Imler, PA, Book 1, pp. 103-113, at 104; Geri Arnold, p. 16; McBride and Capener, p. 579.

<sup>1331 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 78427353; Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; Geri Arnold, p. 16; McBride and Capener, p. 579, gives 22 June 1886 as death date.

<sup>1334</sup> Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, pp. 17 and 18.

Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, pp. 17 and 18.

 $<sup>\</sup>overset{\cdot}{\text{1336}}$  Grave marker inscriptions, Imler Cemetery, cited above.

<sup>1850-1880</sup> Censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, pp. 17 and 18.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

<sup>1342</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

<sup>1345</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

<sup>1346</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

- +592. iii. **Jacob<sup>9</sup> CARN** (1853 1938).
- +593. iv. William R. CARN (1856 1920).
- 594. v. **Ida E.** CARN was born on 22 July 1860. [1348] She died on 3 April 1913. [1349] She married **Thomas TROUTMAN** on 22 July 1886 in Bedford, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1350]
- 595. vi. Calvin A. CARN was born on 2 September 1863. [1351] He died on 9 September 1916 in Kimmel Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1352] He married Mary WEYANT. [1353] Mary WEYANT was born in 1867. [1354] She died in 1890. [1355] Calvin and Mary were buried in the cemetery at Imler, Pennsylvania. [1356] They did not have any children.
   596. vii. Samuel E. CARN was born on 5 September 1867. [1357] He died on 30 August 1896 in
- 596. vii. **Samuel E.** CARN was born on 5 September 1867. He died on 30 August 1896 in Elmore, Ottawa Co., Ohio. He married **Etta BICE**. Etta BICE was born in 1863. She died in 1921. 1361
- 597. viii. **Armenta Rebecca<sup>9</sup> CARN** was born on 28 February 1873.<sup>[1362]</sup> She married **Elmer CORLE**.<sup>[1363]</sup> Elmer CORLE was born in April 1869.<sup>[1364]</sup>

166. **Jacob**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (George CARN; Frederick GARN; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam GERN; Johannes CARN; Johannes GERN; Johannes G

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1347 McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.
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<sup>1348</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

<sup>1350</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

Birth date reported on death record, cited below; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Cemetery at Imler, PA, Book 1, pp. 103-113, at 104; McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Calvin A. Carn, 9 September 1916, certificate 106486, gives birth date and place, names parents; Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

<sup>1354</sup> Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above: McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

<sup>1356</sup> Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

<sup>1360</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

<sup>1362</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 18.

From age at death, 57y, 4m, 1d, on grave marker; McBride and Capener, p. 596.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 14792316; Metzgar Cemetery Records, age at death, 57y, 4m, 1d; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, 4m, 1d; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, 65, age at death, 57y, 4m, 1d; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, 65, age at death, 57y.
 Wetzgar Cemetery Records, age at death, 57y, 4m, 1d; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, 65, age at death, 57y.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Estates, File #2563, 1879, has copy of will, estate file of Jacob Garns [sic] located at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio; see Appendix 29 for our transcript of the will.

Jacob GARN married **Catharine KLOTZ** on 6 October 1846 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1368] Jacob and Catharine appeared on the 1850 - 1870 U.S. Censuses in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1369] After Jacob died, Catharine appeared on the 1880 Census in the same place. [1370] Her appearance on that census is additional evidence that she did not die in 1879 and that McBride and Capener accidentally swapped the death dates of Jacob and Catharine.

Catharine KLOTZ was born on 27 August 1823.<sup>[1371]</sup> She died on 11 September 1891, probably in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1372]</sup> Both Jacob and Catharine were buried in Metzgar Cemetery in Sandusky Co., Ohio.

McBride and Capener place Jacob's wife as Catharine, the daughter of David Klotz and Elizabeth Garn (#94) and report that Catharine was born in 1831. We question this report. Catharine, the daughter of David Klotz and Elizabeth Garn would have been only 15 years old when married if actually born in 1831. But Catharine, the wife of Jacob Garn, was born in 1823, a date consistent with censuses on which she appeared and with her grave marker. And if the Catharine who married Jacob was the



Grave marker for Jacob Garn, person #166

daughter of David Klotz and Elizabeth Garn, then she should have appeared as their second child, born 16 months after the child currently listed as their first and 14 months before the child currently listed as their second child. We have not resolved these questions and therefore are reluctant to place Jacob's wife as the daughter of David Klotz and Elizabeth Garn.

Jacob GARN and Catharine KLOTZ had the following children: [1373]

+598. i. Susanah<sup>9</sup> GARN (1847 - 1924).

+599. ii. **Harrison<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1849 - 1923).

600. iii. **Mary Jane<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 27 March 1851 in Ohio.<sup>[1374]</sup> She died on 21 July 1920 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1375]</sup> She married **Edwin SMITH** on 19 November 1868 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1376]</sup>

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<sup>1368 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 2 March 2011, cites FHL# 506617, Ref. No. vol. C, p. 68, he as Jacob Gern, she as Catharine Clutts.

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1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 61A, indexed as Genn; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garns, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, p. 273; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garns, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, pp. 239A-239B.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Kathern Garn, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 107C, E.D. 76.

Date from age at death, 68y, 15d, on grave marker, place from death record of son Harrison.

 <sup>1372 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 82112846; Death Announcement for Catharine Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick, Gibsonburg, Ohio,
 17 September 1891, p. 6, col. 4; Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Children named in Jacob's will; McBride and Capener, p. 596.

From death record.

Death Record for Mary J. Smith, Ohio Deaths, 21 July 1920, File No. 51273, names parents.

<sup>1376</sup> Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), she as Mary Garns, cites vol. F 10, p. 125; McBride and Capener, p. 599.

168. Susannah<sup>8</sup> CARN (George<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of George CARN, person #63, and Christine PRINGLE) was born on 27 December 1826 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1377] She died on 13 December 1907 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1378] An obituary for Susannah appeared in a newspaper at the time of her death. [1379] The obituary reports the following:

Mrs. Susannah Imler died at King at the home of her daughter Mrs. I. B. Fickes on Friday, Dec. 3 at the age of 80 years, 11 months and 16 days. Mrs. Imler was the daughter of George and Christina Carn and was born near Weyant on Dec. 27, 1826. She was united in marriage to John H.Imler, who died Nov. 21,

She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Mary Ling, of Imler, Mrs. Etta Exline, of Youkon, [sic, probably Yukon] Oklahoma, Mrs. Huldah Peterson, of Grinnel, [sic, probably Grinnell] Kan. and Mrs. I. B. Fickes of King. The funeral services were held in the church at Imler on Sunday, December 15, conducted by Rev. J. H. Diehl. The interment was made in the Imler cemetery. Aunty Susan as she was familiarly known was a member of the Lutheran church for 65 years and was a woman of pure and noble character, beloved by all her friends and neighbors. When the hand of sympathetic aid was needed to minister to the sick, Aunt Susan was sure to be on hand. Many can testify to her gentle and loving care. In her death the community has lost a good woman and a faithful friend.

Susannah CARN married John H. IMLER. [1380] John H. IMLER was born on 20 September 1824 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1381] He died on 21 November 1905 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1382] John and Susannah were buried at Imler Cemetery in Imler, Pennsylvania. [1383]

Susannah CARN and John H. IMLER had the following children, all born in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania:[1384]

- i. Mary Mandilla IMLER was born on 4 January 1848. She died on 18 October 1919. She 601. married Isaac LING.
- ii. Etta<sup>9</sup> IMLER was born in 1850. She married George EXLINE.
- iii. Huldah<sup>9</sup> IMLER was born in 1852. She married Gus PETERSON.
- iv. Christianna<sup>9</sup> IMLER was born on 5 December 1856. [1385] She died on 29 September 604. 1890 [1386]

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<sup>1377</sup> Obituary of Susannah Imler, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 600, she as Susan Carn; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Cemetery at Imler, PA, Book 1, pp. 103-113, at 106.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Susanna Imler, 13 December 1907, certificate 119675, gives birth date and place, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78486268, reports link to spouse named Joseph H. Imler, which is inconsistent with his name in the 1900 Census; Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 600.

Obituary of Mrs. Susannah Imler, Bedford Inquirer, [Pennsylvania], 10 December 1907 issue, she as daughter of George and Christina Carn.

<sup>1380</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 600; Obituary of Susannah Imler, provided in her biography above.

Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 600.

 $<sup>^{1382}</sup>$  Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 600.

<sup>1383</sup> Imler Cemetery inscriptions, cited above.

McBride and Capener, p. 600, names all children and spouses; Obituary of Susannah Imler, provided in biography above, names

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Cemetery at Imler, PA, Book 1, pp. 103-113, at 106.

<sup>1386</sup> Grave marker inscription, Imler Cemetery, cited above.

- 605. v. Alice<sup>9</sup> IMLER was born in 1858. She died on 30 September 1900. She married George IMLER.
- 606. vi. Sarah Agnes<sup>9</sup> IMLER was born on 20 June 1861. She died on 4 May 1944. She married Isaac Benjamin FICKES.

169. **Margaret**<sup>8</sup> **CARN** (George<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of George CARN, person #63, and Christine PRINGLE) was born on 12 July 1828 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 7 July 1900 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. Margaret CARN married **Jacob STUFFT** on 5 September 1850 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. Jacob and Margaret appeared on the 1860 and 1870 Censuses in St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. In 1880 they appeared on the census in West Saint Clair Twp. of Bedford County.

Jacob STUFFT was born on 22 December 1826 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1392] He died on 17 February 1895 in Alum Bank, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1393] We do not know if or how this Jacob Stufft might have been related to the Jacob Stufft who married Mary Carn, person #66.



Jacob Stufft and Margaret Carn, person #169

Margaret CARN and Jacob STUFFT had the following children, all born in Alum Bank, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania: [1394]

- 607. i. **John William**<sup>9</sup> **STUFFT** was born on 5 April 1852.
- 608. ii. **George Valentine<sup>9</sup> STUFFT** was born on 10 March 1854.
- 609. iii. Cornelia<sup>9</sup> STUFFT was born on 17 October 1856.
- 610. iv. Harmon<sup>9</sup> STUFFT was born on 20 October 1858.
- 611. v. Samuel Whitaker<sup>9</sup> STUFFT was born on 26 November 1860.
- 612. vi. Christiana Dorothy<sup>9</sup> STUFFT was born on 8 November 1862.
- 613. vii. Mary Catherine STUFFT was born on 17 March 1865.

171. **John<sup>8</sup> GARN** (George<sup>7</sup> CARN; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of George CARN, person #63, and Christine PRINGLE) was born on 27 October 1833 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1395] He died on 12 June 1904 in Elmore, Ottawa

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<sup>1387</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 614.

McBride and Capener, p. 614.

McBride and Capener, p. 614.

<sup>1390</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Stufft, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 469, as Stifft; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Stufft, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593 1304, p. 681B.

<sup>1391 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Stufft, West Saint Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 316B, E.D. 235.

<sup>1392</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 614.

<sup>1393</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 614.

McBride and Capener, p. 614; all children listed in one or more of the censuses cited above.

<sup>1395</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 623.

Co., Ohio.<sup>[1396]</sup> His estate was settled in Ottawa County in 1904.<sup>[1397]</sup> The estate file reports his death on 12 June 1904 and names living sons Watson, George, and Jacob of Elmore, Ohio, and living daughter Maranda Carper of Genoa, Ohio. An obituary also reports his death.<sup>[1398]</sup> However, the obituary reports a different birth date, which does not agree with McBride and Capener or with the age at death reported in the obituary. That obituary reports his birth in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, that he had a sister Susan Imler living there, and that he moved to Sandusky Co., Ohio in 1862 and then to Ottawa Co., Ohio in 1865, where he remained.

John GARN married **Maria MOCK** (daughter of **George MOCK** and **Mary**) on 15 March 1853 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[1399]</sup> In 1860 John appeared on the census with children David W., Geo. H., and Maranda. <sup>[1400]</sup> His wife Maria, was not listed in the household but appeared in the next household listed, the home of John Crist and wife and child. We cannot explain her placement in this census. In 1870 and 1880 John and Maria appeared on the census in Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio. <sup>[1401]</sup> In 1900 after Maria's death John appeared on the census again in Harris Twp., living near his sons Watson and George. <sup>[1402]</sup> Maria MOCK was born on 20 August 1831 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[1403]</sup> She died on 13 October 1898 in Elmore, Ottawa Co., Ohio. <sup>[1404]</sup>

John GARN and Maria MOCK had the following children: [1405]

i. **David Watson<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 24 July 1852 in New Jersey. [1406] Although his death record reports that he was born in New Jersey, McBride and Capener report that he was born in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. We do not know which is correct. He died on 24 July 1915 in Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1407] He married **Henrietta A. SMITH** (daughter of **John W. SMITH** and **Maria INGREHAM**) on 9 November 1882 in Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1408] David or "Watson" and Henrietta appeared on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census in Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio, living near his brother and father. [1409] The absence of any children on that census suggests that they did not have children. Henrietta A. SMITH was

 $<sup>^{1396}</sup>$   $<\!\!$  www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 107900587; McBride and Capener, p. 623.

Estate of John Garn, Ottawa Co., Ohio, Estates, 1904, File 2668.

Obituary of John Garn, 12 June 1904, from unknown newspaper, undoubtedly from the Elmore, Ohio, vicinity, provided by Vada (Reimer) Morr, a descendant of John's son Jacob.

Marriage Record of John Garn and Maria Mock, Bedford Co. Registration of Marriages, Vol. IV, #3, p. 7, Marriages 1852-1853, he as John Carn, his parents as George and Christiana Carn, her parents as George and Mary Mock.

<sup>1400 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 650, he as Jno Carn

<sup>1401 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn, Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio, M593\_1253, p. 358B, indexed as John Garner; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of John Garn, Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio, Roll 1056, p. 352A, E.D. 66, indexed as John Garus.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garn, Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio, T623\_1312, p. 3A, E.D. 130, listed before son George, who is followed by son Watson.

From age at death on death record.

Death Record for Maria Garns, Ottawa County, Ohio, Court of Common Pleas, Probate Division, 13 October 1898, age at death, 67y, 1m, 23d.

Children except William R. are named in estate papers of Jacob; censuses, cited above, McBride and Capener, p. 623.

Date from death record; Mcbride and Capener, p. 623, places birth in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, on 21 August 1853.

Ohio Deaths, 24 July 1915, File No. 40578, as Watson Garns, father as John Garns, mother unknown, age at death 67y, 0m, 0d, birth in New Jersey, which does not match any census on which he appears; McBride and Capener, p. 623, agrees with death information in death record.

Record for David W. Garn and Henrietta A. Smith, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 6 March 2011, cites FHL# 2069268, Ref. No. it 1, p. 170.

<sup>1409 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Watson Garn, Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio, T623\_1312, p. 3A, E.D. 130, indexed as Matson Garn.

born on 11 September 1851 in Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1410] She died on 21 March 1921 in Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1411] A notice of her death names her as Mrs. Watson Garn and then gives her maiden name. [1412]

- 615. ii. **William R.** GARN was born on 15 January 1855 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 27 August 1856. We find him only in McBride and Capener.
- +616. iii. George Henry GARN (1856 1919).
- +617. iv. **Maranda**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1862 1918).
- +618. v. **Jacob<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1863 1923).

172. **Rachel<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Christian M. GARN, person #64, and Elizabeth ICKES) was born about 1824, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1413] She died between 1868 and 1880, probably in Taylor Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [1414]

Rachel GARN married **Henry LOWER**. The will of Rachel's father names Rachel and names her husband as Henry Sower [sic], which we are convinced is a transcription error. Henry LOWER was born about 1820 in Pennsylvania. [1415] He died after 1880.

Rachel GARN and Henry LOWER had the following children, probably in Taylor Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania: [1416]

- 619. i. Mariah LOWER was born about 1852.
- 620. ii. Ellen<sup>9</sup> LOWER was born about 1857.
- 621. iii. **Christian** LOWER was born about February 1860.
- 622. iv. **Annie<sup>9</sup> LOWER** was born about 1860.
- 623. v. Svlvester<sup>9</sup> LOWER was born about 1862.
- 624. vi. William<sup>9</sup> LOWER was born about 1865.
- 625. vii. Rachel LOWER was born about 1868.

173. **Mary**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Christian M. GARN, person #64, and Elizabeth ICKES) was born about 1827, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1417]</sup> The will of her father names Mary as his daughter, John Russel [sic] as her husband, and provides for Mary's unnamed heirs.<sup>[1418]</sup> She died between 1860 and 1870.<sup>[1419]</sup> She appeared on the 1860 Census cited above and had died by the time the 1870 Census was recorded when her husband and daughter Emma were living in another household.

 $<sup>^{1410}</sup>$  From death record, cited below, agrees with 1900 U.S. Federal Census, cited above.

Ohio Deaths, 21 March 1912, file no. 17688, only as Mrs. Watson Garn without mention of her first name, names her parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1412</sup> Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 22 March 1912, p. 6, col. 5.

<sup>1413 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry C. Lower, Taylor Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1078, p. 500; McBride and Capener, p. 669, places birth in 1839.

Her last child was born in 1868 and her husband was a widower on the 1880 Census cited below.

<sup>1415 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry C. Lower, Taylor Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1078, p. 500.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1416</sup> 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Henry C. Lower, Taylor Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1078, p. 500; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Lower, Taylor Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1103, p. 522D.

<sup>1417 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Russell, Bedford Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 69.

<sup>1418</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Will of Christian M. Garn, Book 5, pp. 551-553, probated 6 March 1882, FHL#331359.

<sup>1419 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Wolf, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, p. 679B, John Russell and daughter Emma living in Wolf household.

Mary GARN married John RUSSELL. John RUSSELL was born about 1819 in Pennsylvania. [1420]

Mary GARN and John RUSSELL had the following children, all named in the 1860 Census and all probably born in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania:<sup>[1421]</sup>

- 626. i. Emma<sup>9</sup> RUSSELL was born about 1851.
- 627. ii. Civilla<sup>9</sup> RUSSELL was born about 1853.
- 628. iii. **Irvine T.** PRUSSELL was born about 1856.

174. **Catherine**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Christian M. GARN, person #64, and Elizabeth ICKES) was born on 6 April 1828 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1422]</sup> She died in 1890 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1423]</sup>

Catherine GARN married **Solomon MAUK** (son of **John MOCK** and **Susanna**). Solomon and Catherine lived near Weyant, Pennsylvania, where they appeared on the 1850-1880 Censuses. In 1900, after Catherine had died, Solomon appeared on the census in the home of his son, George Washington Mauk in Clinton, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1426]

Solomon MAUK was born on 6 September 1823 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[1427]</sup> There is some confusion over his birth date and names of Solomon's parents. McBride and Capener and the church records cited with his birth report the birth date and parents shown here. However, the 1900 Census, cited above, reports that he was born in May 1824. There could be an error in reporting his birth on the census or the records cited for his birth may be for the wrong Solomon Mauk. We have not resolved this. However, we tend to believe the September birth date because it is the date reported by McBride and Capener who probably received the date from a descendant. He died in 1909 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. <sup>[1428]</sup>

Catherine GARN and Solomon MAUK had the following children: [1429]

+629. i. **George Washington<sup>9</sup> MAUK** (1849 - 1925).

1423 <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 79636536; McBride and Capener, p. 633.

<sup>1420 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Russell, Bedford Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 69; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of John Wolf, St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, p. 679B, John Russell and daughter Emma living in Wolf household.

<sup>1421 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Russell, Bedford Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 69.

McBride and Capener, p. 633.

<sup>1424</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 633, corroborated by death records of sons George and Joseph and daughter Anna Elizabeth.

 <sup>1425
 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Solomon Mock [sic], Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_751, p. 257A; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Solomon Mock [sic], Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 661; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Solomon Mauk, as Saul Mock and indexed as Paul Mock, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, p. 690B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Solomon Mauk, King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 194B.

<sup>1426 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George Mauk, indexed as Marck, Clinton, Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1320, Page 8A, E.D. 97.

Helen Shaffer Hill, "Old Log Church at Osterburg - a combined Lutheran & Reformed," births, baptisms, deaths and communicants, transcribed on 23 June 1933, Solomon Mock [sic], born 6 September 1823, parents as John and Susanna Mock, available at the Bedford County Historical Society, #1228; McBride and Capener, p. 633.

<sup>1428 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 69019484; McBride and Capener, p. 633.

McBride and Capener, p. 633; see also censuses cited above and biographies of the children.

- 630. ii. **Louisa<sup>9</sup> MAUK** was born on 15 October 1851 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1430]</sup> She married **William EDMUNDSON** in 1871 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1431]</sup> William EDMUNDSON was born in 1853 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1432]</sup> He died in Altoona, Blair Co., Pennsylvania.
- 631. iii. **Emma Jane<sup>9</sup> MAUK** was born on 17 July 1853 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1433] McBride and Capener reported that she did not marry.
- 632. iv. **Christian<sup>9</sup> MAUK** was born on 17 June 1855 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1434] He died on 1 June 1915 in Edgeworth, Allegheny Co., Pennsylvania. [1435] McBride and Capener reported that he did not marry.
- +633. v. **David Watson<sup>9</sup> MAUK** (1857 1922).
  - 634. vi. **William Henry**<sup>9</sup> **MAUK** was born on 11 May 1859 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. McBride and Capener reported that he did not marry.
- 635. vii. **Joseph Henry**MAUK was born on 9 May 1861 in Weyant, Bedford Co.,
  Pennsylvania. [1436] He died on 24 April 1952 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1437] He
  married Clara on 11 August 1887 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1438] Clara was born on 20
  October 1868 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1439] She died on 3 September 1937 in
  Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1440] McBride and Capener report that her surname was
  Kisaberth. However, her death record, which gives birth and death dates in agreement
  with McBride and Capener, also reports that her father was John Mauk born in Germany
  and her mother was Mary Ann Keis.
- 636. viii. **Hannah Mary<sup>9</sup> MAUK** was born on 1 August 1863 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1441] She died on 1 January 1918 in Kimmel Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1442] She married **Abraham Lincoln ICKES** was born on 12 February 1861 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1444] He died in 1924 in Osterburg, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1445]

<sup>1430</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 633.

McBride and Capener, p. 633.

McBride and Capener, p. 633.

<sup>1433</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 633.

Birth reported on death record; McBride and Capener, p. 633.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Christ Mauk [sic], 1 June 1915, certificate 56134, gives birth date, names parents.

From death record.

Death record of Joseph H. Mauk, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 24 April 1952, File 27311, parents as Solomon Mauk and Catherine Garn.

McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 637.

From death record.

Death record of Clara Etta Mauk, Seneca Co., Ohio Deaths, 3 September 1937, File 60166, spouse as Joseph Mauk, father as John Mauk born in Germany and mother as Mary Ann Keis.

Birth day and month reported on death record, year of death on death record inconsistent with age at death; McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 642.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Hannah Mare Jekis [sic], 1 January 1918, certificate 5867, age 55, birth on 1 August 1842, names parents.

<sup>1443</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 642.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1444</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 642.

McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 642.

- 637. ix. **Franklin Calvin<sup>9</sup> MAUK** was born on 3 January 1867 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. McBride and Capener reported that he did not marry.
- x. Anna Elizabeth MAUK was born on 9 September 1872 in Weyant, Bedford Co., 638. Pennsylvania. [1446] She died on 17 November 1933 in Fostoria, Ohio. [1447] McBride and Capener report that a daughter Anna was born to Solomon and Catherine on 9 September 1852, which is 20 years before the date reported on her death record, that she first married Frank Walker and next married a man with surname Dennis. They also report that Solomon and Catherine had a daughter Susannah who was born the same day as Anna Elizabeth and provide no more information about Susannah. We do not find Anna Elizabeth in the 1880 Census of Solomon and Catherine. However, that census reported that they had a child named Susan, who was born about 1868. To further confuse things, the gender of this Susan is reported as female but her relationship to the head of the household is "son." We suspect that her name may have been Susannah and that she was called Anna or possibly that the census taker somehow confused the name when recording the information. She married William C. DENNIS (son of Peter DENNIS and Sarah BEAM) on 14 March 1904 in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1448] William C. DENNIS was born on 16 June 1862 in New Jersey. [1449] His marriage record reports Beam as his mother's surname whereas his death record reports Berm as her surname. We do not know which is correct. He died on 27 November 1937 in Eloise, Wayne Co., Michigan. [1450]

175. **Susannah**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Christian M. GARN, person #64, and Elizabeth ICKES) was born on 26 September 1829 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1451] She received payment as Susannah Conrad from her father's estate. One version of her father's will mistakenly identified Susannah's sister Catherine as the wife of Edmund [sic] Conrad and later identified Catherine as the wife of Solomon Mock [sic]. See her father's will in Appendix 18 for details.

Susannah GARN married **Edward John CONRAD**.<sup>[1452]</sup> Edward John CONRAD was born about 1828 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[1453]</sup> He is identified as both Edward John Conrad and John Edward Conrad by McBride and Capener.<sup>[1454]</sup> Susannah and Edward lived in Bedford and Blair Counties in Pennsylvania.<sup>[1455]</sup>

<sup>1446</sup> From death record

Death record of Anna Elizabeth Dennis, Seneca Co., Ohio Deaths, 17 November 1933, File 64856, spouse as W. C. Dennis, parents as Solomon Mauk and Catherine Mauk; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 50389916.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 26 March 2014, William C. Dennis and Annie Mank or Mauk, 14 March 1904, names parents, her mother as Katie Garns, reports ages, references FHL# 388641; McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 634.

Reported on death record; 42 on marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Michigan Death Certificates, 1921-1952," index, <familysearch.org>, William C. Dennis, 27 November 1937, accessed 31 March 2014, widowed, reports birth date, names parents, mother as Sarah Berm; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 50389937.

McBride and Capener, p. 645.

McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 645; Edward is named as Edmund in the will of Susannah's father.

From census records cited below.

McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 645.

<sup>1455 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Edward Conrad, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_751, p. 257A; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Edward Conrad, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1072, p. 630; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Edward Conrad, Freedom Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1310, p. 289B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Edward Conrad, Newry Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1103, p. 253, E.D.161.

Susannah GARN and Edward John CONRAD had the following children, probably in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, and in Blair Co., Pennsylvania:<sup>[1456]</sup>

- 639. i. **Elizabeth Jane<sup>9</sup> CONRAD** was born on 1 January 1850. [1457] She died on 6 March 1906 in Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [1458] She appears as Elizabeth in McBride and Capener and in the 1870 Census. She is probably the family member Jane who appeared on the 1860 Census and the Lisa (indexed as Flora) on the 1850 Census. Her death record reports that her surname was Marble. We have not found the record of her marriage to Mr. Marble.
- 640. ii. **John<sup>9</sup> CONRAD** was born about 1851.
- 641. iii. **George<sup>9</sup> CONRAD** was born about 1855.
- 642. iv. **Joseph<sup>9</sup> CONRAD** was born about 1857.
- 643. v. **Daniel** CONRAD was born about 1860. He appears as Daniel in McBride and Capener and in the 1880 Census. He is probably the Henry who appeared on the 1870 Census with the family.
- 644. vi. **Albert** CONRAD was born about 1862. He appeared as Abner in McBride and Capener. We use the name Albert since he appeared with that name in the 1870 and 1880 Censuses.
- 645. vii. **Samuel** CONRAD was born about 1865. He is not listed in McBride and Capener but appears on the 1870 and 1880 Censuses.
- 646. viii. Mary CONRAD was born about 1868. She appeared as Mary in McBride and Capener and on the 1880 Census. She is probably the Annie who appeared with the family on the 1870 Census.
- 647. ix. **Edward** CONRAD was born about 1870, probably in Blair Co., Pennsylvania. He appeared as Edward in McBride and Capener and on the 1880 Census. He is probably the Frank Conrad who appeared in the family on the 1870 Census.
- 648. x. Levi<sup>9</sup> CONRAD was born about 1875.

176. **Margaret I.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Christian M. GARN, person #64, and Elizabeth ICKES) was born on 1 October 1831 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1459] She died on 12 November 1908 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1460]

Margaret I. GARN married **Adam BRIGGLE**. [1461] Her father's will named her as a daughter and the wife of Adam Brigl [sic]. Adam and Margaret appeared on the 1870 Census in Union Twp., and on the 1880 Census in King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1462] Adam BRIGGLE was born on 8 September

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McBride and Capener, p. 645; children also appear in censuses cited above and as listed in their biographies.

Birth date appears on death record.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Elizabeth Jane Marble, 6 March 1906, certificate 23855, death in Henry [sic, possibly Newry] age 56, birth on 1 Jan 1850, names parents.

Records of the Old Log Church at Osterberg, Bedford County Pennsylvania, of the Lutheran and German Reformed Congregations,

Records of the Old Log Church at Osterberg, Bedford County Pennsylvania, of the Lutheran and German Reformed Congregations, extracted by James Boor (New Enterprise, PA, 1985), p. 5, she as Margaretta, born 1 October 1831, baptized on 1 July 1832, parents as Christian and Elizabeth Garn, record located at Bedford County Historical Society.

<sup>1460 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 80504761; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Mock Cemetery Between Imler and Weyant, PA, Book 5, pp. 63-64, at 64, transcript of inscription reports birth on 1 April 1831; McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 647.

McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 647; see also censuses cited above.

<sup>1462 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Adam Briggle, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, p. 704B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Adam Briggle, King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 198B, E.D. 226.

1833 in New York, New York. [1463] The census cited above suggests that he may have been born a year or two later than reported on his grave marker and in McBride and Capener. Also, the census suggests a birth in Pennsylvania. He died on 11 August 1894 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1464]

Margaret I. GARN and Adam BRIGGLE had the following children: [1465]

- i. Hannah<sup>9</sup> BRIGGLE was born on 14 August 1860 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1466] She died in 1938. [1467] She married **John ICKES**. John ICKES was born in 1856. [1468] He died in 1935. [1469]
- ii. Daniel<sup>9</sup> BRIGGLE (1867 ). +650.
- iii. Jane<sup>9</sup> BRIGGLE was born about 1869 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She appears only on the 1870 Census.

177. **John Ickes<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Christian M. GARN, person #64, and Elizabeth ICKES) was born on 27 October 1833 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1470]</sup> McBride and Capener report that his middle name was Ickes, which is confirmed by the death record of his daughter Hannah. An obituary reports his birth in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, and that his parents were C. M. Garn and Elizabeth Ickes. [1471] It also reports that his ancestors were originally from Holland, which is not true for his Garn ancestors. And it reports that he married Maria Garn but that she was not related; note that we have shown that John and Maria were second cousins through Maria's father and third cousins through Maria's mother. He died on 5 December 1910 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1472] In addition to the obituary cited above, three other newspapers reported his death. [1473] He had suffered a stroke.

John was a Probate Judge in Sandusky County for three years from 1894 to 1897. Shortly after he took office a newspaper carried a biographical profile about him. [1474] He had been a Justice of the Peace for about 15 years in Millersville prior to his election as Probate Judge. He was also a farmer in Jackson Twp., on land that he cleared himself. He also worked for the Pennsylvania Railroad in Millersville. His obituary reports that he was the father of six daughters and one son, with five daughters surviving him.

Biographical information about John I. Garn, Fremont (Weekly) Journal (Ohio), 30 March 1894, p. 1, col. 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1463</sup> Mock Cemetery inscriptions, cited above; McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 647.

<sup>1464</sup> Grave marker inscription transcript, Mock Cemetery, cited above; McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 647.

McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 647; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Adam Briggle, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593 1304, p. 704B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Adam Briggle, King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 198B, E.D.

<sup>1466</sup> Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Mock Cemetery Between Imler and Weyant, PA, Book 5, pp.

From grave marker inscription transcript, cited above.

From Mock Cemetery grave marker inscription transcripts, cited above.

From Mock Cemetery grave marker inscription transcripts, cited above.

Obituary of John I. Garn, Fremont Daily News (Ohio), 5 December 1910, p. 7, col. 5.

<sup>1472</sup> Death record of John I. Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 5 December 1910, File 69049, parents as Christian Garn and Elizabeth Ickes; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81609444.

Death notice of John I. Garn, Clyde Enterprise (Ohio), 8 December 1910, p. 8, col. 4; Obituary of John I. Garn, Fremont Daily Journal (Ohio), 5 December 1910, p. 1, col. 2; Death Notice for John Garn, Fremont Messenger (Ohio), 5 December 1910, p. 1, col. 2.

John Ickes GARN married **Maria GARN** (daughter of **John GARN**, person #98, and **Catherine GARN**, person #122) on 25 January 1855 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. They lived in Jackson Twp., where they appeared on the census numerous times. [1475]

Maria is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Maria<sup>8</sup> GARN (John<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #314, in this book. Additional information about Maria may be found in her biography at person #314.

John Ickes GARN and Maria GARN had the following children, all born in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio: [1476]

- +652. i. Elizabeth Jane<sup>9</sup> GARN (1855 1892).
- +653. ii. **Anna Mary**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1857 1945).
- 654. iii. **Hannah**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born on 12 January 1859.<sup>[1477]</sup> She died on 27 October 1942 in Fostoria, Ohio. <sup>[1478]</sup> She married **Alexander CLAYCOMB** on 18 December 1877 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[1479]</sup> Alexander CLAYCOMB was born on 14 October 1851 in Osterburg, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[1480]</sup> He died on 11 January 1948 in Fostoria, Ohio. <sup>[1481]</sup>
- +655. iv. **Delilah M.**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1860 1937).
- 656. v. **Sarah Catherine<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 29 March 1863.<sup>[1482]</sup> She died on 18 August 1916 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1483]</sup> She never married.
- 657. vi. Minnie Sophia GARN was born on 4 October 1865. [1484] She died on 14 October 1950 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1485] She married Samuel L. STINE on 30 June 1897 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1486] Their marriage was reported in the local German language newspaper. [1487] They appeared on the 1900 Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1488] Samuel L. STINE was born in November 1867 in Burgoon, Sandusky Co.,

<sup>1475 1860</sup> U.S. Census of John Garns, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, pp. 235, 236; 1870 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, indexed as John J. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 149B; 1880 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 103A, E. D. 75; 1900 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll T623\_1318, p. 13B, E. D. 81; 1910 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll T624\_1227, p. 11B, E. D. 120

<sup>1476</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 653; censuses cited above; see also the records found in biographies of the children

From death record; McBride and Capener, pp. 653, 660.

Death record of Hannah Garn Claycomb, Seneca Co., Ohio Deaths, 27 October 1942, File 62190, spouse as Alexander Claycomb, parents as John Ickes [indexed as Icher] Garn and Maria with no surname.

<sup>1479</sup> Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. G-11, p. 284.

From death record.

Death record of Alexander Claycomb, Hancock Co., Ohio Deaths, 11 Jan 1948, File 3694, spouse as Hanah [sic] Garn.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 653.

Death record of Sarah C. Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 18 August 1916, File 52273, parents as John I. Garn and Marie Garn, county of death incorrectly indexed as Shelby Co., Ohio; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 81613895.

Birth date reported on death record; McBride and Capener, pp. 653, 663.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953," index, <familysearch.org>, Minnie Stine, 14 October 1950, cites FHL #2372785, accessed 20 March 2014, reports birth date, father as John O. Garn; McBride and Capener, pp. 653, 663, reports death in 1954; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81615603.

Marriage Record for Samuel L. Stine and Minnie S. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 21 September 2011, cites FHL# 506621, ref. no. vol. 14, p. 278, cn 834; McBride and Capener, p. 663.

Fremont Courier, 15 July 1897, p. 4, col. 3, in German script, he as Stine.

<sup>1488 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel L.Stine [sic], Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 14A, E.D. 81.

Ohio.  $^{[1489]}$  Marriage and census records spell his name as shown here. McBride and Capener (pp. 653 and 663) spell it as Stein. He died in 1901 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio  $^{[1490]}$ 

658. vii. **John Christian GARN** was born on 30 September 1868. [1491] He died on 12 October 1893 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1492] He married **Addie V. LYNCH** (daughter of **John LYNCH** and **Sarah UTZ**) on 29 December 1887 in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1493] Addie V. LYNCH was born about 1865 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1494] After John died, Addie remarried to Joseph T. Bartoon. [1495] The 1910 U.S. Census indicates that they had been married for five years, that she had been married twice and never had any children. [1496] She died on 29 July 1928 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1497]

179. **George I.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Christian M. GARN, person #64, and Elizabeth ICKES) was born on 29 December 1838 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 23 December 1921 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. His death record reports that he was a bank officer. His estate was probated in 1922. The probate file names heirs Elizabeth as his wife, William J. Garn as his son, and Emma Dundore as his daughter. The value of his estate at the time was around \$50,000.

Obituaries and a death notice report his death.<sup>[1501]</sup> One obituary (Messenger) reports that he came with his wife to Ohio from Bedford County, Pennsylvania, when he was 24 years old. Another obituary reports that he was president of the Bettsville Banking Company, an office that he had held since the bank was established 17 years before. He was reported to be one of the, "wealthiest men in his section."

George I. GARN married **Elizabeth WALTERS** (daughter of **Henry WALTERS** and **Anna KLOTZ**) on 29 January 1860 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1502] They appeared on several censuses

<sup>1489 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census, cited above.

<sup>1490</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 653, 663.

From age at death on grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 653, 663.

<sup>1492 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81611615; Metzgar Cemetery Records, age at death of 25y, 12d, names parents as John and Maria; McBride and Capener, pp. 653, 663.

Marriage Record of John C. Garn and Addie V. Lynch, Seneca Co., Ohio, Probate Marriage Records, v. 9, p. 492; Jean Seigley, Marriages of Seneca County, Ohio, 1841-1899, pub. by Seneca County Genealogical Society, (Tiffin, Ohio, 1994), p. 124; McBride and Capener, pp. 653, 663; Marriage announcement for John C. Garn and Addie Lynch, Tiffin, Ohio, Daily Tribune, 30 December 1887, p. 4, col. 6.

From death record.

Death Record for Joseph T. Bartoon, Ohio Deaths, 6 October 1925, file no. 57782, spouse as Attie V. Garn.

<sup>1496 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Joseph T. Bartoon, Findlay Ward 4, Hancock Co., Ohio, T624\_1187, p. 2A, E.D. 74.

Death Record for Addie V. Bartoon, Ohio Deaths, 29 July 1928, file no. 45630, names parents, spouse as Joseph Bartoon.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 664.

Death record of George I. Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 23 December 1921, File 70960, parents as Christian Garn and Elizabeth Ickes, informant was Mrs. W. J. Garn; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 20050036.

Probate file of George I. Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio, File 9856, currently held by the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center, 1 Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio 43420-2796.

Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 23 December 1921, p. 1, col. 2, names spouse, children, brother Daniel, and nephew Harry E. Garn; Green Springs Echo [Ohio], 29 December 1921, p. 1, col. 3, names children, reports banking career; Notice for George Garns [sic], Green Springs Echo [Ohio], 29 December 1921, p. 1, col. 5.

McBride and Capener, p. 664.

in Sandusky Co., and once in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1503] Their move from Pennsylvania to Ohio appears to have been between 1862 and 1866 as determined by the birth dates and places of children in McBride and Capener and the 1870 and 1880 Censuses cited above.

Elizabeth WALTERS was born on 29 July 1841 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1504]</sup> She died on 31 December 1925 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1505]</sup> An obituary reports her death and some details about her life.<sup>[1506]</sup> She had fallen and fractured her hip several weeks before her death and never recovered. Several death and funeral announcements also report her death.<sup>[1507]</sup>

George I. GARN and Elizabeth WALTERS had the following children: [1508]

- 659. i. **Franklin<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 26 January 1861 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1509] His birth and death are reported only in McBride and Capener. He died on 1 February 1861 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.
- +660. ii. William J.<sup>9</sup> GARN (1862 1956).
- +661. iii. Emma<sup>9</sup> GARN (1866 ).

181. **Daniel Ickes<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Christian M. GARN, person #64, and Elizabeth ICKES) was born on 31 March 1844 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1510] He died on 11 June 1932 in Lakewood, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. [1511] Daniel served in the Union army during the Civil War. [1512] He enlisted in Co. G, 91st Pennsylvania Infantry in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, on 21 September 1864 and was discharged in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on 12 July 1965. He died in the home for soldiers near Cleveland, Ohio. Obituaries report that he was a veteran of the Civil War and that he was a retired farmer. [1513]

Daniel Ickes GARN married **Virginia GRIFFITH** (daughter of **William GRIFFITH** and **Susan ARTHUR**) on 29 July 1866 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. <sup>[1514]</sup> They appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Pavia, Bedford County. <sup>[1515]</sup> Virginia GRIFFITH was born on 23 April 1842 in

From death record; also McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 671.

<sup>1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George I. Garn, indexed as George F. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 149B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of George I. Garn, Liberty Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1065, p. 20B, E.D. 193; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of George Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 5A, E. D. 81; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of George I. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 2B, E. D. 120; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of George I. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 12B, E. D. 85.

From age at death; McBride and Capener, p. 664.

Death record of Elizabeth Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 31 December 1925, File 73469, informant - W. J. Garn.

Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 2 January 1926, p. 1, col. 5, names parents, children.

Green Springs Echo [Ohio], 7 January 1926, p. 5, on both col. 2 and col. 4; Sandusky Register [Ohio], 3 January 1926, p. 15, col. 6; Woodville News [Ohio], 8 January 1926, p. 8, col. 3, as Mrs. George Garns.

Probate file of George I. Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio, File 9856, currently held by the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center, 1 Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio 43420-2796.

McBride and Capener, p. 664.

Death record of Daniel Ickes Garn, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio Deaths, 11 June 1932, File 35701.

<sup>1512</sup> Civil War Pension file, Daniel I. Garn, Co. G, 91st Pennsylvania Infantry, App. #653743, Cert. #932095.

Obituary of Daniel I. Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 14 June 1932, p. 2, col. 4; Obituary of Daniel I. Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 14 June 1932, p. 2, col. 6.

Daniel's spouse named and marriage date and place given in his Civil War pension file; McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 671.

<sup>1515 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel I. Garn, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 341A, E.D. 237.

Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1516]</sup> She died on 9 December 1930 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1517]</sup> Her funeral was reported in a newspaper.<sup>[1518]</sup> An obituary reported that she had lived in Fremont for 36 years, where she was active in the affairs of the East Side Presbyterian Church.<sup>[1519]</sup>

Daniel Ickes GARN and Virginia GRIFFITH had the following children, all born in Pavia, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania:<sup>[1520]</sup>

- 662. i. Lillian Grace GARN was born on 9 May 1867.
- 663. ii. Charles H. GARN was born on 27 August 1869.
- 664. iii. **Harry Edmund<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 9 March 1872. He died on 2 November 1956 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1521] Obituaries report he had been an attorney in the county for 58 years and that the Sandusky County Bar Association attended his funeral as a group.
- 665. iv. Elizabeth Virginia GARN was born on 20 November 1874.
- v. Susan Griffith<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 27 March 1877. [1522] She died on 26 November 1926 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1523] Her death and funeral were reported in news items. [1524] An obituary reports that she had undergone an operation for gall stones, which at the time was a serious operation, and did not recover. [1525] She was a much loved, highly respected teacher of German and Mathematics. She had taught in various schools including at Elmore, Fremont, Leipsic, and Lima, Ohio, and in Davenport, Iowa. She had graduated from Heidelberg University in Tiffin, Ohio, and had also attended post-graduate school at the University of Chicago.
- 667. vi. **William Arthur<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 13 September 1879. He died on 29 April 1967 in Port Clinton, Ottawa Co., Ohio. He was a retired ticket agent for the New York Central Railroad.
- 233. **Sarah**<sup>8</sup> **DIVELY** (Rachel<sup>7</sup> MOCK; Catharina<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob DIVELY, and Rachel MOCK, person #88) was born on 5 March 1853 in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [1527] She died on 11 November 1925 in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [1528]

 $<sup>^{1516}</sup>$  From death record; also McBride and Capener, pp. 632, 671.

Death record of Virginia Griffith Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 9 December 1930, File 74951, father as William Griffith, mother as Susan Arthur.

<sup>1518</sup> Fremont Daily News, 12 December 1930, p. 3, col. 7, names sons W. A. and Harry, she as Mrs. Daniel I. Garn.

<sup>1519</sup> Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 10 December 1930, p. 1, col. 7, names parents, spouse, and children.

<sup>1520</sup> Children named and birth dates given in Daniel's Civil War pension file; McBride and Capener, p. 671; 1880 Census, cited above.

Death announcement for Harry E. Garn, Fremont News-Messenger [Ohio], 6 November 1956, p. 2, col. 7; Death Announcement for Harry E. Garn, Clyde Enterprise [Ohio], 8 November 1956, p. 2, col. 5, widow as Blanche Heess Garn, names brother Wm. A. Garn.

Date appears on death record and in obituary, cited below; Place appears in obituary.

Death Record for Susan Griffith Garn, Ohio Deaths, 26 November 1926, file no. 69461, names parents.

Death Notice for Suzie Garn, Clyde Enterprise [Ohio], 2 December 1926, p. 2, col. 3; Funeral News for Susie Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 30 December 1926, p. 8, col. 4.

Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 27 November 1926, p. 1, col. 5.

Funeral Service News about William A. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 2 May 1967, p. 2, col. 4, age 87.

<sup>1527</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 634.

<sup>1528</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 634.

Sarah DIVELY married **David Watson MAUK** (son of **Solomon MAUK** and **Catherine GARN**) in 1876 in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. He is also a descendant of Johannes GERN and appears as David Watson MAUK (Catherine GARN; Christian M.7; Frederick GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #633, in this book.

236. Caselton<sup>8</sup> AKE (Margaret<sup>7</sup> GARN; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Joseph B. AKE, and Margaret GARN, person #91) was born about 1822 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1530] He died on 14 November 1886 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1531] His Find A Grave memorial reports a birth in 1817, which is not supported by census records or his pension file, cited below.

Caselton served in Co. E, 5th U.S. Artillery in the Union army during the Civil War. [1532] His widow at the time of his death, Mary, received a pension based on his service. His pension file reports that his son Samuel W. Ake served with him in the same unit during the Civil War. His pension file clearly names both wives, some of the children from his first marriage and his three children from his second marriage.

Caselton AKE married Louisa CLARK about 1845 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1533] Caselton and Louisa appeared on the 1850-1870 Censuses in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1534] In 1880 they appeared on the census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1535] Louisa CLARK was born about 1822 in Pennsylvania. [1536] She died in November 1880 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1537]

A deposition dated 15 April 1891 provided by Caselton's second wife and found in Caselton's Civil War pension file reports that he had six children living when his first wife died and names Richard as one of them. A letter with Caselton's Civil War pension file, dated 26 March 1892 and provided by James A. Watson, reports that Samuel W. Ake was Caselton's son, that they served together in the Civil War, and that Richard, Henry and Frank Ake were brothers of Samuel.

Caselton AKE and Louisa CLARK had the following children, all born in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania:[1538]

i. Mary M. AKE was born about 1845. 668.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1529</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 634.

Death record within Civil War pension file, cited below, reports age at death was 64; Census records, cited below support this birth

Death record of Caselton Ake, 14 November 1886, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Record of Deaths, Vol. 2, p. 52, contained within Civil War pension file, cited below; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 84021308.

<sup>1532</sup> Civil War Pension File of Caselton Ake, Widow's Application# 351,050; Widow's Certificate# 336,296, Minor's Application# 732,223; Minor's Certificate# 515,190.

Marriage and Louisa's maiden name is reported in Caselton's Civil War pension file, cited above; date of marriage estimated from age of oldest child on 1850 Census, cited below.

<sup>1534 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Caslelian [sic] Ake, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_751, Page 253A; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Casleton Ake, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M653 1072, Page 632, FHL# 805072; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Casseelton Ake, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593 1304, Page 699A, FHL# 552803.

<sup>1535 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Caselton Ake, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, Page 305D, E.D. 85, FHL# 1255064.

From census records, cited above.

Date appears in Deposition provided by Caselton's second wife, which appears in Caselton's Civil War pension file, cited above.

Children appear on one or more census, cited above; Samuel is named as a son in Caselton's Civil War pension file and Richard, Henry [Joseph Henry] and Frank are named as brothers of Samuel in the file; birth years of children are estimated from census.

- 669. ii. **Samuel W.** AKE was born about 1847. Caselton Ake's Civil War pension file names Samuel W. Ake as a son and as a comrade in Co. E, 5th Regiment of U.S. Artillery.
- 670. iii. **Alexander<sup>9</sup> AKE** was born about 1848.
- 671. iv. Louisa AKE was born about 1855.
- 672. v. **Francis Asberry** AKE was born about 1856. He appears as Asberry on the 1860 Census and as Francis on the 1870 Census, cited with his parents.
- 673. vi. **Joseph Henry**<sup>9</sup> **AKE** was born about 1858. He appears as Henry on the 1870 Census, cited with his parents.
- 674. vii. Richard M. AKE was born about 1865.

Caselton AKE next married **Mary BIDDLE** on 16 January 1881 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1539] Caselton's Civil War pension file reports that Mary had previously been married to John Mengel, who died on 13 June 1879 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. It also reports that after Caselton died, she remarried to William O. Titus on 19 September 1900 in Lucas Co., Ohio. It is interesting that William O. Titus appears as a boarder in her home on the 1900 Census. [1540] Mary BIDDLE was born about 1852 in Pennsylvania. [1541]

Caselton AKE and Mary BIDDLE had the following children: [1542]

- 675. viii. **Ardella<sup>9</sup> AKE** was born on 10 January 1882 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1543] She died on 8 February 1888. [1544]
- 676. ix. **Thurman C.** AKE was born on 8 January 1884 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1545]
- 677. x. **Delilah<sup>9</sup> AKE** was born on 24 October 1885 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1546]

243. **Winfield Scott**<sup>8</sup> **AKE** (Margaret<sup>7</sup> GARN; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Joseph B. AKE, and Margaret GARN, person #91) was born on 2 May 1842 in Mowry's Mill, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1547] He died on 6 December 1922 in Washington, District of Columbia. [1548] Although his death record that appears within his Civil War pension file, cited below, reports that he died on 7 December 1922, at least one document, a Declaration for Pension, completed by his widow on 21 December 1922, reports that he died on the date shown here. Also, the report of his burial, cited below, indicates he died the date shown here.

1542 Second and third children appear on 1900 Census, cited above; Birth records for all three children appear in Caselton's Civil War pension file.

Marriage Record, Caselton Ake and Mary Mengel, 16 January 1881, Sandusky Co., Ohio, record appears in Caselton Ake's Civil War pension file.

<sup>1540 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mary Ake, Toledo Ward 8, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1297, Page 13A, E.D. 66, FHL# 1241297.

From Census, cited below, and age found in affidavits in Caselton's Civil War pension file.

Certified Copy of Birth Record, Ardella Ake, 10 January 1882, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Record of Births, Vol 2, p. 62, parents as C. Ake and Mary Biddle, found in Caselton Ake's Civil War Pension file.

Date appears in deposition dated 15 April 1891, which appears in Caselton's Civil War pension file and was provided by Mary Ake.

<sup>1545</sup> Certified Copy of Birth Record, Thurman C. Ake, 8 January 1884, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Record of Births, Vol 2, p. 88, parents as Caselton Ake and Mary Biddle, found in Caselton Ake's Civil War Pension file.

Certified Copy of Birth Record, Delilah Ake, 24 October 1885, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Record of Births, Vol 2, p. 125, parents as C. Ake and Mary Biddle, found in Caselton Ake's Civil War Pension file.

Birth date is reported on death record and various documents that are part of his Civil War pension file, cited below.

Death Record for Winfield Scott Ake, 7 [sic] December 1922, District of Columbia, reports date and place of birth, parents as Joseph Ake and Maggie Harrison [sic], spouse as Mrs. Anna M. Ake.

Although his death record reports that his mother was Maggie Harrison, we are convinced her surname is incorrect. The informant for the record was reported to be J. W. Ake of Wilkinson, Pa, who was identified as a son. Since the surname of Winfield's paternal grandmother was Harrison, we are convinced that the informant was confused. Support for this comes from the obituary of his sister Lucinda, which reports in 1900 that she had a brother W.S. Ake of Washington, D.C., and a sister Delilah Wetzel of Carroltown, Pa. The death record of the sister Delilah (Ake) Wetzel clearly reports that her mother was Margaret Garn.

Winfield Scott Ake was a soldier in the Union army during the Civil War.<sup>[1549]</sup> He enlisted in Co. I, 72nd Ohio Infantry in Fremont, Ohio, on 13 December 1861 and was transferred to Co. M, 1st U.S. Cavalry on 12 February 1864. He remained in this unit after the Civil War and served in the Indian Wars following the Civil War. He was discharged from the army on 12 February 1867 at Camp Lyon, Idaho Territory.

Prior to joining the army he reported that he had lived multiple places including Muscatine, Iowa, where his mother was reported to have died and in Fremont, Ohio, which is near where his brother Caselton lived.

Winfield was initially buried in Pringle Hill Cemetery in Summerhill Twp., Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. [1550] He was disinterred on 20 March 1930 and reburied two days later in Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Arlington Co., Virginia. [1551]

Winfield Scott AKE married **Anna Maria ICKES** on 13 October 1867 in Pavia, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. Winfield and Anna Maria appeared on the 1880 Census in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. Anna Maria ICKES was born on 14 April 1849 in Pavia, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 21 January 1930. In Pavia, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.

Winfield Scott AKE and Anna Maria ICKES had the following children: [1556]

678. i. Luella AKE was born on 31 May 1869.

679. ii. Mary Lucinda<sup>9</sup> AKE was born on 25 April 1872. She died before July 1898. [1557]

Winfield S. Ake Civil War Pension Application, Co. I, 72 Ohio Infantry, Application #372225, Certificate #274406, Widow's Application #1198280, Widow's Certificate #928018.

U.S. National Cemetery Interment Control Forms, 1928-1962, <ancestry.com>, accessed 5 June 2014, Winfield Scott Ake, 6 December 1922, reports death date, that he was initially interred at Pringle Hill Cemetery in Summerhill, Cambria Co., Pennsylvania and was disinterred on 20 March 1930 and reburied in Grave No. D. 5484-15 in Arlington National Cemetery on 22 March 1930, Memorial# 32468530.

<sup>1551 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 32468530.

Marriage date and place reported by Anna Maria on Declaration for Widow's Pension document within Winfield's Civil War pension file, cited above; her surname appears on documents in Winfield's Civil War pension file, cited above.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of W. S. Ake [as Ako], Union Twp. Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, Page 340D, E.D. 687, FHL# 1255098.

Birth date and place reported by Anna Maria on Declaration for Pension document dated 12 December 1922 within Winfield's Civil War pension file, cited above.

<sup>1555 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com> Memorial# 32468527.

All children are named and birth dates given in questionaires within Winfield's Civil War pension file; first four children are named on 1880 Census, cited above, fifth child appears as 3 month old, unnamed child.

Reported no longer living on questionaire dated 5 July 1898 within Winfield's Civil War pension file.

- 680. iii. **Maggie Delilah**<sup>9</sup> **AKE** was born on 8 November 1875. Although a document within her father's Civil War pension file reports that she was born on the date shown here, another reports that she was born exactly a month later. We believe she was the single boarder named Maggie Ake who was reported born in November 1875 and appeared on the 1900 Census in Portage Twp., Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. [1558]
- 681. iv. **Joseph H.<sup>9</sup> AKE** was born on 2 February 1877.
- 682. v. Charles D. Warren<sup>9</sup> AKE was born on 1 March 1880.
- 683. vi. Adolphus B.9 AKE was born on 11 August 1883.

245. **John<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 4 December 1826, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1559] He was a twin of Andrew. Early records associated with him use the Garns spelling. However, later records, particularly obituaries in two different newspapers, use the Garn spelling. He died on 12 February 1909 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1560] McBride and Capener report that he died in 1892. [1561] Clearly they mixed up the year of his wife's death with the year he died. Two obituaries report his death. [1562]

John GARN married **Rebecca KOONS** on 15 December 1859 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1563] John and Rebecca appear with their son on the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Censuses in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1564] Rebecca KOONS was born on 25 February 1827 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1565] She died on 2 January 1892 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1566] News items reported her death. [1567] Her death was also reported in a short news item in the local German language newspaper. [1568] John's obituary reports that Albert was their only child.

John GARN and Rebecca KOONS had the following child: [1569]

1558 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Maggie Ake [as Maggoa Ake], Portage Twp., Cambria Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1389, Page 7B, E.D. 153, FHL# 1241389. With 1900 Census.

Obituary of John Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 18 February 1909, p. 1, col. 2, names spouse, son; Obituary of John Garn, Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 18 February 1909, p. 3, col. 8, names son, sister as Mrs. Susan Baker.

From death record, cited below; *History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers*, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 797, names John as a twin of Andrew; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 117

Death Record for John Garns [sic], Ohio Deaths, 12 Feb 1909, file no. 8784, widowed, age at death, 82y, 2m, 7d, parents as Jacob Garns and Elizabeth Biddle; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 89541460.

McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 117.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Marriage Records, Vol. 4, p. 189, and Vol. D, p. 249, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), pp. 112, 113, and 428, he as both Garn and Garns, she as Coons, reported as both 13 and 15 December 1859; McBride and Capener, p. 117.

<sup>1564 1870</sup> U.S Federal Census of John Garns, Fremont Ward 2, Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_11264, p. 48B, as Garnes; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of John Garns, Fremont Ward 4, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 247B, E.D. 83.

From age at death in newspaper article reporting death, cited below.

Death Record for Rebecca R. Garns, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 11 July 2011, cites FHL# 1672030, ref. no. p. 102, married, does not name spouse or parents.

Death Report for Rebecca Garn, Fremont Weekly Journal [Ohio], 8 January 1892, p. 3, col. 1, names spouse and son; Death and Funeral Report for Rebecca Garn, Democratic Messenger (Fremont) 7 January 1892, age at death, 64y, 10m, 8d.

<sup>1568</sup> News of Death of Rebecca Garns, Fremont Courier, 7 January 1892, p. 4, col. 2, in German script.

Death record of Albert names parents; Albert appears on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 117.

i. **Albert P.<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 8 April 1863 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1570]</sup> He died on 4 November 1928 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[1571]</sup> His death record spells his surname as Garns whereas his obituary spells it as Garn.

246. **Andrew**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 4 December 1826, probably in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1572]</sup> He was John's twin. He died on 20 October 1918 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1573]</sup> When he was old, he could no longer care for his affairs and a guardian was appointed for him.<sup>[1574]</sup>

Andrew GARN married **Martha DICK** on 4 December 1855 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. Andrew and Martha appeared on the 1860-1900 Censuses in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. After Martha's death, Andrew appeared on the 1910 Census in the home of his daughter-in-law, his son Merit having already died. Martha DICK was born on 11 September 1834 in Huron Co., Ohio. She died on 27 May 1908 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. Ohio.

Andrew GARN and Martha DICK had the following children: [1580]

685. i. **Mary Ellen<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 1 February 1856, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1581] She died on 9 July 1923 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1582] She

Death Record for Albert P. Garns, Ohio Deaths, 4 Nov 1928, file no. 68141, spouse as Mary Etta Garns, parents as John Garns and Rebecca Koons; Obituary of Albert P. Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 6 November 1928, p. 1, col. 4; Death and Funeral Announcement for Albert P. Garns, Woodville News [Ohio], 9 November 1928, p. 1, col. 3.

1572 From death record; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 117.

Death Record for Andrew Garn, Ohio Deaths, 20 October 1918, file no.70387, widower, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 86474553; *Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries*, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 94.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 6707, Estate of Andrew Garn, Charles Shoemaker as Guardian of Andrew who was unable to take care of his affairs, names Ellen Shoemaker as daughter and Lloyd Garn, Mrs. Ella Bloodhart, Amanda Garn, Anna Garn, Hazel Garn, and Merit Garn as grandchildren. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), pp. 112, and 440, 4 December 1855, Vol. D, p. 94.

1576 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Andrew Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, p. 254, as Garns; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Andrew Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 160B, as Garns; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Andrew Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 300B, E.D. 85, as Garns; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Andrew Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623 1318, p. 9B, E.D. 83, as Andy Garn.

1910 U.S. Federal Census of Attie Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 1A, widowed, indexed as Attix Gwin, Anda Gwin as father-in-law living in household.

From obituary, cited below.

Obituary for Martha Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 28 May 1908, p. 10, col. 2, names spouse, children; Death Notice for Mrs. Martha Garn, Fremont Messenger Weekly, 11 September 1908, p. 2, col. 2; Martha's death date reported in Andrew's estate file, cited above; *Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries*, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 94.

1580 Ellen named as daughter and Merritt's children named as grandchildren in Andrew's estate file, cited above.

McBride and Capener, p. 117, gives birth in 1856; Her death record places her birth on 1 February 1866 whereas the 1900 Census places her birth in February 1856, which is supported by the date of her marriage and censuses of her father.

Death Record for Ellen Shoemaker, Ohio Deaths, 9 July 1923, file no. 45910, names spouse, parents, mother as Mary Dick, birth on 1 February 1866, which is ten years later than reported in census; McBride and Capener, p. 117.

<sup>1570</sup> From death record

married Jacob Henry SHOEMAKER on 7 August 1873 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1583] Jacob and Ellen appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1584] Jacob Henry SHOEMAKER was born in November 1853 in Ohio. [1585]

ii. Merit<sup>9</sup> GARN (1865 - 1903). +686.

249. Milton<sup>8</sup> GARN (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 9 December 1830, probably in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1586] Milton served in the Union army during the Civil War. [1587] He enlisted in Co. K, 43rd Ohio Volunteer Infantry on 26 September 1864 and was discharged on 4 June 1865 at Washington. DC. He also served in Co. G of the 169th Ohio National Guard.

He died on 5 February 1914 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1588] Milton wrote his will on 24 February 1913, which was submitted to the Sandusky Co., Ohio, court on 17 February 1914. [1589] It provided for his wife Rosa and daughters Emma Smith, Laura Randolph and Ida Turley. A copy of the will and our transcript may be seen in Appendix 32.

Milton GARN married Jane WEAVER about 1860. [1590] Jane WEAVER was born about 1843 in Ohio. [1591] She died on 12 April 1888 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1592] In addition to the children listed below, McBride and Capener (p. 129) report that Milton had a son named Louis. We have not found any record of this child.

Milton GARN and Jane WEAVER had the following children: [1593]

- i. Emma<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 19 April 1861.
- ii. Laura<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 23 May 1864.
- iii. **Ida<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 23 October 1871.

Milton GARN next married Rose Ann JOHNSTON on 30 January 1889 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1594] The local German language newspaper carried news of their marriage. [1595] McBride and Capener, p.

<sup>1583</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 7 August 1873, Vol. F 10, p. 532, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, *Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894*, (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 474; Marriage Record for Jacob H. Shoemaker and Ellen Garns, <a href="familysearch.org">familysearch.org</a>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 13 July 2011, cites FHL# 506619.

<sup>1584 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Shoemaker, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 2B, E.D. 82.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

From death record; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 129.

<sup>1587</sup> Civil War Pension file, Milton Garns, Co. K, 43rd Ohio Infantry and Co. G, 169th Ohio National Guards, App. #974889, Cert. #975459, Wid. App. #1022949, Wid. Cert. #780653.

Death Record for Milton Garn, Ohio Deaths, 5 February 1914, file no. 11287, married but does not name spouse, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83421402; Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 42.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 7890, Probate file for Milton Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel

Jane's surname from Milton's Civil War pension file, cited above; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Milton Garns, Freedom Twp., Wood Co., Ohio, M593 1283, p. 321A, Milton's wife as Jane; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Milton Garns, Montgomery Twp., Wood Co., Ohio, Roll 1078, p. 75D, E.D. 92, Milton's wife as Jane.

From censuses, cited above.

Date and place named in Milton's Civil War pension file, cited above.

Children named in Milton's Civil War pension file, his will and on census, cited above; Milton's Civil War pension file as source for birth dates; McBride and Capener, p. 129, names children but misassigns them to Milton's second wife and gives births approximately ten vears later.

129, misassign his children to Rose. Milton and Rose appeared on the 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1596]

Rose Ann JOHNSTON was born on 8 February 1849 in Ohio. [1597] She died on 8 April 1930 in Sandusky Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1598] When Rosa was older, she became mentally disabled and required care. Ida Turley, Milton's daughter by his first wife, requested that a guardian be appointed for her. [1599] News items reported her death. [1600] Milton and Rosa were buried in the West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County. [1601] A Jane Garn, buried nearby, whose marker is otherwise illegible, is undoubtedly Milton's first wife.

250. **Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 27 June 1832, probably in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1602] She died on 3 July 1904 in Perry Twp., Wood Co., Ohio. [1603]

Elizabeth GARN married **James Washington TURLEY** on 9 August 1859 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[1604]</sup> James and Elizabeth appeared on the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Censuses in Wood Co., Ohio. <sup>[1605]</sup> In 1900, after James had died, Elizabeth appeared again there on the census. <sup>[1606]</sup> James Washington TURLEY was born in 1833 in Pennsylvania. <sup>[1607]</sup> He died on 15 May 1887 in Perry Twp., Wood Co., Ohio. <sup>[1608]</sup>

Elizabeth GARN and James Washington TURLEY had the following children: [1609]

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, Vol. 13, p. 89, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 113.

<sup>1595</sup> Fremont Courier, 27 February 1889, p. 4, col. 3, in German script.

<sup>1596 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Milton Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318,p. 2A, E.D. 82; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Milton Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624 1227, p. 5B, E.D. 121.

From grave marker inscription, cited below.

Death Record for Rose Ann Garn, Ohio Deaths, 8 April 1930, file no. 26237, death at Sandusky Co. Home caused by senile dementia, widowed, both parents and spouse unknown.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 7904, Probate File for Rosa Garn, reports no next of kin in the county. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Death News for Rosie Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 10 April 1930, p. 2, col. 1; Death News for Rose Garns, Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 10 April 1930, p. 4, col. 5.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio), no date, p. 42.

<sup>1602</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 116; *History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers*, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 797.

Death Record for Elizabeth Turley, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 14 July 2011, cites FHL# 422294, ref. no. v. 3, p. 262; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 50382355.

Marriage Record for James W. Turley and Elizabeth Garnes, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 9 July 2011, cites FHL#506617; Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. D, p. 237, he indexed as J. W. Turley and Thomas W. Turley, she as Garnes, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894*, (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), pp. 331 and 474.

<sup>1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of James W. Turley, Freedom Twp., Wood Co., Ohio, M583\_1283, p. 327B, indexed as J. W. Perley and J. W. Terley; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of James W. Turley, Perry Twp., Wood Co., Ohio, Roll 1078, p. 11A, E.D. 88.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elizabeth Turley, Perry Twp., Wood Co., Ohio, T623 1334, p. 13A, E.D. 154.

From death record.

Death Record for James W. Turley, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 14 July 2011, cites FHL#422294, ref. no. v. 2, p. 191.

Children appear on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 130; Birthdates from census unless otherwise noted.

- 690. i. **Leonard Jefferson<sup>9</sup> TURLEY** was born on 27 August 1859.<sup>[1610]</sup> He died on 15 October 1930 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1611]</sup>
- 691. ii. Adam C. TURLEY was born about 1862.
- 692. iii. **Docton Charles** TURLEY was born about 1867.
- 693. iv. **Harry W.** TURLEY was born on 7 January 1870 in Wood Co., Ohio. [1612] He died on 11 February 1948 in Wood Co., Ohio. [1613]
- 694. v. **James W.<sup>9</sup> TURLEY** was born about 1871.
- 695. vi. Sarah Lucinda<sup>9</sup> TURLEY was born about 1875.
- 696. vii. Etta<sup>9</sup> TURLEY was born about 1877.

251. **Margaret Ann<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 12 January 1834 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1614] She died on 14 October 1904 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1615]

Margaret Ann GARN married **Edwin George WHITNEY** (son of **Jasper WHITNEY** and **Elizabeth GUNWER**) on 5 January 1851 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1616] Edwin and Margaret appeared on the 1860 U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1617] In 1870, after Edwin had died, Margaret appeared again there on the census. [1618] Edwin is named as a deceased son in the Jasper Whitney family in the History of Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1619] Edwin George WHITNEY was born on 25 March 1827, probably in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1620] He died on 23 November 1862 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1621]

Margaret Ann GARN and Edwin George WHITNEY had the following children: [1622]

- 697. i. **Francis W.<sup>9</sup> WHITNEY** was born on 9 May 1854.
- 698. ii. **Samuel<sup>9</sup> WHITNEY** was born on 23 March 1856. [1623] He died on 6 December 1871. [1624]

Death Record for Leonard J. Turley, Ohio Deaths, 15 October 1930, file no. 62361, as Lenard J. Turley, spouse as Eudora, parents as Washington Turley and Elizabeth Garn.

Death Record for Harry W. Turley, Ohio Deaths, 11 Feb 1948, file no. 27639, spouse as Rosa Brandberry Turley, parents as James Washington Turley and Elizabeth Gain [sic].

1615 <a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 83315165; Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 39; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 134.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. C, p. 146, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records*, *1820-1894*, (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473; McBride and Capener, p. 134.

1860 U.S. Federal Census of Edwin Whitney, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653 1032, p. 252.

1618 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Whitney, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593 1264, p. 166A.

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 797.

From grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 134.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio), no date, p. 39;
McBride and Capener, p. 134.

Children appear on one or more census, cited above or with Margaret's second husband, Births of children from McBride and Capener, p. 134, unless otherwise noted.

From grave marker inscription, cited below.

<sup>1610</sup> From death reccord.

From death record.

From grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 134.

- 699. iii. **Ella Elizabeth<sup>9</sup> WHITNEY** was born on 13 September 1859. She died on 28 July 1916 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1625] She married **Peter POWERS**. [1626] Peter and Ella appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, with Ella's mother as Margaret Parker, living in the home. [1627] Peter POWERS was born about 1855 in Ohio. [1628]
- 700. iv. **Milan<sup>9</sup> WHITNEY** was born on 13 January 1861.<sup>[1629]</sup> He died on 24 June 1934 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1630]</sup>
- 701. v. Amanda<sup>9</sup> WHITNEY was born on 12 December 1862.

Margaret Ann GARN next married **Elias PARKER** on 17 December 1874 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[1631]</sup> In 1880 Elias and Margaret appeared on the U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, with Margaret's children Milan and Amanda Whitney in the household. <sup>[1632]</sup> Elias PARKER was born about 1820 in Ohio.

252. **Elijah<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 29 March 1835 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1633] He died on 13 December 1920 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1634]

Elijah GARN married **Eliza RIDER** (daughter of **Jacob RIDER** and **Cornelia VANATER**) on 4 June 1860 in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1635] A newspaper article carried a report of the celebration on 10 June 1911 of their Golden Wedding Anniversary. [1636] In 1860, shortly after they were married, they appeared on the U.S. Census in the household of Elijah's parents. From 1870-1910 they appeared on the U.S. Census

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 39, inscripton places him as son of E. G. and M. A. Whitney.

Death Record for Ella Powers, Ohio Deaths, 28 July 1916, file no. 44737, married but spouse not named, father as Edwin Whitney, mother as Mgt. Gorn [sic].

<sup>1626</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 124; Ella's death record reports surname as Powers.

<sup>1627 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Powers, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 6A, E.D. 82.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1628</sup> From 1900 Census, cited above.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Milan Whitney, Ohio Deaths, 24 June 1934, file no. 39417, divorced, parents as Edwin J. [sic] Whitney and Margaret Garn.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. G 11, p. 23, she as Margaret Whitney, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 714.

<sup>1632 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elias Parker, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 300A, E.D. 85, Margaret's two youngest Whitney children in household.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 142, reports birth 9 days earlier.

Death Record for Elijah Garn, Ohio Deaths, 13 December 1920, file no. 78096, widower, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83365821; *Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries*, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 41; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 142.

Jean Seigley, *Marriages of Seneca County, Ohio, 1841-1899*, pub. by Seneca County Genealogical Society, (Tiffin, Ohio, 1994), p. 124, he as Elijah Garnes, she as Elizah L. Ripple; Eliza's parents named on her death record, cited below.

Seneca Advertiser [Tiffin, Ohio], 15 June 1911, p. 6, col. 5.

in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1637] In 1920, after Eliza's death, Elijah appeared on the Census in the home of his daughter Orpha and her husband Jacob Hart. [1638]

Eliza RIDER was born on 14 August 1841 in Liberty Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio. [1639] Although Eliza's death record and all censuses where she appears with Elijah show her birth around 1841, we found an 18-year-old Eliza Rider in the household of Jacob and Cornelia Rider on the 1850 U.S. Census, which places her birth around 1832. [1640] Clearly the census taker made an error in recording the information or Eliza spent her life misrepresenting her age to her husband. She died on 30 July 1916 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1641] An obituary reports her death. [1642] Elijah and Eliza were buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County. [1643]

- Elijah GARN and Eliza RIDER had the following children: [1644]
  702. i. **Charles GARN** was born on 25 March 1861. [1645] He died on 2 February 1873, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1646] McBride and Capener place him as Elijah and Eliza's son. And the 1900 U.S. Census reports that Eliza had four children of whom three were still living. Although he was buried near Eliza and Elijah, his grave marker does not report that he is their son. And we cannot explain why he did not appear in Elijah and Eliza's household when the 1870 Census was recorded.
  - ii. **Orpha E.** GARN was born on 6 July 1864 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1647] She died on 4 October 1930 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1648] She married Jacob L. HART on 25 December 1883 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1649] Jacob and Orpha lived in Madison Twp., Sandusky County, in 1920. [1650] Orpha's father lived with them at the time. Jacob L. HART was born in 1860 in Ohio. [1651] He died in 1921. [1652]
  - +704. iii. **Peter W.** GARN (1871 1935).

<sup>1637 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elijah Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 160A, indexed as Elizah Garns; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Elijah Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 303C, E.D. 85, indexed as Elijah Garns; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Elijah Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623 1318, p. 9B, E.D. 83; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Elijah Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 2B, E.D. 122.

<sup>1638 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Hart, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 13A, E.D. 87, Elijah Garn in household

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 142.

<sup>1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Rider, Liberty Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, M432 728, pp. 393A and 393B.

Death Record for Eliza Garn, Ohio Deaths, 30 July 1916, file no. 45916, indexed as Gam, married, spouse not named, names parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1642</sup> Gibsonburg Derrick 3 August 1916, p. 4, col. 2, names parents, spouse and children.

<sup>1643</sup> Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 41.

<sup>1644</sup> Children other than Charles named on census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 142.

McBride and Capener, p. 142.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 41.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 142.

Death Record for Orpha E. Hart, Ohio Deaths, 4 October 1930, file no. 62359, widowed, parents as Elijah Garn and Lyle Rider.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 12, p. 278, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473.

<sup>1650 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Hart, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 13A, E.D. 87.

Date from grave marker inscription, cited below, place from 1920 Census, cited above.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 59.

- 705. iv. Harry Clayton<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 29 October 1880 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1653] He died on 29 June 1940 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1654] He was buried in the West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County. [1655] An obituary reported that he was familiarly known as Pat Garn and that he had lived his entire life in the Gibsonburg area except for a few years when he worked in the oil fields in Illinois and West Virginia. [1656]
- 253. Adam B. GARN (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 19 March 1837 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1657] He died on 8 May 1927 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1658] An obituary reports his death and names his wife and children [1659]

Adam B. GARN married Rebecca LONG (daughter of John LONG and Lydia FRY) on 27 February 1862 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1660] Adam and Rebecca appeared on the 1870 and 1880 Censuses in Madison Twp., Sandusky County. [1661] Rebecca LONG was born on 12 June 1842 in Ohio. [1662] She died on 2 December 1931 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1663] Adam and Rebecca were buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery, Sandusky County. [1664] Two obituaries and a funeral notice report her death.[1665]

Adam B. GARN and Rebecca LONG had the following children: [1666]

i. Elva A.9 GARN was born on 29 January 1864 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1667] She died on 27 October 1942 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1668] She married David Edward BOWMAN on 6 September 1882 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1669]

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 142.

Death Record for Harry Clayton Garn, Ohio Deaths, 29 June 1940, file no. 39615, names parents, spouse as Carrie Elizabeth Garn; Death Announcement for Harry Garn, Clyde Enterprise [Ohio], 4 July 1940, p. 1, col. 4.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 41.

<sup>1656</sup> Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 4 July 1940, p. 1, col. 5, names parents, spouse, and children.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 116, 149, reports birth on day later.

Death Record for Adam Garn, Ohio Deaths, 8 May 1927, file no. 31585, spouse as Rebecca Garn, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 87421762; Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 106; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 149.

Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 9 May 1927, p. 2, col. 4, names spouse and children.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 25 and 27 February, 1862, Vol. 6-1, p. 45 and Vol. E, p. 47, he as Garns, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; McBride and Capener,

<sup>1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Adam Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593 1264, p. 163A, as Garns; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Adam Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 293D, E.D. 85, as A. B. Garns.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 149.

Death Record for Rebecca Garn, Ohio Deaths, 2 Dec 1931, file no 74334, widowed, she as Rebbeca Garn, parents as John Long and Lydia Fry; McBride and Capener, p. 149.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 106.

Obituary of Rebecca Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 2 December 1931, p. 1, col. 6, names spouse and children; Obituary of Rebecca Garn, Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 2 December 1931, p. 1, col. 2, names spouse and children; Funeral Notice for Rebecca Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick, 10 December 1931, p. 1, col. 4.

<sup>1666</sup> Children appear on one or both censuses, cited above; parents named on death records of Elva and Oby.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 149.

Death Record for Elva G. Bowman, Ohio Deaths, 27 October 1942, file no. 61097, widowed, spouse as D. E. Bowman, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 149.

- +707. ii. **Olive**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1867 1962).
- +708. iii. **Oby Dexter<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1872 1949).

254. **Tobias**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 27 June 1838 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1670] He died on 11 March 1916 in Hastings, Barry Co., Michigan. [1671] Tobias served in the Union army during the Civil War. [1672] He enlisted on 2 May 1864 in Co. G of the 169th Regiment of the Ohio National Guards [Infantry] and was discharged on 4 September 1864 at Cleveland, Ohio. An obituary reports that after the close of the war, he engaged in the saw mill and lumber business and settled initially near Gibsonburg. [1673] The obituary reports that he moved to Michigan on 25 August 1881, that he was a faithful member of the United Brethren Church and that he always had a pleasant word for those in trouble and always looked on the bright side of all things.

Tobias GARN married **Rebecca Jane FAUSEY** (daughter of **Henry FAUSEY** and **Rebecca DOMSEL**) on 21 January 1864 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1674] In 1870 and 1880 Tobias and Rebecca appeared on the U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1675] They had moved to Carlton Twp., Barry Co., Michigan, by 1894, when they appeared on the Michigan Census of that year. [1676] They were still in Carlton Twp. when the 1900 U.S. Census was recorded but moved to Hastings, again in Barry Co., before the 1910 U.S. Census was recorded. [1677] Rebecca Jane FAUSEY was born on 1 December 1842 in Ohio. [1678] She died on 17 June 1916 in Hastings, Barry Co., Michigan. [1679]

Tobias GARN and Rebecca Jane FAUSEY had the following children, all born in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio: [1680]

709. i. **Franklin S.** GARN was born on 22 January 1865. After their parents had died, Franklin and sister "Lettie" appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Hastings, Barry Co., Michigan. [1681] He was "single" on every census.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriage Records, vol. 12, p. 130, she as Garns, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 474; McBride and Capener, p. 149.

Family Bible record cited in his Civil War pension file; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 156, agrees with age on death record.

Death Record for Tobias Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 9 July 2011, cites FHL# 1008318, ref. no. v B p 293, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 99966414; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 156.

<sup>1672</sup> Civil War Pension file, Tobias Garn, Co. G, 169th Ohio National Guard, App. #427853, Cert. #262532, Wid. App. #1063587, Wid. Cert. #808294.

<sup>1673</sup> Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 23 March 1916, p. 1, col. 2, names parents, spouse, and children.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. E, p. 118, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records*, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112.

<sup>1675 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Tobias Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 160A, indexed as Games; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Tobias Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 301C, E.D. 85, as Garns.

<sup>1676 1894</sup> Michigan State Census of Tobias Garn, Carlton Twp., Barry Co., Michigan, <familysearch.org>, Michigan State Census, 1894, accessed 16 July 2011, cites FHL # 915286, p. 51, line 11, family 253.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Tobias Garn, Carlton Twp., Barry Co., Michigan, T623\_700, p. 10A, E.D. 36, indexed as Gorn and Gam; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Tobias Garn, Hastings Ward 3, Barry Co., Michigan, T624\_636, p. 6B, E.D. 42, as Garns.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1678</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 156.

Death Record for Rebecca J. Garn, <familysearch.org> Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 16 July 2011, cites FHL# 1008318, ref. no. v. B, p. 298, widowed, parents as Henry Flausey [sic] and Rebecca Domsel; McBride and Capener, p. 156.

Children and birth dates appear in Tobias' Civil War pension file, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 156, gives slightly different birth dates than pension file for some children.

- 710. ii. **Welby Weston<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 9 October 1866. He married **Edith Louise HALL** on 24 December 1901 in Emmett Twp., Calhoun Co., Michigan. Edith Louise HALL was born in 1878 in Michigan.
- 711. iii. Letta May<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 16 October 1872. She appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses with her brother Franklin. Although we did not find her on the 1900 Census, she was single on every other census where we found her.
- 712. iv. Clarence Burdell<sup>6</sup> GARN was born on 6 January 1878. He married Flora L. TREGO on 14 October 1903 in Irving Twp., Barry Co., Michigan. [1683] Flora L. TREGO was born in 1879 in Michigan.
- 255. **Susanna**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 12 February 1840 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1684] She died on 15 November 1910 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1685] She died from "Dropsy and Tuberculosis of the Bowels."

Susanna GARN married **Peter WARNER** on 30 January 1862 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1686] In 1870 they appeared on the U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1687] The 1882 History of Sandusky County reports that they lived in California. [1688] They appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Los Angeles, California. [1689] In 1900 Susan appeared as a widow on the U.S. Census in the home of her brother Daniel in Madison Twp., Sandusky County. [1690] On that census she reported that she had never had any children. Peter WARNER was born about 1838 in Ohio. [1691] He died before 1900. [1692]

Susanna GARN next married **William F. BAKER** about 1902.<sup>[1693]</sup> William and Susan appeared on the 1910 Census in Gibsonburg, Sandusky County. <sup>[1694]</sup> William F. BAKER was born on 29 July 1837 in

<sup>1681 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Franklin S. Garn, Hastings Ward 3, Barry Co., Michigan, T625\_756, p. 4A, E.D. 51, indexed as Garner and Garne, sister Lettie M. in household; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Franklin S. Garn, Hastings, Barry Co., Michigan, Roll 974, p. 4A, E.D. 10, sister Lettie M. in household.

Marriage Record for Welby W. Garn and Edith L. Hall, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 16 July 2011, cites FHL# 1009298, ref. no. p67 rn 468, his parents as T. Garn and Rebecca Fansey [sic], her father as Geo. Hall, her mother not named

Marriage Record for Clarence D. Garn and Flora L. Trego, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 16 July 2011, cites FHL# 1749727, ref. 162, names parents, his mother as R. Fansey.

<sup>1684</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 159; Censuses, cited below.

Death Record for Susan Baker, Ohio Deaths, 15 November 1910, file no. 63137, names parents, married but spouse not named, informant as Wm. Baker; <www.findagraye.com>, Memorial#83477374; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 159.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. E, p. 44 and vol. 6-1, p. 41, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473.

<sup>1687 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Warner, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1294, p. 163A.

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 797.

<sup>1689 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Warner, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., California, Roll 67, p. 209D, E.D. 24.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623 1318, p. 2A, E.D. 82.

From 1870 Census, cited above.

<sup>1692</sup> Susan appears as a widow on the 1900 Census, cited above.

Grave marker inscriptions indicate Susan was a Garn; date of marriage from number of years married on the 1910 Census, cited below.

<sup>1694 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William F. Baker, Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 2B, E.D. 122.

Ohio. [1695] He died on 10 March 1913. Both William and Susan were buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County. [1696]

256. Peter<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Jacob<sup>7</sup> GARN; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 7 December 1841 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1697] He died on 16 August 1913 in Montpelier Village, Williams Co., Ohio. [1698] Note that he died only one day after his brother Samuel.

Peter GARNS married **Barbara A. SHOUP** on 18 August 1864 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1699]</sup> Barbara A. SHOUP was born in 1845.<sup>[1700]</sup> She died on 12 May 1870 in Montpelier, Williams Co., Ohio. [1701] We believe this death date from McBride and Capener is probably correct since Peter appeared on the 1870 U.S. Census three months later in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, in the household of David and Rebecca Shoup with children Elmer and Cora. [1702]

Peter GARNS and Barbara A. SHOUP had the following children: [1703]

- i. Elmer E. GARNS was born on 7 March 1866 in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. He died on 14 August 1906 in Montpelier, Williams Co., Ohio. [1704] McBride and Capener report that he never married.
- ii. **Cora Elizabeth<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born on 9 August 1869 in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. [1705] She died on 25 August 1892. McBride and Capener report that she never married.

Peter GARNS next married Fanny Elizabeth GRIFFIN (daughter of Hezekiah GRIFFIN and **Jemima HOUSMAN**) on 17 September 1871 in Williams Co., Ohio. [1706] Peter and Fanny appeared on the 1880-1910 U.S. Censuses in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. [1707] Fanny Elizabeth GRIFFIN was

<sup>1695</sup> Grave marker inscripton, cited below.

<sup>1696</sup> Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 44.

From age at death on death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 159.

Death Record for Peter Garnes [sic], Ohio Deaths, 16 August 1913, file no. 49622, married but does not name spouse, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 104638670; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 159.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. E, p. 130 and vol. 6-1, p. 155, he as Garnes, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112.

McBride and Capener, p. 159.

McBride and Capener, p. 159.

<sup>1702 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Shoup, Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, M593\_1282, pp. 270B and 271A, Peter Garns and two Garns children living in household.

<sup>1703</sup> Children named on 1870 U.S. Census, cited above and 1880 Census, cited with Peter's second wife; Dates from McBride and Capener, p. 159, unless otherwise cited

Death Record for Elmer E. Garns, <familysearch.org> Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 10 July 2011, two citations, FHL # 2024370, p. 22, birth in Madison, Sendisk [sic], Ohio, and FHL# 914035, v. 3, p. 48, single, birth in Mad. Co., O. [sic], as Garnes on both.

<sup>1705</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 159.

Marriage Record for Peter Garns and Fanny E. Griffith, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 16 July 2011, cites FHL# 914037, ref. no. 557; McBride and Capener, p. 159, places marriage a year later.

<sup>1707 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Garns, Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, Roll 1077, p. 536D, E.D. 7, as Garnes; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Peter Garns, Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, T623 1332, p. 5B, E.D. 117, indexed as Gams and Sams; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Peter Garns, Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, T624 1241, p. 11A, E.D. 137, as Garnes, Fanny as mother of four children, three of whom were living.

born on 20 October 1847 in Ohio. [1708] Although her death record reports she was born in Virginia, every census where we find her reports she was born in Ohio. She died on 6 June 1924 in Bryan, Williams Co., Ohio.[1709]

Peter GARNS and Fanny Elizabeth GRIFFIN had the following children: [1710]

- 715. iii. Ada Bell<sup>9</sup> GARNS was born in 1871 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. She died in 1871. She appears only in McBride and Capener, who report that she died when six weeks old.
- iv. Etta Dell<sup>9</sup> GARNS was born on 31 December 1872 in Montpelier, Williams Co., Ohio. 716.
- v. George Francis GARNS was born on 16 August 1877 in Montpelier, Williams Co., 717 Ohio. He died on 17 March 1958. He married Olive Blanche CARTER on 30 March 1902 in Fulton Co., Ohio. [1711]
- 718. vi. Jesse Blaine GARNS was born on 13 April 1884 in Montpelier, Williams Co., Ohio. He was the recipient of the letter from Mrs. J. A. Capener that appears in Appendix 23.
- 257. Samuel<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Jacob<sup>7</sup> GARN; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 31 March 1843 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1712] He died on 15 August 1913 in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. [1713] Note that he died only one day before his brother Peter.

Samuel served as a Private in Company D, 3rd Ohio Cavalry during the Civil War. He enlisted in Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 24 February 1864 for a three-year tour and was discharged at Nashville, Tennessee, on 4 August 1865 because the war had ended. [1714] He received a pension for disabilities received during his service. [1715] His pension file reports that his left arm became partially paralized and weakened for the rest of his life after receiving a vaccination. It also reports that he was struck twice in the left leg by mini balls during the war.

Samuel GARNS married **Rebecca SLATES** (daughter of **Joseph SLATES** and **Elizabeth FLECK**) on 29 October 1868 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1716] Their marriage was reported in the local German language newspaper.[1717] Samuel and Rebecca appeared on the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Censuses in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. [1718] Her parents are named in the History of Sandusky County. [1719] Rebecca

<sup>1708</sup> From death record.

<sup>1709</sup> Death Record for Fanny E. Garns, Ohio Deaths, 20 Oct 1947, file no 37280, spouse as Peter Garns, names parents, birth in Virginia, Geo. Garns [step-son] as informant; McBride and Capener, p. 159.

Children appear on censuses, cited below and in other records as noted; McBride and Capener, p. 159.

Marriage Record for Geo. F. Garns and Olive Blanche Carter, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 16 July 2011, cites FHL# 0423605, ref. no. 2: 3S9VK6F, his parents as Peter Garns and ...G...ffin [sic], her parents as Charles Carter and

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 163.

Death Record for Samuel Garns [sic], Ohio Deaths, 15 August 1913, file no. 49624, married but does not name spouse, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 104606734; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 163.

Richard L. Manion and Nan Card, Sandusky County, Ohio, Civil War Soldiers, pub. by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, 1992), pp. 117 and 118.

Civil War Pension file, Samuel Garnes [sic], Co. D, 3 Ohio Cavalry, App. #645377, Cert. #505390, Widow's App. #1015672.

<sup>1716</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. F-10, p. 120, as Garnes, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; McBride and Capener, p. 163.

Marriage News, Sam. Garns and Rebecca Slates, Fremont Courier, 12 November 1868, p. 2, col. 7, in German script.

<sup>1718 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garn, Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, M593\_1282, p. 270B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garnes, Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, Roll 1077, p. 546D, E.D. 7.

SLATES was born about 1848 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[1720]</sup> She died on 6 June 1895, probably in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio.<sup>[1721]</sup>

Samuel GARNS and Rebecca SLATES had the following child: [1722] +719. i. **Gertrude May** GARNS (1877 - 1959).

Samuel GARNS next married **Jennie LEE** (daughter of **George LEE** and **Susanna BRIM**) on 22 February 1900, probably in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. [1723] Samuel and Jennie appeared on the 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. [1724] Jennie LEE was born in September 1863 in Ohio. [1725] McBride and Capener (p. 163) report that her surname was Shaull. However, Samuel's Civil War Pension File reports that Jennie was the widow of Joshua Shaul when she married Samuel. Joshua Shaul died on 10 June 1891 in Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. The pension file also reports that after Samuel died, Jennie married L. C. Gump. Her maiden name and the names of her parents appear on the record of her marriage to Louis Clinton Gump. [1726]

258. **Daniel<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 9 October 1844 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1727] He died on 22 April 1918 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1728] An obituary reports that he was, "a member of one of the largest and best known families in Sandusky county," reports his Civil War service, and names his children. [1729]

Daniel wrote his will on 11 February 1918. It was proved on 1 May 1918 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1730] The will named his spouse Fanny M. Garns and all of the children by both wives as shown below. The application for probate that was submitted on 24 April 1918 reported that John Franklin Garns and Clarence Dekirk Garns were living in California at the time and that the other children lived in Gibsonburg, Ohio. A copy of the will and our transcript may be seen in Appendix 33.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1719</sup> History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 799.

From censuses, cited above.

Death date reported in Samuel's Civil War Pension File, cited above.

<sup>1722</sup> Gertrude named and her birth date given in Samuel's Civil War Pension File, cited above, birth place given in her marriage record; McBride and Capener, p. 163.

Marriage date given in Samuel's Civil War Pension File, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 163.

<sup>1724 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garns, Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, T623\_1332, p. 9A, E.D. 117; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garns, Superior Twp., Williams Co., Ohio, T624 1241, p. 11A, E.D. 135, as Garnes.

From 1900 Census, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1726</sup> "Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 21 April 2014, Louis Clinton Gump and Jennie Garnes, 8 April 1916, cites Williams Co., Ohio, ref. p. 293, lic. 586, FHL# 914041.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 164.

Death Record for Daniel Garn, Ohio Deaths, 22 April 1918, file no. 27671, married but does not name spouse, names parents; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 20645729; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 164.

Obituary of Daniel Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 23 April 1918, p. 1, col. 1.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 8849, Estate of Daniel Garns, wife as Fanny, names all children. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Daniel GARN married **Sarah MOSES** on 13 September 1866 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1731] Daniel and Sarah appeared on the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Censuses in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1732] Daniel and Sarah separated shortly after the 1880 U.S. Census. She remarried to Henry Ernst and was living in San Jose, Santa Clara Co., California when the 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses were taken. [1733] Her son John F. Garns appears as a divorced step-son of Henry Ernst in the home in the 1910 U.S. Census.

Sarah MOSES was born in October 1848 in Ohio.<sup>[1734]</sup> She died after April 1910, probably in San Jose, Santa Clara Co., California.<sup>[1735]</sup>

Daniel GARN and Sarah MOSES had the following children: [1736]

- i. John Franklin<sup>9</sup> GARNS was born about 1867, probably in Sandusky Co., Ohio. In addition to appearing on censuses with his parents, John appeared as the head of the household in San Jose, Santa Clara Co., California, in 1920. [1737] Both the 1910 and 1920 U.S. Censuses report that he was divorced. He died on 3 November 1920, probably in San Jose, Santa Clara Co., California. [1738]
- +721. ii. Clarence Dekirk<sup>9</sup> GARNS (1873 ).

Daniel GARN next married **Fanny Marion BARLOW** (daughter of **Benjamin Swan BARLOW** and **Mary HOWE**) on 30 September 1886 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1739] The local German language newspaper carried the news of their marriage. [1740] In 1900 and 1910 Daniel and Fanny appeared on the U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky County. [1741] In 1920 and 1930, after Daniel's death, Fanny appeared again on the census in Madison Township. [1742] In 1930 her oldest son was living with her.

Fanny Marion BARLOW was born on 11 August 1869 in March, Cambridgeshire, England. [1743] She appears on the 1871 and 1881 Censuses of her parents in England. [1744] She died on 29 June 1960 in

 $^{1735}$  Sarah living when the 1910 U.S. Census was taken.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. E, p. 217 and vol. 6, p. 89, on both 8 and 13 September 1866, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; McBride and Capener, p. 164.

<sup>1732 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garns, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 166A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garns, Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 252C, E.D. 83.

<sup>1733 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Ernst, San Jose Ward 1, Santa Clara Co., California, T623\_111, p. 6A, E.D. 65, indexed as He\* Ernst, spouse Sarah indexed as Aaron Ernst, Sarah reported as mother of four children, all of whom were living; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Henry W. Ernst, San Jose Ward 1, Santa Clara Co., California, T624 106, p. 1B, E.D. 93, spouse as Sarah, married twice.

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>1736</sup> Children are named in Daniel's will and appear on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 164.

<sup>1737 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John F. Garns, San Jose, Santa Clara Co., California, T625\_147, p. 9A, E.D. 160, half sister Mabel Ernst appeared in the home.

McBride and Capener, p. 164.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 12, p. 491, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records*, *1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112, McBride and Capener, p. 165.

Marriage Announcement for Daniel Garn and Fannie Barlow, Fremont Courier, Fremont, Ohio, 21 October 1886, p. 4, col. 2, in German.

<sup>1741 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 2A, E.D. 82, names all children he had with Fanny, Fanny's arrival in America in 1885, sister Susan Warner living in household; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 5B, E.D. 121, names all children he had with Fanny. Fanny indexed as Tannie Marion Garn.

<sup>1742 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Fannie Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 4A, E.D. 86; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Fannie M. Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1866, p. 3A, E.D. 19.

McBride and Capener, p. 165; Month and year of birth confirmed in 1900 Census, cited above.

Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1745] Fanny was named as the point of contact on the World War II Draft Registration Card of her son F. I.

Daniel GARN and Fanny Marion BARLOW had the following children, all born in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio: [1746]

- +722. iii. Eugene<sup>9</sup> GARN (1887 1965).
  - 723. iv. **Maude**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born on 6 August 1889.<sup>[1747]</sup>
  - 724. v. **Ethel May<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 23 May 1891.<sup>[1748]</sup> She died on 22 February 1977 in Green Springs, Ohio. <sup>[1749]</sup> Her obituaries report that she was a teacher, having attended Otterbein College and graduated from the University of Michigan. A newspaper article reports her retirement. <sup>[1750]</sup>
- 725. vi. Esther<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 14 November 1893.
- +726. vii. **F. I.** GARN (1896 1985).
- 727. viii. Ruby GARN was born on 28 February 1900. [1751] She died on 15 July 1988 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1752] This date comes from the Social Security Death Index. The death record cited on <ancestry.com> places her death on 9 July 1988. She married Ralph Philip ENGLE (son of Urban ENGLE and Florilla ECKERT) on 25 December 1924 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. McBride and Capener's report that Ruby married Ralph Engle is confirmed by her surname when she died and the spouse, Ruby Engle, named on Ralph's death record. Ralph Philip ENGLE was born on 5 October 1903 in Lima, Allen Co., Ohio. [1753] He died on 3 April 1933 in Ballville Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1754] His death record reports that his occupation was Boy Scout Master.

259. **David<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 30 November 1846 in Madison

Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 6 June 1959, p. 2, col. 7, includes picture of her.

1753 From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 169.

<sup>1744 1871</sup> England Census of Benjamin Barlow, Civil Parish of March, Cambridgeshire Co., England, Class: RG10; Piece: 1611; Folio: 72; Page 24; GSJ roll 829924, daughter as Fanny Barlow, age 1; 1881 England Census of Marion Barlow, Civil Parish of March, Cambridgeshire Co., England, Class: RG11; Piece: 1691; Folio: 91; Page 27; GSJ roll 1341404, daughter as Fanny M. Barlow, age 11.

Obituary of Fanny M. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 30 June 1960, p. 2, col. 3, reports birth place, names parents, spouse and children; Obituary of Fanny M. Garn, Clyde Enterprise [Ohio], 7 July 1960, p. 2, col. 5, names children; Funeral Notice for Fanny M. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 5 July 1960, p. 2, col. 3.

All children are named in Daniel's will, appear on both the 1900 and 1910 Censuses, cited above, and appear in individual records as noted below; Births from McBride and Capener, p. 165, confirmed by 1900 U.S. Census and individual records below.

Birth Record for Maude Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 18 July 2011, cites FHL# 511731, ref. no. p. 19, rn. 461, parents as Daniel Garn and ...M... Barlow.

Birth Record for Ethel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 18 July 2011, cites FHL# 511731, ref. no. p. 36, rn. 132, parents as Daniel Garn and Fannie Barlow.

Obituary of Ethel May Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 22 February 1977, p. 8, col. 1, names parents and siblings; Obituary of Ethel May Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 3 March 1977, p. 4, col. 7, names parents and siblings.

Birth Record for Ruby Garns, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 18 July 2011, cites FHL# 511731, ref. no. p. 139, rn. 409, parents as Daniel Garns and Fanny Barlow; McBride and Capener, p. 169.

Social Security Death Index report for Ruby G. Engle, SSN 300-40-8024, reports birth on 28 February 1900 and death on 15 July 1988; Death Record for Ruby G. Engle, <ancestry.com>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, accessed 19 July 2011, Certificate 055540; Vol.: 27375, birth in 1900, death on 9 July 1988.

Death Record for Ralph P. Engle, Ohio Deaths, 3 April 1933, file no. 24349, names parents, spouse as Ruby Engle; McBride and Capener, p. 169.

Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1755] He died on 12 July 1934 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1756] Obituaries report that he had a heart attack. [1757] We cannot explain why one obituary reports a birth on 9 July 1847 and his mother as Mary, both in disagreement with his death record.

David GARN married **Jennie E. ZIMMERMAN** (daughter of **Godfrey ZIMMERMAN**) about 1869. <sup>[1758]</sup> David and Jennie appeared on the 1880-1920 Censuses in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[1759]</sup> After Jennie died, David appeared there on the 1930 Census with his two living children. <sup>[1760]</sup> McBride and Capener (p. 169A) report that David's wife was named Rebecca. We find no record of a Rebecca associated with David. The 1900 U.S. Census reports that they had been married for 31 years, which places her as the mother of the three children shown below.

Jennie E. ZIMMERMAN was born on 22 October 1847 in Ohio. [1761] She died on 27 January 1921 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1762] David, Jennie, and their three children were buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County. [1763] McBride and Capener (p. 169A) report that David's children Etta and Virgil never married. They appear single on each of the 1880-1930 Censuses.

David GARN and Jennie E. ZIMMERMAN had the following children: [1764]

- 728. i. **Eddie<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born about 1871. He died on 24 December 1872. [1765]
- 729. ii. **Etta Bell<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 29 November 1873 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1766] She died on 12 January 1957 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1767]
- 730. iii. **Virgil Orlington<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 24 February 1879 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1768]</sup> He died on 22 December 1958 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1769]</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1755</sup> From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 169A.

Death Record for David Garn, Ohio Deaths, 12 July 1934, file no. 45810, widowed, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83477799; *Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries*, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), pp. 44, 201; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 169A.

Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 13 July 1934, p. 1, col. 4. names children; Gibsonburg Derrick, Gibsonburg, Ohio, 19 July 1934, p. 1, col. 2, names living children; Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 13 July 1934, p. 2, col. 1, names children, father as Jacob Garn, mother as Mary, birth on 9 July 1847 in Madison Twp.

David named as spouse on Jennie's death record, cited below.

<sup>1759 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 306B, E.D. 85, as Garns; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 11A, E.D. 83; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 5A, E.D. 122; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 10A, E.D. 87.

<sup>1760 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1866, p. 4A, E.D. 18.

From death record.

Death Record for Jennie E. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 27 January 1921, file no. 5379, names spouse, names father; Death Announcement for Mrs. David Garn, Sandusky Register, [Ohio] 5 May 1921, p. 9, col. 1, in Gibsonburg column.

<sup>1763</sup> Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 44.

All children named in cemetery records, cited above; children (2 & 3) appear on 1880-1930 Censuses, cited above.

Grave marker inscription, cited above.

<sup>1766</sup> Obituaries, cited below.

Obituary of Etta Bell Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 17 January 1957, p. 1, col. 4, names parent and surviving sibling; Obituary of Etta Bell Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 14 January 1957, p. 2, col. 4, names parents and surviving sibling; Grave marker inscription, cited above.

Obituaries, cited below, report birth information; McBride and Capener, p. 169A.

Death Record for Virgil O. Garn, <ancestry.com>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, accessed 19 July 2011, Certificate: 89443, Volume 15631.

Obituaries report that he was a retired mail carrier, that he never married, and that he spent his entire life in Gibsonburg.<sup>[1770]</sup>

260. **Levi<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #92, and Elizabeth BIDDLE) was born on 9 September 1848 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1771] We are unsure of his actual birth date. McBride and Capener (p. 169B) report that he was born on 8 July 1848. His age at death on his death record gives a birth date of 9 July 1848. However, his birth date is also given on his death record, which is 9 September 1848. This latter date seems to be corroborated by the 1900 U.S. Census, which reports that he was born in September 1848. He died on 5 February 1929 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1772] His date of death, shown here, is from his death record. Obituaries report that he died on Wednesday, which would have been 6 February. [1773] His obituaries report that he was a farmer.

Levi GARN married **Mary Emma SMITH** (daughter of **Horace SMITH** and **Ann BATES**) on 13 December 1874 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. Levi and Emma appeared on the 1880-1910 U.S. Censuses in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. After Levi died, Emma appeared there on the census in 1930 with her son Milan living in the home. After Levi died, Emma appeared there on the census in 1930 with her son Milan living in the home.

Mary Emma SMITH was born on 21 March 1858 in Rising Sun, Wood Co., Ohio. [1777] She died on 8 February 1940 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1778] Obituaries and death announcements in the news report her death. [1779] Levi, Emma, and their sons Milan and William were buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County. [1780]

Levi GARN and Mary Emma SMITH had the following children, all born in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1781]

<sup>1770</sup> Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 22 December 1958, p. 30, Co. 4, parents as Mr. and Mrs. David Garn; Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 25 December 1958, p. 12, col. 3, names parents, mmiddle name as Orlington.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 169B.

Death Record for Levi Garn, Ohio Deaths, 5 feb 1929, file no. 16899, spouse as Emma Garn, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 20003296; *Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries*, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), pp. 113, 192; McBride and Capener, pp. 116 and 169B.

Sandusky Register [Ohio], 8 February 1929, p. 2, col. 8, names children; Fremont Daily News, 7 February 1929, p. 3, col. 4; Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 7 February 1929, p. 1, col. 1, names children.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. G 11, p. 25, she as Emma Smith, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), pp. 113; McBride and Capener, p. 169B.

<sup>1775 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Levi Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 300A, E.D. 85, indexed as Barns, spouse as Mary E; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Levi Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 6A, E.D. 82, spouse as Mary E; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Levi Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 5B, E.D. 121, spouse as Mary Emma; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Levi Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 8A, E.D. 86.

<sup>1776 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mary Emma Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1866, p. 3B, E.D. 19, as Emma Garn.

From death record and McBride and Capener, p. 169B.

Death Record for Mary Emma Garn, Ohio Deaths, 8 February 1940, file no. 13092, names spouse and parents, informant as Milan Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 169B.

Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 15 February 1940, p. 1, col. 6, names spouse and children; Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 8 February 1940, p. 2, col. 8, names spouse and children; Clyde Enterprise [Ohio], 15 February 1940, p. 2, col. 5; Bradner Advocate [Ohio], 22 February 1940, p. 1, col. 2, names spouse, five sons and two daughters.

<sup>1780</sup> Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 113.

Children named on one or more census, cited above and on individual records as noted below; McBride and Capener, p. 169B.

- i. Naomi<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 22 July 1876. She died on 23 May 1954 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1782] She married John Wesley WENDLER (son of John WENDLER and Mary BRUGGER) on 14 April 1898 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1783] Their marriage was reported in the local German language newspaper. [1784] John Wesley WENDLER was born on 28 October 1864 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1785] He died on 17 October 1938 in Ballville Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1786] His death resulted from traumatic injuries incurred in a train-automobile collision. Both John and Naomi were buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County. [1787]
- 732. ii. **Lester Harrison<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 7 June 1879. [1788] He died on 31 October 1966 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1789] He married **Nellie E. LINKEY** about June 1907 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1790] A newspaper item reported that a license was granted for Lester and Nellie to marry and that her father had appeared in court and consented to their marriage, as required by law for minors asking for a license to marry. [1791] Nellie E. LINKEY was born on 27 April 1890 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1792] She died on 22 September 1976 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1793]
- 733. iii. **Milan<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 14 April 1882.<sup>[1794]</sup> The 1900 U.S. Census reports that he was born in April 1883. His death record and accounts of his death report the birth date shown here. We are not sure which year he was born. He died on 24 July 1953 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1795]</sup> Accounts of his death appeared in newspapers.<sup>[1796]</sup> They report that he never married.
- 734. iv. **Clayton<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 7 January 1886. He died on 15 September 1963 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1797] The announcement of his funeral reported that he

Death Record for John Wesley Wendler, Ohio Deaths, 17 Oct 1938, file no. 60291, names parents, spouse as Naomi Garn Wendler; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 84808646; McBride and Capener, p. 169B.

1787 Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 59.

 $<sup>^{1782} &</sup>lt; \!\! \text{www.findagrave.com} \!\!>, Memorial \#~84809502.$ 

Marriage Record for John W. Wendler and Naomia [sic] Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 21 September 2011, cites FHL# 506621, ref. no. vol. 14, p. 346, cn 1036; Naomi Garn Wendler named as spouse on John's death record; McBride and Capener, p. 169B.

Marriage License News for John W. Wenler [sic] and Noamia [sic] Garn, Fremont Courier, 19 May 1898, p. 4, col. 4, in German script.

<sup>1/85</sup> From death record

Birth date from McBride and Capener; Obituary, cited below, places birth a year later, which is contradicted by the 1880 Census of his parents, taken on 22 June, which reports that he was already a year old.

Obituary of Lester H. Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick, [Ohio], 3 November 1966, p. 1, col. 3, names parents, spouse, and children, birth in 1880; Death Announcement for Lester H. Garn, Fremont News Messenger, 3 November 1966, p. 2, col. 4.

Obituaries of both name spouse.

Marriage Licence News for Lester Garns and Nellie Linkey, in Court News, Probate section, Fremont Weekly [Ohio], 7 June 1907, p. 4, col. 2.

From obituaries, cited below.

Obituary of Nellie E. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 23 September 1976, p. 7, col. 4, names parents, deceased spouse, and children; Obituary of Nellie E. Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 30 September 1976, p. 5, col. 2, names parents, deceased spouse, and children.

From death record and news of death, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 169B.

Death Record for Milan Garn, Ohio Deaths, 24 July 1953, file no. 49425, single, names parents, Clayton Garn as informant.

Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 25 July 1953, p. 1, col. 4, names parents, siblings, gives birth information; Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 6 August 1953, p. 1, col. 5, names parents, siblings, gives birth information.

Funeral news for Clayton Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 19 September 1963, p. 2, col. 4.

was a retired painter. He married **Matilla CAMPBELL**. [1798] Matilla CAMPBELL was born on 6 June 1892 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1799] She died on 9 September 1981 in Port Clinton, Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1800]

- 735. v. **Tencie<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 23 April 1890.
- 736. vi. Clark Jacob<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 10 June 1893. [1801] He died on 4 August 1967 in Bradner, Wood Co., Ohio. [1802] His obituary (Gibsonburg Derrick) names his parents and names children and a grandchild. It also reports that he was a veteran of World War I and that a son Robert was killed on Luzon [Philippines] in World War II. The death of his son Robert is reported in a newspaper article. [1803] He married Ida Louise FREDERICKSON (daughter of John FREDERICKSON and Martha MEISNER) on 18 February 1918 in Port Clinton, Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1804] Ida Louise FREDERICKSON was born on 24 March 1898 in Williston, Ottawa Co., Ohio. [1805] She died on 18 February 1926 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1806] About two weeks before Ida's death, she had given birth to a baby girl and had contracted pneumonia about the same time, from which she did not recover. [1807] Her obituaries report that in addition to her infant daughter, she and Clark had six other children. The surviving family's grief was compounded when the baby, named Helen Louise, died a few days later. [1808]
- +737. vii. William<sup>9</sup> GARN (1896 1957).

298. **Jacob Moroni<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Daniel<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Daniel GARN, person #95, and Mahala GARN, person #372) was born on 21 July 1869 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [1809] He died on 4 September 1928 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [1810]

Jacob Moroni GARN married Martha Virginia WASHINGTON (daughter of Charles August WASHINGTON and Zina PETERSON) on 17 February 1892 in Salt Lake City, Salt

1800 Obituary for Matilla C. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 10 September 1981, p. 6, col. 7, names spouse, parents, and son.

<sup>1798</sup> Matilla's obituary names Clayton as spouse.

From obituary, cited below.

McBride and Capener, p. 169B, gives this birth date; Obituary, cited below, places birth a year later; 1900 Census of parents places brith in June 1893.

Obituary of Clark Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick, Gibsonburg, Ohio, 10 August 1967, p. 1, col. 4; Obituary of Clark Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 7 August 1967, p. 2, col. 4, names children.

Funeral Service News for Robert Louis Garn, Bradner Advocate [Ohio], 12 August 1948, p. 1, col. 4, service held upon return of body from Philippines.

Obituary (Woodville News) of Ida names spouse and date and place of marriage; Spouse as Clark J. Garn on Ida's death record; McBride and Capener, p. 174.

Birth date from death record, cited below; Obituary (Woodville News), cited below, places birth on 8 November 1898.

Death Record for Ida Louise Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 20 July 2011, cites FHL# 1984194, file no. 11725, spouse as Clark J. Garn, names father; McBride and Capener, p.174.

Obituary of Ida Louise Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 18 February 1926, p. 2, col. 3, names spouse and father; Obituary of Ida Louise Garn, Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 20 February 1926, p. 3, col. 2, names spouse and father.

Obituary of Ida Louise Garn, Woodville News [Ohio], 26 Feburary 1926, p. 1, col. 1, names spouse, parents, deceased infant daughter.

From death record; McBride and Capener, pp. 250 and 284.

Death Record for Jacob Garn, 4 September 1928, Utah Deaths, file no. 1432, spouse as Martha V. Garn, parents as Danial [sic] Garn and Mahola [sic] Garn; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 70346977; McBride and Capener, pp. 250 and 284.

Lake Co., Utah. [1811] Jacob and Martha appeared on the 1900 - 1920 U.S. Censuses in Salt Lake City, Utah. [1812] Martha was reported to be a descendant of one of George Washington's brothers. [1813] Martha Virginia WASHINGTON was born on 30 December 1874 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [1814] She died on 10 December 1942 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [1815]

Jacob Moroni GARN and Martha Virginia WASHINGTON had the following children: [1816]

- i. Jacob Edwin<sup>9</sup> GARN (1893 1971).
  - ii. **Virginia<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 14 June 1895 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [1817] 739.
- iii. **Daniel Milton<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1899 1987). +740
- iv. Rulon Washington GARN was born on 16 September 1901 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah.[1818]
- v. Lucille GARN was born on 23 April 1904. [1819] 742

302. **Henry**<sup>8</sup> **ICKES** (Mary<sup>7</sup> GARN; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John ICKES, and Mary GARN, person #96) was born on 16 May 1830.<sup>[1820]</sup> He died on 10 August 1908 in Bradner, Wood Co., Ohio.<sup>[1821]</sup> Henry ICKES married **Mary Ann SPANGLER** on 27 March 1851 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1822] Henry and Mary Ann appeared on the 1860-1880 Censuses in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1823] Mary Ann SPANGLER was born about 1832 in Pennsylvania [1824]

Henry ICKES and Mary Ann SPANGLER had the following children:<sup>[1825]</sup>

- i. **Leah V.** ICKES (1852 1944).
  - ii. Rachel<sup>9</sup> ICKES was born about 1852.
  - iii. **David<sup>9</sup> ICKES** was born about 1854. 745
  - iv. Samuel ICKES was born about 1857.
  - v. William H.<sup>9</sup> ICKES was born about 1859. 747.

 $<sup>^{1811}</sup>$  Death records name spouses; McBride and Capener, p. 284.

<sup>1812 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Salt Lake City Ward 1, Salt Lake Co., Utah, T623\_1684, p. 5B, E.D. 1; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Salt Lake City Ward 1, Salt Lake Co., Utah, T624\_1605, p. 11A, E.D. 96; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garn, Salt Lake City Ward 1, Salt Lake Co., Utah, T625\_1865, p. 10A, E.D. 93.

Private communication, Senator Jake Garn, November, 1979.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 284.

Death Record for Martha Virginia Washington Garn, Utah Deaths, 9 December 1942 [sic], file no.2065, widowed, spouse as Jacob

<sup>1816</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 284; Children named on one or more census, cited above.

McBride and Capener, p. 284.

McBride and Capener, p. 284.

McBride and Capener, p. 284.

McBride and Capener, pp. 291 and 295, date consistent with censuese, cited below.

<sup>1821 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 55580392.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1822</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 27 March 1851, vol. C, p. 145, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 165; McBride and Capener, pp. 291 and 295.

<sup>1823 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Ickes, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, p. 257, indexed as Jokes; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Ickes, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593 1264, p. 167B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Ickes, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 291C.

From censuses, cited above.

<sup>1825</sup> Children are all named on one or more census, cited above; Leah's death record names parents as Henry Jakes and Mary Ann

- 748. vi. **Peter**<sup>9</sup> **ICKES** was born about 1860.
- 749. vii. **John<sup>9</sup> ICKES** was born about 1862.
- 750. viii. Franklin<sup>9</sup> ICKES was born about 1866.
- 751. ix. Chauncy H. ICKES was born about February 1870. He appeared as Samuel Ickes on the 1870 Census and Chauncy H. Ickes on the 1880 Census. Since he had an older brother named Samuel, we presume the name was recorded incorrectly in 1870.
- 311. Henrietta S.<sup>8</sup> CARN (Samuel<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Samuel CARN, person #97, and Hannah) was born on 5 November 1831 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [1826] She is named as Henrietta or Ettie Williamson in the estate files of her father. The will for the estate also granted money to buy her a farm in the vicinity of Waynesville, Ohio, where she lived at the time. The will also stipulated several times and in strong terms that nothing granted to Henrietta was to be given to or under control of her husband.
- Henrietta S. CARN married Wash. O. WILLIAMSON. Henrietta's spouse's first name appears on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census. [1827] Wash. O. WILLIAMSON was born about 1835 in Ohio. [1828]
- Henrietta S. CARN and Wash. O. WILLIAMSON had the following child: [1829]
  - i. Clara Hannah<sup>9</sup> WILLIAMSON was born on 24 February 1858 in Ohio. Her death record reports her birth date and that she was born in Pennsylvania. The 1860 Census reports that she was born in Ohio. We do not know which birth place is correct. She died on 20 March 1910 in Johnstown, Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. [1830] Her death record with surname Wolfe indicates that she had married a Mr. Wolfe.
- 312. Adam B. CARN (Samuel<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel CARN, person #97, and Hannah) was born on 4 March 1833 in King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[1831]</sup> His obituary reports that he was born in "Union, now King, township." He died on 8 July 1903 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. [1832] He was buried in Bedford Cemetery on Route 220 in Bedford, Pennsylvania. [1833]

Adam served in the Union army during the Civil War. [1834] He enlisted as a 2nd Lieutenant in Co. A, 184th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry on 13 May 1864 and was discharged on 1 October 1864 at

Death Record for Adam B. Carn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Death Certificates, 1803-1915, accessed 21 January 2011, cites FHL# 1854604, Ref. No. cn 805; Obituary of Adam B. Carn, Bedford County (PA) Historical Society Obituary Collection, book 45, p. 68.

1833 <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 16567409; Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Bedford Cemetery on Route 220, Book 6, p. 68.

Civil War Pension file, Adam B. Carn, Co. A, 184th Pennsylvania Infantry, App. #441214, Cert. #392077; 1890 Veterans Schedule Census, Bedford Borough, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 86, p. 1, E.D. 61; also reported in his obituary.

 $<sup>^{1826} \</sup> Records \ of \ the \ Old \ Log \ Church \ at \ Osterberg, \ Bedford \ County \ Pennsylvania, \ of \ the \ Lutheran \ and \ German \ Reformed \ Congregations,$ extracted by James Boor (New Enterprise, PA, 1985), p. 5, born 5 November 1831, baptized on 26 August 1832, parents as Samuel and Hannah Gern), found at Bedford County Historical Society.

<sup>1827 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Wash. O. Williamson, Corwin Twp., Warren Co., Ohio, M653\_1047, p. 90.

 $<sup>^{1828}</sup>$  From 1860 U.S. Federal Census cited above.

<sup>1829</sup> Child appears on 1860 U.S. Federal Census, cited above.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Clara Hanah Wolfe, 20 March 1910, certificate 25467, gives birth date, parents as W. O. Williamson and Hanah Garn.

Annapolis, Maryland. He reported that he was on the picket line at Cold Harbor, Virginia, the night of 3 June 1864 when he was exposed to heavy rain that caused him to have chills and then a fever and heat stroke while marching to Petersburg, Virginia.

The author has examined over 400 Civil War pension files and has noticed that soldiers were often asked to provide statements and affidavits from members of the community who could attest to the soldier's health before and after his service in the Civil War. And soldiers frequently had an in-law with a different last name or a married sister provide these statements. We suspected that the use of in-laws or married sisters for these statements was done to conceal the fact that the provider was a close relative. One such statement in Adam's pension file was provided by Samuel Defibaugh, Adam's father-in-law. Later the pension department sent a request asking for Samuel Defibaugh to provide additional information. However, Samuel had died after his initial statement. When his daughter Emma sent a reply to the pension department, she reported, "My father Samuel Defibaugh died on the 15th day of December 1891." However, even though she was married to Adam Carn at the time, she signed her statement as E. L. Defibaugh, using her maiden name, undoubtedly to conceal Samuel's relationship to Adam Carn.

His father's estate granted him his father's share in two companies, Oster and Carn, and Oster, Manspeaker and Carn, which apparently were located in the Borough of Bedford. His obituary reports that he ran a general store in Bedford and later a tobacco and cigar store.

Adam B. CARN married Emma DEFIBAUGH (daughter of Samuel DEFIBAUGH) about 1861. [1835]

Adam B. CARN and Emma DEFIBAUGH had the following child: [1836] +753. i. **Ella** CARN (1862 - 1924).

314. **Maria**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #98, and Catherine GARN, person #122) was born on 25 April 1835 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1837] She died on 1 May 1921 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1838]

Maria GARN married **John Ickes GARN** (son of **Christian M. GARN**, person #64, and **Elizabeth ICKES**) on 25 January 1855 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. They lived in Jackson Twp., where they appeared on the census numerous times.<sup>[1839]</sup>

John is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as John Ickes<sup>8</sup> GARN (Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #177, in this book. Additional information about John may be found in his biography at person #177.

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<sup>1835</sup> From Adam's obituary.

Ella's obituary names her as daughter of Adam Carn and spouse of Harry Rapp; Obituary of Ella's father names daughter as Mrs. Harry Rapp.

From death record.

<sup>1838</sup> Death Record of Maria Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Deaths, May 1, 1921, File 29752; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81610996.

<sup>1839 1860</sup> U.S. Census of John Garns, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, pp. 235, 236; 1870 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, indexed as John J. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 149B; 1880 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 103A, E. D. 75; 1900 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll T623\_1318, p. 13B, E. D. 81; 1910 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll T624\_1227, p. 11B, E. D. 120.

Maria GARN and John Ickes GARN had seven children. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the children have already been named and given numbers 652 to 658 and appear earlier in the book with the biography of John, person #177.

315. **Delilah**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #98, and Catherine GARN, person #122) was born on 29 September 1836 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1840] She died on 30 October 1921 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1841] Her death record reports the date shown here. Her Find A Grave memorial reports that she died a day later.

Delilah GARN married **John BRUBAKER** on 8 March 1855 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1842] John BRUBAKER was born on 19 June 1829 in Perry Co., Ohio. [1843] He died on 6 February 1896 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1844] All of the children listed below are named in the 1870 U.S. Census with Frank having the name John at the time. [1845]

Delilah GARN and John BRUBAKER had the following children: [1846]

- i. **LeRoy BRUBAKER** was born on 10 January 1856 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1847] He died on 1 July 1936 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1848] He married **Emma J. BECKMAN** on 23 November 1882 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1850] Emma J. BECKMAN was born on 15 December 1861 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1850] She died on 8 January 1940 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1851]
- 755. ii. **Elnora BRUBAKER** was born on 1 May 1857 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1852] She married **John POSEY** on 28 February 1877 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1853] John POSEY was born

Death Record of Delilah Bruebaker [sic], Sandusky Co., Ohio, Deaths, 30 October, 1921, File 58620; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81702153

From death record

Sandusky Co., Ohio Marriages, Vol. 6-2, p. 140, and Vol. D, p. 84, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), both 6 and 8 March are reported as date of marriage, latter agrees with McBride and Capener; Marriage Announcement for John Brubaker and Delilah Garn, Sandusky County Democrat [Ohio], 6 April 1855, p. 3, col. 2.

McBride and Capener, p. 300.

McBride and Capener, p. 300.

<sup>1845 1870</sup> U.S. Census of John Brubaker, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll M593 1264, p. 142B.

McBride and Capener, p. 300; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of John Brubaker, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll M593\_1264, p. 142B.

From Death Record and McBride and Capener, p. 300.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 1 July 1936, File 47702, names wife as Emma J. Brubaker.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Marriages, Vol. 12, p. 162, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), he as Laroy Brubaker.

<sup>1850</sup> From Death Record and McBride and Capener, p. 300.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 8 January 1940, File 6106. names spouse as Leroy Brubaker.

Date given in McBride and Capener, p. 300.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Marriages, Vol. G-11, p. 214, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005).

- on 18 April 1849 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1854] He died on 27 October 1944 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1855]
- 756. iii. **Esther** BRUBAKER was born on 7 November 1858 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1857] She died on 13 April 1923 in Ballville Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1857] She married **Martin L. HUFFORD** on 7 January 1875 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1858] Martin L. HUFFORD was born on 10 November 1846 in Ohio. [1859] He died on 31 January 1926 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1860]
- 757. iv. **Elta<sup>9</sup> BRUBAKER** was born on 30 January 1865 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1861] She married **William H. KLINE** on 15 November 1883 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1862]
- 758. v. **Cora B.** BRUBAKER was born on 1 December 1866 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. She married **James D. HEARN** on 5 November 1885 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1863]
- 759. vi. **Inez<sup>9</sup> BRUBAKER** was born on 3 May 1868 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1864] She died on 16 August 1931 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1865] She married **Frank GEPHART**.
- 760. vii. **Frank<sup>9</sup> BRUBAKER** was born on 20 March 1870 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1867] He appears as "John" in 1870 Census of his parents. He died on 27 September 1932 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1868] He married **Emma SMALTZ**. [1869] Emma SMALTZ was born on 9 October 1871 in Ohio. [1870] She died on 22 May 1952 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1871]
- 316. **John J.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #98, and Catherine GARN, person #122) was born on 14 February 1839 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1872] He died on 18 April 1922 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1873] Three

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1854</sup> From Death Record.

<sup>1855</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 27 October 1944, File 65666, names wife as Nora Posey.

<sup>1856</sup> From Death Record

<sup>1857</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 13 April 1823, File 28898, names spouse as Martin L. Hufford.

Sandusky Co., Marriages, Vol. G-11, p. 34, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005).

From Death Record.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 31 January 1926, File 5530, names wife as Esther Hufford.

<sup>1861</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 300.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Marriages, Vol. 12, p. 265, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), his surname as Kline; McBride and Capener, p. 300, his surname as Klein.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Marriages, Vol. 12, p. 412, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005).

From Death Record.

<sup>1865</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 16 August 1931, File 50768, names spouse as Frank Gephart.

McBride and Capener, p. 300; Frank is named as spouse on death record of Inez.

<sup>1867</sup> From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1868</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, Frank Brubaker, 27 September 1932, File 55334, names Emma as spouse.

McBride and Capener, p. 300, names wife as Emma Smaltz; death record of Frank names wife as Emma; death record of Emma identifies her as Emma Smaltz Brubaker.

From death record

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1871</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 22 May 1952, File 34391, as Emma Smaltz Brubaker.

<sup>1872</sup> From Death Record.

obituaries report his death.<sup>[1874]</sup> They reported that he was a successful farmer, that he left a widow and one son, E. M. Garn, of Denton, [sic] Iowa, and two grandchildren. There is no question that John Garn (#98) and wife Catherine Garn (#122) had a son named John. However, McBride and Capener reported that his middle name was Decker and that he was born in 1833 as the second child in the family.<sup>[1875]</sup> McBride and Capener also report that this John Garn married twice, first to Rosina Mitchell and second to Elizabeth Reems. We have not found any evidence that his middle name was Decker. And there is plenty of evidence that he was the last child in the family. And we are convinced his second wife was Elizabeth Jerger.

The 1850 U.S. Federal Census of his father and step mother identifies him as John, born around 1838, with no middle name. [1876] He was clearly the youngest of the four children that John (#98) had with his first wife Catherine #122). His birth order in the census is in agreement with the order of John and Catherine's children in the will of Catherine's father.

We are convinced that he was the John J. Garn who died in Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 18 April 1922. John J. Garn's death record reported that his father was also named John Garn and did not report the name of his mother. This John J. Garn was born in 1939 in reasonable agreement with the 1850 U.S. Federal Census cited earlier. He appears on the 1870 U.S. Census with wife Rosina and a son Eugene. In 1874 his property was next to property listed in the estate of the John Garn that we have identified as his father. [1877]

The record of his marriage to Rosina Mitchell identifies him as John, Jr. The probate file for this John Garn names his heirs as Elizabeth, undoubtedly his second wife, Eugene, identified as his son, and Rosina and J. C. M. Garn, identified as his grandchildren. The granddaughter Rosina was undoubtedly named after her grandmother, John's first wife.

John J. GARN married **Rosina MITCHELL** (daughter of **Jacob MITCHELL** and **Cordelia RYDER**) on 14 December 1859 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[1879]</sup> They appeared on the 1870 U.S. Federal Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., with their son Eugene. <sup>[1880]</sup> Rosina MITCHELL was born on 30 May 1838 in Ohio. <sup>[1881]</sup> She died on 8 February 1881 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[1882]</sup> A news item reports that

1876 1850 U.S. Federal Census of John Garn [as Gern], Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432 726, p. 42A.

<sup>1873</sup> Death Record of John J. Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 18 April 1922, File 24798, Informant was E. M. Garn of Vinton, Iowa; <a href="https://www.findagraye.com">www.findagraye.com</a>, Memorial# 81761759.

Sandusky [Ohio] [Daily] Register, 20 April 1922, p. 14, col. 2; Fremont [Ohio] Daily Messenger, 19 April 1922, p. 1, col. 5; Fremont [Ohio] Daily News, 20 April 1922, p. 2, col. 4.

McBride and Capener, pp. 298-299.

Historical Atlas of Sandusky County, Ohio, Evers, Stewart & Co. (Chicago, Illinois, 1874), p. 40, as republished by the Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, 2004).

Sandusky Co., Ohio Probate file of John J. Garn, File 9964, currently held by the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio, names his widow, Elizabeth Garn of Sandusky Co., and Eugene M. Garn of Vinton, Iowa, as his next of kin.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, Vol. 4, p. 189, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005).

<sup>1880 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of J. J. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 146A.

Age at death, Metzger Cemetery Records; 1850 U.S. Census of Jacob Mitchell, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M432\_726, p. 46A.

<sup>1882</sup> Metzger Cemetery Records, as wife of J. J. Garn.

she died of consumption (tuberculosis) after a long illness.<sup>[1883]</sup> It also names Mrs. I. M. Garn of Vinton, Iowa, (wife of Isaac M. Garn, person #347) as a sister, and Jacob Mitchell as her father.

John J. GARN and Rosina MITCHELL had the following child: [1884] +761. i. **Eugene M.<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1864 - 1943).

John J. GARN next married **Elizabeth JERGER** (daughter of **Habria JERGER** and **Anna EICLELH**) on 27 April 1886 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1885] Elizabeth JERGER was born on 26 September 1859 in Ohio. [1886] She died on 23 June 1936 in Sandusky, Erie Co., Ohio. [1887] Several news items report her death. [1888] Her death record and news items about her death use the Garns spelling for her surname.

320. **Sarah Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #98, and Fanny KERNS) was born on 10 May 1849 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1889] She died on 18 September 1930 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1890] She appears as Ellen in many records including on her grave marker.

Sarah Ellen GARN married **George Washington MAUK** (son of **Solomon MAUK** and **Catherine GARN**, person #174) on 18 March 1875 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1891] They lived in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1892] Although McBride and Capener and her death record identify her as Sarah Ellen, she appeared as Ellen or Ella on the censuses including the 1930 Census after George had died. [1893]

George is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as George Washington<sup>9</sup> MAUK (Catherine<sup>8</sup> GARN; Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #629, in this book. Additional information about George may be found in his biography at person #629.

Death Record for Elizabeth Garns, Ohio Deaths, 23 June 1923, file no. 27703, names parents, spouse as J. J. Garns.

Death record of Sarah Ellen Mauk, Seneca Co., Ohio Deaths, 18 September 1930, File 56397, parents as John Garn and Catherine (unknown), widowed but spouse as George W.; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 69019481.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. G-11, p. 55, he as Mauch.

<sup>1883</sup> Death News for Rosina Garn, Fremont Journal (Weekly) [Ohio], 15 February 1884, p. 3, col. 5, spouse as J. J. Garn.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Probate file of John J. Garn, File 9964, currently held by the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio, names his widow, Elizabeth Garn of Sandusky Co., and Eugene M. Garn of Vinton, Iowa, as his son; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of J. J. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 146A.

McBride and Capener, p. 299, she as Elizabeth Reem; Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, Vol. 12, p. 456, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), she as Libbie Jerger; Her obituaries place her as spouse of J. J. Garn; Death records of both name spouse.

From death record, cited below.

Death Announcement for Elizabeth Garns, Fremont Daily News, 24 June 1936, p. 1, col. 8, and p. 3, col 5, names brother as H. B. Jerger; Funeral Announcement for Elizabeth Garns, Fremont Messenger, 24 June 936, p. 2, col. 2, as widow of J. J. Garns; Funeral News for Elizabeth Garns, Sandusky Register [Ohio], 27 June 1936, p. 12, col. 1; Funeral News for Elizabeth Garns, Sandusky Daily News [Ohio], 26 June 1936, p. 2, col. 3.

From death record.

<sup>1892 1880</sup> U.S. Census of George W. Mauk, Clinton Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1065, p. 161D, E.D. 200; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of George Mauk, indexed as Marck, Clinton, Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1320, Page 8A, E.D. 97; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Mauk, Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio, T624\_1229, p. 6A, E.D. 141; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Mauk, Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio, T625\_1431, p. 5A, E.D. 107.

<sup>1893 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ellen Mauk, Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1868, p. 14A, E.D. 9.

Sarah Ellen GARN and George Washington MAUK had the following child: [1894]

- 762. i. **Delora D.** MAUK was born on 21 March 1876 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1895] She died on 7 October 1920 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1896] Her name appears as Lola D. Mauk on her Find A Grave memorial.
- 322. **David C.<sup>8</sup> GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #98, and Fanny KERNS) was born on 25 May 1853 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1897]</sup> He died on 6 February 1934 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[1898]</sup> He was buried in Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan on 8 February 1934.<sup>[1899]</sup>
- David C. GARN married **Eliza ST. CLAIR** on 4 February 1875 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1900] Her grave marker identifies her as the wife of D. C. Garn. David and Eliza appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1901] Eliza ST. CLAIR was born on 13 November 1858 in Ohio. [1902] She died on 15 August 1880, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1903] The 1880 U.S. Census, cited above, reports that she had consumption or tuberculosis. She and their children were buried in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky Co., Ohio, which is the same cemetery where David's mother was buried.

David C. GARN and Eliza ST. CLAIR had the following children: [1904]

- 763. i. **Charles<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born about 1874 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1905] He died on 7 October 1877 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1906] He may have been the Garn child whose tombstone is near that of his mother and has an illegible inscription.
- 764. ii. Clayton W. GARN was born on 31 July 1877. [1907] He died on 19 August 1877. [1908]
- 765. iii. **Edith M.<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 1 February 1879.<sup>[1909]</sup> She appeared with her parents on the 1880 U.S. Census. She died on 15 April 1881.<sup>[1910]</sup>

 $<sup>^{1894}</sup>$  McBride and Capener, p. 633, as Lola; census records cited above; death record names parents.

From death record.

Death record of Delora D. Mauk, Seneca Co., Ohio Deaths, 7 Oct 1920, File 66178, parents as George W. Mauk and Ellen Garn; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 69019483.

From Death Record.

Death Record of David C. Garn, Lucas Co., Ohio Deaths, 6 February 1934, File 10959, father as John Garn, mother as Fanny Garn.

www.findagrave.com>. Memorial# 106511316.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 4 February 1875, vol. G 11, p. 43, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records*, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112.

<sup>1901 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David C. Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 305D, E.D. 85, as Garns.

From inscription on grave marker, cited below.

<sup>1903 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83913258; Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 51.

Sources listed below with children.

Age 3 and birth in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, on death record.

Death Record for Charles Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials 1854-1997, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL 511730, ref. no. p. 1, cn 43, as Garns, names parents as David and Eliza.

From age at death.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 51, as son of D. C. Garn and Eliza Garn.

From age at death on grave marker.

<sup>1910</sup> Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 51, as daughter of D. C. Garn and Eliza Garn.

David C. GARN next married **Louise Sarah NUHFER** (daughter of **John NUHFER**) about 1884. [1911] David and Louise appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan. [1912] The 1910 Census reports that he had been married twice. After Louise died, David lived with his daughter Mabel in Adrian, where they appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses. [1913] Louise Sarah NUHFER was born in September 1856 in Michigan. [1914] She died on 7 December 1918 in Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan. [1915]

David C. GARN and Louise Sarah NUHFER had the following children, all born in Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan: [1916]

- 766. iv. **Philip N.** GARN was born in August 1885. [1917] The 1900 Census uses the middle initial "N" for him whereas his marriage record indexes his middle initial as "W" and McBride and Capener do not give a middle initial for him. We do not know which initial is correct. He married **Rita KUNEY** (daughter of **Sterling KUNEY** and **Emma GANDER**) on 4 July 1905 in Windsor, Essex Co., Ontario, Canada. [1918] Rita KUNEY was born about 1887. [1919]
- 767. v. **Mabel L.<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 30 September 1887.<sup>[1920]</sup>
- 768. vi. Carl D.<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 20 June 1891.<sup>[1921]</sup> He died on 8 November 1946.<sup>[1922]</sup> He married Frances P. RICHARDSON (daughter of Ernest RICHARDSON and Mary PRIED) on 31 December 1923 in Fulton Co., Ohio.<sup>[1923]</sup> Frances P. RICHARDSON was born about 1902 in Grosse Point, Wayne Co., Michigan.<sup>[1924]</sup>

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<sup>1900</sup> Census, cited below, reports 16 years of marriage; McBride and Capener, pp. 303, 304.

<sup>1912 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Adrian Ward 4, Lenawee Co., Michigan, T623\_725, p. 10B, E.D. 37; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of David C. Garn, Adrian Ward 2, Lenawee Co., Michigan, T624 660, p. 3A, E.D. 45.

<sup>1913 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David C. Garn, Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan, T625\_780, p. 9B, E.D. 54, widowed; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Mabel Hum, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1833, p. 15A, E.D. 9, widowed, her name is hard to read, David C. Garn as father in household, Dorthy M. Wheeler as daughter in household.

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1915</sup> Michigan Death Records, 1897-1920, Roll 259, Certificate 236, <ancestry.com>, accessed 12 May 2014, Louise Sarah Garn, 7 December 1918, names father.

<sup>1916</sup> Children appear on one or more census, cited above and on individual records as noted below; McBride and Capener, p. 304.

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1918</sup> "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 26 May 2014, Philip W. Garn and Rita Kuney, 4 July 1905, cites registration 8009, Archives of Ontario, FHL# 1871546, names parents, his father as D. C. Garn.

From age on marriage record.

<sup>1920</sup> Birth Record for Mabel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Births and Christenings, 1775-1995, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL 2320848. parents as David C. Garn and Louisa Garn.

Birth Record for Karl D. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Births and Christenings, 1775-1995, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL 2321271. parents as David C. Garn and Louisa Garn.

Obituary of Carl Garn, published 8 November 1946 in the Monroe Evening News (probably Monroe, MI), as reported in an obituary index, cites death on 4 Novemer 1946, age at 55, father as David Garn and spouse as Cora.

<sup>1923 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 12 May 2014, Carl D. Garn and Frances P. Richardson, 31 December 1923, names parents, cites Fulton Co., Ohio, ref. 4619, FHL# 423607.

Age is given on marriage record.

323. **Silas<sup>8</sup> GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #98, and Fanny KERNS) was born on 13 June 1857 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1925] He died on 13 February 1912 in Fenton, Genesee Co., Michigan. [1926]

Silas GARN married **Emma Jane JOHNSON** on 4 January 1880 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1927]</sup> Emma Jane JOHNSON was born in 1853 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[1928]</sup>

Silas GARN and Emma Jane JOHNSON had the following children: [1929]

- i. Claude Carlos<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 17 February 1882 in Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan. [1930] He died on 8 March 1938 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1931] Although his death record is indexed as Yarn instead of Garn by FamilySearch, the record clearly is for Claude. The death date is one day after that reported by McBride and Capener and the birth date is the same as reported by McBride and Capener. He married Jennie TAYLOR on 21 May 1901 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1932] Jennie TAYLOR was born on 3 April 1882 in Fayette, Fulton Co., Ohio. [1933] She died on 4 September 1915 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1934]
- 770. ii. **Harley<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 18 October 1885 in Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan.<sup>[1935]</sup> He died on 7 August 1891 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[1936]</sup> Newspaper articles recount his tragic death. His parents, older brother and baby brother were waiting for a transfer between street cars in Toledo. His father had left the family to cross the street to ask if the approaching street car was the one that went where they wanted to go. Harley stayed with the mother and his brothers momentarily and then decided to follow his father, stepping into the street in front of a large horse-drawn wagon, which ran over him before anyone could do anything.
- 771. iii. Lewis GARN was born in August 1890 in Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan.
- 772. iv. Harvey Silas<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 9 April 1892 in Adrian, Lenawee Co., Michigan. [1937] He died on 28 April 1949 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [1938] He married Grace Vona REIDINGER (daughter of Wilson REIDINGER and Sarah BROWN) on

 $<sup>^{1925}</sup>$  From age at death on death record, reports a birth in Michigan, which we believe is incorrect.

Death Record for Silas Garn, 13 Feb 1912, Genesee County, Michigan Deaths, vol. 4. p. 108, rec. 8, married, age at death, 54y, 8m, he as Silas Garns, father as John Garnes, mother as Fanley Carns, birth in Michigan; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 58480897.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, Vol. G-11, p. 478, surname Garns, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005); McBride and Capener, pp. 303, 305.

<sup>1928</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 305.

McBride and Capener, p. 305.

<sup>1930</sup> Birth date and place reported on death record.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953," index and images, <familysearch.org>, Claud C Yarn [sic], 9 March 1938, reports birth date, father as Silas Yarn [sic], mother not named, cites FHL# 2023558; McBride and Capener, page 305.

<sup>1932</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 305.

<sup>1933</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 305.

McBride and Capener, p. 305.

From age at death in newspaper (Gibsonburg Derrick), cited below; William Joseph Toeppe, *Sandusky County, Ohio Births-Register Infant-Name Index*, Vol. 1, A-K, p. 200, as Emot H., birth on 17 December 1885.

News of Accidental Death of Harley Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 13 August 1891, p. 4, col. 4, names father; News of Accidental Death of Harley Garn, Fremont Weekly Journal, 14 August 1891, p. 3, col. 3.

<sup>1937</sup> U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, <ancestry.com>, accessed 28 March 2014, Harvey Silas Garn, birth on 9 April 1892.

<sup>1938 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 8156782.

13 September 1913 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [1939] Grace Vona REIDINGER was born on 13 February 1899 in Parkston, Hutcheson Co., South Dakota. [1940]

324. **Adam<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Lydia ICKES) was born on 16 October 1831 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1941] He died on 20 December 1907 in Indianapolis, Marion Co., Indiana. [1942] Adam was a prominent business man. In the early days he worked as an agent for book sales. Later he was a hotel keeper. Near the end of his life he operated a grocery.

Adam also served as a private in the Confederate army during the Civil War. His obituary, written by Louise J. Bonar who would have been his granddaughter, reports that in 1860 and 1861 he was traveling in the south as a book agent with a large supply of books, horses and a monitor wagon when the war broke out. He was taken prisoner and his horses and supplies were confiscated. Although he was a staunch supporter of the north, he was conscripted against his will into service for the Confederate army as a warden in a southern hospital. He served in this capacity for three years, seeking constantly for an opportunity to escape. However, he was continually guarded until an opportunity arose in 1864 near the end of the war. He returned home to a family that believed he was dead. Records show that he served in Co. K, 26th Arkansas Infantry Regiment. [1943]

In 1863 his wife, Mary M. Garn, posted a legal notice in the newspaper in Sandusky County reporting that he had abandoned the family and notifying Adam and the public of her intent to sell her own property as if she were an unmarried woman. [1944] This was at a time when Adam would have been in the Confederate army and she no doubt believed he had abandoned her and their daughters.

Adam GARN married **Mary Magdalene SHAFER** on 25 October 1853 in Richland Co., Ohio. [1945] In 1870 Adam and Mary appeared on the U.S. Census in Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio. [1946] He reported that he was a hotel keeper on that census. Ten years later Mary appeared there on the census as the head of the household. [1947] Mary Magdalene SHAFER was born on 7 November 1833 in Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio. [1948] She died on 7 September 1887 in Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio. [1949]

1941 McBride and Capener, p. 311; 1900 Census, cited below, corroborates month and year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1939</sup> "Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 March 2014, Harvey Garn and Grace Reidinger, 17 September 1913, names parents, references FHL# 2132744; McBride and Capener, pp. 305, 308.

McBride and Capener, pp. 305, 308.

Obituary of Adam Garn, Butler [Ohio] Times, 11 January 1908, Vol. 14, no. 18, as reported at <www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohrichla/Obituaries/ObitsG.htm>, accessed 17 February 2011; Obituary of Adam Garn, Bellville, Ohio Messenger, 10 January, 1908, as reported in The Pastfinder, Quarterly Newsletter of the Richland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, Vol. XVI, Issue 1, January-March 1997.

Civil War service of Adam Garn, <ancestry.com>, U.S. War Soldier Records and Profiles, accessed 23 July 2011.

Legal Notice posted by Mary M. Garn, Plaintiff, against Adam Garn, Defendant, Fremont [Ohio] Journal, 15 May 1863, p. 3, col. 1, requests authorization to sell her own land as an unmarried woman since Adam Garn had abandoned her after 2 September 1959.

Marriage Record for Adam Garn and Mary Magdalene Shafer, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 20 July 2011, cites FHL# 388736, ref. no. it. 4, pg. 180; McBride and capener, p. 311.

<sup>1946 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Adam Garn, Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio, M593\_1261, pp. 91B and 92A, indexed as Games.

<sup>1947 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mary M. Garn, Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio, Roll 1061, p. 79D, E.D. 207, appears immediately before M. Leander Bonar, her son-in-law.

From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 311.

Obituary of Mrs. M. M. Garn (nee Shafer), Bellville [Ohio] Star, 8 September 1887, Vol. 10, no. 50, also reported at <a href="https://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohrichla/Obituaries/ObitsG.htm">www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohrichla/Obituaries/ObitsG.htm</a>, accessed 17 February 2011; Obituary of Mrs. M. M. Garn (nee

Adam GARN and Mary Magdalene SHAFER had the following children: [1950]

- 773. i. **Sarah Isabel<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 20 August 1854 in Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1951]</sup> She married **Matthew Leander BONAR** on 16 November 1876 in Richland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1952]</sup> In 1880 they appeared on the U.S. Census in Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio, immediately before Sarah Isabel's mother and sister.<sup>[1953]</sup>
- 774. ii. **Luthera Victoria<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 18 September 1857 in Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1954]</sup> She died on 1 July 1942 in Indianapolis, Marion Co., Indiana.<sup>[1955]</sup> She was buried in Crown Hill Cemetery in Indianapolis, Indiana.<sup>[1956]</sup> She married **Meridian Nelson PARR** on 24 November 1892 in Richland Co., Ohio.<sup>[1957]</sup>

Adam GARN next married **Mary HOLTOM** on 24 July 1895 in Marion Co., Indiana. <sup>[1958]</sup> In 1900 Adam appeared on the U.S. Census in Center Twp., Marion Co., Indiana. <sup>[1959]</sup> Mary was not in the household. Mary HOLTOM was born on 11 February 1832 in Palmyra, Knox Co., Ohio. <sup>[1960]</sup> She died on 12 October 1905 in South Milford, Lagrange Co., Indiana. <sup>[1961]</sup>

326. **Joseph Ickes**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Lydia ICKES) was born on 10 December 1837 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1962] He died on 2 October 1868 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1963] He died intestate. His father was granted Letters of Administration of his estate on 20 March 1869. [1964] The Estate papers report that he left a widow Margaret and a minor child.

Shafer), Bellville [Ohio] Star, 15 September 1887, Vol. 10, no. 51, also reported at

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohrichla/Obituaries/ObitsG.htm>, accessed 17 February 2011; McBride and Capener, p. 311.

Children named in obituaries of both parents; children appear on 1870 Census, cited above, children named in McBride and Capener, p. 311.

McBride and Capener, p. 311.

Marriage Record for M. L. Bonar and Isabel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 23 July 2011, cites FHL# 388741, ref. no. p. 154; McBride and Capener, p. 311.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of M. Leander Bonar, Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio, Roll 1061, p. 79D, E.D. 207.

McBride and Capener, p. 314.

McBride and Capener, p. 314.

Grave marker of Luthera V. Parr, Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis, Indiana, burial on 3 July 1942, <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 45991708, accessed 23 July 2011.

Marriage Record for M. N. Parr and Luthera V. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 23 July 2011, cites FHL# 388743, ref. no. 2:3SXJTG2; McBride and Capener, p. 314.

Marriage Record for Adam Garn and Mary Holtom, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1780-1992, accessed 23 July 2011, cites FHL# 413541, ref. no. Pg. 106, Rn. 680, names parents, his mother indexed as Lydie Lakes; Marriage reported in obituaries of both.

<sup>1959 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Adam Garn, Center Twp., Marion Co., Indiana, T623 387, p. 6B, E.D. 16.

From obituary, cited below.

Obituary of Mary Holtom Garn, Butler [Ohio] Enterprise, 20 October 1905, Vol. 17, no. 37, as reported at <a href="https://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohrichla/Obituaries/ObitsG.htm">www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohrichla/Obituaries/ObitsG.htm</a>, accessed 17 February 2011.

<sup>1962</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 310 and 314; Metzgar Cemetery Records, years-only on grave marker inscription, agrees with McBride and Capener.

McBride and Capener, pp. 310 and 314; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 82067383; Metzgar Cemetery Records, years-only on grave marker inscription, agrees with McBride and Capener.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 1579, Estate of Joseph I. Garn, names widow as Margaret and reports he had a minor child, who was not named, original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Joseph served in the Union army during the Civil War.<sup>[1965]</sup> He enlisted as a Private in Co. G., 169th Ohio Infantry, at Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 2 May 1864 and was mustered out with his company at Camp Cleveland, Ohio, on 4 September 1864. He died from a perforated bowel resulting from chronic diarrhea which he contracted while in the service. His grave marker also reports that he was a veteran of the Civil War.

Joseph Ickes GARN married **Margaret FRY** on 1 January 1860 in Seneca Co., Ohio. [1966] Joseph and Margaret appeared on the 1860 U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1967] After Joseph's death, Margaret appeared on the 1870 and 1880 Censuses in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1968]

Margaret FRY was born on 16 July 1838 in Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio. [1969] She died on 19 August 1903 in Chicago, Cook Co., Illinois. [1970] A notice of her death in Chicago appeared in a Fremont, Ohio, newspaper. [1971] At the time she was living with her son Frank in Chicago. She died intestate. Joseph's half-brother Riley Monroe, applied for Letters of Administration of the estate on 24 August 1903 and was assigned as administrator. [1972] The Application for Letters of Administration named Frank Garn as the only heir.

Joseph Ickes GARN and Margaret FRY had the following children: [1973]

- 775. i. **A. Tillie<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 16 July 1861, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1974] She died on 5 November 1863, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1975]
- +776. ii. Frank Warren<sup>9</sup> GARN (1864 1947).

327. **Martin VanBuren<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Lydia ICKES) was born on 2 February 1839 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1976] He died on 27 July 1910 in Fremont, Steuben Co.,

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<sup>1965</sup> Civil War Pension file, Joseph I. Garn, Co. G, 169th Ohio Infantry, Wid. App. #3508549, Wid. Cert. #273596, indexed by <ancestry.com> as Joseph J. Garn.

Jean Seigley, *Marriages of Seneca County, Ohio, 1841-1899*, pub. by Seneca County Genealogical Society, (Tiffin, Ohio, 1994), p. 124, he as Joseph Garns, she as Margaret Fry.

<sup>1967 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Joseph Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, p. 249.

<sup>1968 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Garn, Fremont Ward 1, Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 39B, as Garnes; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Garn, Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 255B, E.D. 83, as Garns.

<sup>1969</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 314; Metzgar Cemetery Records, years-only on grave marker inscription, agrees with McBride and Capener

Death Record for Margaret F. Garn, Cook Co., Illinois, Deaths, 19 August 1903, file no. 5064, reports burial in Helena, Ohio; McBride and Capener, p. 314, places her death three days later; Metzgar Cemtery Records, identifies her as wife of Joseph I. Garn, give years-only, which agrees with McBride and Capener.

Death Notice for Margaret Garn, Fremont Daily News, 20 August 1903, p. 3, col. 8, names son as Frank W. Garn.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 5786, Estate of Margaret F. Garn, names Frank Garn as the only heir. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Frank named and birth date given in Joseph's Civil War pension file; McBride and Capener, p. 314; A. Tillie named as daughter on grave marker; Frank named as son of Joseph and Margaret on his grave marker, as son of Joseph on his death record and of Margaret in her estate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1974</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 314, year agrees with Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>1975</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 314, year agrees with Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>1976</sup> From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 316.

Indiana.<sup>[1977]</sup> Martin fought in the Civil War.<sup>[1978]</sup> He enlisted on 14 November 1861 for three years of service in Co. I, 72nd Ohio Infantry, and was discharged as disabled on 5 August 1862.

Martin VanBuren GARN married **Elizabeth Ann BOOR** (daughter of **William BOOR**) on 8 September 1859 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1979] She is named as a Garn, living in Steuben Co., Indiana, in a biography about her father in the History of Sandusky County. [1980] Martin and Elizabeth appeared on the 1860 U.S. Census in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1981] From 1870 to 1910 they appeared on the Census in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. [1982] The 1880 Census reports that Martin was a shoemaker. After Martin died, Elizabeth appeared there on the census in 1920. [1983]

Elizabeth Ann BOOR was born on 1 March 1838, probably in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1984] Martin VanBuren GARN and Elizabeth Ann BOOR had the following children: [1985]

- +777. i. Eva Eldorado<sup>9</sup> GARN (1860 1927).
- +778. ii. William Watson<sup>9</sup> GARN (1861 1947).
- +779. iii. **J. Wesley<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1865 1945).
- +780. iv. Vern Duane<sup>9</sup> GARN (1876 1944).

329. **Emma<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Lydia ICKES) was born on 18 April 1845 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1986] She died on 14 August 1914 in Thornapple Twp., Barry Co., Michigan. [1987]

Emma GARN married **John METZGER** on 11 November 1869 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1988] John and Emma appeared on the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Federal Census in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1989]

Children are named in one or more census, cited above and in individual records, cited below.

<sup>1977</sup> Obituary of Martin VanBuren Garn, unknown newspaper in the Kay Lash Collection, Carnegie Public Library of Steuben County, Angola, Indiana, found at <www.ingenweb.org/insteuben/obits/view/garn-martin.txt>, accessed 31 May 2011, names spouse, children; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 65685270; McBride and Capener, p. 316, places death a day later.

Richard L. Manion and Nan Card, *Sandusky County, Ohio, Civil War Soldiers*, pub. by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, 1992), p. 117, as Martin V. Gerne.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. D, p. 238 and vol. 4, p. 174, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; McBride and Capener, p. 316.

History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), pp. 750-751.

<sup>1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Martin Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653 1032, pp. 204 and 205.

<sup>1982 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Martin V. Garn, Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana, M593\_359, p. 70A, as M. V. Garn; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Martin V. Garn, Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana, Roll 312, p. 347B, E.D. 8; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Martin V. Garn, Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana, T623\_404, p. 3A, E.D. 97; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Martin V. Garn, Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana, T624 380, p. 2B, E.D. 128, on same census page as daughter Eva Kibbee.

<sup>1983 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elizabeth A. Garn, Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana, T625\_461, p. 3B, E.D. 153, son Joseph, as John W. Garn, and wife Ruth in household.

McBride and Capener, p. 316.

McBride and Capener, p. 332, month and year on 1900 Census, cited below, agree.

Death Record for Emma Metzger, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 1008318, ref. no. v. B, p. 272, indexed as Anna Metzger, parents as Joseph Garn and Llyda Iceles.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. F 10, p. 217, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 474; McBride and Capener, p. 332.

<sup>1989 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Metzger, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 228A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of John Metzger, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 106A, E.D. 76.

Between 1880 and 1900 they moved to Thornapple Twp., Barry Co., Michigan, where they appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses. [1990] Papers in her father's estate place her residence in Middleville, Michigan, which is in Thornapple Township. John METZGER was born in December 1838 in Ohio. [1991]

Emma GARN and John METZGER had the following children: [1992]

- i. **Orrietta Luella** METZGER was born on 26 October 1870 in Ohio. She married **Lloyd D. CLEVER** on 12 April 1899 in Middleville, Barry Co., Michigan. Lloyd and Orie appeared on the 1910 U.S. Census in Thornapple Twp., Barry Co., Michigan. Lloyd D. CLEVER was born about 1872 in Michigan. McBride and Capener (p. 332) report that his name was Floyd. However, his name appears as Lloyd or Loyd on his marriage record and the 1910 Census.
- 782. ii. Edith Matilda<sup>9</sup> METZGER was born on 21 February 1874 in Ohio.

330. **Mary Jane<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Lydia ICKES) was born on 26 August 1847 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1996]

Mary Jane GARN married **George W. ICKES** on 16 October 1866 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1997] George and Mary Jane appeared on the 1870 U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [1998] In 1880 they appeared on the census in Middleville, Barry Co., Michigan. [1999] And in 1900 they appeared on the census in Grand Rapids, Michigan. [2000] Their daughter, her husband and their child were in the home on the last census. Papers in Mary Jane's father's estate report that she was living in Grand Rapids, Michigan in 1896. George W. ICKES was born in August 1847 in Ohio. [2001]

Mary Jane GARN and George W. ICKES had the following child: [2002]

783. i. **Myrtle<sup>9</sup> ICKES** was born in June 1870 in Ohio. [2003] She married **E. Sidney HULL** on 14 October 1896 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Michigan. [2004] E. Sidney HULL was born in January 1870 in Michigan. [2005]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1990</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of John Metzger, Thornapple Twp., Barry Co., Michigan, T623\_700, p. 8B, E.D. 49; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of John Metzger, Thornapple Twp., Barry Co., Michigan, T624\_636, p. 2A, E.D. 52.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

<sup>1992</sup> Children named on 1880 U.S. Census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 332, as source for birth dates.

Marriage Record for Lloyd D. Clever, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 1008322, ref. no. p175, his parents as Conrad Clever and ...M Jeeriot, her parents as John Metzger and ...Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 332.

<sup>1994 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lloyd Clever, Thornapple Twp., Barry Co., Michigan, T624\_636, p. 11B, E.D. 51, as Loyd Clever.

<sup>1995</sup> From 1910 Census, cited above.

<sup>1996</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 333.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 6, p. 100, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473.

<sup>1998 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George Ickes, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 164A.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George Ickes, Midddleville, Barry Co., Michigan, Roll 570, p. 71C, E.D. 36, indexed as Iches.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2000</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Ickes, Grand Rapids Ward 10, Kent Co., Michigan, T623\_723, p. 13A, E.D. 81, indexed as Icher

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

 $<sup>^{2002}</sup>$  Myrtle appears on the 1880 U.S. Census and names her parents on her marriage record.

331. **Rebecca<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Lydia ICKES) was born on 14 August 1850 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2006] She died on 26 February 1931 in Bellingham, Whatcom Co., Washington. [2007]

Rebecca GARN married **Louis Washington FAUSEY** on 16 November 1869 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2008] Louis and Rebecca appeared on the 1870 U.S. Census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2009] Within the next ten years they moved to Hastings, Michigan, where they appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census. [2010] In 1900 they appeared on the census in Grand Rapids, Michigan. [2011] It appears that Louis and Rebecca separated after the 1900 Census because Rebecca appears in the home of her son Louis and his wife on the 1910 U.S. Census in Grand Rapids. [2012] In 1920 Rebecca appeared as the widowed mother-in-law in the home of also widowed Nora Fausey in Grand Rapids. [2013] That same year we find Rebecca's husband Louis reported on the census in Spokane, Washington, that he was widowed. [2014] Rebecca also reported on the 1930 Census that she was a widow. [2015] Interestingly, while Rebecca's death record does not report marital status, the death record of Louis reports that he was married and that his wife's name was Rebecca.

Louis Washington FAUSEY was born on 20 March 1851 in Ohio. [2016] He died on 16 May 1935 in Spokane, Spokane Co., Washington. [2017] The 1880 Census reports that he was a sewing machine agent.

Rebecca GARN and Louis Washington FAUSEY had the following children: [2018]

 $<sup>^{2003}</sup>$  From 1900 U.S. Census of her parents, cited above.

Marriage Record for E. Sidney Hull and Myrtle G. Ickes, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 22 July 2011, cites FHL# 2342504, ref. no. v. 2, p. 470, rn 10434, his parents indexed as S. E. Hull and Isabell Sails, her parents as Geo. W. Ickes and Jenna Garee; McBride and Capener, p. 333.

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited with Myrtle's parents, above.

From age at death on death record; McBride and Capener, p. 333, reports birth a month later.

Death Record for Rebecca Fausey, <familysearch.org>, Washington Death Certificates, 1907-1960, accessed 19 July 2011, cites FHL# 2022804, vol/page/cert. 58, names parents.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriage Records, vol. F 10, p. 215, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473.

<sup>2009 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Louis Fausey, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 160A, as Lewis Fausey.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2010</sup> 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Louis W. Fausey, Hastings, Barry Co., Michigan, Roll 570, p. 121C, E.D. 40, indexed as Lewis W. Fausry.

<sup>2011 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Louis W. Fausey, Grand Rapids Ward 11, Kent Co., Michigan, T623\_723, p. 5B, E.D. 84, indexed as Fairis W. Fansey.

<sup>2012 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Louis R. D. Fausey, Grand Rapids Ward 3, Kent Co., Michigan, T624\_656, p. 10A, E.D. 64, mother Rehecca in household

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2013</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Nora E. Fausey, Grand Rapids Ward 2, Kent Co., Michigan, T625\_778, p. 3A, E.D. 62, widowed, mother-in-law, Rebecca, also widowed, living in home.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2014</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Louis W. Fausey, Spokane, Spokane Co., Washington, T625\_1942, p. 4A, E.D. 268, as Lewis W. Fausey, widowed.

See 1930 Census of her daughter Olive and son-in-law John, cited below.

From death record, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2017</sup> Death Record for Louis W. Fausey, <familysearch.org>, Washington Death Certificates, 1907-1960, accessed 19 July 2011, cites FHL# 2023351, vol/page/cert. 721, married, spouse as Rebecca.

First and last child appear in 1880 U.S. Census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 333; First and last child name parents on records, cited below.

- i. Olive Luthema<sup>9</sup> FAUSEY was born on 9 June 1871 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2019] She died on 7 June 1948 in Bellingham, Whatcom Co., Washington. [2020] She married John Cadwell Fremont COLLINS on 22 March 1892 in Cook Co., Illinois. [2021] John and Olive appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Bellingham, Washington. [2022] Olive's mother was living with them. John Cadwell Fremont COLLINS was born on 7 September 1862 in Belvidere, Boone Co., Illinois. [2023]
- 785. ii. **Emma J.** FAUSEY was born on 23 October 1875 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2024] We find her only in McBride and Capener. She died on 23 July 1878. There is a grave marker for an infant daughter of L. W. & R. Fausey in the Metzgar Cemetery. This child died in 1873 and is either Emma with incorrect dates from McBride and Capener or another child.
- 786. iii. Louis Karl D. FAUSEY was born on 19 July 1879 in Hastings, Barry Co., Michigan. He died on 12 November 1917 in Michigan. He married Nora E. DUNN (daughter of Oris Eugene DUNN and Dollie Jeanette ABBOTT) on 12 November 1902 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Michigan. Louis and Nora appeared on the 1910 U.S. Census in Grand Rapids, Michigan. After Louis died, Nora appeared there on the Census in 1920. Louis' mother Rebecca was in the home on both of the censuses. Nora E. DUNN was born about 1880 in Kent Co., Michigan.
- 334. **Mary Mandilla GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Sarah ANDREWS) was born on 4 July 1858 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2031] She died on 9 February 1930 in Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio. [2032]

From age at death on death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 334.

Death Record for Olive L. Collins, <familysearch.org>, Washington Death Certificates, 1907-1960, accessed 22 July 2011, cites FHL# 2032687, vol/page/cert. 11042, father as Fausey with no first name, mother as Rebecca Garn, spouse as John C. F. Collins.

Marriage Record for John C. F. Collins and Olive L. Fausey, <familysearch.org>, Illinois, Cook County Marriages, 1871-1920, accessed 22 July 2011, cites FHL# 1030212, ref. no. 1.

<sup>2022 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John C. Collins, Bellingham, Whatcom Co., Washington, Roll 2521, p. 14B, E.D. 104, Rebekah Fausey, mother-in-law in household.

McBride and Capener, p. 334.

McBride and Capener, p. 333.

<sup>2025</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 335.

McBride and Capener, p. 335; McBride and Capener report that he died this date in Grand Rapids, Mecosta Co., Michigan. There is no Grand Rapids in Mecosta Co., Michigan. Grand Rapids is in Kent County and Big Rapids is in Mecosta County, Michigan. We presume he died in one of these places. Since Nora appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census as a widow, we presume the date in McBride and Capener is probably correct.

Marriage Record for Louis K. D. Fausey and Nora E. Dunn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 22 July 2011, cites FHL# 2342522, ref. no. v. 3, p. 634, rn 2734, indexed as Fansey, names parents.

<sup>2028 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Louis R. D. Fausey, Grand Rapids Ward 3, Kent Co., Michigan, T624\_656, p. 10A, E.D. 64, mother Rebecca in household.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2029</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Nora E. Fausey, Grand Rapids Ward 2, Kent Co., Michigan, T625\_778, p. 3A, E.D. 62, widowed, mother-in-law, Rebecca, also widowed, living in home.

From censuses and marriage record, cited above.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 336.

Death Record for Mary M. Geibel, Ohio Deaths, 9 February 1930, file no. 11362, married, names spouse and father, mother not known, Josephine Geibel as informant; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 24840668.

Mary Mandilla GARN married Lewis L. GEIBEL (son of Henry GEIBEL) on 22 May 1879 in Seneca Co., Ohio. [2033] A paper dated 1896 in the estate file of Mandilla's father reports that his daughter Mary M. Geibel was living in Guvandotte, West Virginia, at the time. Guvandotte appears to be a neighborhood in present-day Huntington, West Virginia. Lewis and Mandilla appeared on the 1900-1920 Censuses in Wellston, Jackson Co., Ohio, where he reported that he was in the cooperage business on the first census and that he was a foreman at a lumber company on the second census. [2034] Mandilla's sister Naomi was living with them when the 1910 Census was recorded.

Lewis L. GEIBEL was born on 9 July 1857 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [2035] McBride and Capener place his birth in Dayton, Ohio. His death record places his birth in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, which is supported by the 1900 and 1910 Censuses. He died on 24 November 1938 in Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio. [2036] Lewis, Mandilla, their two daughters, and Mabel's husband, were buried in Metzgar Cemetery, near Helana, Ohio. [2037]

Mary Mandilla GARN and Lewis L. GEIBEL had the following children: [2038]

- i. Josephine GEIBEL was born on 16 July 1881 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2039] She died on 8 July 1956. [2040] She was the informant on the death records of both of her
- ii. Mabel Mary GEIBEL was born on 23 August 1886 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2041] 788 She died on 17 December 1953 in Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio. [2042] She married Charles Raymond LOWE (son of Henry LOWE and Harriet Isabelle KERR) on 3 September 1911 in Jackson, Ohio. [2043] Charles and Mabel appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census in Dayton, Ohio. [2044] No children were reported in the family. However, Mabel's sister Josephine was living with them. Charles Raymond LOWE was born about 1885 in Gallia Co., Ohio. [2045]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2033</sup> Marriage Record for Louis L. Geibel and Mandella Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 28 July 2011, cites FHL# 388639, she indexed as Garu; McBride and Capener, p. 336.

<sup>2034 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lewis L. Geibel, Wellston Ward 3, Jackson Co., Ohio, T623\_1289, p. 2A, E.D. 59, as Geible; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Lewis L. Geibel, Wellston Ward 3, Jackson Co., Ohio, T624 1198, p. 3B, E.D. 74; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of L. L. Geibel, Wellston Ward 3, Jackson Co., Ohio, T625 1401, Page 4A, E.D. 91.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 336; 1900 Census reports birth in July 1858.

<sup>2036</sup> Death Record for Lewis L. Geibel, Ohio Deaths, 24 November 1938, file no. 66072, widowed, names father, Josephine Geivel [sic] as informant.

<sup>2037</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>2038</sup> Childern are named on 1900 and 1910 Censuses, cited above and on individual records, as noted below.

McBride and Capener, p. 336; 1900 Census places birth in June 1881.

McBride and Capener, p. 336.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 336; Birth Record for Mabel Geibel, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 27 July 2011, cites FHL# 511730, ref. no. v2, p. 133, places birth on 29 August 1886, two entries in database, both name parents as L. L. Geibel and Mandilla Garn, one gives ref. no., and one gives birth place as Sandusky [Co.],

<sup>2042</sup> Death Record for Mabel Lowe, Ohio Deaths, 17 December 1953, file no. 83397, married, names parents, mother indexed as Mandilla Larse; McBride and Capener, p. 336.

Marriage Record for Charles Raymond Lowe and Mary Mabel Geibel, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 27 July 2011, cites FHL 301049, ref. no. p. 371, c#8852, names parents, her mother as Mary Mandilla Garn; McBride and Capener, p.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles R. Lowe, Dayton Ward 11, Montgomery Co., Ohio, T625 1422, p. 12A, E.D. 201, sister-in-law Josephine Geibel living in household.

From marriage record, cited above.

336. **Riley Monroe**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Sarah ANDREWS) was born on 10 May 1862 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2046] The only place where we find the full name Riley Monroe Garn is in McBride and Capener. Other places he appears as R. Monroe, Riley M. or simply as R.M.

He died on 22 August 1908 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2047] Riley wrote his will as R.M. Garn on 11 January 1907. [2048] A copy of the will and our transcript may be seen in Appendix 35. The will names his wife and three sons. It also reports that he owned the "Electric Light Plant in the Village of Helena," and also a half share of the telephone company that operated in Helena.

Two obituaries report his death.<sup>[2049]</sup>, The obituaries name his siblings and mention a wife and three sons but do not name them. One obituary reports that he died of consumption of the bone (tuberculosis) and that he underwent the amputation of one leg to treat it, which did not afford any relief or improvement of his condition.

Riley Monroe GARN married **Alfleda Irene JONES** (daughter of **Theodore M. JONES** and **Frances FLICK**) on 26 January 1888 in Wisconsin. [2050] In 1900 R.M. and Alfleda appeared on the census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2051] Alfleda appeared again there on the census in 1910 after R.M. had died. [2052]

Alfleda Irene JONES was born on 29 March 1870 in Baraboo, Sauk Co., Wisconsin. [2053] She died on 11 April 1952 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [2054] Both R. M. and Alfleda were buried in Metzgar Cemetery, he as R. Monroe Garn. [2055] Their three sons and the wives of Frank and Bruce were also buried there.

Riley Monroe GARN and Alfleda Irene JONES had the following children: [2056]

789. i. **J. Harold<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 6 May 1889 in Goodland, Sherman Co., Kansas.<sup>[2057]</sup> He died in 1964.<sup>[2058]</sup> His grave marker reports that he was in the army in World War I, serving in Co. C, 112th Field Sig. BN, 37th Division.

 $<sup>^{2046}</sup>$  McBride and Capener, p. 337, month and year agree with 1900 U.S. Census, cited below.

Date from estate file, cited below; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 65250980; McBride and Capener, p. 337, gives death a day later than his estate file.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 6726, Estate of R. M. Garn [Riley Monroe Garn], names wife and three sons. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Fremont Weekly Messenger [Ohio], 25 August 1908, p. 1, col. 8. as R. M. Garn; Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 22 August 1908, p. 2, col. 5, as R. M. Garn.

Alfleda named as spouse in Riley's estate, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 337; We could not find the town and county in Wisconsin where McBride and Capener reported the marriage occurred.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Riley Monroe Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623 1318, p. 8A, E.D. 82, as R.M. Garn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2052</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Alfleda Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624 1227, p. 5A, E.D. 121.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 337.

Death Record for Alfleda I. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 11 April 1952, file no. 25906, widowed, names parents, J. Harold Garn as informant; McBride and Capener, p. 337; Obituary of Alfleda I Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 12 April 1952, p. 9, col. 8, as Alflea I Garn, names sons.

<sup>2055</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2056</sup> Children named in Riley's estate file, cited above; 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 337.

World War I Draft Registration Card for J. Harold Garn, <ancestry.com>, World War Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, Lucas County, Ohio, Roll 1851199, Draft Board 3; McBride and Capener, p. 337.

- 790. ii. **Frank Lawrence**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born on 7 May 1893 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2059] He registered for the Draft for World War I in Lucas Co., Ohio. [2060] He appears as Francis L. Garn on both the 1900 and 1910 Censuses of his parents. He also served as the guardian, using the name Francis Garn, for the estate of his brother, a minor when their father died. All of the later records appear to use Frank as his name. He died on 17 July 1953 in Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio. [2061] He worked for Ohio Bell Telephone Company at the time of his death. He married **Zelpha V. SHERRARD** (daughter of **John F. SHERRARD** and **Jenny BOWLUS**) on 8 November 1919. [2062] Zelpha V. SHERRARD was born on 4 December 1888 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2063] She died on 7 September 1993 in Bucyrus, Crawford Co., Ohio. [2064] Her obituary reports that they, "shared an interest in flying and flew in their Piper Cub to many places in the United States."
- 791. iii. **Bruce**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born on 17 October 1895 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2065] He appears as Emmit B. Garn or E. Bruce Garn on the censuses, cited above with his parents. Since he was only 17 years old when his father died, a guardian, his brother Frank, as Francis, was appointed for him. [2066] He died on 19 August 1956 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [2067] His grave marker in Metzgar Cemetery reports that he was a soldier in World War I, serving in Co., K, 147th INF, 37th DIV. He married **Thelma Marjorie FEASEL** (daughter of **George W. FEASEL** and **Clara FAYLOR**) on 7 March 1939 in Wood Co., Ohio. [2068] Her name on the marriage record was Feasel Van Loo, suggesting that she had been married before to a Mr. Van Loo. Thelma Marjorie FEASEL was born on 14 April 1902 in West Millgrove, Wood Co., Ohio. [2069] She died in 1980. [2070]

 $<sup>^{2058}\,\</sup>mathrm{Metzgar}$  Cemetery Records.

Birth Record for Frank Lawrence Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 28 July 2011, cites FHL# 511731, ref. no 56, names parents as Riley Monroe Garn and Elfleda [sic] Irene Jones; Birth also reported on death record and draft registration card, cited below.

<sup>2060 &</sup>lt;ancestry.com>, World War Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, Lucas County, Ohio, Roll 1851199, Draft Board 3.

Death Record for Frank L. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 17 July 1953, cert. no. 46109, names parents, Zelpha Garn as informant, veteran of World War II [sic, probably WW I]; Death announcement for Frank L. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 18 July 1953, p. 2, col. 1, parents as Jack and Alfleda Garn, widow as Zepha Sherrard Garn, names brothers.

Obituary of Zelpha, cited below, names Frank as spouse.

Date from obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 337.

Obituary of Zelpha V. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 9 September 1993, p. 2, col. 2, names spouse, siblings, and parents, does not name any children.

Birth Record for Bruce Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 28 July 2011, cites FHL# 511731, ref. no. p. 87, rn 224, parents as R. M. Garn and Alfleda I. Jones; McBride and Capener, p. 338.

Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 7968, Guardianship Papers for Bruce Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Death announcement for Bruce Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 21 August 1956, spouse as Thelma, brother as J. Harold; McBride and Capener, p. 338.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 March 2014, Bruce Garn and Thelma M. Feasel Van Loo, 7 March 1939, gives ages, names parents, references FHL# 2384473.

Date and place from McBride and Capener, p. 338, year agrees with inscription on grave marker, cited below, middle name and surname found only here.

Grave marker, Metzgar Cemetery, photographed by author, not incuded in Metzgar Cemetery Records which was published four years before her death.

337. **Lauretta Ella<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Sarah ANDREWS) was born on 5 August 1864 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2071] She died on 4 June 1936 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2072]

Lauretta Ella GARN married **William Henry SMITH** (son of **Alexander SMITH** and **Catherine RICHARDS**) on 14 September 1882 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2073] William and Lauretta or Ella appeared on the 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2074] William Henry SMITH was born on 8 August 1860 in Pennsylvania. [2075] He died on 17 April 1918 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2076] William and Ella were buried in Metzger Cemetery, near Helena, Ohio. [2077]

Lauretta Ella GARN and William Henry SMITH had the following children, all born in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio: [2078]

- 792. i. **Mazie Sarah Kathryn<sup>9</sup> SMITH** was born in 1885. [2079] She died in 1903. [2080]
- +793. ii. **Clyde Harrison<sup>9</sup> SMITH** (1888 1974).
- 794. iii. **Zera Ella<sup>9</sup> SMITH** was born on 5 October 1892.
- 795. iv. Leola Dawn<sup>9</sup> SMITH was born on 20 September 1895.

338. **Cora May**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Sarah ANDREWS) was born on 12 September 1866 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[2081]</sup> She is named in her father's will as Cora Jaqua. She resided in Ridgeway, Missouri in 1896.<sup>[2082]</sup>

Cora May GARN married **Cassius M. JAQUA** on 16 February 1887. <sup>[2083]</sup> Cassius and Cora appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census in Marion Twp., Harrison Co., Missouri. <sup>[2084]</sup> In 1910 and 1920 they appeared

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 338.

Death Record for Lauretta Smith, Ohio Deaths, 4 June 1936, cert. no. 40594, widowed, names parents, she indexed by <ancestry.com> as Laueretta Smith, her father as Joseph Yam; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 62396702; McBride and Capener, p. 228.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Marriages, vol. 12, p. 135, he as William Smith and she as Ella Garn, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2074</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of William Smith, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 8A, E.D. 81; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of William H. Smith, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624 1227, p. 8A, E.D. 120.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 338.

Death Record for William H. Smith, Ohio Deaths, 17 Aopril 1918, cert. no. 27663, married, names parents, Clyde H. Smith as informant; McBride and Capener, p. 338.

Metzger Cemetery Records, he as W. H. Smith and she as Ella L. Smith.

Children are named on censuses, cited above and parents are named on individual records of children, as noted below; McBride and Capener, p. 338, as source for birth information.

<sup>2079</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records, identify her as daughter of W. H. and L. E.

<sup>2080</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>2081</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 341.

Estate file or Cora's father places residence there on that date.

Named as parents on birth record of daughter Clara; McBride and Capener, p. 341.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2084</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Cassius M. Jaqua, Marion Twp., Harrison Co., Missouri, T623\_857, p. 1A, E.D. 106.

on the census in Warrensburg, Johnson Co., Missouri. [2085] In 1930 Cora appeared there on the census as a widow. [2086] Her married daughter Pauline Taubert and husband Adolph were living in household.

Cassius M. JAQUA was born in November 1865 in Iowa. [2087] The censuses report that he was an editor of a newspaper.

Cora May GARN and Cassius M. JAQUA had the following children: [2088]

- 796. i. Vivian<sup>9</sup> JAQUA was born on 4 July 1888 in Colorado.
- 797. ii. Clara<sup>9</sup> JAQUA was born on 12 January 1891 in Traer, Tama Co., Iowa. [2089]
- 798. iii. **Pauline** JAQUA was born on 9 December 1899 in Missouri. She married **Adolph TAUBERT**. [2090] Adolph TAUBERT was born about 1900 in Missouri. [2091]
- 799. iv. **Garn<sup>9</sup> JAQUA** was born on 11 April 1902. He died on 2 July 1903. We find him only in McBride and Capener.
- 800. v. Leo<sup>9</sup> JAQUA was born on 26 November 1903 in Missouri. [2092] He died on 22 July 1982 in Orange Co., California. [2093]
- 801. vi. **Jo Wilma<sup>9</sup> JAQUA** was born about 1910 in Missouri. [2094]

339. **Lottie**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Sarah ANDREWS) was born on 1 September 1870 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2095] Lottie is named as Lottie Von Thurn in her father's will. A paper dated 1896 in her father's estate reports that she lived in Helena, Ohio, at the time. She died on 8 January 1954, probably in Bethany Twp., Gratiot Co., Michigan. [2096]

Lottie GARN married **George VON THURN** on 27 September 1887 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2097]</sup> Their marriage was reported in the local German language newspaper. <sup>[2098]</sup> In 1900 they appeared on the U.S. Census in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2099]</sup> A farm laborer named Clarence Weaverling, who

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2085</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Cassius M. Jaqua, Warrensburg Ward 4, Johnson Co., Missouri, T624\_793, p. 15B, E.D. 121; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Cassius M. Jaqua, Warrensburg Ward 2, Johnson Co., Missouri, T625\_930, p. 4B, E.D. 128, indexed as Jayna.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Cora Jaqua, Warrensburg, Johnson Co., Missouri, Roll 1027, p. 10B, E.D. 22.

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>2088</sup> Children except Garn named in censuses, cited above; Censuses as place of birth for children, except where noted; McBride and Capener, p. 341, as source for dates of birth for children except where noted.

Birth Record for Clara Jaqua, <familysearch.org>, Iowa Births and Christenings, 1830-1950, accessed 29 July 2011, cites FHL 1022741, ref. no. v. 2, p. 40, parents as Cassius M Jaqua and Cora May Garn.

Pauline and Adolph appeared as daughter and son-in-law in 1930 Census, cited above, in home of Cora's mother.

From 1930 Census, cited above.

Date and place appear on death record.

<sup>&</sup>quot;California, Death Index, 1940-1997," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Leo Jaqua, 22 July 1982, gives birth date date and place, cites Department of Public Health Services, Sacramento.

<sup>2094 1920</sup> U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2095</sup> Grave marker inscription, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 341.

Grave Marker for Lottie Weaverling, Oak Grove Cemetery, Saint Louis, Gratiot Co., Michigan, <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 52137291, accessed 1 August 2011.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Marriages, 27 September 1887, vol. 12, p. 575, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473; McBride and Capener, p. 341.

Fremont Courier, 6 October 1887, p. 4, col. 4, in German script.

<sup>2099 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George C. Von Thurn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 9A, E.D. 90, farm laborer Clarence Weaverling living in household.

appeared in the household on that census, was undoubtedly Lottie's second husband. In 1910 George and Lottie appeared on the U.S. Census in Bethany Twp., Gratiot Co., Michigan. [2100]

George VON THURN was born in March 1860 in Ohio. [2101]

Lottie GARN and George VON THURN had the following children, all probably born in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio:<sup>[2102]</sup>

- 802. i. **Gladys Lucile** VON THURN was born in August 1888. [2103]
- 803. ii. Sarah Fay VON THURN was born on 11 March 1894.
- 804. iii. **Luther Garn<sup>9</sup> VON THURN** was born on 5 October 1896. [2104] He died on 23 February 1981 in Marshall, Calhoun Co., Michigan. [2105]

Lottie GARN next married **Clarence WEAVERLING** (son of **Thomas WEAVERLING** and **Jeanette BUGLE**) on 13 October 1915 in St. Louis, Gratiot Co., Michigan. Clarence and Lottie appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census in Bethany Twp., Gratiot Co., Michigan. Clarence WEAVERLING was born in June 1877 in Pennsylvania. He died on 8 October 1937, probably in Bethany Twp., Gratiot Co., Michigan. It is interesting that Clarence appeared in the household of Lottie and her first husband George when the 1900 U.S. Census was recorded. He was a farm laborer at the time.

340. **Helena Sarah**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Joseph GARN, person #99, and Sarah ANDREWS) was born on 6 October 1871 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2110] Her father's will identifies her as Helena Garn. A paper dated 1896 in his estate file names her Helena Coleman [sic] of Burgoon, Ohio. She appears in the records as both Helena Sarah and Sarah Helena. She died on 14 December 1941 in Ballville Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2111] The town of Helena, Ohio, was named after her.

2104 Grave marker information, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 341.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2100</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of George Von Thurn, Bethany Twp., Gratiot Co., Michigan, T624\_648, p. 7A, E.D. 65, indexed as Geo. Von Phury

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2102</sup> Children appear on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 341, as source for birth information unless otherwise noted.

<sup>2103 1900</sup> U.S. Census, cited above.

Grave Marker for Luther Von Thurn, Oak Grove Cemetery, Saint Louis, Gratiot Co., Michigan, <findagrave.com>, accessed 1

Marriage Record for Clarence Weaverling and Lottie Von Thurn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 27 July 2011, cites FHL# 985695, ref. p. 255, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 342.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Clarence Weaverling, Bethany Twp., Gratiot Co., Michigan, T625 763, p. 2A, E.D. 32.

 $<sup>^{2108}</sup>$  From 1900 U.S. Census of Lottie and her first husband, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2109</sup> Grave Marker for Clarence Weaverling, Oak Grove Cemetery, Saint Louis, Gratiot Co., Michigan, <findagrave.com>, accessed 1 August 2011.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 343.

Death Record for Helena S. Koleman, Ohio Deaths, 14 December 1941, file no. 76505, as Sarah H. Koleman, names parents, spouse as W. A. Koleman; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 108040552.

Helena Sarah GARN married **William Alfred KOLEMAN** (son of **David KOLEMAN** and **Lucinda CARR**) on 10 September 1890 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2112] An announcement that they had applied for a marriage license appeared in a German language newspaper. [2113] William and Helena appeared on the 1900-1930 Censuses in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2114]

William Alfred KOLEMAN was born on 21 January 1868 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2115] He died on 16 March 1947 in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2116] William, Helena, and their infant son were buried in Smith Cemetery in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2117]

Helena Sarah GARN and William Alfred KOLEMAN had the following children, all probably born in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio:<sup>[2118]</sup>

- 805. i. **son<sup>9</sup> KOLEMAN** was born on 22 February 1897. He died on 22 August 1897, probably in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio.
- 806. ii. Esther<sup>9</sup> KOLEMAN was born on 29 November 1898.
- 807. iii. Anna Belle KOLEMAN was born on 8 August 1911.

344. **Sarah Ann<sup>8</sup> GARN** (David<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 19 July 1834 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2119] Although her death record places her birth in Pennsylvania, her place of birth is Ohio on every census where we find her. She died on 3 September 1914 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2120]

Sarah Ann GARN married **Daniel SWICKARD** (son of **Andrew SWICKARD** and **Sarah**) on 18 December 1851 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2121] The History of Sandusky County reports on Daniel's two

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2112</sup> Sandusky County, Ohio, Marriages, 10 September 1890, vol. 13, p. 227, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473; McBride and Capener, p. 343; *History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers*, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 752.

Fremont Courier [Ohio], 18 September 1890, p. 4, c. 2.

<sup>2114 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William A. Koleman, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 8A, E.D. 81, as Kalman; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of William A. Koleman, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 8A, E.D. 120, as Kaleman; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of William A. Koleman, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 9A, E.D. 85, as W. A. Koleman; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of William A. Koleman, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1866, p. 6A, E.D. 17, as Keleman.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for William Alfred Koleman, Ohio Deaths, 16 March 1947, file no. 20033, spouse as Jennie Vrooman Koleman, names father, mother as Lucinda.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2117</sup> Cemeteries in Sandusky County, Ohio, Jackson Township, comp. and pub. by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, 2001), p. 43.

First child noted in cemetery records, cited above, others appear on census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 343

Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; Death Record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 350, gives year only as 1847 [sic].

Death Record for Sarah A. Swickard, Ohio Deaths, 3 September 1914, file no. 52339, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44876167.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. C, p. 165, he as Swickert, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473.

marriages, names children born to both wives, and names his father. [2122] Daniel and Sarah appeared on the 1860-1880 U.S. Censuses in Jackson Twp.. Sandusky Co.. Ohio. [2123]

Daniel SWICKARD was born on 4 December 1824 in Franklin Co., Ohio. [2124] He died on 31 July 1895 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2125] Daniel, Sarah, Daniel's parents, and several of Daniel and Sarah's children were buried in Metzgar Cemetery near Helena, Ohio.

Sarah Ann GARN and Daniel SWICKARD had the following children: [2126]

- i. Margaret M. SWICKARD was born on 23 April 1852 in Ballville Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2127] She died on 12 April 1923 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2128] She married George W. HAVENS. [2129]
- ii. Perry D. 9 SWICKARD was born on 27 August 1854 in Ohio. [2130] He died on 5 January 809 1929 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2131]
- iii. **Elba Jane<sup>9</sup> SWICKARD** was born about 1858 in Ohio.<sup>[2132]</sup> She died on 18 September 1910 in Shepherd, Isabella Co., Michigan.<sup>[2133]</sup> She married **unknown WAGNER**.<sup>[2134]</sup>
- iv. Isaac<sup>9</sup> SWICKARD was born on 13 February 1860.<sup>[2135]</sup> He died on 6 March 1868, 811. probably in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2136]
- v. Eli<sup>9</sup> SWICKARD was born on 11 December 1862. [2137] He died on 24 July 1921 in 812. Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio. [2138]
- vi. **Deborah K.**<sup>9</sup> **SWICKARD** was born on 1 May 1863 in Ohio.<sup>[2139]</sup> She died on 25 April 1934 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[2140]</sup> She married **John C. DUDGEON**.<sup>[2141]</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2122</sup> History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams &

<sup>2123 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Swickard, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, p. 235, indexed as Swiggart; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Swickard, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593 1264, p. 145A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Swickard, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 94C, E.D. 75.

Date from grave marker inscription, cited below, place from History of Sandusky County, cited above.

Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>2126</sup> History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 749; McBride and Capener, p. 350.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Margaret M. Havens, Ohio Deaths, 12 April 1923, file no. 28897, spouse as George W. Havens, names parents.

George W. Havens named as spouse on Margaret's death record, cited above.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Perry D. Swickard, Ohio Deaths, 5 January 1929, file no 9035, names parents, mother indexed as Sarah Gam, spouse as Alma.
2132 From death record, cited below.

<sup>2133</sup> Death Record for Elba Jane Wagner [as Ella Jane Wagner], <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 1005119, ref. no. v. 2, p. 146, parents indexed as Daniel Lwigart and Sarah A. Gorn.

<sup>2134</sup> Death record of Elba with Wagner as surname.

From age at death, Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>2136</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Eli Swickard, Ohio Deaths, 24 July 1921, file no. 41475, names parents, spouse as Lola Swickard.

From death record, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2140</sup> Death Record for Deborah K. Dudgeon, Ohio Deaths, 25 April 1934, file no. 26484, widowed, parents as Daniel Swickard and Sarah

John C. DUDGEON was born on 6 May 1859 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. [2142] He died on 13 September 1928 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2143]

814. vii. **Clark<sup>9</sup> SWICKARD** was born on 19 November 1871. [2144] He died on 5 February 1872, probably in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2145]

345. **Daniel W.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (David<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 12 June 1836 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2146]</sup> Daniel served in Co., K, 169th Ohio Infantry, in the Union army during the Civil War. <sup>[2147]</sup> He enlisted as a private on 2 May 1864 at Fremont, Ohio, and was discharged in Cleveland, Ohio, on 4 September 1864. It was reported that he got ill at Camp Ethan Allen in Virginia, which appears to be an earthwork fort in Arlington, Virginia, just outside Washington, D.C. He died on 21 March 1920 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. <sup>[2148]</sup> He was buried there in Riverside Cemetery. <sup>[2149]</sup> His grave marker is the only place where we found a middle initial recorded for him.

Daniel W. GARN married **Harriet A. KING** (daughter of **Samuel KING** and **Mary**) on 1 January 1863 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2150]</sup> Daniel's Civil War pension file reports that he moved from Fremont, Ohio, to Three Rivers in 1866. Daniel and Harriet and their children appeared on the 1870-1900 U.S. Census in St. Joseph Co., Michigan. <sup>[2151]</sup> In 1910 and 1920 Daniel appeared on the census there as a widower. <sup>[2152]</sup>

Harriet A. KING was born on 7 September 1841, probably in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2153] Our reason for naming her parents is the appearance of a Harriet King on the 1860 U.S. Census, who was living near Daniel and was the right age to be his wife. [2154] She died in 1907. [2155]

She a Dudgeon in the History of Sandusky County, cited above, a Dudgeon on her death record, and as spouse, Deborah Dudgeon, on John's death record; McBride and Capener, p. 350, namse spouse as John C. Dudgeon.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2142</sup> From death record, cited below.

Death Record for John C. Dudgeon, Ohio Deaths, 13 September 1928, file no. 57207, married, spouse as Deborah Dudgeon, names parents.

From age at death, Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2146</sup> Civil War Pension File, cited below; Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; McBride and Capener, p. 345.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2147</sup> Civil War Pension file, Daniel Garn, Co. K, 169th Regiment, Ohio Infantry, App. #301833, Cert. #224573.

Death Record for Daniel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 30 July 2011, cites FHL# 1295527, ref. no. v. 3, p. 119, widowed, names father, mother misnamed as Harriet King, his deceased spouse.

<sup>&</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">2149</a> <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 27152951, Riverside Cemetery, Three Rivers, Michigan, accessed 4 August 2011, name as Daniel W. Garn, cited as a Civil War Veteran.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriage Records, 1 January 1863, vol. E, p. 94, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; Civil War Pension File of Daniel, cited above, names spouse and gives marriage date; Marriage Announcement for Daniel Garn and Miss Harriet King, Fremont Journal, Fremont, Ohio, 16 January 1863, p. 3, col. 6.

 <sup>2151
 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Lockport Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan, M593\_700, p. 188A, indexed as Gora; 1880
 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan, Roll 603, p. 386D, E.D. 197; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Lockport Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan, T623 742, p. 13A, E.D. 117.

<sup>2152 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William G. M. Garn, Lockport Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan, T624\_674, p. 7B, E.D. 129, indexed as William C. M. Game, father Daniel living in household; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn, Three Rivers Ward 2, St. Joseph Co., Michigan, T625\_796, p. 1A, E.D. 170.

<sup>2153</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 345; 1900 U.S. Census, cited above, gives same month and year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2154</sup> 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel King, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653 1032, p. 231.

Daniel W. GARN and Harriet A. KING had the following children: [2156]

- 815. i. Laura Ella<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 24 December 1863 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2157] Her death record reports she was born in Three Rivers, Michigan. However, her father reported that the family moved to Michigan in 1866. And her marriage record reports that she was born in Fremont, Ohio, which we presume to mean near Fremont. She died on 12 July 1934 in Chicago, Cook Co., Illinois. [2158] She married Frederick A. WEGNER on 24 May 1883 in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Michigan. [2159] Frederick A. WEGNER was born in August 1860 in Exeter, Ontario, Canada. [2160]
- 816. ii. **William Granville M.** GARN was born on 25 June 1866 in Florence Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan. He died on 27 December 1946 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. He married **Adell MINER** on 28 June 1904 in Ypsilanti, Washtenaw Co., Michigan. Adell MINER was born in 1866 in Goshen, Elkhart Co., Indiana. Indiana.
- 817. iii. Mary E. GARN was born on 24 December 1868 in St. Joseph Co., Michigan. She married Fred W. HESSMER (son of Philip HESSMER and Minnie FLAING) on 20 June 1895 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. Fred W. HESSMER was born in 1866 in Michigan.
- 818. iv. **Edmund B.** GARN was born on 22 February 1874 in St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2168] He died on 17 October 1898 in Lockport Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2169]
- 819. v. **Albert Daniel<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 16 January 1880 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2170] He died on 6 July 1947 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2171] He

McBride and Capener, p. 345.

Children named in Daniel's Civil War pension file, cited above, source for birth dates given below; Children appear on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 245, names children and gives slightely different birth dates for some.

Date from her father's Civil War pension file: McBride and Capener, p. 345.

Death Record for Laura E. Wegner, <familysearch.org>, Illinois, Deaths and Stillbirths, 1916-1947, accessed 4 August 2011, cites FHL# 1907320, ref. no. 19288, spouse as Fred Wegner, birth in Three Rivers, Michigan, exactly one year later than found in other records, burial in Three Rivers; Death Record for Laura E. Wegner, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 1940441, ref. no. p. 254, CN 19288, death in Cook County, Illinois.

Marriage Record for Fred A. Wegner and Laura Ella Garn, <familysearch.org>, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 98141, ref. no. p. 342, no. 5253, he as Wagner; McBride and Capener, p. 345, reports marriage to Mr. Wegner.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Frederick A. Wegner, Lockport Twp., St Joseph Co., Michigan, T623 742, p. 13B, E.D. 117.

Birth date from his father's Civil War pension file; place from death record.

Death Record for William G. M. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 1940441, ref. no. p. 297, no. 113, single, names parents.

Marriage Record for Wm. M. Garn and Adell Miner, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 2342669, ref. no. vol. 4, p. 377, rn 1191, his parents as Daniel and King, hers as O. D. Miner and Wooden.

From marriage record, cited above.

<sup>2165</sup> Birth date appears in her father's Civil War pension file.

Marriage Record for Fred W. Hessmer and Mary E. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 30 July 2011, names parents, her mother as Mary King.

From marriage record, cited above.

Date appears in his father's Civil War pension file.

Death Record for Edmund B. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 1295526, ref. no. v. 2, p. 62, as Garnes, single, parents as Daniel Garnes and Harriet King.

<sup>2170</sup> Date given in his father's Civil War pension file; McBride and Capener, p. 346.

Death Record for Albert Daniel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 30 July 2011, cites FHL# 1940441, ref. no. p. 299, no. 48, names parents, mother's birth place as Allenia, Ohio; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 92339969.

married **Mary JURHS** (daughter of **Fred JURHS** and **Minnie OLDORF**) on 17 April 1915 in Centreville, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. Although the record of her marriage to Albert gives her maiden name as Jerks, McBride and Capener (p. 346) report the surname given here. This is corroborated by her appearance as 17-year-old Mary E. Jurhs on the 1910 Federal Census in the home of her parents and by the spelling on the grave marker for her parents. Amary JURHS was born on 4 February 1893 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. She died on 21 January 1977 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan.

820. vi. **Samuel R.** GARN was born on 10 January 1885 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. McBride and Capener report that he was single.

346. **Mary**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (David<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 16 July 1838 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2177] She died on 31 January 1867 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2178]

Mary GARN married **Michael WEIBLE** on 5 January 1860 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2179] Michael WEIBLE was born on 13 March 1831. [2180] He died on 14 November 1864, probably in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2181] When Michael died, his estate was administered by Daniel Swickard, his brother-in-law. [2182] After Michael's death, Mary was appointed guardian for their son. [2183]

Michael and Mary were buried in Metzger Cemetery. The name on the grave marker is Wivel. Her birth date based on her age at death on the marker is the same as the record in the David Garn family Bible, which appears in Appendix 37. Also, the surname is spelled exclusively as Wivel in Michael's estate papers, which mention his wife Mary and minor child Major Leroy Wivel [sic]. After his death Mary served as guardian for their son and papers in his guardianship file spell the name as Wivel until after Mary's death when her brother Isaac M. Garn took over as guardian and administrator of her estate. From that point on the name was spelled Weible in the file and in subsequent records.

2176 Birth Record for Samuel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Births, 1867-1902, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 2320841, ref. no. item 2, p. 328, rn 128, as Garns, parents as Daniel Garns and Hattie Garns, date agrees with date given in his father's Civil War pension file.

Marriage Record for Albert D. Garn and Mary Jurks, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 30 July 2011, cites FHL# 2342712, ref. no. Item 5, p. 6, rn 6458, names parents.

<sup>2173 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Fred Jurhs, Flowerfield Twp., Flowerfield Twp., Saint Joseph Co., Michigan, T624\_674, Page 7A, E.D. 127, FHL# 1374687; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 74414056.

McBride and Capener, p. 346, year-only in marriage record agrees.

<sup>2175 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 92339961.

Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; Age at death on grave marker, cited below.

<sup>2178 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 82069873, as Wivel; Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 5 January 1860, vol. D, p. 250 and vol. 4, p. 196, he as Wible, she as Garns, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 474.

Age at death on grave marker, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2181</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Probate Files, File 1340, Estate file for Michael Weible [as Wivel]. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Probate Files, File 1338, Probate file for Mary Weible [as Wivel] and later Isaac M. Garn [indexed as J. M. Garn] as guardian of Major Leroy Weible. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Mary GARN and Michael WEIBLE had the following child: [2184] +821. i. **Major Leroy** WEIBLE (1862 - 1890).

349. **David W.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (David<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David served in the Union army during the Civil War. He enlisted on 2 May 1864 and was discharged at Camp Cleveland on 4 September 1864. One document reports that he was a musician while another reports that he was a fifer. He died on 22 March 1914 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. A funeral announcement reports that he was a former resident and postmaster of Helena, Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. David GARN, person #100, and Margaret Ann ICKES) was born on 3 June 1846 in Washing

David W. GARN married **Anna M. HOFFMAN** (daughter of **Jacob HOFFMAN** and **Joanna LASHET**) on 20 January 1884 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2189] In 1900 David and Anna appeared on the Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2190] Joanna Hoffman appeared with them as mother-in-law in the household on that census. By 1910 they had moved to Toledo, Ohio, where they appeared on the census. [2191] In 1920, after David had died, Anna appeared on the census in the home of their son Firm in Toledo. [2192] The censuses report that David was a grocer and retail merchant. We believe that he was the David Garn who assigned his assets to John Ward in 1896. [2193] The list of assets that he signed over to John Ward included many things of the type that a retail merchant would have.

Anna M. HOFFMAN was born on 10 August 1864 in Pennsylvania. [2194] She died on 28 March 1935 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [2195] An obituary reports her death, names her living children and her siblings. [2196]

David W. GARN and Anna M. HOFFMAN had the following children: [2197] +822. i. **Firm H.** GARN (1884 - 1961).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2184</sup> Child is named in estates of both parents, cited above; Child appears as Leroy Garns in 1870 and as Leroy Whipple, a grandson, in 1880 on the census of his grandmother Margaret Ickes Garn.

Family Record, David Garn family Bible, see Appendix 37; Death Record, cited below; Civil War Pension File, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 348.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2186</sup> Civil War Pension file, David Garn, Co. G, 169th Regiment, Ohio Infantry, App. #342279, Cert. #745370, Widow's App. #1025355, Widow's Cert. #774952.

Death Record for David W. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 22 March 1914, file no. 16836, names parents.

Funeral Announcement for David W. Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 24 March 1914, p. 6, col. 5.

Sansusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 20 January 1884, vol. 12, p. 283, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; Spouse name and marriage date given in Civil War Pension File of David, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 348.

<sup>2190 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 16B, E.D. 81.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2191</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Toledo Ward 7, Lucas Co., Ohio, T624 1207, p. 2B, E.D. 98.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2192</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Firm H. Garn, Toledo Ward 8, Lucas Co., Ohio, T625\_1409, p. 11B, E.D. 93, Anna Garn as mother in household.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Probate Files, File 4604, Probate file for David Garn, assigns assets to John Ward. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Anna Garn, Ohio Deaths, 18 March 1935, file no. 18366, names parents, handwritten, a typed version appears in her husband's Civil War Pension File.

Fremont Messenger, 1 April 1935, p. 8, col. 8, names children and siblings.

<sup>2197</sup> Children named and birth dates given in Civil War Pension File of David, cited above.

- +823. ii. Ray Vernon<sup>9</sup> GARN (1886 1952).
- +824. iii. David W. GARN, Jr. (1887 ).
- 825. iv. **Leo H.** GARN was born on 6 February 1895 in Green Creek Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2198] He died in 1900. [2199] He was buried in Metzger Cemetery near Helena, Ohio.

350. **Thomas**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #101, and Catharine CROYLE) was born on 11 August 1839 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2200] He died on 29 May 1920 in Coalville, Summit Co., Utah. [2201]

Thomas GARN married **Esther Ann ELDREDGE** (daughter of **Ira ELDREDGE** and **Nancy BLACK**) on 14 March 1868 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2202] In 1870 Thomas and Esther appeared on the census in Ogden, Utah. [2203] Thomas' brother Ephriam was living with them at the time. They appeared on the 1880-1910 Censuses in Coalville, Summit Co., Utah. [2204]

Esther Ann ELDREDGE was born on 3 February 1839 in Indianapolis, Marion Co., Indiana. [2205] She died on 5 March 1925 in Hoytsville, Summit Co., Utah. [2206]

Thomas GARN and Esther Ann ELDREDGE had the following children: [2207]

- 826. i. Flavilla Catherine GARN was born on 29 April 1869.
- 827. ii. Nancy Eldredge GARN was born on 24 April 1871.
- 828. iii. Amanda Matilda<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 30 March 1873.
- 829. iv. Thomas Martin<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 12 August 1875. He died on 11 July 1955. [2208]
- 830. v. William Joshua GARN was born on 20 August 1877.
- 831. vi. **Edmund**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born on 22 March 1880. He appears as Jedidiah on the 1880 Census and as Edmund on the 1900 Census, both times in the household of Thomas Garn. He married **Pearl SPRIGGS** on 26 June 1903 in Coalville, Summit Co., Utah. [2209]

Death Record for Thomas Garn, <familysearch.org>, Utah Death Certificates, 1904-1956, accessed 19 July 2011, cites FHL# 2229975, spouse as Esther Garn, names parents; Grave marker for Thomas Garn, <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 58621692, Memorial# 74579, accessed 9 August 2011, Coalville Cemetery, Coalville, Summit Co., Utah, includes picture of Thomas; McBride and Capener, p. 358.

1870 U.S. Federal Census of Thomas Garn, Ogden, Weber Co., Utah Territory, M593 1613, p. 491A, as Garnes.

Birth Record for Leo H. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 511731, ref. no. p. 74, rn 219, names parents, in agreement with his father's Civil War pension file; McBride and Capener, p. 348.

Metzger Cemetery Records; McBride and Capener, places death in 1910.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 358.

Death records of both name spouse; McBride and Capener, p. 358.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2204</sup> 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Thomas Garn, Coalville, Summit Co., Utah, Roll 1338, p. 15A, E.D. 72, as Garns; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Thomas Garn, Coalville, Summit Co., Utah, T623\_1686, p. 10A, E.D. 137; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Thomas Garn, Coalville, Summit Co., Utah, T624\_1608, p. 1A, E.D. 166.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 358, places birth on 24 March 1839.

Death Record for Esther A. Garn, <a href="mailto:familysearch.org">familysearch.org</a>, Utah Death Certificates, 1904-1956, accessed 14 August 2011, cites FHL# 2259477, cert. no. 32, as Ester A. Garn, names spouse and parents; Grave marker for Esther Eldredge Garn, <a href="mailto:findagrave.com">findagrave.com</a>, accessed 9 August 2011, Coalville Cemetery, Summit Co., Utah; McBride and Capener, p. 358.

Children named on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 358, names children, source for birth information.

<sup>2208</sup> Grave marker for Thomas Martin Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 74622, accessed 9 August 2011, Coalville Cemetery, Coalville, Summit Co., Utah, death on 11 July 1955.

Marriage Record for Edmund Garn and Pearl Spriggs, <familysearch.org>, Utah Marriages, 1887-1966, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 0480880, ref. no. 2:3ZZZZKL; McBride and Capener, p. 374.

352. **Edmund D.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #101, and Catharine CROYLE) was born on 11 December 1843 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2210] His name appears as Edmond on his death record, as Edman on his grave marker, and as Edman D. or Edmund on various census records. He died on 2 January 1915 in Union Co., Oregon. [2211]

Edmund D. GARN married **Nancy Mariah ELDREDGE** in 1872. Edmund and Nancy appeared on the 1880 and 1900 Censuses in Cove, Oregon. In 1910 they appeared on the Census in Imbler, Oregon. Nancy Mariah ELDREDGE was born on 5 December 1852 in Utah. She died on 19 November 1937 in Union Co., Oregon. Edmund and Nancy were both buried in Summerville Cemetery in Summerville, Union Co., Oregon, where they share a grave marker.

Edmund D. GARN and Nancy Mariah ELDREDGE had the following children: [2218]

- i. **Catharine M.** GARN was born in November 1873 in Utah. [2219] A grave marker for a Catherine M. Garn in the same cemetery as her parents is probably hers. [2220] However, the date of birth on the marker does not match the date provided for Catharine in the 1900 Census and uses the Garn surname. She married **W. E. MURCHISON** on 23 July 1905 in Union Co., Oregon. [2221] W. E. MURCHISON died on 2 December 1915. [22222]
- 833. ii. **Jesse Monroe<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 25 December 1875 in Wyoming.<sup>[2223]</sup> He died on 12 August 1957 in Union Co., Oregon.<sup>[2224]</sup> He was buried in the same cemetery as his parents.<sup>[2225]</sup> He appeared as "Roe" in McBride and Capener (p. 376), undoubtedly from the last part of his middle name. He is listed as divorced on the 1910 Census.<sup>[2226]</sup>

<sup>2210</sup> From grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 357 and 374.

Death Record for Edmond Garn, <ancestry.com>, Oregon Death Index, 1903-1998, accessed 9 August 2011.

<sup>2212</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 357 and 374, as source for surname of Nancy; Censuses, cited below, 1900 Census as source for date of marriage.

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1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Edmund D. Garn, Cove, Union Co., Oregon, Roll 1084, p. 160C, E.D. 117, as Edman D. Garn; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Edmund D. Garn, Cove, Union Co., Oregon, T623\_1352, p. 11B, E.D. 117, indexed as Edman Varnes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2214</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Edmund D. Garn, Imbler, Union Co., Oregon, T624\_1290, p. 3A, E.D. 272, as Edman D. Garn.

From grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 376.

<sup>2216</sup> Death Record for Nancy Garn, <ancestry.com>, Oregon Death Index, 1903-1998, accessed 9 August 2011.

Grave marker for Edmund Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40174611, accessed 15 August 2011, Summerville Cemetery, Summerville, Union County, Oregon, birth on 11 December 1843, death on 2 January 1915, as Edman Garn; Grave marker for Nancy M. Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40174634, accessed 15 August 2011, Summerville Cemetery, Summerville, Union County, Oregon, birth on 5 December 1852, death on 19 November 1937.

<sup>2218</sup> Children named on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 376.

<sup>2219 1900</sup> Census of her parents, cited above.

<sup>2220</sup> Grave marker for Catherine M. Garn, <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40174564, accessed 15 August 2011, Summerville Cemetery, Summerville, Union County, Oregon, birth on 4 October 1873, death on 1 November 1963, no mention of Murchison surname.

Marriage Record for W. E. Murchison and Catharine M. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Oregon Marriages, 1853-1935, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 1689581; McBride and Capener, p. 376.

McBride and Capener, p. 376.

Date from grave marker, cited below; Place from censuses, cited with parents.

Death Record for Jesse M. Garn. <ancestry.com>. Oregon Death Index. 1903-1998. accessed 9 August 2011.

Grave marker for Jesse Monroe Garn, <findagrave.com>, accessed 9 August 2011, Summerville Cemetery, Summerville, Union County, Oregon, birth on 25 December 1875, death on 12 August 1957.

<sup>2226 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Edmund D. Garn, Imbler, Union Co., Oregon, T624\_1290, p. 3A, E.D. 272, as Edman D. Garn.

- 834. iii. **Bertha B.** GARN was born in February 1879 in Oregon. She married **David A. OSBORN** on 1 June 1898 in Union Co., Oregon. David and Bertha appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Helix, Umatilla Co., Oregon. David A. OSBORN was born in January 1873 in Oregon. David A. OSBORN was born in January 1873 in Oregon.
- 835. iv. **Guy Elmer<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born in July 1887 in Oregon. [2231] He died on 12 April 1973 in Wasco Co., Oregon. [2232] He married **Lucille L.** [2233] Lucille L. was born about 1897. [2234] She died on 24 December 1962 in Wasco Co., Oregon. [2235]
- 353. **Titus**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #101, and Catharine CROYLE) was born on 29 December 1845 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2236] He died on 19 January 1906 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. His death is reported in a number of obituaries. [2237] His obituaries report that he was buried in Metzger Cemetery, near Helena, Ohio. However, the transcript of burials there does not include an inscription for him and we have not seen a grave marker for him when we visited the cemetery. We believe he was buried there and probably never had a grave marker.

Titus GARN married **Leah V. ICKES** (daughter of **Henry ICKES**, person #302, and **Mary Ann SPANGLER**) on 13 January 1870 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. Titus and Leah and their unnamed three-month-old daughter appeared on the 1880 Census in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan. Between 1880 and 1900 Titus and Leah divorced. Titus appeared as a single, divorced person on the 1900 Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. That same year Leah appeared as a single, divorced person on the Census in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Michigan. [2241]

Marriage Record for David A. Osborn and Bertha B. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Oregon Marriages, 1853-1935, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 1723415, ref. no. p. 348, he as D. A. Osborn, she as Bertha Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 376, names Bertha's spouse as Osborne, without a first name.

<sup>2231</sup> 1900 Census, cited with his parents; Date given with death record, cited below; Place from censuses.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2227</sup> From 1900 Census, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2229</sup> 1900 U.S. Census of David A. Osborn, Helix, Umatilla Co., Oregon, T623\_1352, p. 16A, E.D. 105, as Osborne; 1910 U.S. Census of David A. Osborn, Helix, Umatilla Co., Oregon, T624 1289, p. 12A, E.D. 258, as Osborne.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

Death Record for Guy E. Garn, <ancestry.com>, Oregon Death Index, 1903-1998, accessed 9 August 2011, birth in July 1887, spouse as Lucill [sic].

Death records of both name the other as spouse.

From age at death on death record, cited below.

Death Record for Lucille L. Garn, <ancestry.com>, Oregon Death Index, 1903-1998, accessed 9 August 2011 65 years old, spouse as Guy.

From age at death in obituary in the Fremont Messenger, cited below.

Obituary of Titus Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 24 January 1906, p. 2, col. 3; Obituary of Titus Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick, Gibsonburg, Ohio, 25 January 1906, p. 1, col. 3; Obituary of Titus Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 24 January 1906, p. 4, col. 4

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 13 January 1870, vol. F 10, p. 237, indexed as Titus Garns and Leah Icken, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 113, 13 January 1870.

<sup>2239 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Titus Garn, Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan, Roll 577, p. 112D, E.D. 65, unnamed 3-month-old daughter in household.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Titus Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 14B, E.D. 81, divorced, indexed as Gann.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Leah V. Garn, Charlotte Ward 1, Eaton Co., Michigan, T623\_709, p. 6A, E.D. 64, divorced, daughter Minnie Brown living in household.

Leah is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Leah V.<sup>9</sup> ICKES (Henry<sup>8</sup>; Mary<sup>7</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #743, in this book. Additional information about Leah may be found in her biography at person #743.

Titus GARN and Leah V. ICKES had the following child: [2242]

836. i. **Minnie P.<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 12 March 1880 in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Michigan. She married **Charles M. BROWN** on 5 August 1897 in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Michigan. Charles M. BROWN was born about 1874 in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Michigan. [2244]

354. **Chauncey C.** <sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #101, and Catharine CROYLE) was born on 21 January 1848 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2246] He died on 31 October 1922 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2247] Two newspaper articles report his death. [2248]

When Chauncey died, his estate was settled in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2249] The estate papers name his wife and married daughters as Harriet Fendrick of Mansfield, Ohio, Lurah Herr of Clyde, Ohio, Orpha Lay of Helena, Ohio, and Mildred Smith of Fremont, Ohio.

Chauncey C. GARN married **Cornelia Alice SENTZ** (daughter of **Henry SENTZ** and **Mary LEHMAN**) on 27 February 1872 in Baltimore Twp., Barry Co., Michigan. <sup>[2250]</sup> Chauncey and Alice appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Baltimore Twp., Barry Co., Michigan. <sup>[2251]</sup> In 1900 they appeared on the Census in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2252]</sup>

Cornelia Alice SENTZ was born on 25 April 1853 in Bellville, Richland Co., Ohio. [2253] She died on 27 January 1924 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2254] Several newspaper articles reported her death. [2255] Chauncey and Alice were buried in Metzger Cemetery near Helena, Ohio. [2256]

Birth Record for Minnie P. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Births, 1867-1902, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 2320571, ref. no. item 3, p. 111, rn 181, as Minnie P. Garns, father indexed as Pitns Garns, mother as Leah.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 378.

<sup>2242</sup> Birth and marriage records of Minnie name parents.

Marriage Record for Charles M. Brown and Minnie Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 2342506, ref. no. v. 2, p. 535, rn 169, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 377.

From marriage record, cited above.

Death Record for Chauncey C. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 31 October 1920, file no. 66098, names spouse and parents, mother as Croyl or Crayl; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 82701527; McBride and Capener, p. 378.

Funeral announcement and obituary for Chauncey Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 4 November 1920, p. 1, col. 7, names parents, and gives married surnames of daughters; Obituary of Chauncey Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 2 November 1920, p. 1, col. 5, names parents, living siblings, and daughters by their married surnames.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, file no. 9560, Probate File for Chauncey C. Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Marriage Record for Chauncey Garn and Cornelia Alice Sentz, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 30 July 2011, two records, first cites FHL# 1738539, ref. no. Lib C, Mar. p60, 888, marriage on 27 February 1872, second cites FHL# 1008321, she as Camelia Alice Lentz, he from Sandky, Ohio, marriage on 27 February 1873 [sic, from transcript], first agrees with McBride and Capener, p. 377.

<sup>2251 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Chauncey Garn, Baltimore Twp., Barry Co., Michigan, Roll 570, p. 184A, E.D. 44, as Chancy Garn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2252</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Chauncey Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 12A, as Chancey C. Garn.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 378.

- Chauncey C. GARN and Cornelia Alice SENTZ had the following children: [2257]
  - +837. i. Harriet Isabell<sup>9</sup> GARN (1874 1946).
  - 838. ii. **Lurah Bernice<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 29 August 1879 in Barry Co., Michigan.<sup>[2258]</sup> She married **Jesse C. HERR** (son of **John HERR** and **Emma UPPERMAN**) on 10 August 1899 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[2259]</sup> Jesse C. HERR was born on 10 August 1870 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[2260]</sup>
  - 839. iii. **Orpha Edna<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 11 February 1884 in Barry Co., Michigan.<sup>[2261]</sup> She married **Marion Franklin LAY** (son of **Alabanas LAY** and **Mariah SCHUMAKER**) on 9 May 1907 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[2262]</sup> Marion Franklin LAY was born on 18 April 1883 in Oak Harbor, Ohio.<sup>[2263]</sup>
  - +840. iv. Mildred Alice<sup>9</sup> GARN (1891 1923).
- 355. **Jesse<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #101, and Catharine CROYLE) was born on 12 February 1850 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2264] He died in 1938, probably in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan. [2265]

Jesse GARN married **Elizabeth WEYANT** on 21 October 1875 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2266]</sup> Jesse and Elizabeth appeared on the 1880 and 1900 Censuses in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan. <sup>[2267]</sup>

Death Record for Alice Garn, Ohio Deaths, 27 January 1924, file no. 5002, spouse as Chan Garn, names parents.

Death announcement for Mrs. Alice Garn, Sandusky Register, Sandusky Co., Ohio, 29 January 1924, p. 8, col. 3; Obituary of Mrs. Alice Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 29 January 1924, p. 1, col. 3; Obituary of Mrs. Alice Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 28 January 1924, p. 1, col. 7. names daughters by their married surnames.

<sup>2256</sup> Metzger Cemetery Records.

Children are named in Chauncey's estate, appear on one or more census, are named in obituaries of their parents and name parents on their marriage or death records.

McBride and Capener, p. 378, gives both 1878 and 1879 as birth year, both consistent with age, 21, at marriage on marriage record, cited below.

Marriage Record for Jesse C. Herr and Lurah B. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 15 August 2011, cites FHL# 506621, ref. no. vol. 15, p. 55, cn 110, names parents, her mother as Alice Sence; McBried and Capener, p. 378.

McBride and Capener, p. 378, consistent with age, 20, on marriage record, cited below.

McBride and Capener, p. 379, consistent with age, 23, at marriage on marriage record, cited below.

Marriage Record for Marion Franklin Lay and Orpha Edna Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 15 August 2011, cites FHL# 506648, ref. no. v. 16, cn 2215, names parents, source for spelling of parents' names; McBride and Capener, p. 379, spells Marion's parents' first names as Alabama and Lorena.

McBride and Capener, p. 379, consistent with age, 24, at marriage on marriage record, cited below; Order of first and middle names comes from his marriage record, McBride and Capener reverse the order; McBride and Capener place birth in Oak Harbor, Sandusky Co., Ohio, which we cannot find, undoubtedly Oak Harbor in Ottawa Co., Ohio.

<sup>2264</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 382, agrees with month and year in 1900 Census, cited below.

Grave marker for Jesse Garn, <findagrave.com>, accessed 9 August 2011, Gresham Cemetery, Vermontville, Eaton Co., Michigan, memorial 58621692.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 21 October 1875, vol. G 11, p. 95, she as Lizzie Wyant, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jesse Garn, Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan, Roll 577, p. 112D, E.D. 65, as J. Garn; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Jesse Garn, Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan, T623\_709, pp. 8A and 8B, E.D. 67, indexed as Garns and Garus.

Elizabeth WEYANT was born on 11 September 1854 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [2268] She died in 1929, probably in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan. [2269]

Although marriage records of all four children indicate they were born in Michigan, the censuses, cited above, support the places given in McBride and Capener (p. 382), which we report here.

Jesse GARN and Elizabeth WEYANT had the following children: [2270]

- i. Mary Albertha GARN was born on 22 October 1876 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2271] She married Andrew J. ROOT (son of George ROOT and Clarice Angelina MERRIAM) on 27 March 1894 in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Michigan. [2272] Andrew J. ROOT was born about 1869 in Ohio. [2273]
- 842. ii. **Stella Idella<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 10 March 1878 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2274] She married **Loy E. KLINE** (son of **George KLINE** and **Magdalene OTTNEY**) on 14 May 1903 in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Michigan. [2275] Loy E. KLINE was born on 2 May 1877 in Ohio. [2276]
- 843. iii. **Ira Ralphus<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 8 May 1879 in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan.<sup>[2277]</sup> He married **Jessie Vivian LARK** (daughter of **George LARK** and **Ida SCOTT**) on 24 June 1903 in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan.<sup>[2278]</sup> Jessie Vivian LARK was born about 1881 in Michigan.<sup>[2279]</sup>
- 844. iv. **Grover C.<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 25 January 1884 in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan. He died in 1975, probably in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan. He married **Gertrude WILLIAMS** (daughter of **Levi L. WILLIAMS** and **Mary AVERILL**) on 21 March 1906 in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Michigan. Gertrude WILLIAMS was born on 18 December 1886 in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan. Michigan. She died in 1958, probably in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan.

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McBride and Capener, p. 382, birth on 11 September 1854, as shown here; Grave marker reports birth in 1854; Date of birth in 1900 Census is September 1853.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2269</sup> Grave marker for Elizabeth Garn, <findagrave.com>, accessed 9 August 2011, Gresham Cemetery, Vermontville, Eaton Co., Michigan, memorial 58621691.

<sup>2270</sup> Children named on one or more census, cited above, McBride and Capener, p. 382, Records of children, cited below, name parents.

McBride and Capener, p. 383, in agreement with year-only on marriage record.

Marriage Record for Andy Root and Mary B. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 2342498, ref. no. v. 2, rn 56, names his parents and her father, her mother unknown.

From marriage record, cited above.

<sup>2274</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 386, agrees with month and year in 1900 Census, cited above.

Marriage Record for Loy E. Kline and Stella Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 2342663, ref. no. v. 1, p. 639, rn 101, names parents.

<sup>2276</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 386; Marriage record places birth in 1877.

McBride and Capener, p. 388, agrees with month and year in 1900 Census, cited above.

Marriage Record for Ira R. Garn and Jessie Lark, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 2342663, ref. no. v. 1, p. 642, rn 140, names parents, his mother as Lizzie Weyant, her father as Samuel Larke.

From marriage record, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2280</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 389, agrees with month and year in 1900 Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2281</sup> Grave marker for Grover Garn, <findagrave.com>, accessed 16 August 2011, Gresham Cemetery, Vermontville, Eaton Co., Michigan, memorial 58621695.

Marriage Record for Grover Garn and Gertrude Williams, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 2342673, ref. no. v.2, p. 65, rn 63, names parents, his mother as Lizzie Weyant.

<sup>2283</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 389, Year-only on marriage record agrees.

356. **Zachariah** C.<sup>8</sup> GARN (Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #101, and Catharine CROYLE) was born on 6 October 1854 in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2285] He died on 30 December 1918 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2286] The occupation listed on his death record was Oil Producer. Two obituaries carry news of his death. [2287]

He wrote his will on 23 November 1916, which was filed in Probate Court in Sandusky Co., Ohio, in January 1919. The will names his wife Jennie L, son Orville J., deceased son Royal M., and granddaughter Opal K. as the daughter of Royal M. Garn. A copy of the will and our transcript may be seen in Appendix 39.

Zachariah C. GARN married **Jennie L. ICKES** (daughter of **Michael ICKES** and **Hannah OWE**) on 9 May 1878 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2289]</sup> Zachariah and Jennie appeared on the 1880-1910 Censuses in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2290]</sup> In 1900 Jennie's father was living with them. After Zachariah died, Jennie appeared there on the census in 1920. <sup>[2291]</sup> And in 1930 Jennnie appeared on the census of her son Orville in Toledo, Ohio. <sup>[2292]</sup>

Jennie L. ICKES was born on 11 May 1856 in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2293] She died on 4 October 1939 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [2294] Zachariah and Jennie were both buried in Metzger Cemetery, near Helena. [2295]

Zachariah C. GARN and Jennie L. ICKES had the following children: [2296]

<sup>2284</sup> Grave marker for Gertrude Garn, <findagrave.com>, accessed 16 August 2011, Gresham Cemetery, Vermontville, Eaton Co., Michigan, memorial 58621696, places birth in 1885.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 390.

Death Record for Zachariah C. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 30 December 1918, file no. 93969, married, names parents; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 81445201; McBride and Capener, p. 390.

Obituary of Zachary Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 30 December 1918, p. 1, col. 5, names spouse, surviving son, granddaughter, and four surviving brothers; Obituary of Zach Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 30 December 1918, p. 8, col. 6, names surviving brothers, son, and granddaughter.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, file no. 9032, Probate File for Zachariah C. Garn, original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 9 May 1878, vol. G 11, p. 327, he as Zachary Garn, she as Jennie L. Ickes, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; McBride and Capener, p. 390

<sup>2290</sup> 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Zachariah Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 90C, E.D. 75, indexed as Zacharus Garn; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Zachariah Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 16A, E.D. 81, indexed as Zackarior, Zacherius, and Zacharise Garn; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Zachariah Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624 1227, p. 14B, E.D. 120, indexed as Zacharia C Tarn, Zacharia Garn, Zaceria C. Larn and Zacenia C. Garn.

1920 U.S. Federal Census of Jennie L Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625 1429, p. 15A, E.D. 85, as Gennie L. Garn.

<sup>2292</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Orville J. Garn, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1837, p. 8A, E.D. 102, Jennie L. Garn as mother of head of household living in home.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 390.

Death Record for Jennie L. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 4 October 1939, file no. 61040, widowed, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 390, incorrectly gives Jennie the same death date as Zachariah.

Metzger Cemetery Records.

Children are named in Zachariah's will and estate papers, cited above; Children appear on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 390.

+845. i. **Orville Justin**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1878 - 1933).

+846. ii. **Royal M.** <sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1883 - 1916).

358. **John Washington**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 8 March 1835 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2297] He died on 2 February 1916 in Burr Oak, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2298] An obituary reads as follows: [2299]

JOHN W. GARN

John W. Garn was born in Sandusky, County, Ohio, March 8, 1835 and departed this life February 2, 1916, aged 81 years, 10 months and 25 days.

On August 20, 1863, he was united in marriage to Rebecca Hammel [sic] and to this union was born ten children, Minnie E., David F., Samuel S., James W., Ida M., Anna F., Lola A., Annis E., Emma Blanch, Maidie B. All survive except Ida May, who died in infancy.

There are also seventeen grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

After a long, useful and active life Mr. Garn was called home, and we shall miss his genial smile and hearty hand-shake.

He was a great lover of his own home and in his younger days enjoyed no sport so well as hunting and fishing.

As a neighbor he was never known to refuse kindness and would share his last crust with a friend. The sympathy of the community is extended to the widow and family. May the sheltering arms of our all-loving Father be thrown around the sorrowing ones.

The funeral, Rev. Steffe and Undertaker Renshaw officiating, was held from the M. E. church in this place last Saturday afternoon. Burial in the village cemetery.

He was initially buried at Burr Oak Cemetery in Burr Oak Twp. as reported in his obituary. However, he was disinterred and reburied in Oak Lawn Cemetery in Sturgis, Michigan. We have been told that he wrote a will that provided for his "now wife and excludes any others" suggesting there were others that might claim part of his estate.

He filed a Power of Attorney document from Fulton Co., Indiana, on 7 May 1874, to have John Ickes of Sandusky Co., Ohio, represent him in recovering his share of the estate of his grandfather. [2300]

John Washington GARN met **Sarah Ann WARNER** (daughter of **Henry S. WARNER** and **Mary Ann WERLY**). Sarah Ann WARNER was born about 1842 in Ohio. [2301] A book on Warner Genealogy claims that John Garn was the father of Sarah Ann's daughter Lucinda. [2302] And records associated with Lucinda, including her death record, make similar claims. We believe these claims to be true considering the convincing evidence below that John Garn fathered a son by Susanna Burns around the same time.

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From obituary, cited below, age at death in obituary places birth a year earlier; Death Record, cited below, places birth in 1834; McBride and Capener, pp. 32-33, places birth in 1835; Birth of older brother Josiah in 1834 supports birth of John in 1835.

Death Record of John W. Garn, 2 February 1916, Registered No. 2, Burr Oak Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan, parents as Abraham Garn and Susana Garn, both born in PA; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 101389850.

Obituary of John W. Garn, The Burr Oak Acorn, Burr Oak, St. Joseph Co., Michigan, 10 February 1916.

<sup>2300</sup> Copy within estate file of John Garn, person #56, cited therewith.

Birth information from 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Warner, West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, M653 278, p. 682.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2302</sup> Ione F. Palmer, copyright holder and presumed author, *Henry Werner's Posterity*, (no place named, 1975), pp. 88-89, available at Plymouth Public Library, Plymouth, Indiana.

After Sarah's daughter Lucinda was born, Sarah Ann married Francis Drake Triplet. [2303] In 1870 she appeared on the census with her husband. [2304] Her daughter Lucinda appeared on the 1870 Census with Sarah Ann's parents. [2305] However, in 1880 Lucinda appeared on the census in the home of her mother and step father as Lucinda Triplet. [2306]

Sarah Ann's father must have been known by the names William and Henry as he appeared on the censuses, cited above, by both names. A map from 1881 shows a plot of land, undoubtedly his, about a mile and a half north of Abraham Garn's property. The owner of the property on that map is designated by the name W. H. Warner. [2307]

John Washington GARN and Sarah Ann WARNER had the following child:

i. Lucinda A.<sup>9</sup> GARN (1861 - 1932).

John Washington GARN next met Susanna Emmaline BURNS (daughter of Michael BURNS and Nancy SHOCK). Susanna Emmaline BURNS was born on 30 October 1845. [2308] Susannah filed a paternity suit against John W. Garn in 1863 for support for her son Charles Milroy Garn. [2309] Although the court records show that John strongly denied that he was Charles' father, the courts ruled in favor of Susannah and charged John with support for Charles. John had no way of knowing that almost 150 years later the technology would exist to prove whether or not Charles was his son. Clarence V. Garn, Jr., son of Clarence V. Garn, Sr., son of Charles Henry Garn, person #1312, took a Y-DNA test to compare DNA with the other Garns in the family. Results of the test, together with the paternity suit, prove that John W. Garn was the father of Charles Milroy Garn. See Appendix 2 for results of the Y-DNA tests.

Susanna's father, Michael Burns, owned the northwest quarter, or 160 acres, of section 4 of Union Township. [2310] The southwest corner of his property touched the northeast corner of Abraham Garn's property. The village of Burr Oak was built on the northeast corner of Michael Burns land.

John Washington GARN and Susanna Emmaline BURNS had the following child: [2311] ii. Charles Milroy GARN (1862 - 1896).

John Washington GARN next married Rebecca HUMMEL on 20 August 1863 in St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2312] John and Rebecca appeared on the 1870 and 1880 U.S. Federal Censuses in Richland

Warner Genealogy, cited above.

<sup>1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Franklin Triplet, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, M593 342, p. 215B.

<sup>2305 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Warner, West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, M593\_342, pp. 258B-259A, child Lucinda Garnes, age 7, in household.

<sup>2306 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Frank D. Triplet, Union Twp., Marsahll Co., Indiana, Roll 279, p. 197A, E.D. 108, child Lucinda, age 17, listed as daughter of head of household.

<sup>2307 1881</sup> Map of Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, obtained from Marshall County Historical Museum, Plymouth, Indiana, reportedly taken from Daniel McDonald, [History of] Marshall County Indiana, 1836 – 1880, (Chicago, 1881).

Family Bible of Michael and Nancy Burns, photocopy provided by Mary (Garn) Wolverton, daughter of Charles Henry Garn, person #1312, names daughter Susannah and grandson Charles Milroy Garn and gives birth dates.

Susannah Burns vs. John W. Garn, Marshall County Circuit Court, Marshall Co., Indiana, paternity suit, 1863.

<sup>2310 1881</sup> Map of Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, obtained from Marshall County Historical Museum, Plymouth, Indiana, reportedly taken from Daniel McDonald, [History of] Marshall County Indiana, 1836 – 1880, (Chicago, 1881).

Michael Burns Family Bible, cited above; Email from Mary (Garn) Wolverton, daughter of Charles Henry Garn, person #1312, 7 January 2001.

Twp., Fulton Co., Indiana.<sup>[2313]</sup> Between 1880 and 1900 they moved to Burr Oak Twp., Saint Joseph Co., Michigan, where they appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses.<sup>[2314]</sup>

Rebecca HUMMEL was born on 19 February 1843 in Pennsylvania. [2315] McBride and Capener indicate that Rebecca was born in Burr Oak, Michigan. Her death record reports that she was born in Pennsylvania. We do not know which is correct. McBride and Capener report that her surname was Hummel. However, her surname appears as Hommel, Homand, and Hammel among the various records. We do not know which is correct. She died on 27 February 1923 in Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2316]

John Washington GARN and Rebecca HUMMEL had the following children: [2317]

- +849. iii. **Minnie Ellen<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1865 1948).
- +850. iv. **David Frank**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1867 1946).
- +851. v. Samuel Schyler<sup>9</sup> GARN (1869 1943).
- +852. vi. James Washington<sup>9</sup> GARN (1871 1952).
  - 853. vii. **Ida May<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 20 April 1873. [2318] She died in infancy.
  - 854. viii. Annie Francina GARN was born on 14 September 1875 in Indiana. She married John E. MAYSTEAD (son of William MAYSTEAD and Catherine SHOOK) on 29 March 1893 in Nottawa, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. John E. MAYSTEAD was born about 1870 in Bronson, Branch Co., Michigan.
  - 855. ix. **Lola Alice GARN** was born on 8 March 1880. [2322]
- +856. x. Annis Earl<sup>9</sup> GARN (1882 1970).
- 857. xi. Blanche Emma<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 9 January 1885. [2323]
- 858. xii. Maidie Belle GARN was born on 28 September 1887. [2324]

359. **David<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 18 March 1836

<sup>2312</sup> St. Joseph Co., Michigan, Marriages, 20 August 1863, cites C-440, he as both John Garnes and John Garns, provided by Mary L. Wolverton and daughter Marilyn; "Michigan, County Marriages, 1820-1935," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 March 2014, John Garnes and Rebecca Hammel, 20 August 1863, cites FHL# 1295528; McBride and Capener, p. 33, presumes marriage occurred where John and Rebecca lived later in Richland Center, Fulton Co., Indiana.

<sup>2313 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John W. Garn, Richland Twp., Fulton Co., Indiana, M593\_316, p. 83B, indexed as J. W. Gorn; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of John W. Garn, Richland Twp., Fulton Co., Indiana, Roll 278, p. 21C, E.D. 38, indexed as John W. Garse.

<sup>2314 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John W. Garn, Burr Oak Twp., Saint Joseph Co., Michigan, T623\_742, p. 11A, E.D. 105, indexed as John W. Gam; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of John W. Garn, Burr Oak Twp., Saint Joseph Co., Michigan, T624\_674, p. 9A, E.D. 119.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2315</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 33.

<sup>2316 &</sup>quot;Michigan, Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 March 2014, Rebecca Garn, 27 February 1923, father as Homand, cites FHL# 1940441; "Michigan, Death Certificates, 1921-1952," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 March 2014, Rebecca Garn, 27 February 1923, gives birth date, father as Hommel, cites FHL#1973110; McBride and Capener, p. 33, reports death on 1 March 1923.

Children named in John's obituary, cited above, and on one or more censuses, also citec above.

<sup>2318</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 33.

McBride and Capener, p. 33 for date; marriage record for place.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Michigan, Marriages, 1868-1925," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 March 2014, John E. Maystead and Anna Garn, 29 March 1893, names parents, her mother as Hamiel or Hamniel, cites FHL# 2342497.

From marriage record.

<sup>2322</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 33.

<sup>2323</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 33.

<sup>2324</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 33.

in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2325] He died on 25 May 1902 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2326] Two obituaries reported his death. [2327] He was buried at Union Cemetery.

It was reported that he traveled from his home in Sandusky Co., Ohio, to Marshall County, Indiana in the 1850s and then returned home to marry and bring his wife back to Marshall County, where he remained the rest of his life. [2328]

David GARN married **Catherine KEMMERLING** (daughter of **Rev. Peter KEMMERLING** and **Elizabeth HARTZELL**) on 18 February 1858 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[2329]</sup> Catherine was a sister of Julia, who married David's brother Philip, person #363. <sup>[2330]</sup> David and Catherine appeared on the 1860-1880 U.S. Censuses in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. <sup>[2331]</sup>

Catherine KEMMERLING was born on 4 January 1835 in Union, Pennsylvania. [2332] She died on 15 April 1897 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2333]

David GARN and Catherine KEMMERLING had the following children: [2334]

- +859. i. **John Franklin<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1859 1937).
- +860. ii. Samuel Alexander<sup>9</sup> GARN (1861 1926).
- +861. iii. Margaret Ellen<sup>9</sup> GARN (1863 1921).
- +862. iv. Francis Edward GARN (1865 1956).
- +863. v. **Ira Monroe**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1871 1957).

David GARN next married **Elizabeth HILLSMAN** (daughter of **Bernard HILLSMAN** and **Susan CLAPP**) on 13 September 1899 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2335] She had been married before to Alfred Kepler. [2336] David's obituary reports that he left a widow. David and Elizabeth

Marshall Co., Indiana Deaths, 2 May 1902, Record No. 87, names father, mother "unknown; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 73317407."

2330 History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, pub. by H. Z. Williams & Bro. (Cleveland, 1882), p. 798.

Obituary of Catherine Garn, The Republican, Marshall Co., Indiana, 22 April 1897, reported to appear two places in newspaper, names spouse, father as Rev. P. Kemmerling.

"Indiana, Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 March 2014, David Garn and Elizabeth Hillsman, 13 September 1899, names parents, cites FHL# 1651776 as David Garn and Elizabeth Hillsman and FHL# 1651771 as David Garn and Elizabeth Kepler.

<sup>2325</sup> Date from death record; McBride and Capener, p. 51.

Obituary of David Garn, Argos Reflector, Argos, Indiana, Thursday, 29 May 1902, p. 1, col. 4, names four sons and daughter as Mrs. Peter Burgner; Obituary of David Garn, Culver Citizen, Culver, Indiana, Friday, 30 May 1902, p. 4, col. 2; McBride and Capener, p. 51

Edwin R. Corwin, compiler, *One Township's Yesterdays* - a History of Union Twp., Marshall Co., IN, (Marshall Co., Indiana, ca. 1934), pages 21 and 22.

Marriage reported in Catherine's obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 51.

<sup>2331 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, M653\_278, pp. 737-738, indexed as David Gasse; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, M593\_342, p. 213A, as Garns; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, Roll 297, p. 197A, E.D. 108.

From obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 51.

<sup>2334</sup> Children named in David's obituary (Argos Reflector), cited above; Children appear on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 51.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2336</sup> "Indiana, Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 March 2014, Alfred Kepler and Elizabeth Hillsman, 23 October 1870, cites FHL# 1651769.

appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census in West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [2337] Elizabeth HILLSMAN was born in April 1851 in Lancaster, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. [2338]

360. **Samuel**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 16 August 1838 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[2339]</sup> He died on 16 September 1870 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[2340]</sup> He was buried in Burr Oak Cemetery, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana.

Samuel GARN married **Lucinda BURKETT** on 6 April 1862 in Marshall Co., Indiana. [2341] After Samuel's death, Lucinda remarried to John Working. [2342] Lucinda BURKETT was born on 9 August 1842 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2343]

Samuel GARN and Lucinda BURKETT had the following children: [2344]

- i. **Mary E.** GARN was born on 6 June 1863. She died on 20 December 1863. Her grave marker gives the death date shown here and age 6 mo., 14 days, which gives different dates than McBride and Capener.
- 865. ii. **Evanna Esther<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 31 January 1867 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. She was named as, "my grand-daughter Evana Working, daughter of my son Samuel Garn, Dec'd," in the will of her grandfather, Abraham Garn, person #121. She died on 24 April 1935 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. She married **Phillip WORKING** (son of **Phillip WORKING** and **Esther**) on 1 February 1885 in Marshall Co., Indiana. Phillip WORKING was born on 12 February 1857 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. He died on 14 June 1938 in South Bend, St. Joseph Co., Indiana [2351]

<sup>2337 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Garn, West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_392, p. 4A, E.D. 85.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2338</sup> From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

From grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 63.

<sup>2340 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 30855583; Marshall Co., Indiana Cemetery Records, compiled by the Missouri State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Joe H. Capps, State Regent, Retyped and Indexed by Jeannine Tussey Preston, (Chesterfield, Missouri), 1985, Vol. I, page 103; McBride and Capener, p. 63.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Indiana, Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 23 May 2014, Samuel Garnes and Lucinda Burket, 6 April 1862, cites Marshall County, FHL# 1651768; McBride and Capener, p. 63.

<sup>2342</sup> Marriage Record for John Working and Lucinda Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1859, accessed 23 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651769.

McBride and Capener, p. 63.

Evanna named in will of Abraham Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 63.

From age at death on grave marker; McBride and Capener, p. 63, reports birth on 8 May 1863.

<sup>2346</sup> Marshall Co., Indiana Cemetery Records, compiled by the Missouri State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Joe H. Capps, State Regent, Retyped and Indexed by Jeannine Tussey Preston, (Chesterfield, Missouri), 1985, Vol. I, page 103; McBride and Capener, p. 63.

<sup>2347</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 63.

McBride and Capener, p. 63.

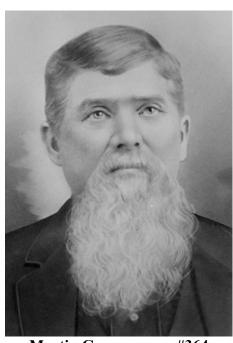
Marriage Record for Philip Working and Evanna Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1859, accessed 23 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651770.

<sup>2350</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 63.

<sup>2351</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 63.

364. **Martin<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 21 June 1845 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2352] He died on 4 August 1901 in Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. [2353] He was a farmer.

One story from Martin's childhood is worth passing on. It comes from his granddaughter Shirley (Garn) Hambley, person #1365. One day when Martin was a child, he was walking down the road as a wagon came along carrying a man and his wife. The wagon stopped and the couple, speaking in English, offered Martin a ride, which he gladly accepted. As the wagon started up, the couple resumed talking to each other and speaking in German, totally unaware that this stranger they had picked up was fluent in German. The couple proceeded to discuss some neighbors in a rather derogatory way. Although Martin knew the neighbors who were being talked about, he remained silent as the couple derided them. He listened intently until he got to the place where he was going. Then, in fluent German and to the couple's horror, he thanked them for the ride and told them it had been a pleasure. This incident undoubtedly happened in Marshall Co., Indiana, around 1858, soon after Martin's parents moved there. The community where Martin's family had lived in Sandusky Co., Ohio, was mostly German. Anyone offering a ride to a stranger there would have been surprised if the stranger was not fluent in German.



Martin Garn, person #364

Martin GARN married **Sarah Jane HAWKINS** (daughter of **William W. HAWKINS** and **Talitha Ann OWENS**) on 1 September 1870 in Starke Co., Indiana. [2354] A handwritten marriage record that was kept in the Martin Garn photo album reads as follows: [2355]

Martin Garn and Sarah Jane Hawkins were united by me in the holy bonds of Matrimony at W. W. Hawkins the 1st day of Sept in the year of our Lord 1870 In the presence of T. J. Garn and W. W. Hawkins. Signed E. E. Randar

A few years after their marriage, Martin and Sarah moved to Beatrice Twp., Gage Co., Nebraska, where they appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census. [2356] Three of their children were born there. They returned to Indiana for a while and then moved to Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan, where the rest of their children were born. While living there Sarah provided an affidavit for her father's claim for a pension based on his abbreviated service in the Civil War. [2357] During the 1890's they moved to Custer, Mason

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From death record; date recorded in Martin Garn portrait album, see Appendix 30, in possession of the author; McBride and Capener, p. 65.

Mason Co., Michigan Deaths, 4 August 1901, No. 43, Registered No. 6, parents as Abraham Garn and Hannah Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 65; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 20845813.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2354</sup> "Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 25 March 2014, Martin Garn and Sarah Hawkins, 1 September 1870, cites FHL# 001605297.

Photo album and marriage record in possession of the author.

<sup>2356 1880</sup> U. S. Census of Martin Garn, Beatrice Twp., Gage Co., Nebraska, , Roll 749, p. 41C, E.D. 343, indexed as Garm.

<sup>2357</sup> William W. Hawkins, Pvt., Co. D, 54th Indiana Inf., Application #280478.

Co., Michigan. In 1900, after Sarah had died, Martin appeared, unmarried, on the 1900 U.S. Census with several of his children in Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. [2358]

Sarah Jane HAWKINS was born on 15 May 1849 in Starke Co., Indiana. [2359] She was an older sister of William Howard Hawkins, who married Minnie Ellen Garn, person #849 in this book. Sarah Jane Hawkins appears as person #379 in *The Family of Zadock Hawkins*. [2360] She died on 6 June 1892 in Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. [2361] She died of consumption (tuberculosis). Both Martin and Sarah Jane were buried in Lakeside Cemetery in Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. [2362] Since Martin's death record reports that he was buried in Eden Cemetery, Lakeside Cemetery may once have been known by that name.

Martin GARN and Sarah Jane HAWKINS had the following children: [2363]

- i. **Aaron Francis** GARN was born on 18 December 1871 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2364] He died on 23 January 1952 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [2365] He married **Millie C. BROWN** on 11 September 1897 in Lake City, Missaukee Co., Michigan. [2366] They appeared on the 1900 1930 U.S. Censuses in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. [2367] No children were born to their marriage. However, they raised several foster children as shown on censuses. Millie C. BROWN was born on 4 July 1880 in Northville, Wayne Co., Michigan. [2368] She died on 14 October 1954 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [2369]
- +867. ii. Hattie Ellen<sup>9</sup> GARN (1875 1900).
- +868. iii. Cora Belle<sup>9</sup> GARN (1876 1948).
- +869. iv. Charles William<sup>9</sup> GARN (1878 1953).
- +870. v. **Minnie Viola<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1881 1938).
- 871. vi. **Bessie<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 14 September 1884. She and Jesse were twins. She died about 14 September 1884. It was reported that she died shortly after she was born.
- +872. vii. **Jesse Alvia** GARN (1884 1955).
- +873. viii. Archie Edwin<sup>9</sup> GARN (1887 1958).
- +874. ix. Chauncy Earl<sup>9</sup> GARN (1890 1964).

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 $<sup>2358\\</sup>$  1900 U.S. Federal Census of Martin Garn, Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan, T623\_730, p. 9A, E.D. 45.

Date recorded in portrait album, see Appendix 30, in possession of the author; McBride and Capener, p. 65; age at death on death record gives birth one day later.

Lynn E. Garn, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., and G. Christian Larsen, *The Family of Zadock Hawkins*, (Woodbridge, VA, 2005), pp. 57, 134-135

Michigan Deaths, 6 June 1892, State File No. 2-265, Registered No. 140, parents as William Hawkins and Mary Hawkins.

<sup>2362</sup> GPS coordinates of Martin's grave are N43 deg., 52.562 min., W086 deg. 14.366 min., +/- 56 ft.

All children except Bessie named in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30, original in possession of the author; McBride and Capener, p. 65.

Birth recorded in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30; McBride and Capener, p. 66.

Obituaries of Aaron F. Garn, unknown newspapers, one probably from 24 January 1952 edition of the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83750653; McBride and Capener, p. 66.

Obituary of Aaron, cites date and place; McBride and Capener (p.66) report that the marriage was in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Aaron Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T623\_732, p. 1A, E.D. 109, indexed as Garns;
1910 U.S. Federal Census of Aaron Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T624\_665, p. 5A, E.D. 133, indexed as Gaun;
1920 U.S. Federal Census of Aaron Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T625\_785, p. 8B, E.D. 104, as Garns;
1930 U.S. Federal Census of Aaron Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, Roll 1012, p. 4A, E.D. 4.

<sup>2368</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 66.

<sup>2369</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 66.

367. **Benjamin Franklin<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 1 September 1849 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[2370]</sup> He died on 25 February 1931 in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[2371]</sup> His obituary names all children, daughters by married surnames, deceased daughter Grace Taggert, "who died 11 years ago," and Grace's daughter Ruth, who was being raised by Benjamin and Lucinda.<sup>[2372]</sup>

Benjamin Franklin GARN married **Lucinda Catherine FRIEND** (daughter of **Emsil FRIEND** and **Matilda MILLER**) on 13 January 1878 in Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska. <sup>[2373]</sup> They appear on the 1880 U.S. Census of Beatrice Twp., Gage Co., Nebraska. <sup>[2374]</sup> From 1900 through 1930 they appeared on the U.S. Census in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. <sup>[2375]</sup>

Lucinda Catherine FRIEND was born on 20 December 1860 in Ohio. [2376] She died on 11 May 1946 in Marshall Co., Indiana. [2377] Benjamin and Lucinda were buried in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2378]

Benjamin Franklin GARN and Lucinda Catherine FRIEND had the following children: [2379]

- i. **Laura P.**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born on 21 January 1879 in Nebraska. <sup>[2380]</sup> She died on 16 July 1931 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. <sup>[2381]</sup> She married **Leander R. EASTERDAY** on 18 July 1895 in Marshall Co., Indiana. <sup>[2382]</sup> Leander R. EASTERDAY was born on 5 December 1873 in Bucyrus, Crawford Co., Ohio. <sup>[2383]</sup> He died on 1 December 1950 in Denver, Colorado. <sup>[2384]</sup>
- +876. ii. Lewis Edwin<sup>9</sup> GARN (1885 1957).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2370</sup> From death record, cited below; birth reported in obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

Indiana Deaths, 25 Feb 1931, State Registered No. 5938, Local No. 21, 1931, names parents, spouse as Lucinda Garn; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 47665241; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

Obituary of Benjamin F. Garn, Culver Citizen, Culver, Indiana, 4 March 1931, names spouse, children, granddaughter Ruth Taggert.

Marriage Record of Benjamin F. Garn and Lucinda C. Friend, <familysearch.org>, Nebraska Marriages, 1855-1995, accessed 25 March 2011, cites FHL# 1940546, Ref. No. v. B4, p. 74, names parents; marriage reported in Benjamin's obituary, cited below.

<sup>2374 1880</sup> U. S. Census of Benjamin Franklin Garn, Beatrice Township, Gage County, Nebraska, , Roll 749, p. 41C, E.D. 343, as B. F. Garn.

<sup>2375 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Benjamin F. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_392, p. 10A, E.D. 82; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Benjamin F. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T624\_370, p. 20A, E.D. 113; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Benjamin F. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T625\_456, p. 17B, E.D. 182, transcribed as Garns and Gares; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Benjamin F. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, Rol 617, p. 3B, E.D. 17.

Date from grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

Death Record for Lucinda Catherine Garn, Marshall Co., Indiana, Deaths, 11 May 1946, widowed; Date also on grave marker, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

Wendell C. and Jean C. Tombaugh, Marshall County, Ind. Cemeteries, Vol. 1, Union, Green & West Townships, (Rochester, Indiana, 1985), page 158.

All children named in Benjamin's obituary, cited above; children appear on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2380</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 88, in agreement with 1880 U.S. Census of parents, cited above.

McBride and Capener, p. 88.

Marriage Record for Leander R. Easterday and Laura P. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 25 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651771, named as Mrs. Laura Easterday in obituary of her father.

<sup>2383</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 88.

<sup>2384</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 88.

- 877. iii. **Edna Clair<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 23 January 1888 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2385]
- +878. iv. **Grace Evelyn<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1893 1919).
- v. Florence C. GARN was born on 11 August 1895 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. She married Noble W. PINKERTON (son of John C. PINKERTON and Mary CECIL) on 12 August 1916 in Marshall Co., Indiana. Noble W. PINKERTON was born on 19 July 1886 in Huntington Co., Indiana. 12388]
- 880. vi. **Glenn Chafis<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 11 November 1899 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2389] He undoubtedly was the Glenn C. Carn [sic] who appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Saginaw, Michigan, since his father's obituary reported him living there in 1931. [2390] He died on 1 July 1981 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Michigan. [2391]

368. **George Washington<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 31 August 1851 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[2392]</sup> He died on 13 September 1923 in Canton, Lewis Co., Missouri.<sup>[2393]</sup>

We are aware that McBride and Capener (p. 101) reported that his second marriage was to Catherine Austin and that he had at least one child by her. This report is incorrect because the George W. Garn who married Catherine Austin is person #489 in this book. He is well documented as a different person.

George Washington GARN married **Lola E. MEDBOURN** on 27 March 1878 in Marshall Co., Indiana. George and Lola appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. Lola E. MEDBOURN was born on 21 October 1854. She died on 7 May 1896. George and Lola were buried in the Culver Masonic Cemetery in Marshall Co., Indiana. Indiana.

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<sup>2385</sup> Marshall Co., Indiana, Births, Birth Record for Edna Clair Garn, cert. no. 113-1888-88-006, parents as B. F. Garn and Lucinda Friend; McBride and Capener, p. 88.

Birth from marriage record; McBride and Capener, p. 97.

Marriage Record for Noble W. Pinkerton and Florence C. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 25 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651773, names parents, bride's father as B. F. Garn, bride's mother as Lucinda; she named Florence Pinkerton in her father's obituary.

<sup>2388</sup> Birth from marriage record; McBride and Capener, p. 97.

Draft Registration Card, Glenn Chafis Garn, <search.ancestry.com>, World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, accessed 25 March 2011, cites FHL# 1653566, birth on 18 November 1899, residence in Culver, Indiana, nearest relative as B. F. Garn in Culver; McBride and Capener, p. 98.

<sup>2390 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Glenn C. Garn, Saginaw, Saginaw Co., Michigan, roll 1022, p. 19A, E.D. 33, as Carn.

Social Security Death Index record for Glenn Garn, SSN 371-10-0246, birth on 11 November 1899, death in July 1981; Death Record for Glen Garn, <search.ancestry.com>, Michigan Deaths, 1971-1996, accessed 25 March 2011, birth on 11 November 1999 [sic], death on 1 July 1981.

From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 99.

<sup>2393 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 47663677; Obituary of George Washington Garn, The Culver Citizen, Culver, Indiana, 19 September 1923, p. 2, col. 3, names spouses, children, grandchildren; McBride and Capener, p. 99.

Marriage Record for George W. Garn and Lola E. Medbourn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 26 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651769; Lola also named in George's obituary.

<sup>2395 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George Washington Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, Roll 297, p. 196C, E.D. 108, as G. W. Garn.

<sup>2396</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 99; age at death on grave marker, cited below.

George Washington GARN and Lola E. MEDBOURN had the following children: [2399]

- +881. i. **Herbert M.** <sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1879 ).
- +882. ii. Nellie Imogene<sup>9</sup> GARN (1881 1941).

George Washington GARN next married **Catherine BURKETT** on 14 September 1901 in Marshall Co., Indiana. George and Catherine appeared on the 1910 and 1920 Censuses in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. When Catherine married George Washington Garn, her surname was Hissong, which we are convinced was not her surname at birth. Her obituary reports that she had a son with the Hissong surname and two brothers with the Burkett surname. She appears as Catharine Hissong, a divorced head of the household, on the 1900 Census. A marriage of David B. Hissong and Catharine Burkett in 1880 is undoubtedly hers. Therefore we are convinced her surname was Burkett. Catherine BURKETT was born in June 1861 in Indiana. She died on 26 April 1935 in Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Indiana.

369. **Mandes Edward<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 21 August 1853 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2407] He died on 4 May 1909 in St. Joseph, Berrien Co., Michigan. [2408] His death was caused by a cerebral hemorrhage. He was reported to have been a painter at the time of his death. He was buried in the City Cemetery in St. Joseph.

Mandes Edward GARN married **Emma L. ALLEN** (daughter of **J. W. ALLEN** and **unknown HENDERSON**) on 16 November 1879 in Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska. [2409] Mandes and Emma appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Fabius, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2410] They were listed immediately after his brother Francis Aaron, who appeared on the census as Aaron Garn. Emma L.

<sup>2397</sup> Marshall Co., Indiana Cemetery Records, compiled by the Missouri State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Joe H. Capps, State Regent, Retyped and Indexed by Jeannine Tussey Preston, (Chesterfield, Missouri), 1985, Vol. I, page 129; Lola's death date given in George's obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 99.

<sup>2398</sup> Cemetery records, cited above.

Both children named in George's obituary, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 99.

<sup>2400</sup> Marriage Record for George W. Garn and Catherine Hissong, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 26 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651771; Catherine also named as second spouse in George's obituary.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2401</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Garn, Culver Ward 3, Marshall Co., Indiana, T624\_370, p. 9A, E.D. 113; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T625 456, p. 8A, E.D. 182.

Obituary of Catherine Garn, Culver Citizen, Culver Indiana, 1 May 1935, p. 1, col. 4, death "last Friday" or 26 April, son with Hissong surname, brothers with Burkett surname.

<sup>2403 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Catherine Hissong, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_392, p. 20B, E.D. 82, transcribed as Hissing, reports she was divorced.

<sup>2404</sup> Marriage Record for David B. Hissong and Catharine Burkett, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 27 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651770.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

From obituary, cited above.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 102.

Michigan Deaths, 4 May 1909, State File No. 801, Local File No. 27; McBride and Capener, p. 102, places death in Colon, St. Joseph Co., Michigan; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 86600997.

Marriage Record for Mandus E. Garn and Emma Allen, <familysearch.org>, Nebraska Marriages, 1855-1995, accessed 3 August 2011, cites FHL# 1940546, ref. no. vol. B4, p. 225, his parents as Abraham Garn and Susanna Garn, her parents not named.

<sup>2410 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mandus Edward Garn, Fabius, St. Joseph Co., Michigan, Roll 603, p. 304C, E.D. 192, as Edward Garn.

ALLEN was born on 15 September 1862 in Christian Co., Illinois. [2411] She died on 12 September 1884 in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [2412] A grave marker in the Burr Oak Cemetery, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, for Emma L., wife of M. E. Garn, d. Sept 12, 1885 [sic], ae 22 yrs, 11 mo., 28 days, is undoubtedly hers. McBride and Capener (p. 102) report that she died in 1886 whereas the year shown here is from her death record.

Mandes Edward GARN and Emma L. ALLEN had the following children: [2413]

- i. **Bertha Viella<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 8 September 1880 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. She died on 10 March 1911 in Dalhart, Dallam Co., Texas. She married **Howard STAYTON** (son of **John STAYTON** and **Lydia LEMORE**) on 30 September 1901 in Paulding Co., Ohio. Howard STAYTON was born in 1880 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. Calvar Indiana.
- +884. ii. Effie Estell<sup>9</sup> GARN (1883 1957).

Mandes Edward GARN next married **Emma J. KAUFFMAN** on 1 July 1888 in Maxinkuckee, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2418] Emma J. KAUFFMAN was born on 31 March 1868 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2419] She died on 6 July 1955 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., California. [2420]

Mandes Edward GARN and Emma J. KAUFFMAN had the following child: [2421] +885. iii. **Chauncey Marcus** GARN (1889 - 1962).

370. **Francis Aaron<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 16 August 1855, probably in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2422] He died on 2 February 1889 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2423] His death undoubtedly prompted his father Abraham to write his will on 5 March, just over a month later.

Date from age at death on grave marker, cited below; Place from death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 102.

Death Record for Emma Garn, Marshall Co., Indiana, Deaths, 12 September 1884, gives place of birth, father as J. W. Allen, mother as Henderson without giving a first name; Wendell C. and Jean C. Tombaugh, *Marshall County, Ind. Cemeteries, Vol. 1, Union, Green & West Townships*, (Rochester, Indiana, 1985), page 116; McBride and Capener, p. 102, places death a year later.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2413</sup> Marriage records of daughters name mother; McBride and Capener, p. 102.

Birth Record for Bertha Viella Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Births, 1867-1902, accessed 26 March 2011, cites FHL# 2320573, Ref. No. item 2, p. 283, rn 137, parents as Manders E. Garn and Emma Garn, born in Illinois; McBride and Capener, p. 103.

Death Record for Bertha Stayton, <familysearch.org> Texas Deaths, 1890-1976, accessed 27 March 2011, cites FHL# 2050431, Ref.No 5284, father as Garner with no first name, mother unknown, birth as 8 September 1880 in Michigan; McBride and Capener, p. 103.

<sup>2416</sup> Marriage Record for Howard Stayton and Bertha V. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 28 March 2011, cites RHL# 925302, Ref. No. v6, p. 350, cn. 699, names parents, bride's parents as M. E. Garn and Emma J. Allen; McBride and Capener, p. 103.

From marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2418</sup> Marriage Record for Mandus E. Garn and Emma J. Kaufman, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 26 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651770 and 1651776, groom's father as Abraham Garnes.

Birth date appears on death record; McBride and Capener, p. 105.

<sup>2420 &</sup>quot;California, Death Index, 1940-1997," <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Emma J. Garn, 6 July 1955, father as Kaufman, gives birth date, mother as Plank, cites Department of Public Health Services, Sacramento.

McBride and Capener, p. 105, and evidence given in Chauncey's biography.

McBride and Capener, p. 105; Age at death on death record gives birth on 19 July 1853.

Death Record for Francis Aaron Garn, St. Joseph Co., Michigan Deaths, 2 Feb 1889, Vol. 1, p. 256, Record 99, as Francis A. Garnes, married but wife not named, father as Abraham Garnes, mother as Susana Garnes, age at death, 35y, 6m, 14d.

Francis Aaron GARN married **Eliza Alma CROUT** in 1876 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. Francis Aaron and Eliza appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Fabius, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. Eliza Alma CROUT was born on 5 February 1860 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2425] She died on 21 April 1938 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2426]

Francis Aaron GARN and Eliza Alma CROUT had the following child: [2427]

- i. **Jessie Mable<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 29 June 1877 in Michigan. She is mentioned in the will of her grandfather, Abraham Garn, person #121. She died on 8 March 1957 in Grayling, Crawford Co., Michigan. She married **Albert Mearl GORTON** (son of **Nahum GORTON** and **Caroline Janette FRANKLIN**) on 7 January 1896 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. Albert Mearl GORTON was born on 17 June 1875. St. Joseph Co., Michigan. Albert Mearl GORTON was born on 17 June
- 371. **Sarah Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Abraham GARN, person #121, and Susanna GARN, person #102) was born on 22 November 1858 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2432] She died on 25 June 1927 in Emerald Twp., Paulding Co., Ohio. [2433] She died of cancer.

Sarah Ellen GARN married **James E. WEIRMAN** (son of **Isaac WEIRMAN** and **Malinda**) on 3 March 1878 in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [2434] James and Sarah appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [2435] In 1910 and 1920 they lived in Fort Wayne, Allen Co., Indiana. [2436] James E. WEIRMAN was born on 5 September 1856 in Ohio. [2437] He died on 20 March 1940 in Paulding, Paulding Co., Ohio. [2438]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2424</sup> 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Francis Aaron Garn, Fabius, St. Joseph Co., Michigan, Roll 603, p. 304C, E.D. 192, he as Edward Garn, she as Alma, listed immediately before brother Mandus Edward, who appears as Edward Garn.

McBride and Capener, p. 105, in agreement with year and state on 1880 Census, cited above.

McBride and Capener, p. 105.

Will of Jessie's grandfather Abraham Garn, person #121 names Jessie as daughter of Abraham's son Aaron; Jessie also named on 1880 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2428</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 106; Death record, cited below, gives year only of birth as 1878.

Death Record of Jessie M. Gorton, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 29 March 2011, cites FHL# 965633, Ref. No. v1, p. 303, gender as male but occupation as housewife, father transcribed as Allen Garrns, mother as Alice Grout; McBride and Capener, p. 106, places death in Three Rivers, St. Joseph Co., Michigan.

Marriage Record of Albert Gorton and Jessie Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 29 March 2011, cites FHL# 2342505, Ref. No. p. 246, rn. 1906, groom's parents as N. C. Gorton and Nettie Franklin, bride's parents as Aaron Garn and Allis Crout; McBride and Capener, p. 106, places marriage six days earlier.

McBride and Capener, p. 106.

From age at death on death record; McBride and Capener, p. 107.

Death Record of Sarah Ellen Weirman, Ohio Deaths, 25 June 1927, File No. 38583, age at death, 68y, 7m, 3d, names spouse, parents; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 101527047.

James named as spouse on Sarah Ellen's death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2435</sup> 1880 U.S. Federal Census of James E. Weirman, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, Roll 297, p. 198C, E.D. 108.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2436</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of James E. Weirman, Fort Wayne Ward 9, Allen Co., Indiana, T624\_339, p. 9A, E.D. 65; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of James E. Weirman, Fort Wayne Ward 9, Allen Co., Indiana, T625 422, p. 9A, E.D. 77.

<sup>2437</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 107.

<sup>2438</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 107.

Sarah Ellen GARN and James E. WEIRMAN had the following children: [2439]

- i. **Letta May<sup>9</sup> WEIRMAN** was born on 28 March 1880 in Hubbard, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2440] She died on 22 October 1942 in Hubbard, Marshall Co., Indiana. [2441] She married **Harry E. BAKLE** (son of **Peter BAKLE** and **Adelaida SCHLARTZ**) on 19 April 1910 in Allen Co., Indiana. [2442] Harry E. BAKLE was born on 14 April 1884 in Ohio. [2443]
- 888. ii. Claude<sup>9</sup> WEIRMAN was born on 19 February 1882.<sup>[2444]</sup> He married Reina SCHAAB (daughter of John A. SCHAAB and Aline BEUGNOT).<sup>[2445]</sup> Reina SCHAAB was born on 8 March 1884 in Cecil, Paulding Co., Ohio.<sup>[2446]</sup> She died on 1 October 1957.<sup>[2447]</sup>
- 372. **Mahala<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Philip James<sup>7</sup>, Sr.; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Philip James GARN, Sr., person #103, and Mary Magdalene FOUGHT) was born on 4 February 1839 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2448] She died on 4 April 1922 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2449] Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to Mahala, her two husbands, and her children. [2450]

Mahala GARN married **Daniel GARN** (son of **John GARN**, person #46, and **Susanna CABLE**) on 12 January 1858 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2451] Mahala was Daniel's niece, the oldest child of Daniel's brother, Philip James Garn. In 1860 Daniel and Mahala appeared on the census with Priscilla and Minnie, two of his other wives. [2452] Daniel and Mahala appeared on the 1870 U.S. Federal Census with the four of their children who were living at the time. [2453] In 1880, after Daniel's death, Mahala appeared on the census as Mahala Smoot with her four youngest children. [2454]

<sup>2439</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 107; James and "Ella" Garn named as parents on Letta's marriage record; Letta named on 1880 U.S. Census, cited above.

From marriage record; McBride and Capener, p. 107.

McBride and Capener, p. 107.

Marriage Record of Harry E. Bakle and Letta M. Weirman, <familysearch.org>, 1811-1959, accessed 29 March 2011, cites FHL# 2111527, names parents, bride's mother as Ella Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 107.

From marriage record.

McBride and Capener, p. 107.

McBride and Capener, p. 107; We believe McBride and Capener's report since we have seen independent records of births of children to a couple with these names.

McBride and Capener, p. 107.

McBride and Capener, p. 107.

From death record; P. Garn, pp. 2:2-8; McBride and Capener, p. 250.

Death Record for Mahala Garn Smoot, Utah Deaths 3 April 1922, file no. 597, widowed, spouse as Wm. C. A. Smoot, parents as Philip James Garn and Mary M. Fought, birth in Sandusky Co., Ohio, death record shifts birth and death dates one day earlier, possibly because she died just after midnight and her death was placed the day before and her birth was calculated therefrom using her age at death; P. Garn, pp. 2:2-8; McBride and Capener, p. 250; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 34481259.

<sup>2450</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:2-8.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2451</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 250; P. Garn, pp. 1:147 and 2:2-8.

<sup>2452</sup> Cited with Priscilla. Daniel's second wife.

<sup>2453 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garn (as Garnes), Sugar House Ward, Salt Lake Co., Utah Territory, M593\_1611, p. 525B, listed immediately before the household of his wife Minnie.

<sup>2454 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Smoot, Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah, Roll 1337, p. 226C, E.D. 54.

Daniel is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Daniel<sup>7</sup> GARN (John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #95, in this book. Additional information about Daniel may be found in his biography at person #95.

Mahala GARN and Daniel GARN had seven children. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the children have already been named and given numbers 293 to 299 and appear earlier in the book with the biography of Daniel, person #95.

Mahala GARN next married **William Cochran Adkinson SMOOT** in 1875 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. <sup>[2455]</sup> William and Mahala appeared on the 1880 and 1900 U.S. Censuses in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. <sup>[2456]</sup> Their two oldest children appeared on the first census while their two youngest appeared on the 1900 Census. William Cochran Adkinson SMOOT was born on 30 January 1828 in Roane Co., Tennessee. <sup>[2457]</sup> He died on 2 February 1920 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. <sup>[2458]</sup>

Mahala GARN and William Cochran Adkinson SMOOT had the following children: [2459]

- 889. viii. **Rhoda Ellis<sup>9</sup> SMOOT** was born on 16 January 1878 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2460] She died on 1 April 1900 in Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2461]
- 890. ix. **Wilford Hunter** SMOOT was born on 11 May 1880 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2462] He appears on the 1880 U.S. Census as H. William Smoot.
- 891. x. **William Thompson<sup>9</sup> SMOOT** was born on 30 June 1883 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2463] He died on 12 August 1929 in Lake, Fremont Co., Idaho. [2464]

373. **Micah<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Philip James<sup>7</sup>, Sr.; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Philip James GARN, Sr., person #103, and Mary Magdalene FOUGHT) was born on 14 October 1841 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2465] He died on 25 April 1916 in Fielding, Box Elder Co., Utah. [2466] Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to Micah and his family. [2467]

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McBride and Capener, p.393; P. Garn, 2:8.

<sup>2456 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Smoot, Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah, Roll 1337, p. 226C, E.D. 54, Mahala's children Philip J., William F., Jacob, and Fanny M. living in household; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of William Smoot, Sugar House, Salt Lake Co., Utah, T623\_1685, p. 13B, E.D. 64.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 393.

Utah Deaths, 2 February 1920, cert. no. 268, spouse as Matilda Beebe, parents as Abraham Smoot and Martha Sessions, Will Smoot as informant

<sup>2459</sup> Children named in censuses, cited above and on individual records, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 393.

<sup>2460</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 393, age, 22, on death record agrees.

Death Record for Rhoda Ellis Smoot, <familysearch.org>, Utah Deaths and Burials, 1888-1946, accessed 5 July 2011, cites FHL# 26554, ref. no. p117 dth #4427, parents as Wm. C. A. Smoot and Mahala Garn.

<sup>2462</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 393; birth in May 1880 on 1880 Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2463</sup> From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 393.

Death Record for William T. Smoot, <familysearch.org> Utah Deaths and Burials, 1888-1946, accessed 5 July 2011, cites FHL# 26564, ref. no. Z-1398, parents as W. C. A. Smoot and Mahala Garn, death in Lake, Fremont, Idaho; Death Record for William T. Smoot, <familysearch.org> Idaho Death Certificates, 1911-1937, accessed 5 July 2011, cites FHL# 1530850, cert. no. 67966, parents as W. T. [sic] A. Smoot and Mahala Garn, residence in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Death Record for Micah Garn, Utah Deaths, 25 April 1916, cert. no. 54,as Micha Garn, parents as Philip Garn and Mary M. Bogt [sic], informant as Mrs. Fanny Wood Garn; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 32821175.

2467
P. Garn, pp. 2:9-15.

Micah GARN married Fanny WOOD on 11 March 1865 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2468] Micah and Fanny appeared on the 1870 and 1880 Censuses in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [2469] By 1900 they had moved to Fielding, Box Elder, Utah. [2470]

Fanny WOOD was born on 11 October 1841 in Brighton, England. [2471] She died on 12 July 1929 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2472]

Micah GARN and Fanny WOOD had the following children, all born in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah:[2473]

- i. Fanny Celestia GARN was born on 22 October 1866. 892.
- ii. Micah Augustus<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 13 September 1869.
- iii. **John Harley** GARN was born on 1 November 1871.
- iv. Mary Larelda GARN was born on 12 July 1874. 895.
- v. **Daniel** GARN was born on 15 August 1876. 896.
- 897. vi. Nathaniel GARN was born on 15 August 1876.
- 898. vii. **Rosabelle Emma<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 29 January 1879.
- 899. viii. Mahala Janette GARN was born on 7 September 1882.

376. Philip James<sup>8</sup> GARN, Jr. (Philip James<sup>7</sup>, Sr.; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Philip James GARN, Sr., person #103, and Mary Magdalene FOUGHT) was born on 14 February 1845 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2474] He died on 15 October 1900 in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [2475] Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to this Philip and his family. [2476]

Philip James GARN, Jr. married Sarah ENGLISH (daughter of Andrew ENGLISH and Nancy MCLAUGHLIN) on 14 February 1878 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2477] Philip and Sarah appeared on the 1880 and 1900 U.S. Censuses in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [2478] Sarah ENGLISH was born on 13 August 1852 in Tennessee. [2479] She died on 8 January 1944 in Salt Lake

Micah named as spouse on Fanny's death record; McBride and Capener, p. 394.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2469</sup> 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Micah Garn, Centerville, Davis Co., Utah Territory, M593\_1610, p. 230A, as M. Garns, listed immediately before his mother in that census; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Micah Garn, Centerville, Davis Co., Utah, Roll 1336, p. 299C, E.D. 15, as Michal Garns, listed immediately after his mother and brother Philip in that census.

<sup>2470 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Micah Garn, Plymouth (Fielding), Box Elder Co., Utah, T623\_1682, p. 2A, E.D. 207, indexed by Ancestry as Micale Garrie, spouse indexed as Jennie W. Garrie.

From age at death on death record; McBride and Capener, p. 394.

Death Record for Fanny Wood Garn, Utah Deaths, 12 July 1929, cert. no. 1283, spouse as Mica h [sic] Garn, parents as John Wood and Fanny Goble; McBride and Capener, p. 394.

<sup>2473</sup> Children named on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 394.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Obituary of Phillip [sic] J. Garn, as photocopied in Philip Graham Garn, Vol. 2, p. 31, reports death on 13 October 1900; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 49740; McBride and Capener, pp. 392 and 431.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2476</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:16-31.

P. Garn, 2:26; Obituary of Philip reports marriage and date.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Philip Garn, Centerville, Davis Co., Utah, Roll 1336, p. 299C, E.D. 15, as Garnes, appears immediately after his mother and immediately before his brother Micah; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Philip J. Garn, Centerville, Davis Co., Utah, T623 1683, p. 16B, E.D. 89.

From death record; P. Garn, 2:32-57; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2480] Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to this Sarah and her family. [2481]

Philip James GARN, Jr. and Sarah ENGLISH had the following children: [2482]

- 900. i. **Sarah Bertha<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 18 November 1878 in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [2483] She married **Edward L. LINFORD**. [2484]
- 901. ii. **Elva Elizabeth<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 4 February 1881.<sup>[2485]</sup> She died on 28 November 1928 in Idaho Falls, Bonneville Co., Idaho.<sup>[2486]</sup> The death date shown here was provided by Elva's granddaughter, who reports that Elva actually died a day before the date that appears on her death record.<sup>[2487]</sup> She was buried in Rose Hill Cemetery, Idaho Falls, Idaho, near her husband.<sup>[2488]</sup> She married **George Hunter COOK**.<sup>[2489]</sup>
- 902. iii. **Leona Grace<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 29 March 1883.<sup>[2490]</sup> She married **Horace Cook HOLBROOK**.<sup>[2491]</sup>
- 903. iv. **George Elmer<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 15 August 1885. [2492] He married **Eliza Ann BACON**. [2493]
- 904. v. Mary Emma<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 21 January 1888.<sup>[2494]</sup> She married William H. LEE.<sup>[2495]</sup>
- 905. vi. **Oveene Jane<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 5 April 1890.<sup>[2496]</sup> She died on 11 February 1901 in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah.<sup>[2497]</sup>
- 906. vii. **Breta Nancy GARN** was born on 22 September 1892. [2498] She married **William Wallace MCBRIDE**. [2499] Their son, Dr. Don W. McBride, coauthored the McBride and Capener book that is quoted frequently in this book.
- +907. viii. **Philip James<sup>9</sup> GARN, III** (1898 1981).

Death Record for Sarah English Garn, Utah Deaths, 8 January 1944, cert. no. 2, widowed, spouse as Philip James Garn, parents as Andrew English and Nancy McLaughlin; P. Garn, 2:32-57.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2481</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:32-57.

P. Garn, 2:26 and 57; All children named on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

McBride and Capener, p. 431.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2484</sup> P. Garn, 2:57; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

Emails from Janeal (Cook) Jensen, granddaughter of Elva Elizabeth (Garn) Cook, dated 23 August 2012 and 20 January 2014.

Death Record for Elva Garn Cook, <familysearch.org>, Idaho Death Certificates, 1911-1937, accessed 5 July 2011, cites FHL# 1530848, state file 63663, spouse as George H. Cook, parents as Phillip [sic] James Garn and Sarah English.

Find A Grave Memorial for Elva Garn Cook, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 730670147, accessed 21 January 2014.

Elva's death record names spouse; P. Garn, 2:57; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

McBride and Capener, p. 431.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2491</sup> P. Garn, 2:57; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

<sup>2492</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 431.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2493</sup> P. Garn, 2:57; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

McBride and Capener, p. 431.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2495</sup> P. Garn, 2:57; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

<sup>2496</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 431.

McBride and Capener, p. 431.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2498</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 431.

P. Garn, 2:57; McBride and Capener, p. 431.

377. Samuel<sup>8</sup> GARN (Philip James<sup>7</sup>, Sr.; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Philip James GARN, Sr., person #103, and Mary Magdalene FOUGHT) was born on 24 March 1847 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2500] He died on 29 July 1932 in Idaho Falls, Bonneville Co., Idaho. [2501] Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to this Samuel and his family. [2502]

Samuel GARN married Elizabeth Hopkins WALKER (daughter of George WALKER and Mary HOPKINS) on 18 February 1874 in Mendon, Cache Co., Utah. [2503] Elizabeth Hopkins WALKER was born on 12 July 1853 in Cottonwood, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2504] She died on 4 June 1929 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., California. [2505]

Samuel GARN and Elizabeth Hopkins WALKER had the following children born in in Mendon, Cache Co., Utah (1-7), Park City, Summit Co., Utah (8-10), in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah (11), and Snyderville, Summit Co., Utah (12-14): [2506]

- i. Elizabeth Mary GARN was born on 18 November 1874. She died on 18 September 908.
- ii. Sarah Maud<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 17 November 1875. She died on 4 December 1875. 909.
- iii. Samuel James GARN was born on 13 October 1876.
- iv. **Della Ann<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 12 December 1877.
- v. George Walker<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 18 September 1880. 912
- 913. vi. Emma Walker<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 7 December 1882.
- 914. vii. Crestella Walker<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 18 June 1884. She died on 18 April 1890.
- 915. viii. Jane Walker GARN was born on 17 December 1885.
- 916. ix. Nathaniel Walker GARN was born on 25 July 1887. He died on 16 August 1905.
- x. John Franklin<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 30 October 1889. He died on 31 October 1889. 917.
- 918. xi. **Zotia Walker** GARN was born on 19 May 1892.
- 919. xii. William Martin<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 28 December 1893.
- 920. xiii. Lillian Ione<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 7 July 1895.
- 921. xiv. Cecelia Walker<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 12 April 1897.

378. Nathaniel<sup>8</sup> GARN (Philip James<sup>7</sup>, Sr.; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Philip James GARN, Sr., person #103, and Mary Magdalene FOUGHT) was born on 1 May 1849 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [2507] He died on 12 May 1872 in Ophir, Tooele Co., Utah. [2508] He was a miner at Ophir, Utah. At the time little was done to suppress the hard rock dust created in the mines. He contracted "miner's con," or miner's consumption, which today is known as

 $<sup>^{2500} \</sup> Family \ Record \ of \ Philip \ James \ Garn \ and \ Mary \ Magdalene \ Vogt \ Garn, \ cited \ above; \ McBride \ and \ Capener, \ p. \ 392.$ 

Death Record for Samuel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Idaho Death Certificates, 1911-1937, accessed 5 July 2011, cites FHL# 1530913, cert. no. 80044, spouse as Elizabeth M. Garn, parents as Phillip [sic] Garn and Mary M. Vought [sic]; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 28401495.

<sup>2502</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:161-165.

<sup>2503</sup> P. Garn, p. 2:164; McBride and Capener, p. 445.

<sup>2504</sup> P. Garn, p. 2:164; McBride and Capener, p. 445.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2505</sup> P. Garn, p. 2:164; McBride and Capener, p. 445.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2506</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:161-165, lists only children who lived to adulthood; McBride and Capener, p. 445.

Family Record of Philip James Garn and Mary Magdalene Vogt Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 392.

Death Record for Nathaniel Garn, <familysearch.org>, Utah Deaths and Burials, 1888-1946, accessed 5 July 2011, cites FHL# 26553, p. 129, #5138, birth on 1 May 1859 [sic], parents as Phillip [sic] Garn and Mary M. Garn < www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 88587073.

silicosis, and died as a result.<sup>[2509]</sup> Philip Graham Garn's book devotes several pages to Nathaniel and his family.[2510]

Nathaniel GARN married Jennet EVANS on 10 January 1868 in Centerville, Davis Co., Utah. [2511] Jennet EVANS was born on 8 January 1849 in San Francisco, San Francisco Co., California. [2512] She died on 10 August 1920 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [2513]

Nathaniel GARN and Jennet EVANS had the following children: [2514]

- i. Amanda Jennet<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 10 May 1869.
- ii. Hannah Mary GARN was born on 18 April 1871. She died shortly after she was born. 923.

385. Gottlieb Friedrich<sup>8</sup> GERN (Gottlieb<sup>7</sup>; Samuel Friederich<sup>6</sup>; Georg Adam<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Gottlieb GERN, person #105, and Charlotta Augusta MEEL) was born on 29 January 1834 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [2515] He died on 30 September 1908 [2516]

Gottlieb Friedrich GERN married Wilhelmina HAMANN (daughter of Johann Jacob HAMANN and Johanna BURK) on 6 October 1859 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [2517] Wilhelmina HAMANN was born on 9 April 1835. [2518] She died about 1872 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Although we have not found a report of when she died, she undoubtedly died around 1872 since her last child was born then and her husband remarried the following year.

Gottlieb Friedrich GERN and Wilhelmina HAMANN had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [2519]

- i. Wilhelmina Elisabetha<sup>9</sup> GERN was born on 10 November 1859. 924.
- 925. ii. Johanna Charlotte<sup>9</sup> GERN was born on 18 February 1861. She married Moses Hugo MUELLER (son of Dietrich Johann Gottlob MUELLER and Amalie Friederike LEHMANN) on 6 December 1885 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [2520]
- 926. iii. Wilhelm Julius GERN was born on 17 August 1862.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2509</sup> P. Garn, p. 2:171.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2510</sup> P. Garn, pp. 2:166-190.

P. Garn, p. 2:170; McBride and Capener, p. 462.

McBride and Capener, p. 462.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2513</sup> P. Garn, p. 2:189; McBride and Capener, p. 462.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2514</sup> P. Garn, p. 2:171; McBride and Capener, p. 462.

<sup>2515 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Gottlieb Friedrich Gern, 29 January 1834, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, reports date of death, names parents, mother as Charlotta Augusta Meel; birth date also reported on both marriage records.

Date of death reported on birth record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2517</sup> "Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Gottlieb Friederich Gern and Wilhelmina Hamm, 6 October 1859, cites FHL #1272390, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, reports birth dates.

<sup>2518</sup> Birth date reported on marriage record.

<sup>2519 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, deaths when reported for children appear on birth records.

<sup>2520 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Johanna Charlott Gern and Moses Hugo Mueller, 6 December 1885, cites FHL #1272390, accessed 2 March 2014, names parents, her father as Bottlieb Friederich Gern [sic], his father as Dietrich Johann Gottlob Mueller.

- 927. iv. **Carolina<sup>9</sup> GERN** was born on 13 January 1866. She died on 21 April 1867 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- 928. v. Carl Heinrich<sup>9</sup> GERN was born on 7 August 1867.
- 929. vi. **Auguste Charlotte<sup>9</sup> GERN** was born on 29 May 1869. She died on 4 September 1869 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- 930. vii. **Carolina Luisa** GERN was born on 4 July 1870. She was undoubtedly named after her deceased older sister.
- 931. viii. Ernst Ludwig<sup>9</sup> GERN was born on 4 April 1872.

Gottlieb Friedrich GERN next married **Elisabetha MAUSSHARDT** (daughter of **Philipp Jakob MAUSSHARDT** and **Christina FREI**) on 23 October 1873 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [2521] Elisabetha MAUSSHARDT was born on 6 November 1837. [2522]

Gottlieb Friedrich GERN and Elisabetha MAUSSHARDT had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [2523]

- 932. ix. Albert Hermann<sup>9</sup> GERN was born on 28 March 1874.
- 933. x. **Adolf Theodor<sup>9</sup> GERN** was born on 9 March 1875 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [2524] He died on 6 February 1881 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.
- 934. xi. Otto Gustav<sup>9</sup> GERN was born on 20 May 1877 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Although we have not found a report of his death, the birth of a brother in the family named Otto suggests that he may have died around 1877. However, he may have been known by his middle name and his brother by the name Otto.
- 935. xii. Otto<sup>9</sup> GERN was born on 22 November 1878 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.

387. **Samuel Friedrich<sup>8</sup> GERN** (Georg Adam<sup>7</sup>; Samuel Friederich<sup>6</sup>; Georg Adam<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Georg Adam GERN, person #107, and Karolina Regina KRIMMEL) was born on 21 May 1828 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [2525]

Samuel Friedrich GERN married **Sophia Elisabet KNAUSS** (daughter of **Johann Peter KNAUSS** and **Margaretha DEHN**) on 8 December 1853 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Sophia Elisabet KNAUSS was born on 20 April 1818 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Sophia her mother's surname, Dehn, was one of the family names used in the children's rhyme, "Gern Stutz Dehn Bock," mentioned about Kürnbach in the Introduction to the book. She died on 7 June 1903.

2523 "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, deaths when reported for children appear on birth records.

2525 "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Samuel Friedrich Gern, 21 May 1828, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, mother as Karolina Regina Krimmel; date of birth also reported on marriage record.

<sup>2521 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Gottlieb Gern and Elisabetha Mausshardt, 23 October 1873, cites FHL #1272390, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, reports birth dates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2522</sup> Birth date reported on marriage record.

Mother as Schmausshardt on his birth record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2526</sup> "Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Friedrich Gern [sic] and Sophia Kraus [sic], 8 December 1853, cites FHL #1272390, accessed 16 March 2014, names his parents, reports birth dates consistent with birth records.

<sup>2527 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Sophia Elisabet Knauss, 20 April 1818, cites FHL #1192099, accessed 17 March 2014, names parents, reports date of death; date of birth also reported on marriage record.

<sup>2528</sup> Death date is reported on her birth record.

We cannot explain the difference in the ages of Samuel Freidrich and Sophia Elisabet or the births of two children before they married, one born almost ten years before they married. There may be transcription errors. However, the marriage record clearly gives birth dates and names of parents which are consistent with the dates of birth and names of parents on birth records. And the births of the first two children are as reported in the index of the records on the date the database was accessed. One possibility is that Karl Heinrich Gern had a different father and took the Gern surname when Samuel Friedrich Gern and Sophia married.

Samuel Friedrich GERN and Sophia Elisabet KNAUSS had the following children, all born in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany: [2529]

- 936. i. **Karl Heinrich<sup>9</sup> GERN** was born on 27 July 1843. [2530]
- 937. ii. **Sophia<sup>9</sup> GERN** was born on 26 September 1851.<sup>[2531]</sup> She married **Wilhelm Friederich FESENBEKH** (son of **Jakob FESENBEKH** and **Johanna GRAHM**) on 25 June 1874 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.<sup>[2532]</sup> Wilhelm Friederich FESENBEKH was born on 7 June 1851.<sup>[2533]</sup>
- 938. iii. **Carolina Regina<sup>9</sup> GERN** was born on 16 May 1854.<sup>[2534]</sup> She died on 15 August 1854 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.<sup>[2535]</sup>
- 939. iv. Louise Karolina GERN was born on 25 July 1855. [2536] She died on 6 February 1900 [2537]
- v. Carolina Katharina GERN was born on 29 July 1857. [2538] She married Karl August HOFMANN (son of Christian HOFMANN and Johanna LUDWIG) on 31 January 1884 in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [2539] Karl August HOFMANN was born on 21 September 1860. [2540]

398. **Mary**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; Christopher<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #118, and Margaret STOUGH) was born on 3 September 1853 in Ohio. [2541] A letter sent by a grandson to a son of Mary's brother Henry Wachtel Garn reports that Mary married a man named Winters, that she married a second time to someone named Wills and

Birth records name parents

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Karl Heinrich Gern, 27 July 1843 [sic], cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents.

<sup>2531 &</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Sophia Gern, 26 September 1851 [sic], cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents; birth date also reported on marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Sophia Gern and Wilhelm Friederich Fesenbekh, 25 June 1874, cites FHL #1272390, accessed 23 March 2014, names parents, gives birthdates.

<sup>2533</sup> Birth date reported on marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2534</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Carolina Regina Gern, 16 May 1854, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, reports date of death.

<sup>2535</sup> Birth record reports date of death.

 <sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Louise Karolina Gern, 25 July 1855, cites FHL
 #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents, father as Samuel Gern, reports date of death.

<sup>2537</sup> Birth record reports date of death.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2538</sup> "Deutschland, Geburten und Taufen, 1558-1898," index, <familysearch.org>, Carolina Katharina Gern, 9 August 1857, cites FHL #1192098, accessed 16 March 2014, names parents.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Deutschland, Heiraten, 1558-1929," index, <familysearch.org>, Karolina Katharina Gern and Karl August Hofmann, 31 January 1884, cites FHL #1272390, accessed 23 March 2014, names parents, gives his birthdate.

Birth date reported on marriage record.

From death record.

that she had a son named Earl Winters.<sup>[2542]</sup> The letter also questions if Mary may have been a half sister of Henry Wachtel Garn. We believe she was a full sister since she appears on the 1860 U.S. Census and marriage records as a Garn. She died on 29 December 1935 in Washington Twp., Holmes Co., Ohio.<sup>[2543]</sup> Although her death record reports that she was born in 1853, she may have been born later since her parents married in June 1854 and the 1900 Census, cited below, reports that she was born in September, 1854.

Mary GARN married **Alexander C. WINTERS** on 10 March 1875 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2544] In 1880 they were living in Clinton Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2545] In 1900 they were living in Mansfield, Ohio. [2546] After her second husband's death, she and son Earl lived in Washington Twp., Holmes Co., Ohio. [2547] Alexander C. WINTERS was born about 1847 in Indiana. [2548]

Mary GARN and Alexander C. WINTERS had the following children: [2549]

- 941. i. **John E.<sup>9</sup> WINTERS** was born on 9 June 1873 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2550] He died on 24 June 1940 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [2551] He married **Addie**. [2552]
- 942. ii. **Emma<sup>9</sup> WINTERS** was born about 1876 in Ohio.
- 943. iii. **George E.<sup>9</sup> WINTERS** was born about 1878 in Steubenville, Jefferson Co., Ohio. [2553] He married **Emma E. FLOTO** (daughter of **Christopher FLOTO** and **Minnie ALBRIGHT**) on 28 October 1901 in Steubenville, Jefferson Co., Ohio. [2554] Emma E. FLOTO was born in 1882 in Steubenville, Jefferson Co., Ohio. [2555]
- 944. iv. **Sylvester Earl<sup>9</sup> WINTERS** was born on 12 October 1883 in Lakeville, Holmes Co., Ohio. [2556] He died on 21 August 1939 in Lakeville, Holmes Co., Ohio. [2557]

<sup>2542</sup> Letter dated 26 March 1968 from Kenneth H. Garn, grandson of Henry Wachtel Garn, to his uncle Charles H. Garn, letter within Garn family file at the Ashland County Library, Ashland Co., Ohio, names Henry's sisters Sarah Harpster and Mary, Mary's spouses and her son

<sup>2543</sup> Death Record for Mary Will, Ohio Deaths, 29 December 1935, File No. 73869, father indexed as Gavurs, mother unknown, informant was Earl Winters.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 8, p. 407, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898*, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 371; <br/>
beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 1 November 2010, cites FHL# 425756, Ref. No. vol. 8, p. 407.

<sup>2545 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Alexander Winters, Clinton Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1076, p. 111D, E.D. 228.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2546</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Alexander Winters, Mansfield Ward 5, Richland Co., Ohio, T623\_1316, p. 2A, E.D. 122, indexed as Elie Winters or Elic Winton.

<sup>2547 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mary Will, Washington Twp., Holmes Co., Ohio, Roll 1822, p. 6B, E.D. 20, son indexed as Earl S. W. Winton

From census records cited above.

<sup>2549</sup> Children named on censuses cited above and in individual records cited below.

Erom death record

Death Record for John E. Winters, Ohio Deaths, 24 June 1940, File No. 40396, names parents.

Addie named as spouse on John's death record.

From census and marriage records.

Marriage Record for George E. Winters and Emma E. Floto, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 1 November 2010, cites FHL# 900078, Ref. No. p. 166 and 2:3HXTGRM, names parents, groom's mother as Mary Garnes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2555</sup> From mariage record.

From death record.

<sup>2557</sup> Death Record for Sylvester Earl Winters, Ohio Deaths, 21 August 1939, File No. 51781, single, names parents.

Mary GARN next married **Jeremiah WILL** in January 1910. Mary's marriage to a man named Wills [sic] was reported by a grandson of Mary's brother Henry in a letter cited above. They lived in Mansfield, Ohio, in 1910. [2558] In 1920 Mary's son Earl Winters lived with them in Washington Twp., Holmes Co., Ohio. [2559] Jeremiah WILL was born about 1847 in Ohio.

399. Sarah<sup>8</sup> GARN (John<sup>7</sup>; Christopher<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #118, and Margaret STOUGH) was born on 21 April 1856 in Mohicanville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2560] She died on 26 June 1927 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2561] Her death record, as transcribed by <beta.familysearch.org>, reports that her father was Johnny Garner [sic], her mother unknown and that she was born in Mohicanville, Ohio. However, when we examine the actual death record for Sarah Harpster instead of the transcript, we interpret the name of her father as Henry Garns, not as Johnny Garner. We know that John Garn, who was Sarah's father, died when she was around 12 years old. And we know that she had a brother named Henry. Since the informant on the death record did not know Sarah's mother's name, it is entirely conceivable that the informant was confused about the name of Sarah's father. Therefore we are convinced that someone must have erred in recalling the name of Sarah's father.

Sarah GARN married Samuel HARPSTER on 21 June 1874 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2562] Assigning which Sarah Garn married Samuel Harpster was not obvious. Other Sarah Garns, who could not be credibly assigned to spouses, were eliminated because they would have been too young if census records are believed. So the evidence pointed to this Sarah as the spouse of Samuel Harpster. This was confirmed when we located a letter written by Kenneth H. Garn, a grandson of Sarah's brother Henry, in which Kenneth referred to "Grandfather's sister who married Harpster." [2563]

Samuel and Sarah appeared on the 1880-1910 U.S. Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2564] After Samuel died, Sarah lived with her son John in Perry Twp., Ashland County. [2565] Samuel HARPSTER was born on 12 May 1847 in Ohio. [2566] He died on 15 October 1916 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2567]

Death Record for Sarah Harpster, Ohio Deaths, 26 June 1927, File No. 32926, widowed, names spouse, parents, Mohicanville as birth place, S. J. Harpster as informant.

 $<sup>2558\\</sup>$  1910 U.S. Federal Census of Jeremiah Will, Mansfield Ward 3, Richland Co., Ohio, T624\\_1225, p. 16A, E.D. 184, indexed also as Jeramine Weld.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jeremiah Will, Washington Twp., Holmes Co., Ohio, T625 1400, p. 3B, E.D. 17, also indexed as

<sup>2560</sup> From death record.

Don and Lucille Boyd, Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886, (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), at Vol. 4, p. 14 of section indexed by females, cites p. 293 of original.

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and the solution of Samuel Harpster, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 124D, E.D. 86; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Harpster, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 124D, E.D. 86; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Harpster, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623 1237, p. 6A, E.D. 8; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Harpster, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 10B, E.D. 9.

<sup>2565 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John E. Harpster, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 1A, E.D. 16.

From death record.

Death Record for Samuel Harpster, Ohio Deaths, 15 October 1916, File No. 59704, married, names parents, John Harpster as

Sarah GARN and Samuel HARPSTER had the following children: [2568]

- i. Lewis Henry<sup>9</sup> HARPSTER was born on 8 March 1876 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2569] He died on 19 September 1914 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2570] According to his death record, he was a railroad engineer and fell off his engine, causing a head injury and probable cerebral hemorrhage. He married Stella DUNLAP (daughter of Jesse DUNLAP) on 4 December 1906 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2571] Stella DUNLAP was born in 1886. [2572]
- 946. ii. **Stewart Joseph<sup>9</sup> HARPSTER** was born on 8 November 1877 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2573] He died on 2 March 1930 in Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio. [2574] He probably was the S. J. Harpster who was the informant on his mother's death record. He married **Minnie**. [2575]
- 947. iii. Samuel HARPSTER was born about January 1880 in Ohio. [2576] He died on 3 April 1891 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2577] We believe he was the unnamed child of Samuel and Sarah who died on this date because the 1910 U.S. Census reports that Sarah had eight children of whom seven were living at the time and children other than Samuel can be shown to be living after 3 April 1891, which leaves only Samuel as the one who died then.
- 948. iv. **Henry D.<sup>9</sup> HARPSTER** was born in 1882.<sup>[2578]</sup> He married **Cloe COBLE** (daughter of **Henry COBLE** and **Elizabeth YANCY**) on 12 March 1905 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2579]</sup> Cloe COBLE was born in 1884.<sup>[2580]</sup>
- 949. v. **Herschel<sup>9</sup> HARPSTER** was born in 1885.<sup>[2581]</sup> He married **Effie MOSES** (daughter of **John MOSES**) on 29 September 1906 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2582]</sup> Effie MOSES was born in 1888.<sup>[2583]</sup>
- 950. vi. **Isabelle<sup>9</sup> HARPSTER** was born in 1890 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2584]</sup> She married **Charles J. BENEDICT** (son of **Arthur E. BENEDICT** and **Anna E. TROWBRIDGE**)

<sup>2568</sup> Children 1-3 from 1880 Census and as noted, 4-5 from marriage records, 6-8 from 1900 Census and as noted.

From death record.

Death Record for Louis Henry Harpster, Ohio Deaths, 19 Sept 1914, File No. 52258, married, names parents, Chloa Harpster as informant.

<sup>2571 &</sup>lt;a href="https://example.com/beta.familysearch.org">beta.familysearch.org</a>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 16 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg 272, groom's parents as Samuel Harpster and Garns, names bride's father only.

From marriage record.

From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2574</sup> Death Record for Stewart Joseph Harpster, Ohio Deaths, 2 March 1930, File No. 15369, married, names parents, Minnie Harpster as spouse and informant.

Minnie named as spouse on Stewart's death record.

<sup>2576</sup> From 1880 Census.

Death Record for unnamed Harpter [sic], <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 1 November 2010, cites FHL# 1765214, Ref. No. v2, p64, names parents, father as Samuel Harpter.

<sup>2578</sup> From marriage record.

<sup>2579 &</sup>lt;br/> <br/> <br/

From marriage record.

From marriage record.

<sup>2582 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 16 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg 250, groom's parents as Samuel Harpster and Garnes, names only bride's father.

From marriage record.

From marriage record.

on 3 June 1913 in Franklin Co., Ohio. [2585] Charles J. BENEDICT was born in 1891 in Utica, Licking Co., Ohio. [2586]

- 951. vii. Minnie<sup>9</sup> HARPSTER was born in 1893 in Ohio.
- 952. viii. **John E.** HARPSTER was born in 1895 in Ohio. He probably was the John Harpster who served as informant on the death record of his father. He was single and head of the household with his mother living with him in 1920. [2587]

400. **Henry Wachtel<sup>8</sup> GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; Christopher<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #118, and Margaret STOUGH) was born on 13 June 1861 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2588] He died on 26 February 1933 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2589] An obituary names his wife by her maiden name, his three sons, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Will of Lakeville. [2590]

Henry Wachtel GARN married **Alice E. MILLER** (daughter of **John MILLER**) on 1 March 1884 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2591] Although his last name on their marriage record is indexed as Garner, we have examined an image of the original and believe his last name was Garnes on the record and that it was transcribed and indexed incorrectly. Henry and Alice appeared on the 1900 - 1930 U.S. Federal Censuses in Mansfield, Ohio, with their children in the home in the early years. [2592]

Alice E. MILLER was born on 13 April 1862 in Knox Co., Ohio. [2593] She died on 29 June 1934 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2594] An obituary reports she was the widow of Henry W. Garn, names her three children, and reports a birth date one day earlier than the date reported on her death record. [2595]

Henry Wachtel GARN and Alice E. MILLER had the following children: [2596]

953. i. **Herschel R. C.** GARN was born on 21 December 1884 in Loudonville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2597] This date is one day earlier than that computed from his age at death on his death record. He died on 8 November 1887 in Loudonville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2598]

<sup>2587</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of John E. Harpster, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 1A, E.D. 16.

Death Record for Alice E. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 29 June 1934, File No. 39326, names spouse and father.

<sup>2585 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 16 November 2010, cites FHL# 1854962, Ref. No. item 1, p83, names parents.

From marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2588</sup> Birth date from date on death record.

Richland Co., Ohio Deaths, Death record of Henry Wachtel Garn, 26 February 1933, File 11709, names parents; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 83734720.

<sup>2590</sup> Obituary of Henry W. Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Times, 2 March 1933, p. 1, col. 1.

Marriage Record of Henry W. Garn and Alice E. Miller, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, 1 March 1884, v. 5, p. 410, No. 7950, indexed by <beta.familysearch.org> as Henry W. Garner.

<sup>2592 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garn, Mansfield Ward 4, Richland Co., Ohio, T623\_1316, p. 18A, E.D. 121, indexed as Henry H. Garn; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garn, Mansfield Ward 2, Richland Co., Ohio, T624\_1225, p. 11B, E.D. 180; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Henry W. Garn, Mansfield Ward 2, Richland Co., Ohio, T625\_1430, p. 13A, E.D. 200, indexed as H. W. Garn; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Henry W. Garn, Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, Roll 1863, p. 15A, E.D. 19.

From death record.

Obituary of Alice E. Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Times, 5 July 1934, as widow of Henry W. Garn, names sons Charles, G. M., and Kenneth

<sup>2596</sup> Children 2-4 appear on 1900 U.S. Census cited above and in obituaries, first child cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2597</sup> Birth Record for unnamed child born to Henry W. Garn and Alice E. Miller, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, bk. 2, pp. 102-103.

- +954. ii. **Gaylord Miller** GARN (1886 1969).
- +955. iii. Charles Herman<sup>9</sup> GARN (1891 1970).
- +956. iv. Kenneth Markray GARN (1897 1979).

412. **Adam A.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #125, and Mary HART) was born on 31 July 1842 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2599] He served in the Union army during the Civil War. [2600] He enlisted in Co. F, 10th Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, at Mansfield, Ohio, on 9 October 1862 and was discharged on 24 July 1865 at Lexington, North Carolina. A letter dated 27 December 1863 that was written by Adam's father to Samuel Garns, person #62, tells about Adam in the Civil War.

He died on 31 January 1932 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2601] An obituary reports his Civil War service and names his two married daughters and three sons. [2602]

Adam A. GARN married **Susannah KAHL** (daughter of **Solomon KAHL**, person #142, and **Catherine GILL**) on 31 October 1869 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2603] Adam and Susan appeared on the 1870 - 1910 U.S. Censuses in Ashland Co. Ohio. [2604] The 1910 census reports that they had been married 40 years and that their marriage was Adam's first and Susan's second. A five-year-old Sylvanus Garn, appearing on the 1870 census was actually Sylvanus Garman, Susan's son from her first marriage. He appears with the Garman surname in Adam Garn's home in the 1880 census.

Susannah is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Susannah<sup>8</sup> KAHL (Solomon<sup>7</sup>; Christina<sup>6</sup> GERN; Conrad<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #466, in this book. Additional information about Susannah may be found in her biography at person #466.

Adam A. GARN and Susannah KAHL had the following children: [2605]

- 957. i. **Ira Emmit<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 4 May 1870 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2606] He died on 6 February 1965 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2607] His obituary does not mention either a spouse or children.
- +958. ii. Catharine Melvina<sup>9</sup> GARN (1872 ).
- +959. iii. Harvey Elmer<sup>9</sup> GARN (1873 1949).

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 53, as Garns, age at death, 2y, 10m, 17d.

From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2600</sup> Civil War Pension file, Adam A. Garn, Co. F,10 Ohio Cavalry, App. #401844, Cert. #353304.

Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, 31 January 1932, cert. no. 105, names parents, spouse as Susann Garn; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 43317803.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2602</sup>Obituary of Adam Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 1 February 1932, p. 3, col. 3, names two daughters and three sons.

Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 31 October 1869, Book 3, p. 507, she as Mrs. Susan A. Garman; Susannah's death record names her parents; Susannah Kahl named as Adam's wife in his Civil War pension file.

<sup>2604 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 800A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL#1254991, p. 126C, E.D. 86; 1900 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 1A, E.D. 15; 1910 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 1A, E. D. 16.

Children are named and birth dates given in Adam's Civil War pension file, also named in Susannah's obituary and appear on census records; Birth records of children name parents.

<sup>2606</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 4 May 1870, bk 1, pp. 78-79, no. 1721.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2607</sup> Obituary of Emmit Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 6 February 1965, p.2, col. 1, names parents, surviving siblings.

- 960. iv. Anna B. GARN was born on 8 September 1877 in Ohio. [2608] She is named as Mrs. George Depler in her father's obituary. She married George W. DEPLER (son of Henry DEPLER and Margaret CAMPBELL) on 5 November 1903 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2609] George W. DEPLER was born in 1875. [2610]
  v. Marquis Leroy GARN (1882 - 1972).
- +961.

413. Melinda<sup>8</sup> GARN (John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #125, and Mary HART) was born on 2 September 1844, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2611] She died on 2 July 1890 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2612]

Melinda GARN married Francis Marion HEICHEL on 21 September 1865 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2613] Francis and Melinda appeared on the 1870 and 1880 censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2614] Francis Marion HEICHEL was born about 1847 in Ohio.

Melinda GARN and Francis Marion HEICHEL had the following children: [2615]

- i. Alvertus G. HEICHEL was born on 23 January 1866 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2616] He died on 19 May 1944 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2617] He married Emma SIGLER. [2618]
- ii. Ada V.9 HEICHEL was born about 1868 in Ohio.
- iii. Elnora V.9 HEICHEL was born in January 1870 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2619]
- iv. Sylvanus D.9 HEICHEL was born about 1871 in Ohio.
- 966. v. Malva E. HEICHEL was born about 1873 in Ohio.
- vi. **Loda Catharine**<sup>9</sup> **HEICHEL** was born on 1 December 1876 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2620] She died on 19 March 1877 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2621]
- 968. vii. Artis H. HEICHEL was born about 1878 in Ohio.

From marriage record and census records of parents.

<sup>2609 &</sup>lt;br/>Seta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 21 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg. 498, names parents, bride's father as Addison Garn and mother as Susan Kohl.

From marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 24024230.

Death record of Melinda Heichel, <beta.familysearch.org>, accessed 29 September 2010, cites FHL#2079446, Ref. No. 14; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 24024230; Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 2: Part 1, 1880 - 1894, (Ashland, Ohio, 2001), p. 53..

Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 21 September 1865, bk. 3, p. 239, he as Francis M. Heichael and she as Miss Malinda Garn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2614</sup> 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Francis Herchel, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, pp. 696A-696B, he as Francis Herckel; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Francis Herchel, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL#1254991, p. 125A, E.D.

Children except for Loda Catharine are named in 1880 U.S. Federal Census cited above.

From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2617</sup> <beta.familysearch.org>, accessed 28 September 2010, cites FHL#2032360, Cert. No. fn 34188, father as Marion Heichel, mother as Malinda Garns, names spouse.

Emma is named as spouse on death record of Alvertus.

Birth Record for Elnora V Heichel, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, January 1870, bk.1, pp. 12-83, day of month hard to read, names

Ashland County, Ohio Births, 1 December 1876, bk 1, pp. 230-231.

Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 1, 1867 - 1879, (Ashland, Ohio, 1999), p. 41.

415. **William M.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #125, and Mary HART) was born on 19 April 1849, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2622] He appears in the records as both William M. Garn and William H. Garn. He died on 2 June 1927 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2623] Newspaper articles reported his death and funeral arrangements. [2624]

William M. GARN married **Clarissa WILE** (daughter of **John WILE** and **Matilda MARK**) on 24 December 1874 in Ashland Co., Ohio. They appeared on the 1880 - 1920 censuses in Perry Twp., Ashland County. After William died their son John became head of the household with Clara living with him. Their son John appears as a single man with his parents on each of the censuses cited above. After their daughter Mina married, she and her family either lived in the Garn household or were the very next family listed in each of the censuses cited above. Clarissa WILE was born on 2 April 1857 in Wayne Co., Ohio. She died on 27 January 1938 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. Clarissa WILE was born on 2 April 1857 in Wayne Co., Ohio.

William M. GARN and Clarissa WILE had the following children: [2630]

- 969. i. **John W.** GARN was born on 22 November 1876 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2631] He died on 28 December 1954 in Polk, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2632]
- 970. ii. Mina Ethel<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 4 February 1884 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2633] She died after 28 December 1954. [2634] She married Howard E. COBBLER (son of William COBBLER and Florence GRAVEN) on 2 November 1910 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2635] Howard E. COBBLER was born about 1886.

416. **Rebecca<sup>8</sup> GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #125, and Mary HART) was born on 17 April 1853 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2636] She died on 26 March 1923 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2637]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2622</sup> From death record.

Ashland County, Ohio, Deaths, 2 June 1927, File No. 32928, he as William M. Garn, names parents, spouse as Clara Garn.

Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 3 June 1927, p. 2, col. 4; Loudonville [Ohio] Times, 9 June 1927.

Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 24 December 1874, bk. 4, p. 344.

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 1880,</sup> Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL#1254991, p. 210C, E.D. 90; 1900 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 6B, E.D. 15; 1910 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 2A, E.D. 16; 1920 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, pp. 8A-8B, E.D. 16.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John W. Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 4B, E.D. 23, he as John W. Garon.

<sup>2628</sup> From death record.

<sup>2629 &</sup>lt;br/>beta.familysearch.org>, accessed 28 September 2010, cites FHL#2023557, Cert. No. fn 12769, names spouse and parents; Death announce for Clara Garn, Louderville [Ohio] Times, 4 Feb 1938, names son and daughter.

Birth records of children name parents.

<sup>2631</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 22 November 1876, bk. 1, pp. 230-231.

Obituary of John W. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 29 December 1954, p. 5, col. 5, sister as Mrs. Howard Cobbler.

Ashland County, Ohio Births, 4 February 1884, bk. 2, pp. 102-103.

Named as a survivor in her brother's obituary.

<sup>2635 &</sup>lt;br/>beta familysearch.org>, accessed 29 September 2010, cites FHL 2079408, Ref. no. pg. 102, names parents of both.

From death record.

Death Record for Rebecca Houser, Ohio Deaths, 26 March 1923, File No. 21824, widowed, names spouse and father, father as John Garn born in Germany, Bart Earick as informant.

Rebecca GARN married **Alexander HOUSER** on 14 February 1874 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2638] They lived in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio in 1880 and moved to Mansfield, Ohio before the 1900 Census was recorded. [2639] In 1910 Rebecca appeared as the head of the household in Mansfield, Ohio, with her widowed daughter Jennie Fleck and children living with her. [2640] In 1920 Rebecca lived with her granddaughter Vera (Fleck) Earick and her husband Beart Earick and was mistakenly reported on the census to be the great-grandmother of Beart when she was the grandmother of Vera. [2641] Alexander HOUSER was born in 1850 in Ohio. [2642] He died on 6 January 1904 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2643]

Rebecca GARN and Alexander HOUSER had the following child: [2644] i. **Jeanette L.** HOUSER (1875 - 1943).

417. John L.<sup>8</sup> GARN (John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #125, and Mary HART) was born on 22 August 1855 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2645] He died on 16 March 1941 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2646] He undoubtedly was the John Garn whose farm produced the "largest yield of wheat we have heard of this year" in 1892 in Mohican Twp., Ashland County. [2647] The news item reports he had an average yield of 26 ½ bushels per acre from 36 acres whereas the average yield for Ohio that year was 9 ½ bushels less per acre.

John L. GARN married Rosa E. CARVER on 13 September 1877 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2648] They appeared on the 1880 and 1900 U.S. Federal Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland County. [2649] In 1880 they were living with John L.'s father. Rosa E. CARVER was born on 6 March 1855 in Morgan Co., Ohio. [2650] She died on 7 April 1904 in



Grave marker for John L. Garn, person #417

 $<sup>2638 \\</sup> Don and Lucille Boyd, \textit{Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886, And Volume 5, 1878 -$ (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), at Vol. 4, p. 14 of section indexed by females, cites p. 277 of original, she as Margaret R. Garn.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Alexander Houser, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 210C, E.D. 90; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Alexander Houser, Mansfield Ward 8, Richland Co., Ohio, T623 1316, p. 4B, E.D. 125, spouse indexed as Margaret P. 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Rebecca Houser, Mansfield Ward 4, Richland Co., Ohio, T624\_1225, p. 5B, E.D. 190.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Beart Earick, Mansfield Ward 1, Richland Co., Ohio, T625 1430, p. 3A, E.D. 193, Rebecca Houser mistakenly reported as great-grandmother of head of household when actually grandmother of wife of head of household. From death record.

 $<sup>2643 &</sup>lt; beta. family search. org >, Ohio Deaths \ and \ Burials, \ 1854-1997, \ accessed \ 18 \ November \ 2010, \ cites \ FHL\# \ 397773, \ Ref. \ No. \ v. \ 1, \ p. \ 75, \ No. \ v. \ 1, \ p. \ 75, \ No. \ v. \ 1, \ p. \ 75, \ No. \ v. \ 1, \ p. \ 75, \ No. \ v. \ 1, \ p. \ 75, \ No. \ v. \ 1, \ p. \ 75, \ No. \ v. \ 1, \ p. \ 75, \ No. \ v. \ 1, \ p. \ 10, \ No. \ v. \ 10, \ No. \ 10, \ 10, \ No. \ 10, \ 10, \ No. \ 10, \ 10, \ No. \ 10,$ does not name spouse or parents.

<sup>2644 1880</sup> Census cited above and death record of Jeanette.

From death record.

Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, 16 March 1941, File No. 21008, names parents, widowed, spouse as Epherd Garn; <www.findagraye.com>, Memorial# 44443192; Obituary of John L. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 17 March 1941, p. 3, col. 2. names surviving son and daughter as Vanus Garn and Mrs. Maude Householder...

News item about wheat yield at farm of John Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 22 October, 1891.

Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 13 September 1877, bk. 4, p. 527.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL#1254991, p. 125B, E.D. 86; 1900 U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623 1237, p. 7A, E.D. 8.

From death record.

Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2651]

John L. GARN and Rosa E. CARVER had the following children: [2652]

- i. **Maude Ethel<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 19 March 1883 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2653] She died on 5 March 1961 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [2654] She married **Jason A. HOUSEHOLDER** (son of **Michael HOUSEHOLDER** and **Sarah SCHULTZ**) on 6 February 1902 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2655] Jason A. HOUSEHOLDER was born in 1881. [2656] He was a younger brother of Elpherd, who was the second wife of Maude's father after Maude's mother died.
- +973. ii. Sylvanus L.<sup>9</sup> GARN (1887 1952).

John L. GARN next married **Elpherd HOUSEHOLDER** (daughter of **Michael HOUSEHOLDER** and **Sarah SCHULTZ**) on 21 September 1905 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2657] John and Elpherd appeared on the 1910-1930 U.S. Federal Censuses in Mohican Twp. [2658] Elpherd appeared with sons Charles and James on the 1900 Census as Elphie Kyler, widowed, and head of the household in Mohican Twp. [2659] The 1910 Census cited above reports that both John and Elpherd had been married twice.

Elpherd HOUSEHOLDER was born on 29 April 1863 in Ohio. [2660] She died on 4 May 1931 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2661] A notice in the newspaper reported that her son James P. Kyler from her first marriage was appointed administrator of her estate. [2662]

418. **Mary Catharine**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #125, and Mary HART) was born on 31 July 1857, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2663] She died on 27 November 1934 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2664]

 $<sup>^{2651}</sup>$  Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, 7 April 1904, bk. 2, p. 68.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2652</sup> Parents are named on birth record of each child.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2653</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 19 March 1883, bk. 2, pp. 100-101.

Obituary of Maude E. Householder, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 6 March 1961, p. 2, col. 3, names daughter, deceased husband and two deceased sons.

Marriage Record for Jason A. Householder and Maude E. Garn, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 21 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg. 311, names parents.

From marriage record.

Marriage Record of John L. Garn and Elphred Kyler, <beta.familysearch.org>, accessed 1 October 2010, cites FHL#2074228, Ref. No. 12891, she previously married.

<sup>2658 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John L. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 7B, E.D. 9, Elpherd's sons Charles and James Kyler living with mother and step-father and indexed as Kegler; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of John L. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 6B, E.D. 9; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of John L. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 2A, E.D. 15.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2659</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Elphie Kyler, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 7B, E.D. 8.

From death record.

Death Record for Mrs. Elpherd Garn, Ohio Deaths, 4 May 1931, File No. 34415, names parents, spouse; Funeral Announcement Notice for Mrs. of John L. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 8 May 1931.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2662</sup> Notice of Applintment of Administrator for the estate of Wlpherd Kyler Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Times, 21 May 1931.

From death record.

Death Record of Mary Catherine Carver, <beta.familysearch.org>, accessed 30 September 2010, cites FHL# 2022232, Cert. No. fn 68765, names spouse, father as John Garns and mother as Hart without a first name; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 100507371.

Mary Catharine GARN married Charles H. CARVER on 4 January 1879 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2665] Charles and Mary Catharine appeared on the 1880 U.S. Federal Census with Charles' parents in Mohican Twp., Ashland County and on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [2666] Charles H. CARVER was born about 1857. [2667] Censuses report both Ohio and Pennsylvania as his birthplace.

Mary Catharine GARN and Charles H. CARVER had the following children: [2668]

- i. Lottie M.9 CARVER was born in February 1880. 974.
- ii. Ritchie<sup>9</sup> CARVER was born in November 1882. 975.
- iii. Freddie CARVER was born in November 1882.
- iv. **Boyd D.** CARVER was born in July 1885. He appears as Bennett on the 1900 Census.
- v. Ada<sup>9</sup> CARVER was born in September 1893.
- vi. Virgil<sup>9</sup> CARVER was born in May 1897.

419. Henry J. GARN (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #126, and Elizabeth JACKSON) was born on 16 June 1839, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2669] He died on 23 May 1924 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2670] He died of "infirmities of old age." A news item in 1910 reported his intent to hold a public sale at his home west of Reedsburg. [2671]

Henry J. GARN married **Sarah EWING** (daughter of **John EWING** and **Eleanor MOWREY**) on 14 November 1861 in Ashland Co., Ohio [2672] Henry and Sarah appeared on the 1870 U.S. Federal Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2673] After that they lived in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, where they appeared on the 1880-1920 U.S. Federal Censuses. [2674] Sarah EWING was born on 5 November 1844 in Ohio. [2675] She died on 26 May 1921 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2676] A lengthy obituary

Don and Lucille Boyd, Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886, (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), at Vol. 5, p. 13 of section indexed by females, cites p. 46 of original, she as Catharine Garn.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles H. Carver, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL#1254991, p. 127B, E.D. 86, Charles as son of Edmund Carver, head of household; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Charles Carver, Mansfield Ward 5, Richland Co., Ohio, T623 1316, p. 20B, E.D. 122; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Charles Carver, Mansfield Ward 2, Richland Co., Ohio, T624 1225, pp. 9B-10A, E.D. 182.

From censuses cited above.

From censuses cited above.

From death record.

<sup>2670</sup> Death Record for Henry J. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 23 May 1924, File No. 31603, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 43753733; Obituary of Henry J. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record 23 May 1924, p. 2, col. 5, names surviving children Eli, S. G., Mrs. Frank Oberholtzer, Sylvester, R. N. [sic], and A. B; Death notice of Henry J. Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Times Gazette, 23 May 1924, names children, sister.

News item about public sale held by H. J. Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 9 March 1910.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2672</sup> Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, 14 November 1861, bk. 3, p. 74.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2673</sup> 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Henry J. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 698A, indexed as Harvey J. Garn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2674</sup> 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Henry J. Garn, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1077, FHL# 1255077, p. 286A, E.D. 235; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Henry J. Garn, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T623 1332, p. 5B, E.D. 156; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Henry J. Garn, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624 1239, p. 2B, E.D. 177; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Henry J. Garn, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T625 1448, p. 2A, E.D. 208.

From death record.

Death Record for Sarah Garn, Ohio Deaths, 26 May 1921, File No. 30524, names spouse and parents, mother indexed as Eleanor

that names her Sarah Ewing reports on her life and death. [2677] She was a faithful member of the Reedsburg Grace Reformed Church from 1878 when she joined until her death.

Henry J. GARN and Sarah EWING had the following children: [2678]

- 980. i. **John J.<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born about 1862 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2679] He died on 6 August 1888 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2680]
- +981. ii. **Rolandus M.** GARN (1863 1944).
- 982. iii. **Sarah<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born about 1864 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2681] She died on 12 January 1879 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2682] There are excellent reasons to conclude that she was known by both Sarah and Eliz and that she died young. [2683]
- +983. iv. **Alva B.** GARN (1866 1945).
- +984. v. Sylvester<sup>9</sup> GARN (1868 1947).
- 985. vi. Samuel G.9 GARN was born on 22 April 1870 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2684] He died on 23 August 1956 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [2685] His obituary reports that he lived in Wooster, Ohio for 41 years and that he owned and operated a furniture and appliance business on East Liberty Street there until he retired four years before he died. He married Edna SNYDER (daughter of Jacob M. SNYDER and Elizabeth ZINN) on 1 May 1915 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2686] Edna SNYDER was born on 17 November 1880 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2687] She died on 3 May 1957 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [2688] We have not found any record of children born to this marriage.
- +986. vii. Eli<sup>9</sup> GARN (1871 1955).
- 987. viii. Clara Vietta<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 27 July 1873 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2689] She married Benjamin F. OBERHOLTZER (son of Melchior OBERHOLTZER and Matilda JONES) on 27 July 1909 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2690] They appeared on the 1910-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2677</sup> Obituary of Sarah Garn, as Sarah Ewing, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 27 June 1921, pg. 4, col. 4.

<sup>2678</sup> Children are named in 1870-1900 Censuses cited above and in birth or death records cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2679</sup> Estimated from death record and 1870 and 1880 U.S. Federal Census cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2680</sup> Wayne County, Ohio Death Records, Wayne Co. Probate Court, vol. 2, p. 36, age at death 25y.

Appears with her parents on 1870 Census as a 7-year-old child; death record places birth about two years later.

Wayne County, Ohio Death Records, Wayne Co. Probate Court, vol. 1, p. 93, as Eliz E. Garn, age at death 13y.

Her mother's obituary reports that she had ten children, that two died in infancy and John and Eliz [sic] died as young adults. This leaves six who were still living when the obituary was written. We can show that all of the eight children listed for Henry and wife Sarah, except John and Sarah, were living when their mother's obituary was written because they are mentioned as survivors in Henry's obituary and he died after his wife. Therefore the daughter Sarah appearing on the 1870 Census had to have died young. Furthermore, even though the mother's obituary names a daughter Eliz, no Eliz appears on any census. We further believe Sarah was known by both Eliz and Sarah since her mother's obituary names a daughter Eliz and that she is the Eliz whose death is reported in the Wayne Co., Ohio, death records even though the record, cited above, does not name parents.

Ashland County, Ohio Births, 22 April 1870, bk. 1, pp. 82-83.

Obituary of Samuel G. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 23 Aug 1956, p. 2, col. 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2686</sup> <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 19 November 2010, cites FHL# 425761.

From marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2688</sup> Obituary of Edna Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 3 May 1957, p. 2, col. 1, widowed, names parents; Funeral Service Announcement for Edna Garn, 7 May 1957, p. 2, col. 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2689</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 27 July 1873. bk. 1, pp. 160-161.

Marriage Record for B. F. Oberholtzer and Clara V. Garn, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 19 November 2010, cites FHL# 425760, Ref. No. vol. 17, p. 234, cn468, names parents.

1930 Censuses in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2691] The 1910 U.S. Census reports that his marriage to Clara was his third while it was only Clara's first marriage. No children appeared on any of the 1910 through 1930 Censuses. Benjamin F. OBERHOLTZER was born about 1857 in Pennsylvania. [2692]

420. **Sarah**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #126, and Elizabeth JACKSON) was born on 30 May 1842, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2693] She died on 12 September 1926 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2694]

Sarah GARN married **James MCFADDEN** on 12 November 1863 in Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2695]</sup> James is named as Sarah's spouse on her death record. James and Sarah appeared on the 1870 - 1900 Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2696]</sup> Sarah appeared as a widow on the 1910 Census. <sup>[2697]</sup> James MCFADDEN was born in 1842 in Ohio. <sup>[2698]</sup> He died on 7 April 1906, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2699]</sup>

Sarah GARN and James MCFADDEN had the following children, all probably born in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio:<sup>[2700]</sup>

- 988. i. Mary E. MCFADDEN was born about 1865. She appears only on the 1870 U.S. Census.
- 989. ii. **Flora E.** MCFADDEN was born about 1866. She is indexed as Lovell in the 1870 U.S. Census and Flora E. in the 1880 U.S. Census. We are not sure which is correct.
- 990. iii. **Clara P.<sup>9</sup> MCFADDEN** was born on 18 April 1868.<sup>[2701]</sup> She died on 19 December 1931 in Green Twp., Marshall Co., Ohio.<sup>[2702]</sup> She married **Charles W. BOWERS**.<sup>[2703]</sup>
- 991. iv. **John W.<sup>9</sup> MCFADDEN** was born on 22 April 1870.<sup>[2704]</sup> He died before 9 June 1880, probably in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2705]</sup>

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<sup>2691 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Benj. F. Oberholtzer, as Overholtzer, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624\_1239, pp. 4A-4B, E.D. 177; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Benjamin F. Oberholtzer, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T625\_1448, p. 1B, E.D. 208; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Frank Oberholtzer, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1888, p. 12A, E.D. 27.

From census records cited above.

From death record.

Death record of Sarah McFadden, Ohio Deaths, 12 Sept 1926, File No. 53809, names parents and spouse; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40784590.

Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 12 November 1863, bk. 3, p. 154.

<sup>2696 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of James McFadden, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 696B, appears on census immediately after Sarah's father; 1880 U.S.Federal Census of James McFadden, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL# 1254991, p. 127B, E.D. 86, as McFodden; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of James McFadden, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623 1237, p. 5A, E.D. 8, as Mc Faden.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Sarah McFadden, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 8B, E.D. 9, Sarah, widowed and mother of 8 children, 6 living.

Year of birth appears on death record, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2699</sup> "Ohio, Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 March 2014, James McFadden, 7 April 1906, cites FHL# 2079446; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 43758151.

<sup>2700</sup> Children named in census records cited above and on birth and death records of children cited below.

Birth Record of Clara Bell McFadden, <beta.familysearch.org> accessed 3 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079446, Ref. no. v2., p. 26, mother as Sarah McFadden.

<sup>2702</sup> Ohio Deaths, 19 Dec 1931, File no. 75164, names parents and spouse.

Death record of Clara names Charles as spouse.

- 992. v. **Melvin Leslie<sup>9</sup> MCFADDEN** was born on 5 September 1872.<sup>[2706]</sup> He died on 2 October 1945 in Perry Twp., Stark Co., Ohio.<sup>[2707]</sup>
- 993. vi. **Laura M.<sup>9</sup> MCFADDEN** was born on 5 July 1875. [2708]
- 994. vii. **Elizabeth M.** MCFADDEN was born about 1877. Her age, 19, on her marriage record suggests that she was born around 1891. We believe her age was recorded incorrectly because several census records point to a birth around 1877 and the marriage record clearly names her parents. She married **Wayne A. HERRALD** (son of **Daniel HERRALD** and **Ellen CULBERTSON**) on 15 September 1910 in Windsor, Essex Co., Ontario, Canada. [2709] Wayne A. HERRALD was born about 1879. [2710]
- 995. viii. **James Edwin<sup>9</sup> MCFADDEN** was born on 12 December 1878.<sup>[2711]</sup> He died on 6 October 1947 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2712]</sup> His death record reports that his wife was named Verna suggesting that he may have remarried after his marriage to Sarah. He married **Sarah L. STACHER** (daughter of **Samuel STACHER** and **Isabel GRAHAM**) on 4 January 1916 in Wayne Co., Ohio.<sup>[2713]</sup> Sarah L. STACHER was born on 29 October 1876 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio.
- 996. ix. **Albert Ross<sup>9</sup> MCFADDEN** was born on 19 June 1882.<sup>[2714]</sup> He died on 4 September 1952 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2715]</sup> His death record reports that he never married.

445. **Amanus Thomas**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Solomon<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Solomon GARN, person #136, and Rhoda Ann HOLLINGER) was born on 5 December 1865 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2716] He died on 31 October 1941 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2717]

Amanus Thomas GARN married **Sadie KAUFFMAN** (daughter of **Peter KAUFFMAN** and **Fannie RUTTER**) on 21 October 1891 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2718] They lived in Milton Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio in 1900 and 1910. [2719] Sadie KAUFFMAN was born on 6 March 1874 in Ohio. [2720] She died

<sup>2704 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org> accessed 3 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079446, Ref. no. v2, p. 82.

He does not appear on the 1880 U.S. Federal Census with his parents.

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Ohio Deaths, 2 October 1945, File no. 62144, widowed, names parents.

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<sup>&</sup>quot;Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 26 May 2014, Wayne A. Herrald and Elizabeth McFadden, 15 September 1910, names parents, cites registration 9808, Archives of Ontario, Toronto, FHL# 1887239.

From age on marriage record.

Ashland County, Ohio Births, 12 [sic] December 1878, bk. 1, pp. 262-263, as Edwin McFaddin.

Ohio Deaths, 6 October 1947, File no. 60381, names parents and spouse as Verna.

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<sup>2714 &</sup>lt; beta.familysearch.org > accessed 3 October 2010, cites FL# 2079446, v.2, p. 212, birth on 15 [sic] June 1882.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2715</sup> Ohio Deaths, 4 September 1952, File no. 54968, never married, birth as 19 [sic] June 1882.

<sup>2716</sup> From death record

<sup>2717</sup> Death Record for Amanus Thomas Garn, Ohio Deaths, 31 October 1941, File No. 58397, names parents, spouse as Cora.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 11, p. 422, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898*, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 87, as Emanuel Garn; Marriage Record for Amanus Garn and Sadie Kaufman, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 12 November 2010, cites FHL# 425758, Ref. No. pg 422, he as Emanuel Garn.

<sup>2719 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Amanus Garn, Milton Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T623\_1332, p. 2B, E.D. 154, as Manie Garns; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Amanus Garn, Milton Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624\_1239, p. 15B, E.D. 174, as Manie Garn.

on 27 June 1914 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2721] When she died, her estate was settled in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2722]

Amanus Thomas GARN and Sadie KAUFFMAN had the following children: [2723]

- 997. i. Vida R.<sup>9</sup> GARN was born about 1892 in Ohio. [2724] She married

  Norman Ray WHEELER (son of Cortez WHEELER and Amy VEALY) on 1 June
  1909 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2725] Norman Ray WHEELER was born in 1889. [2726]
- 998. ii. **Ethel M.<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born about 1897 in Ohio. [2727] She married **Orra H. FRY** (son of **A. N. FRY** and **Ida HILE**) on 7 April 1913 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2728] Orra H. FRY was born about 1892 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2729]

Amanus Thomas GARN next married **Cora MILLER** (daughter of **Francis MILLER** and **Mary**) on 18 December 1916 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2730] She was Cora Daringer when they married. Her marriage to Mr. Daringer ended in divorce. Manie and Cora lived in Ashland, Ohio in 1920. [2731] Cora MILLER was born on 7 April 1883 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2732]

446. **Solomon Edgar<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Solomon<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Solomon GARN, person #136, and Rhoda Ann HOLLINGER) was born on 11 March 1874 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2733] He went by the name Edgar and appears as S. Edgar on his grave marker. His birth record reports his gender as female even though the date corresponds exactly with the birth date on his death record. He died on 30 November 1943 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2734]

From death record

Death Record for Sadie Sarah Garn, Ohio Deaths, 27 June 1914, Rile No. 32040, names parents, A.T. Garn as informant.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Estates, file 14039, Probate file for Sadie Garn, names spouse, daughters and their husbands.

<sup>2723</sup> Children named in Sadie's estate file, cited above; Children appear on census of parents and as children on their marriage records cited below.

From census of parents.

<sup>2725 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 6 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg. 512, names parents, bride's father as Manuel Garn.

From marriage record.

From census records of parents.

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From marriage record.

Marriage Record for Amanus T. Garn and Cora Daringer, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 11
 November 2010, cites FHL# 425761, bride's mother as Mary Miller.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Amanus Garn, Ashland Ward 4, Ashland Co., Ohio, T625 1347, p. 13A, E.D. 14, as Amassus Garn.

From marriage record.

Birth Record for Solomon Edgar Garn, 11 March 1874, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, bk. 1, pp. 148-148, as S. E. Garn, gender as female but date exactly matches date of birth on death record.

Death Record for Solomon Edgar Garn, Ohio Deaths, 30 November 1943, File No. 66407, spouse and informant as Dora Garn, names parents, mother as Hullinger; Obituary of Edgar Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 1 December 1943, p. 10, col. 6, names spouse, daughter.

Solomon Edgar GARN married **Dora Olive TREACE** (daughter of **Michael S. TREACE** and **Margaret J. CUNNING**) on 19 September 1897 in Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2735]</sup> They appeared on the 1900 - 1920 Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2736]</sup> Dora Olive TREACE was born on 25 December 1878 in Rochester, Fulton Co., Indiana. <sup>[2737]</sup> She died on 11 September 1952 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2738]</sup> A newspaper article, citing Jeromesville as the origin, reports the following about him: <sup>[2739]</sup>

Ed Garn, the hotel man, is preparing to move to Dayton and will discontinue the hotel business here and will have a sale of his hotel and livery outfit, etc., February 3. Mr. Garn intends to rent his hotel and it must be said th[at] there is no better point in the state, being a splendid location near the A. & W. depot, for doing a splendid business as he has heretofore done. He will be a lucky man that takes up the trade where Mr. Garn leaves off, who will be the one is hard to tell.

An article three weeks later paints a somewhat different picture: [2740]

Ed Garn, the former hotel man, went Monday to Mansfield to take a position on the electric line in the city as motorman and will move there with his family soon after his sale on February 8. He had partly concluded to locate at Dayton but gave it up. There is still an open chance for securing his plant, a sure money maker.

The Jeromesville Cemetery in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio has grave markers for S. Edgar, Dora O., and E. Irene Garn. [2741]

Solomon Edgar GARN and Dora Olive TREACE had the following child: [2742]

999. i. **Ellen Irene<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 15 March 1904 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2743] She died on 25 January 1997 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2744] She appears as Ellen I. Garn on the 1910 and 1920 Censuses and as E. Irene on her grave marker. She was a bookkeeper and probably never married.

456. **Caroline B.**<sup>8</sup> **HARMON** (Mary Margaret GARN; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Benjamin F. HARMON, and Mary Margaret GARN, person #138) was born about 1882 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [2745] She died on 16 October 1959 in

Death Record for Dora Olive Garn, Ohio Deaths, 11 September 1952, File No. 54987, widowed, names parents; Obituary of Dora Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 12 September 1952, p. 2, col. 1, names daughter and deceased spouse.

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Marriage Record for S. E. Garn and Dora V. Trease, Ashland Co., <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 12 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079407, Ref. No. pg 95, CN 10467, she as Dora V. Trease.

<sup>2736 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Solomon E. Garns, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 3A, E.D. 8; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Solomon E. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 3A, E.D. 9; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Solomon E. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 10A, E.D. 9.

From death record.

Newspaper article about plans of Ed Garn to move to Dayton, Ohio, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 8 January 1913, as reported in the Obituary Notebook, D-I, 1890-1915, Ashland Co. Library, Ashland, Ohio.

Newspaper article about plans of Ed Garn to move to Mansfield, Ohio, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 29 January, 1913, as reported in the Obituary Notebook, D-I, 1890-1915, Ashland Co. Library, Ashland, Ohio.

Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township*, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 145.

<sup>2742</sup> Child appears in 1910 and 1920 Censuses and parents are named on her obituary.

<sup>2743</sup> Birth Record for Ellen Irene Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, 15 March 1904, bk. 3, p. 76, names parents.

<sup>2744</sup> Obituary of Irene Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record,27 January 1997, sec. C, p. 10, col. 2, names parents.

Date from death record, place from record of marriage to John L. Boylan.

Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio. [2746] Her death record reports that her residence was Newark, Licking Co., Ohio. She was buried there in Cedar Hill Cemetery. [2747]

Caroline B. HARMON married **William Logan JACKSON** (son of **Alpha JACKSON** and **Sarah WIGGINS**) on 26 June 1906 in Richland Co., Ohio. [2748] William and Caroline appeared on the 1910 U.S. Census in Newark, Ohio. [2749] Two children, one from his first marriage and one from his marriage to Caroline were in the home at the time. William Logan JACKSON was born on 22 December 1870 in Otsego, Ohio. [2750] His death record and marriage record agree on the name of his father. His mother is Sarah Wiggins on his marriage record and Sabina McCune on his death record. Since it is more likely that he provided the information for his marriage record than his death record, we presume his mother was Sarah Wiggins. He died on 28 October 1928 in Newark, Licking Co., Ohio. [2751] He was a physician.

Caroline B. HARMON next married **John L. BOYLAN** (son of **John BOYLAN** and **Luie WAPLEY**) on 1 March 1930 in Licking Co., Ohio. [2752] John L. BOYLAN was born in 1887 in Washington, Ohio. [2753] He died in 1940. [2754]

466. **Susannah**<sup>8</sup> **KAHL** (Solomon<sup>7</sup>; Christina<sup>6</sup> GERN; Conrad<sup>5</sup>; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Solomon KAHL, person #142, and Catherine GILL) was born on 5 April 1846 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2755] She died on 13 January 1918 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2756] An obituary reports that she had been married to Henry German [sic] with whom she had a son Sylvanus German prior to her marriage to Adam. [2757] That obituary also reports that her marriage to Adam Garn occurred on 1 October, which is 30 days prior to the date in the official Ashland County records.

Susannah KAHL married **Henry GARMAN** on 31 December 1863 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2758] Henry GARMAN was born on 29 September 1839 in Pennsylvania. [2759] We presume he is the Henry

Death Record for William Logan Jackson, Ohio Deaths, 2 October 1928, File No. 61699, names parents, mother as Sabina McCune, spouse as Caroline B. Jackson, Dr. of Medicine as occupation, birth place as Otsegoe, Ohio.

Death Record for Susannah Garns, Ohio Deaths, 13 January 1918, File No. 143, reports she was married, names parents, indexed as Sussanh Gurns; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 43317804; Death Announcement for Mrs. Adam Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Advocate, 17 January 1918, p. 5, col. 2, names two daughters and three sons, son Marquis as Martin.

Obituary of Susan Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Democrat, 24 January 1918, p. 7, col. 5, names parents, reports first and second marriages and children from both marriages.

2758 "Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 10 April 2014, Henry Garman and Susannah Kahl, 31 December 1863, cites FHL# 2074386 and 2079406; Marriage in 1864 [sic] reported in Susannah's obituary, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2746</sup> "Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, 1958-2007," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 16 May 2014, Carolin B. Boylan, 16 October 1959, <ancestry.com>, birth in 1881, cites vol 15922, cert. no. 70254.

<sup>2747 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 64334503.

Marriage Record for W. L. Jackson and Caroline B. Harmon, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 14 November 2010, cites FHL# 388745, Ref. No. p. 485, names parents, bride's father Harmon and mother as Mary M. Garns, groom's mother as Sarah Wiggins.

<sup>2749 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William L. Jackson, Newark Ward 3, Licking Co., Ohio, T624\_1204, p. 7A, E.D. 83, physician as occupation.

From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2752</sup> Marriage Record for John L. Boylan and Caroline B. Jackson, <br/>
Seta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 14 November 2010, cites FHL# 384316, Ref. No. P-41, CN 13427, names parents, bride widowed, bride's mother as Mary Garnes.

From marriage record; grave marker reports that he was born a year earlier.

<sup>2754 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 64333008, reports birth in 1886.

From death record.

Garman who appeared on the 1860 Census in nearby Plain Twp., Wayne County. [2760] He died on 21 February 1866, probably in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2761] Susannah's obituary reports that Henry, "was accidentally killed a couple of years after their marriage."

Susannah KAHL and Henry GARMAN had the following child: [2762]

i. **Sylvanus<sup>9</sup> GARMAN** was born on 3 December 1865 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2763]
Although his death record reports that he was born in 1868, his age as reported on the 1870 and 1880 Censuses, when he appeared in the home of his step-father Adam Garn, suggests a birth in 1865. And a 1900 Census, which we are convinced is his, reports a birth in December 1865. [2764] He died on 4 April 1933 in Milton Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2765] According to an obituary for his mother, he resided, "north of Wooster," at the time of her death. He married **Mary KAUFMAN** on 4 January 1894 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2766] They appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Wooster, Ohio. [2767]
Mary KAUFMAN was born about 1868 in Ohio. [2768]

Susannah KAHL next married **Adam A. GARN** (son of **John GARN**, person #125, and **Mary HART**) on 31 October 1869 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2769] Adam and Susan appeared on the 1870 - 1910 U.S. Censuses in Ashland Co. Ohio. [2770] The 1910 census reports that they had been married 40 years and that their marriage was Adam's first and Susan's second. A five-year-old Sylvanus Garn, appearing on the 1870 census was actually Sylvanus Garman, Susan's son from her first marriage. He appears with the Garman surname in Adam Garn's home in the 1880 census.

Adam is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Adam A.<sup>8</sup> GARN (John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #412, in this book. Additional information about Adam may be found in his biography at person #412.

Susannah KAHL and Adam A. GARN had five children. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the children have already been named and given numbers 957 to 961 and appear earlier in the book with the biography of Adam, person #412.

From age at death on grave marker.

<sup>2760 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Michael Garman, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, M653 1051, p. 262.

<sup>2761 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44443191.

<sup>2762</sup> Sylvanus named as son in Susannah's obituary; Susannah and Henry named as parents on Sylvanus' death record.

Day and month from death record, cited below, year from census records.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2764</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Sylvanus Garman, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 5A, E.D. 8, as Vanus Garman, indexed as V. Garman and Vance Garman.

Death Record for Sylvanus Garman, Ohio Deaths, 4 April 1933, file no. 25195, as Sylvanius, names spouse, parents as Henry Garman and Susan Kale.

<sup>2766 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 21 April 2014, Sylvanus Garman and Mary Kaufman, 4 January 1894, cites Wayne Co., Ohio, Page 80, FHL# 425758.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2767</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Sylvanus Garman, Wooster Ward 4, Wayne Co., Ohio, T625\_1448, Page 2A, E.D. 221; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Sylvaniss Garman [sic], Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1888, Page 20B, E.D. 35, FHL# 2341622.

<sup>2768 1920</sup> and 1930 Censuses, cited above.

Ashland County, Ohio Marriages, 31 October 1869, Book 3, p. 507, she as Mrs. Susan A. Garman; Susannah's death record names her parents; Susannah Kahl named as Adam's wife in his Civil War pension file.

<sup>2770 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 800A; 1880 U.S. Federal Census, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, FHL#1254991, p. 126C, E.D. 86; 1900 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 1A, E.D. 15; 1910 U.S. Federal Census, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 1A, E. D. 16.

487. **Rozella<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 6 May 1850 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2771] She died on 5 December 1926. [2772] Rozella GARN married James WELLS on 28 April 1870 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2773] They appeared on the 1880 U.S. Federal Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2774] We do not find them living together after that. In 1900 Rosella was head of the household with a boarder in Mohican Twp. [2775] In 1910 she lived with her parents in Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2776] James WELLS was born about 1842 in Ohio. [2777]

Rozella GARN and James WELLS had the following children: [2778]

- i. Thomas Jefferson<sup>9</sup> WELLS was born on 15 September 1873 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2779] He died on 10 January 1957 in New London, Huron Co., Ohio. [2780]
- ii. Henry WELLS was born on 9 February 1881 in Mohican Twp.. Ashland Co.. Ohio. [2781] 1002.

Rozella GARN next married Frank H. HARPLEY (son of John HARPLEY and Mary GREENGRASS) on 24 August 1911 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2782] Frank H. HARPLEY was born in Sharon, Ohio.

488. **Lodemea<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 18 August 1852 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2783] She died on 10 December 1934 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio [2784]

Date from <www.findagrave.com>. Memorial# 40178511, supported by census records, place from record of marriage to Frank H.

<sup>2772 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40178511.

Don and Lucille Boyd, Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886, (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), Marriage of Rosella Garn to James Wells, at Vol. 4, p. 14 of section indexed by females, cites p. 12 of original. 1880 U.S. Federal Census of James Wells, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, pp. 123A-123B, E.D. 86.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Roselle Wells, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623 1237, p. 6A, E.D. 8.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garn, Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624 1239, p. 4A, E.D. 167, daughter Rosella Wells, age 55, living in household.

From 1880 U.S. Federal Census, cited above.

Thomas appears on 1880 U.S. Federal census; records of children, cited below, name James and Rosella as parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;br/><beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079446. Ref. No. v2. p. 160, he as Thomas J. Wells, names parents.

<sup>2780 &</sup>lt;br/>
Seta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 2073138, Ref. No. Reg #15, married, names parents, mother as Rozella Garn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;br/><beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079446, Ref. No. v2, p. 382, names parents, mother as Rose Garn.

<sup>2782 &</sup>lt; beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 423825, Ref. No. 62, both widowed, she as Rozella Wells, names parents.

From death record.

<sup>2784</sup> Death Record for Lodemea Stoler, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 2022234, Cert. No. fn 74757, widowed, names parents and spouse, mother as Elizabeth Bassford.

Lodemea GARN married **Rufus STOLER** (son of **John STOLER** and **Sophia STEEL**) on 27 April 1871 in Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2785]</sup> They appeared on the 1880 U.S. Federal Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2786]</sup> In 1900 they were living in Wadsworth Twp., Medina Co., Ohio. <sup>[2787]</sup> Rufus STOLER was born on 15 January 1851 in Lake Fork, Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2788]</sup> He died on 16 December 1928 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. <sup>[2789]</sup>

Lodemea GARN and Rufus STOLER had the following children: [2790]

- i. **Ada May<sup>9</sup> STOLER** was born about 1875 in Ohio.<sup>[2791]</sup> She was the informant on her father's death record. She married **John Allen GRUVER** on 29 September 1897 in Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2792]</sup> John Allen GRUVER was born on 28 February 1869 in Northampton Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[2793]</sup> He died on 29 June 1926 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2794]</sup>
- 1004. ii. **John Ward<sup>9</sup> STOLER** was born on 20 June 1880 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2795]</sup> He died on 8 February 1947 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2796]</sup> He married **Elizabeth JORDAN**.<sup>[2797]</sup>
- 1005. iii. **Mina M.<sup>9</sup> STOLER** was born in 1886 in Ohio.<sup>[2798]</sup> She married **James G. VINCENT** on 29 October 1902 in Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2799]</sup> James G. VINCENT was born on 9 September 1879 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2800]</sup> He died on 1 March 1929 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2801]</sup>

Don and Lucille Boyd, Ashland County, Ohio Marriage Records, Probate Court Volume 4, 1870 - 1878, And Volume 5, 1878 - 1886, (Ashland, Ohio, 2002), Marriage of Lodemia Garn to Rufus Stoler, at Vol. 4, p. 14 of section indexed by females, cites p. 80 of original, she as Lodemia Garn.

<sup>2786 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Rufas Stoler, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 124C, E.D. 86, appears immediately after Lodemea's parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2787</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Ruffus Stoler, Wadsworth Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T623\_1302, pp. 14B-15A, E.D., indexed as Ruffas Stolen.

From death record.

Death Record for Rufus Stohler, Ohio Deaths, 16 December 1928, File No. 76943, names parents, spouse as Lodema Garns Stohler, he as Rufus Stohler, informant as Mrs. Addie Gruver.

Ada M apears on 1880 Census, was informant on Rufus' death record; records of other children name parents.

From 1880 U.S. Federal Census of parents, cited above.

Marriage Record of J. A. Gruver and Ada May Staler, <a href="https://example.com/beta.familysearch.org">beta.familysearch.org</a>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 423823, Ref. No. p. 553.

From death record

<sup>2794 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 1984358, Cert. No. fn 40172, names parents, spouse as Addie May Gruver.

From death record.

<sup>2796 &</sup>lt;br/> <br/> <br/

Elizabeth is named on John's death record.

From marriage record.

<sup>2799 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 423824, Ref. No. p357 cn 714, names parents, bride's mother as Ludema Garns.

From death record.

<sup>2801 &</sup>lt;br/> <br/> <br/

489. George W. GARN (Henry S. 7; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 31 October 1854 in Ohio. [2802] He died on 25 June 1932 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2803]

George W. GARN married Catherine AUSTIN (daughter of Thomas AUSTIN and Sarah CRUMLICK) on 15 September 1877 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2804] In 1880 they lived in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [2805] They appeared on the 1900 - 1930 U.S. Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co. Ohio. [2806] McBride and Capener (p. 101) confused this George W. Garn and wife Catherine Austin with George Washington Garn, person #368, and his second wife Catherine Burkett.

Catherine AUSTIN was born on 18 April 1860 in Wayne Co., Ohio. She died on 4 December 1946 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2807]

George W. GARN and Catherine AUSTIN had the following children: [2808]

- i. **Timothy Ross**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (1880 1972).
- ii. Carrie<sup>9</sup> GARN (1884 1962). +1007.
- +1008. iii. Forest Bryan<sup>9</sup> GARN (1896 1972).

490. **Thomas Jefferson<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 16 September 1858 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2809] He died on 7 September 1911 in Sharon Twp., Medina Co., Ohio. [2810] News items report of his visits from Medina Co., Ohio, to Funk, Wavne Co., Ohio, in 1902 and again in 1903. [2811]

<sup>2802</sup> From death record.

Ohio Deaths, 25 June 1932, File No. 34301, names parents, spouse as Catherine Garn, mother as Elizabeth Bashford; Obituary of George W. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 27 June 1932, p. 2, Col. 1, children as Mrs. Carrie Garst of Mansfield, T.R. Garn of Wooster, and F. B. Garn of Akron; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40178347.

<sup>2804 &</sup>lt; beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 425757, Ref. No. 58 and Ref. No. 2:3Q67235, parents not named.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George Garnes, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1077, p. 278A, E.D. 235.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George W. Garns, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623 1237, p. 7A, E.D. 8; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Garn Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624 1151, p. 10B, E.D. 9; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625 1347, p. 13B, E.D. 9, indexed also as George W. Gam; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Garn, Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 2B, E.D. 14.

Ohio Deaths, 4 December 1946, File No. 77536, widowed, names spouse and parents, informant was Ross Garn; Obituary of Catherine Garn, Louderville [Ohio] Times, 6 December 1946, names father, children as Ross Garn of Wooster, Forrest of Akron, and Mrs. Carrie Garst of Mansfield; Obituary of Catherine Garn, Wooster Daily Record, 4 December 1946, p. 11, col. 7, names sons Ross of Wooster and Forest of Akron, and daughter Mrs. Carrie Garst of Mansfield.

Children named in census records cited above, parents named in records of individual children named below.

From death record.

<sup>2810 &</sup>lt;br/> <br/> < 49834, married, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78185704 and 74663345.

News item about visit of Thomas and Timothy Garn of Medina, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 24 December 1902; News item about visit of Thomas Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 11 Feb 1903.

Thomas Jefferson GARN married **Lucetta CHUBB** (daughter of **Adam CHUBB** and **Sarah RED**) on 16 December 1880 in Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[2812]</sup> Thomas and Lucetta appeared on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census in Montville Twp. and the 1910 U.S. Federal Census in Sharon Twp., both in Medina Co., Ohio. <sup>[2813]</sup> After Thomas' death, Lucetta appeared on the census in 1920 in Milton Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[2814]</sup> And in 1930 she was living with her daughter and son-in-law, Raymond U. Hall, in Rittman, Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[2815]</sup>

Lucetta CHUBB was born on 16 December 1860 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2816] She died on 17 August 1944 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [2817]

Thomas Jefferson GARN and Lucetta CHUBB had the following children: [2818]

- i. **Orpha D.** GARN was born in 1889 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. She married **John H. GERBERICH** (son of **Henry GERBERICH** and **Mary FATH**) on 15 June 1907 in Medina Co., Ohio. John H. GERBERICH was born in 1884 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. Wayne Co., Ohio. [2821]
- +1010. ii. **Ida Faye<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1891 1989).
  - 1011. iii. **Ai M.** GARN was born on 13 August 1895 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. He died on 19 April 1915 in Akron, Summit Co., Ohio. His death record reports that he was a rubber worker. He was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery in Wadsworth. [2824]
  - 1012. iv. **Harvey E.** GARN was born about 1906 in Guilford Twp., Medina Co., Ohio. He married **Letty SCHANS** (daughter of **Ed SCHAUB** and **Eliza WALTEN**) on 31 December 1923 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2825] We cannot explain why her surname does not match that of her father. Prehaps there was a transcription error. Or she may have been married before even though she was about 19 when she and Harvey married. Letty SCHANS was born about 1904 in Lodi, Medina Co., Ohio.

Death Record for Lucy Lucetta Garns, <beta.familysearch.org>, 17 Aug 1944, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 27 October 2010, cites FHL#2032403, Cert. No. fn 51691, widowed, spouse as Thomas Garns, names parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2812</sup> Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 9, p. 430, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898*, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 87; <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 27 October 2010, cites FHL# 425757, Ref. No. p. 430 and Ref. No. 2:3Q6898J.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2813</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Thomas Garn, Montville Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T623\_1302, p. 6A, E.D. 48; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Thomas J. Garn, Sharon Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T624 1205, p. 8A, E.D. 140.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lucetta Garn, Milton Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T625\_1448, p. 2A, E.D. 205, as Lusetta Garn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2815</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Raymond U. Hall, indexed as Ray V. Hall, Rittman, Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1888, p. 4B, E.D. 23, mother-in-law as Lusnettis Garn.

From death record

Children named on censuses of parents cited above and on some records cited below with individual children.

From marriage record.

<sup>2820 &</sup>lt;br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 27 October 2010, cites FHL# 423824, Ref. No. p272, cn 1607, names parents.

From marriage record.

<sup>2822</sup> Date and place appear on death record, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2823</sup> "Ohio, Deaths, 1908-1953," index and images, accessed 5 April 2014, indexed as Ai Garu, 19 April 1915, gives birth date and place, names parents, father indexed as Tour Garu, cites Akron, Summit Co., Ohio, CN 25140, FHL# 1983346.

<sup>2824 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 74663318.

Marriage Record for Harvey Garn and Letty Schans, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 27 October 2010, cites FHL# 423826, Ref. No. 1616, both single, groom's parents as Tom Garn and Lucitia Chubbis, bride's parents as Ed Schaub and Eliza Walten.

491. **Lillian Irene<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 19 June 1861 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2826] She died on 21 September 1942 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2827] Her name appears as Irene on her grave marker.

Lillian Irene GARN married **Jacob F. SPRENG** (son of **Jacob SPRENG** and **Margaret FABER**) on 21 June 1877 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2828] Jacob and Lillian Irene lived in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2829] Jacob F. SPRENG was born on 19 July 1847 in Ohio. [2830] He died on 31 March 1923 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2831]

Lillian Irene GARN and Jacob F. SPRENG had the following children: [2832]

- i. **Grace M.** SPRENG was born about 1880 in Ohio. [2833] She married **Rollie K. SPRINGER** (son of **John SPRINGER** and **Sarah KOHL**) on 16 May 1901 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2834] Rollie K. SPRINGER was born about 1878. [2835]
- 1014. ii. **Faith<sup>9</sup> SPRENG** was born on 5 May 1882 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2836] She died on 15 November 1940 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2837] She married **William Orlie STOUFER** on 25 December 1901 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2838]
- 1015. iii. Hope<sup>9</sup> SPRENG was born about 1884 in Ohio.<sup>[2839]</sup> She married George W. WELTMER (son of James A. WELTMER and unknown FELGER) on 17 October 1907 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2840]</sup> George W. WELTMER was born about 1882.<sup>[2841]</sup>

 $<sup>^{2826}\ \</sup>mbox{From death record and record of marriage to William W. Steward.}$ 

Death Record for Lilly Irene Steward, Ohio Deaths, 21 September 1942, File No. 51493, widowed, names spouse, parents, informant, Mrs. Grace Springer; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 39418437, as Irene Spreng.

<sup>2828</sup> Marriage Record for Jacob F. Spreng and Lilly Irene Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079406, Ref. No. v. 4, p. 526, rn 6503.

<sup>2829 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob F. Spreng, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 128C, E.D. 86; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob F. Spreng, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, pp. 11A-11B, E.D. 8; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob F. Spreng, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624 1151, p. 5A, E.D. 9, indexed as Spring.

From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2831</sup> Death Record for Jacob F. Spreng, Ohio Deaths, 31 March 1923, File No. 15852, names spouse, parents.

Census records cited above and records of individual children cited below.

From marriage record.

<sup>2834 &</sup>lt;br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 14 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg. 220, names parents.

From marriage record.

From death record.

Death Record for Faith Spreng Stoufer, Ohio Deaths, 15 Nov 1940, File No. 65462, names spouse, parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2838</sup> Marriage Record for William Orlie Stoufer and Faith Spreng, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 27 October 2010, cites FHL# 2074228, Ref. No. 12111.

From marriage record.

Marriage Record for George W. Weltmer and Hope Spreng, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg. 357, she as Hope Spring, her father as Jacob Spring, her mother as Garn.

From marriage record.

- 1016. iv. Charity<sup>9</sup> SPRENG was born about 1885 in Ohio. [2842] She married Royce Clair RICHEY (son of Melvin RICHEY and unknown BROWN) on 18 March 1908 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2843] Royce Clair RICHEY was born about 1888. [2844]
- v. Ethel Effie<sup>9</sup> SPRENG was born about 1894 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2845] She married 1017. Floyd Carl SOURS (son of E. W. SOURS and Amanda JOBES) on 29 April 1914 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2846] Floyd Carl SOURS was born about 1893 in Van Wert Co.,

Lillian Irene GARN next married William W. STEWARD (son of Andrew A. STEWARD and Nancy Jane WICOFF) on 22 June 1926 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2848] William W. STEWARD was born on 3 July 1855 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2849]

492. Eliza<sup>8</sup> GARN (Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 13 December 1863 in Ohio. [2850] She died on 6 September 1912 in Montville Twp., Medina Co., Ohio. [2851]

Eliza GARN married Benjamin F. NOGGLE (son of John NOGGLE and Rebecca RIDGLEY) on 4 July 1880 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2852] In 1900 they lived in the city of Ashland, Ohio. [2853] Ten years later they were in Montville Twp., Medina Co., Ohio. [2854] Benjamin F. NOGGLE was born on 14 November 1860 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2855] He died on 4 December 1926 in Barberton, Summit Co., Ohio. [2856]

Eliza GARN and Benjamin F. NOGGLE had the following children: [2857]

- i. Clifford NOGGLE was born about 1881 in Ohio.
- ii. Harry F.<sup>9</sup> NOGGLE was born about 1884.
  iii. Ferris<sup>9</sup> NOGGLE was born about 1886 in Ohio.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2842</sup> From census, marriage record gives about 1888.

Marriage Record for Royce Clair Richey and Charity Spreng, <a href="tel:objects.familysearch.org">beta.familysearch.org</a>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg. 401, she as Charity Spring, her father as Jacob Spring, her mother as Garn.

From marriage record.

From marriage record.

<sup>2846</sup> Marriage Record for Floyd Carl Sours and Ethel Effie Spreng, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 27 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079409, Ref. No. n14734, p. 149, names parents, bride's father as J.F. Spreng, bride's mother as Irene

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2848</sup> Marriage Record for William W. Steward and Irene Spreng, <a href="https://example.com/beta.familysearch.org">beta.familysearch.org</a>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 14 October 2010, cites FHL# 425763, Ref. No. pg 47 and Ref. No. 2:3VOGXZW, both widowed, names parents.

From marriage record.

From death record.

Death Record for Eliza Noggle, as Naggle, Ohio Deaths, 6 September 1912, File No. 50464, names parents, B. F. Noggle as informant; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40178434.

Marriage Record for B. F. Noggle and Eliza Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079407, Ref. No. p157, cn 7194.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2853</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Frank Noggle, Ashland Ward 4, Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 7A, E.D. 13.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2854</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Frank Noggle, Montville Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T624\_11205, p. 6A, E.D. 138.

Death Record for Benjamine [sic] F. Noggle, Ohio Deaths, 4 December 1926, File No. 77930, widower, names parents, spouse as Eliza Noggle, informant, Rebecca Guy.

<sup>2857</sup> Children appear with parents on 1900 and 1910 U.S. Federal Censuses cited above.

- iv. Alva W. NOGGLE was born about 1888 in Ohio.
- v. Rebecca J. NOGGLE was born about 1897 in Ohio. She married George M. GUY (son 1022 of Robert GUY and Martha BIRBECK) on 31 October 1914 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2858] George M. GUY was born about 1893. [2859]
- 1023. vi. **Dewey M.<sup>9</sup> NOGGLE** was born about 1899 in Ohio.
- 1024. vii. Waco NOGGLE was born about 1901 in Ohio.

493. **Timothy S.<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 26 June 1866 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2860] He died on 27 November 1951 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [2861] A newspaper article in September 1897 reported his intent to move to Indiana. [2862] A news item a month later reported that he intended to have a public sale because he planned to move to Indiana. [2863] Interestingly, the article appeared in the newspaper two days after the date it reported the sale would occur. Apparently he never moved to Indiana or stayed only a short time because an article in 1902 reports that he and his brother Thomas of Medina had been in the community. [2864]

Timothy S. GARN married Daisy SEIBERT (daughter of Benjamin F. SEIBERT and Julia) on 22 February 1887 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2865] We believe she is the daughter of Benjamin F. and Julia Seibert who appear on the census in Mohican Twp. in 1870 and 1880. [2866] In 1900 Timothy and Daisy were living in Homer Twp., Medina Co., Ohio. [2867] Ten years later Timothy appears as a widower and the head of the household in Guilford Twp., Medina County. [2868] In 1920 he was living with his daughter Nina and her husband George Acker. [2869] Daisy SEIBERT was born on 15 December 1869 in Ohio. [2870] She died on 11 July 1908. [2871]

Timothy S. GARN and Daisy SEIBERT had the following children: [2872]

i. Ralph D. GARN was born on 24 May 1887 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2873] He died on 22 November 1969 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [2874] He undoubtedly

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2858</sup> Marriage Record for George M. Guy and Rebecca J. Noggle, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 29 October 2010, cites FHL# 423825, Ref. No. 380, names parents.

<sup>2859</sup> From marriage record.

Death Record for Timothy S. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 27 November 1951, File No. 71541, widowed, names parents, informant, Mrs. Nina Acker; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78185964.

News item about Timothy Garn's intent to move, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 23 September 1897.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2863</sup> News item about public sale by Timmy Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 28 October 1897.

News item about visit of Thomas and Timothy Garn of Medina, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 24 December 1902.

<sup>2865</sup> Marriage Record for Timothy Garn and Daisy Seibert, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk. 6, p. 17, File No. 8505.

<sup>2866 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Benjamin Siebert, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 695B, indexed as Sabert, wife Julia indexed as John, daughter Daisy indexed as Dozie; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Benjamin F. Seibert, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 122D, E.D. 86.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2867</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Timothy Garn, Homer Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T623\_1302, pp. 2A-2B, E.D. 44.

<sup>2868 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Timothy S. Garn, Guilford Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T624\_1205, p. 10B, E.D. 131, Timothy widowed.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2869</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of George Acker, Wadsworth Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T625\_1417, p. 18B, E.D. 79, Timothy Garn,

Ashland [Ohio] Press, 15 July 1908, as reported by Anne Dallas Budd, *Newspaper Abstracts of Ashland County, Ohio*, (Port Cliinton, Ohio, 1992), v1, Abbe-Grose, found at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Belleville, Ohio.

From newspaper abstract, cited above.

<sup>2872</sup> Children except for Vernon appear on 1900 or 1910 Census cited above and on individual records cited below.

- was the Ralph Garn of River Styx [Medina County] who, according to a news item, attended a sale of property of "the late" B. F. Seibert. [2875] This would have been the sale of property from the estate of Ralph's grandfather.
- 1026. ii. **Vernon<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born on 14 June 1889 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2876] He died before June 1900. [2877]
- 1027. iii. **Nina H.**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born about 1892 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2878]</sup> She is named in the obituary of her brother Ralph. She married **George E. ACKER** (son of **A. A. ACKER** and **Ella SHOOK**) on 22 February 1911 in Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2879]</sup> George E. ACKER was born in 1886 in Guilford Twp., Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2880]</sup>
- iv. **Minnie M.** GARN was born about 1897 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [2881] She is named in the obituary of her brother Ralph. She married Clarence Floyd SMITH (son of **John L. SMITH** and **Lenora WARNER**) on 24 April 1915 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2882] They lived in Akron, Ohio in 1920. [2883] Clarence Floyd SMITH was born in 1888 in Green Twp., Summit Co., Ohio. [2884]
- v. Vita V. GARN was born about 1899 in Ohio. [2885] She is named in the obituary of her brother Ralph. She married James L. FURRY (son of Grant FURRY and Kate PARMILIE) on 7 April 1917 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2886] James L. FURRY was born in 1896. [2887]
- vi. **Betty J.** GARN was born about 1902 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. She appears on the 1910 Census with the name Orpha V. Garn. She married **John W. ROWLAND** (son of **George H. ROWLAND** and **Mary LIAY**) on 30 May 1923 in Medina Co., Ohio. Dhio. John W. ROWLAND was born in 1895 in Wellstown, Ohio. Selection 1890.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2873</sup> Birth Record for Ralph Garn, Ashland County, Ohio Birth Records, bk. 3, p. 70, name as Ralph Waldo Garn with lines through Waldo.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2874</sup> Obituary of Ralph D. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 22 November 1969, p. 2, col. 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2875</sup> Ashland [Ohio] Press, 26 January 1910.

Birth Record for Vernon Garn, Ashland County, Ohio Birth Records, bk. 3, p. 70.

He did not appear on the 1900 U.S. Census with his parents.

From marriage record

Marriage Record for George E. Acker and Nina H. Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 29 October 2010, cites FHL# 423825, Ref. No. 27, names parents, bride's father as T. H. Garn.

From marriage record.

From marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2882</sup> Marriage Record for Clarence F. Smith and Minnie M. Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 29 October 2010, cites FHL# 423825, Ref. No. 428, names parents, bride's father as T. S. Garn.

<sup>2883 1920</sup> U.S Federal Census of C. Floyd Smith, Akron Ward 4, Summit Co., Ohio, T625\_1439, p. 3B, E.D. 169, Calvin Garn, brother-in-law enumerated in household.

From marriage record.

From marriage record.

Marriage Record for James L. Furry and Vita V. Garn, <a href="https://doi.org/learn-1958">beta.familysearch.org/learn-1958</a>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 29 October 2010, cites FHL# 423825, Ref. No. 78, names parents, bride's parents as T. S. Garn and Daisy Tirbert.

From marriage record.

From marriage record.

Marriage Record for John W. Rowland and Betty J. Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 29 October 2010, cites FHL# 423826, Ref. No. 1484, names parents, bride's mother as Daisy Sisbert.

From marriage record.

- 1031. vii. **Theodore Calvin<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born about 1905 in Ohio.<sup>[2891]</sup> He is named in the obituary of his brother Ralph. He was living with his sister and family in Akron, Ohio, when the 1920 Census was recorded.<sup>[2892]</sup> He married **Beryl**. Beryl appears as his wife on the 1930 Census.<sup>[2893]</sup> Beryl was born about 1905 in Ohio.
- 1032. viii. Nattie A. GARN was born about 1908 in Ohio. [2894]

Timothy S. GARN next married **Matilda B. LEHMAN** (daughter of **John LEHMAN** and **Elizabeth RUPERT**) on 20 January 1923 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2895] She was the widow of Mr. Swagler at the time they married. Matilda B. LEHMAN was born about 1878 in Doylestown, Wayne Co., Ohio. [2896]

495. **Eva A.** <sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Henry S. <sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 15 March 1871 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[2897]</sup> She died in 1963. <sup>[2898]</sup>

Eva A. GARN married **Joseph S. MOHN** on 2 September 1891 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2899]</sup> They lived in Wadsworth Twp., Medina Co., Ohio when the 1910 and 1920 U.S. Federal Censuses were recorded.<sup>[2900]</sup> Eva's brother Alva appears as a brother-in-law of the head of the household on the 1920 Census. Joseph S. MOHN was born about 1871.<sup>[2901]</sup>

Eva A. GARN and Joseph S. MOHN had the following children: [2902]

- 1033. i. Hallie MOHN was born about 1895 in Ohio.
- 1034. ii. **Frank W.<sup>9</sup> MOHN** was born about 1897 in Ohio. [2903] He married **Donna L. JOHNSON** (daughter of **Urah JOHNSON** and **Harriet LANCE**) on 27 January 1917 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2904] Donna L. JOHNSON was born about 1899. [2905]
- 1035. iii. **Lodemea<sup>9</sup> MOHN** was born about 1899 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [2906] She married **William P. FISCHNICH** (son of **Adolph FISCHNICH** and **Ella LIKE**) on 14

2892 1920 U.S Federal Census of C. Floyd Smith, Akron Ward 4, Summit Co., Ohio, T625\_1439, p. 3B, E.D. 169, Calvin Garn, brother-in-law enumerated in household.

Marriage Record for T. S. Garn and Matilda B. Swagler, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 423826, Ref. No. 1418, bride widowed, groom's marital status, unknown, names parents.

Marriage Record for J. S. Mohn and Eva Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079407, Ref. No. p295, cn9339.

From census records.

<sup>2893 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Theodore C. Garn, Akron, Summit Co., Ohio, Roll 1880, p. 6A, E.D. 14B.

<sup>2894</sup> From 1010 IJS Consus

From marriage record

Birth Record for Eva A. Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, bk. 1, pp. 82-83, as Evey Garn.

<sup>2898 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 66934847.

<sup>2900 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census for Joe Mohn, Wadsworth Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T624\_1205, p. 3A, E.D. 143, spouse as Effie Mohn; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Joseph Mohn, Wadsworth Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T625 1417, p. 3A, E.D. 79.

From census records cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2902</sup> Children all named on censuses cited above and on records of individual children cited below.

From 1910 Census and marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2904</sup> Marriage Record for Frank W. Mohn and Donna L. Johnson, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 423825, Ref. No. 61, names parents.

From marriage record.

November 1919 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2907] William P. FISCHNICH was born about 1893 in Canal Fulton, Stark Co., Ohio. [2908]

- 1036. iv. **Delta Faye** MOHN was born about 1910 in Ohio.
- 1037. v. Eva Wilma MOHN was born about 1913 in Ohio.

496. **Edna<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 20 October 1873 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2909] She died on 25 November 1944 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [2910]

Edna GARN married **Harvey G. HORN** on 30 July 1890 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2911] Although this marriage record did not name parents, she married both Robert Chesrown and Frank Gilmore as Edna Horn and records of those marriages reported names of her parents. We do not know how her marriage to Harvey G. Horn ended.

Edna GARN and Harvey G. HORN had the following child: [2912]

i. **Elizabeth<sup>9</sup> HORN** was born about 1895. [2913] She married **Otis C. HOUT** (son of **Martin HOUT** and **Orpha HURSH**) on 9 October 1912 in Windsor, Essex Co., Ontario, Canada. [2914] Otis C. HOUT was born about 1893. [2915]

Edna GARN next married **Robert W. CHESROWN** (son of **Adam CHESROWN** and **Susan ALLARBAUGH**) on 11 March 1913 in Windsor, Essex Co., Ontario, Canada. [2916] We do not know how this marriage ended. Robert W. CHESROWN was born about 1876. [2917]

Edna GARN next married **Frank J. GILMORE** (son of **Henry GILMORE** and **Jennie MURPHY**) on 30 July 1921 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan. [2918] Frank's mother's name comes from Frank's marriage

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2906</sup> From 1910 Census and marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2907</sup> Marriage Record for Wm. P. Fischnich and L. Lodemea Mohn, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 423825, Ref. No. 340, names parents.

<sup>2908</sup> From marriage record.

Birth Record for Edna Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, bk. 1, pp. 160-161.

Death Record for Edna Gilmore, Ohio Deaths, 25 November 1925, File No. 78102, names spouse, parents, birth on 8 September 1873.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2911</sup> "Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 26 May 2014, Harvy G. Horn and Edna Garnes, 30 July 1890, cites Ashland Co., Ohio, p. 228, cn. 9138, FHL# 2079407.

Edna's parents are named on Elizabeth's marriage record.

From age on marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2914</sup> "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 26 May 2014, Otis C. Hout and Elizabeth Horn, 9 October 1912, cites registration 3648, Archives of Ontario, FHL# 1906139, names parents.

From age on marriage record.

<sup>2916 &</sup>quot;Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 26 May 2014, Robert W. Chesrown and Edna Horn, 11 March 1913, cites registration 27054, Archives of Ontario, Canada, FHL# 1976470, names parents, her parents as Henry Garn and Elizabeth Roseford

From age on marriage record.

<sup>2918 &</sup>quot;Michigan, Marriages, 1868-1925," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 May 2014, Frank J. Gilmore and Edna Garn Horn, 30 July 1921, cites v. 9 rn 216766, Department of Vital Records, Lansing, FHL# 2342748, names parents, her mother as Elizabeth Basfod, his mother as ...innie Murphy [name in image appears as Jennie Murphy]; Frank is named as spouse on Edna's death record.

record on which her first name is difficult to read. Although it was indexed as ...innie Murphy, we believe it is Jennie Murphy. Frank J. GILMORE was born about 1876 in Michigan. [2919]

497. **Mina Ethel<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry S. GARN, person #149, and Elizabeth Ann BASFORD) was born on 10 July 1876 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[2920]</sup> She died on 16 June 1931 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2921]</sup>

Mina Ethel GARN married **Daniel DEVOE** about 1898.<sup>[2922]</sup> Mina appears as Daniel's wife on the 1900 U.S. Census in Montville Twp., Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2923]</sup> In 1910 Mina appeared with surname Garn as a divorced servant in the home of Lyman Billman in Homer Twp., Medina Co., Ohio.<sup>[2924]</sup> Daniel DEVOE was born in September 1875 in Kentucky.<sup>[2925]</sup>

Mina Ethel GARN next married **Fred A. COLEMAN** (son of **John D. COLEMAN** and **Clara C. KIRKPATRICK**) on 6 May 1915 in Summit Co., Ohio. [2926] Fred A. COLEMAN was born in 1885 in Adario, Richland Co., Ohio. [2927]

Mina Ethel GARN next married **John LANNON** (son of **Richard LANNON** and **Jane BODLE**) on 29 April 1921 in Medina Co., Ohio. [2928] They appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Wadsworth Twp., Medina Co., Ohio. [2929] John LANNON was born on 22 February 1874 in Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania. [2930] He died on 3 July 1935 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [2931]

510. **John Otis<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Samuel<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel GARN, person #152, and Sarah Jane COOPER) was born on 15 December 1853 in Ohio. [2932] He appeared as a 6-year-old in the home of John Cooper, age 65 and wife Nancy, age

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2919</sup> From age on marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2920</sup> Birth Record for Mina Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, bk. 1, pp. 216-217, as Minnie Garn.

Death Record of Mina Edith Lannon, Ohio Deaths, 16 June 1931, File No. 38649, names parents, mother as Bosford.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2922</sup> Marriage record of Mina to Fred A. Coleman reports bride was divorced and surname of previous husband was Devoe.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2923</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Devoe, Montville Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T623\_1302, p. 6A, E.D. 48.

<sup>2924 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mina E. Garn, Homer Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T624\_1205, p. 8A, E.D. 134, servant in home of Lyman Rillman

From 1900 Census cited above.

Marriage Record for Fred A. Coleman and Mina E. Garrn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 902062, Ref. No. pg522, cn 1006, names parents, bride divorced, gives surname of bride's previous husband.

From marriage record.

Marriage Record for John Lannon and Mina Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 31 October 2010, cites FHL# 423825, Ref. No. 507, bride divorced, names parents, bride's mother as Elizabeth Banford.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2929</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Census of John Lannon, Wadsworth Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, Roll 1848, p. 14A, E.D. 25, indexed as Landon.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2930</sup> Date from death record, place from marriage record.

Death Record for John Lannon, Ohio Deaths, 3 July 1935, File No. 44599, widowed, names parents, spouse as Mina Lannon.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2932</sup> From death record.

60, when the 1860 U.S. Federal Census was taken. [2933] And he is named as a grandson in John Cooper's estate file. [2934] He died on 4 September 1915 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2935]

John Otis GARN married **Reletha Jennie HARPSTER** (daughter of **Michael HARPSTER** and **Eliza**) on 26 August 1877 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2936] They lived in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio when the 1880-1910 Censuses were taken. [2937] After John's death, Reletha remained in Mohican Twp. [2938] Reletha Jennie HARPSTER was born about 1860 in Ohio. [2939] We place her as the daughter of Michael and Eliza Harpster because her marriage record gives Harpster as her surname and a Letha J. Harpster appeared on the 1870 U.S. Federal Census in the Michael Harpster household. [2940] She died before 10 December 1929. [2941]

John Otis GARN and Reletha Jennie HARPSTER had the following children: [2942]

i. William Henry<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 1 April 1878 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2943] He died on 19 August 1904 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [2944] His death was the result of a terrible accident that was described in several newspaper articles. [2945] He and another farmer were moving a piece of machinery, described as a machine for threshing, when the timbers of a small bridge gave way and they were thrown into the gears of the machine as the bridge collapsed around them. William's leg was caught in the gears and badly crushed. He was held by the gears so that his back was firmly against the boiler of the thresher, which scalded him badly. He died the next day as a result of the burns. One article describes how he had been planning to marry soon to a Miss Hallie Kendig and that the day before the accident he had visited all of his creditors and "squared up" all of his bills that he owed. The same issue of the newspaper reported that many from Jeromesville attended the funeral in Reedsburg and that it was estimated that the number attending was nearly eight hundred people.

<sup>2940</sup> 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Michael Harpster, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M593\_1169, p. 699A, includes Letha J. Harpster, age 10.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2933</sup> 1960 U.S. Federal Census of John Cooper, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 253, John O. Garn, age 6, living in household.

Estate file of John Cooper, Ashland County Probate Court (storage), Ashland, Ohio, filed 27 November 1874, file no. 2057.

Death Record for John Otis Garn, Ohio Deaths, 4 September 1915, File No. 17117, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 43753731.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2936</sup> Marriage Record for John O. Garns and Letha J. Harpster, 26 August 1877, Ashland Co., Ohio Marriages, bk 4, p. 524.

<sup>2937 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John O. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 991, p. 124D, E.D. 86; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Otis J. Garns, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, pp. 5B-6A, E.D. 8; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of John O. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 10A, E.D. 9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2938</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of R. Jennie Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 9A, E.D. 9, son Forest V. living in household.

From census records.

Newspaper notice of appointment on 10 December 1929 of Arthur Garn as Adminsitrator of the Estate of Reletha J. Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Times, 12 Dec 1929.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2942</sup> Children appear on one or more census record cited above and on individual records as noted below.

Birth Record for William Henry Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, 1 April 1878, bk. 1, pp. 262-263, father as Otis Garn, mother as Bertha Harpster; age at death on death record gives birth on 18 April 1878.

Death Record for Wm. H. Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Deaths, 19 August 1904, bk. 2, p. 69, cause of death was "scald," age at death, 26y, 4m, 1d.

<sup>2945</sup> Loudonville [Ohio] Democrat, 25 August 1904; Orville Courier Crescent, cited as 8 August 1904 but probably 26 August 1904, p. 8, col. 2; Ashland [Ohio] Press, cited as 24 September 1904 but probably 24 August 1904, as found in the Obituaries Notebook, D-I, 1890-1915, at the Ashland County Library, Ashland, Ohio.

- ii. Sarah J.<sup>9</sup> GARN (1879 ). +1040.
- iii. Samuel Pird<sup>9</sup> GARN (1883 1968). +1041.
- iv. Elsie Fern<sup>9</sup> GARN (1885 1973). +1042.
- v. **Arthur L.** GARN (1891 1966). +1043.
- vi. **Iva Elora<sup>9</sup> GARN** (1893 1939). +1044.
- 1045. vii. Forest Valdola<sup>9</sup> GARN was born on 14 February 1896 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2946] His middle name appears on his WWI Draft Registration card. [2947] He died on 1 September 1952 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2948] Two obituaries report about his death. [2949] He married Erma Lucille MOSHER (daughter of Joseph MOSHER and **Iva YOUNG**) in 1935 in Ohio Co., West Virginia. [2950] Erma Lucille MOSHER was born on 21 February 1908 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2951] She died on 26 February 1953 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [2952] An obituary reports about her death. [2953] Although Forest's obituaries report that he had a daughter named Mrs. Betty Miller, we are convinced she was a step daughter. She is also named as a daughter in his wife's obituary. Erma appears with surname Baker on the 1920 U.S. Census with two daughters also with surname Baker, the name under which she married to Forest. [2954] The two daughters are Betty, age 4 and Donna, age 2y, 8m. Donna's death record clearly shows that she and therefore her older sister were daughters of Lee Baker and not Forest. [2955]

512. Socrates<sup>8</sup> GARN (Samuel<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel GARN, person #152, and Nancy SCOTT) was born about 1861 in Ohio. [2956] His name appears in the records many different ways. He was indexed as Custis in the 1870 U.S. Federal Census of his parents, as Socratus on the 1880 Census of his parents, Socrates on his first marriage record, Socrates on the marriage record of his son George Wallace or Wallace George Garn, Crate Garn on his second marriage record, Crete Garn on the 1900 Census, Crate Garn on the 1910 Census, and as Crate Garn, the father of Claud Garn in his son's World War I Draft Registration Card.

Birth Record for Forest V. Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, 14 February 1896, bk. 3, p. 73, as Tiny Garn, parents as J. O. Garn and R.

World War I Draft Registration Card for Forest Vadola Garn, <search.ancestry.com>, World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, accessed 9 November 2010, birth 14 February 1896, reports "crippled leg."

Death Record of Forest V. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 1 September 1952, File 54966, birth on 14 February 1896, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 31620348.

Obituary of Forest "Derb" Garn, Louderville [Ohio] Times, 4 Sept 1952, names spouse, sisters living siblings, Mrs. Betty Miller as daughter; Obituary of Forest Garn, Wooster Daily Record, 2 September 1952, names spouse, living siblings, Mrs, Betty Miller as

2950 Marriage Record for Forest V. Garn and Erma L. Baker, <beta.familysearch.org>, West Virginia Marriages, 1853-1970, cites FHL# 862715, source-County Records.

From death record.

Death Record for Erma Lucille Garn, Ohio Deaths, 26 Feb 1953, File No. 06760, widowed, names parents.

Obituary of Erma L. Garn, Louderville [Ohio] Times, 5 March 1953, names parents, daughter as Mrs. Betty Miller.

1920 U.S. Federal Census of Erma Baker, Louderville, Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 3B, E.D. 3, Adam Young living in household at age 77 was probably a grandfather.

Death Record for Donna Mae Baker, Ohio Deaths, 18 June 1942, File No. 39232, parents as Lee Baker and Erma Mosier who was born in Louderville, Ohio.

<sup>2956</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Crete Garn, Traverse Ward 2, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan, Roll 712, Page 2B, E.D. 0040, FHL# 1240712; year supported by other censuses cited with parents and below.

Socrates GARN married **Cora E. WONDERS** (daughter of **George W. WONDERS** and **Emma**) on 15 September 1886 in LaGrange Co., Indiana. Another record suggests they married eleven days earlier. Cora's parents are inferred from the 1880 Census of George Wonders and the appearance of her son Wallace G. Garn as the grandson of George W. Wonder on the 1900 Census. The appearance of her son with her parents on the 1900 Census and the remarriage of her husband suggest that she may have died before the 1900 Census was recorded. Cora E. WONDERS was born about 1861 in Indiana.

Socrates GARN and Cora E. WONDERS had the following child: [2961]

i. **George Wallace**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born on 2 March 1888 in South Milford, Lagrange Co., Indiana. [2962] He registered for the draft for World War I in East Chicago, Lake Co., Indiana. [2963] He died on 30 June 1939 in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Michigan. [2964] His death record reports that he was buried in Kendallville, Indiana. [2965] He married **Anna L. PAUKER** (daughter of **Anthony PAUKER** and **Ida BLUGHER**) on 27 April 1916 in Marshall Co., Indiana. [2966] Anna L. PAUKER was born on 28 March 1892 in Kendallville, Noble Co., Indiana. [2967]

Socrates GARN next married **Elizabeth PUGH** on 31 July 1896 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. Some have incorrectly reported her maiden name as Roop. Their marriage record reports that both had been married before and reports that her father's name was Pugh. Furthermore, stepchildren on Crate and Elizabeth's 1900 Census by the name Roop are evidence that her maiden name was not Roop. A Ray Garn appearing on the 1910 Census is undoubtedly the stepson Ray Roope who appears on the 1900 Census with Crate and Elizabeth Garn. Elizabeth PUGH was born about 1861 in Indiana.

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<sup>2957 &</sup>quot;Indiana Marriages, 1780-1992," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 24 March 2014, Socrates Garn and Cora E. Wonders, 15 September 1886, cites FHL# 1871248; "Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 24 March 2014, Socrates Garn and Cora E. Wonders, 15 September 1886, cites FHL# 001871248.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 24 March 2014, Socrates Garn and Cora E. Wonders, 4 September 1886, cites FHL# 001871590.

 <sup>2959 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George Wonders, South Milford, LaGrange Co., Indiana, Roll 291, FHL# 1254291, Page 467A, E.D.
 352; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Wonder, Milford, LaGrange Co., Indiana, Roll 383, page 8A, E.D. 77, FHL# 1240383.
 2960 From 1880 Census and absence of her name on her father's census in 1870.

Marriage record of son George names parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2962</sup> Birth information cited on marriage record, draft registration card, and death record, all cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2963</sup> U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, <ancestry.com>, accessed 24 March 2014, George W. Garn, birth on 2 March 1888.

Michigan, Deaths and Burials Index, 1867-1995, <ancestry.com>, accessed 24 March 2014, Wallace Garn, 30 June 1939, cites birth on 2 March 1888 in Indiana and burial in Kendallville, Indiana.

See <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 41091425, for his grave.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2966</sup> "Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 24 March 2014, George W. Garn and Anna L. Pauker, 27 April 1916, gives birthdates and places, names parents, her mother as Wanders, cites FHL# 001651773.

From marriage record, cited above.

<sup>2968 &</sup>quot;Michigan, Marriages, 1868-1925 index and images, <a href="familysearch.org">familysearch.org</a>, accessed 25 March 2014, Crate Garn and Elizabeth Roop, 31 July 1896, his parents as Samuel Garn and Mary [sic] Scott, her father only as Pugh and her mother not named, image of record reports both had been previously married, cites FHL# 2342504.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2969</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Crete Garn, Traverse Ward 2, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan, Roll 712, Page 2B, E.D. 0040, FHL# 1240712. With 1900 Census.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2970</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Crate Garn, Munising, Alger Co., Michigan, Roll T:624\_634, page 6B, E.D. 4, FHL# 1374647.

Age 35 on her marriage record.

Socrates GARN and Elizabeth PUGH had the following child: [2972]

- ii. Claud GARN was born on 31 December 1899 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. [2973] He registered for the draft for World War I at Muskegon, Michigan. The registration named Crate Garn as his father. [2974] He died in July 1956. [2975]
- 513. Alpha<sup>8</sup> GARN (Samuel<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Samuel GARN, person #152, and Nancy SCOTT) was born on 3 July 1869 in Ohio. [2976]

Alpha GARN married Clark A. HEMSTREET (son of Alonsa HEMSTREET and Julia ZMILING) on 5 March 1890 in Turkey Creek, Steuben Co., Indiana. [2977] Clark A. HEMSTREET was born about 1867 in Indiana. [2978]

Alpha GARN next married **Isaac E. BARKER** (son of **Milton BARKER** and **Margaret DIRRIM**) on 23 March 1916 in Dekalb Co., Indiana. [2979] Isaac E. BARKER was born on 7 July 1869 in Dekalb Co., Indiana [2980]

522. Elza N.8 GARN (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARN, person #154, and Catherine A. OVER) was born on 19 February 1867 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [2981] His obituary, cited below, reports his birth place and that he moved to Carey, Ohio, when he was six weeks old. He died on 22 May 1957, probably in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio.[2982]

Elza N. GARN married Emma L. HOSTLER (daughter of John HOSTLER and Margaret ELDOR) on 18 August 1888 in Hancock Co., Ohio. [2983] Elza and Emma appeared on the 1900 - 1920 U.S. Federal Censuses in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [2984] Emma L. HOSTLER was born on 14 April 1867 in

Birth record of Claud names parents; 1900 and 1910 censuses, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2973</sup> "Michigan, Births, 1867-1902," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 25 March 2014, Claud Garn, 31 December 1899, Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan, cites item 2, RN 192, FHL# 2322868, parents as Crate Garn and Elizabeth Garn.

<sup>2974</sup> U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918kl, <ancestry.com>, accessed 24 March 2014, Claud Garn, birth on 31 December 1899, names Crate Garn as his father.

Social Security Death Index. Claude Garn. SSN: 459-07-3259, born 31 December 1899, died July 1956, issued in Texas before 1951.

This birth date given on the record of her marriage to Isaac E. Barker; estimates based on census records suggest a birth around 1867.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2977</sup> <br/> 126, names parents, place of marriage as Turkey Creek, Steuben Co., Indiana.

From marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2979</sup> "Indiana, Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 8 June 2014, Isaac E. Barker and Alpha Hemstreet, cites Dekalb County, FHL# 001863089, gives birth dates, names parents, her father as Samuel Gard.

Birth date and place appear on marriage record.

From census records cited above and obituary cited below.

Fostoria Review Times, Fostoira, Ohio, reported on 23 May 1957, p. 2, parents as Jeremiah and Catherine Garn, names surviving siblings, names children, daughter as Mrs. Paul Kromer.

<sup>&</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org> accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 1299133, Ref. no. V7A P351 No.171.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elza Garn, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T623 1334, p. 14A, E.D. 123; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Elza N. Garn, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T624 1241, pp. 14B-15A, E.D. 177; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Elza N. Garn, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T625 1449, p. 3B, E.D. 171.

Mt. Blanchard, Hancock Co., Ohio. [2985] She died on 18 December 1933 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio [2986]

Elza N. GARN and Emma L. HOSTLER had the following children: [2987]

- i. Lulu Margaret Catharine GARN (1896 1966).
- ii. Carey F. GARN (1900 1979).

523. **Ora**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARN, person #154, and Catherine A. OVER) was born about 1869, probably in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [2988] He died on 20 September 1925 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [2989] Ora appeared alone without any of his children on the 1910 U.S. Federal Census in Toledo, Ohio. [2990] His children appeared elsewhere on that census in various boarding houses.

Ora GARN married Clara B. CORFMAN about 1893. [2991] Ora and Clara appeared on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census in Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio. [2992] Clara B. CORFMAN was born about 1876 in Ohio. [2993] She died between 1900 and 1910. [2994]

Ora GARN and Clara B. CORFMAN had the following children: [2995]

- i. Fred<sup>9</sup> GARN (1892 1969).
- ii. Merle C. GARN (1895 ). +1051.
- +1052. iii. **Legarthus D.** GARN (1896 1940).
- **Katherine F.** GARN was born about 1899 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [2996] She 1053. iv. married Samuel FECHO (son of Andrew FECHO and Mary) on 31 December 1914 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [2997] Samuel and Katherine may have been the couple who appeared with surname Fetcho on the 1920 Federal Census in Cleveland. [2998] The surname appears as Fecho on their marriage record. We do not know the correct spelling of their surname. Samuel FECHO was born about 1893 in Pleasant City, Guernsey Co., Ohio.

<sup>2986 &</sup>lt;br/>beta.familysearch.org> accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 1992985, Cert. No. fn 72662, names spouse, parents.

Reported in censuses cited above and in obituary of Elza; parents named in records cited for children.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2989</sup> Death Record of Ora Garn, Ohio Deaths, 20 September 1925, file no. 52686, names parents, married but does not name spouse, birth

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2990</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Ora Garn, Toledo Ward 6, Lucas Co., Ohio, T624\_1209, p. 7B, E.D. 77, widowed, living in hotel working as servant, no children listed.

Clara appears as spouse, married 7 years, on 1900 U.S. Federal Census cited below; surname of Clara appears on multiple documents of children cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2992</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T623\_1334, p. 10A, E.D. 123.

From 1900 U.S. Federal Census cited above.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ora reports he was widowed.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2995</sup> Children except Ralph appear on 1910 U.S. Federal Census; records of individual children, except Katie, identify them as members of this family; Katherine's marriage record names parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2996</sup> 1900 Census, cited with her father, reports she was one year old; age 17 on marriage record in 1914.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2997</sup> "Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familyisearch.org>, accessed 14 May 2014, Samuel Fecho [sic] and Katherine F. Garn, 31 December 1914, names parents, her mother as Clara Corpman, cites Lucas Co., Ohio, ref 23136, FHL#

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2998</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Fetcho, Cleveland, Ward 20, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio, T625\_1366, Page 1A, E.D. 398.

- v. Ralph<sup>9</sup> GARN was born about 1900 in Ohio.<sup>[2999]</sup> He appeared on the 1910 U.S. Federal Census with brother Legarthus living in a boarding house.<sup>[3000]</sup> He married Rose D. JESIONDUSKI (daughter of Joseph JESIONDUSKI and Hattie SULEWSKI) on 18 April 1922 in Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3001]</sup> Rose D. JESIONDUSKI was born about 1905.<sup>[3002]</sup>
- 524. **Viola I.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jeremiah GARN, person #154, and Catherine A. OVER) was born on 11 July 1870 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [3003] She died on 28 November 1924 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [3004]
- Viola I. GARN married **Dr. Ira Norman ZEIS** about 1895. [3005] Ira and Viola appeared on the 1900 1920 U.S. Federal Censuses in Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio. [3006] Dr. Ira Norman ZEIS was born on 9 October 1867 in Ohio. [3007] He died on 7 October 1925 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [3008] An obituary reports his death. [3009]
- Viola I. GARN and Dr. Ira Norman ZEIS had the following children: [3010]
  - i. **Gladys<sup>9</sup> ZEIS** was born about 1895 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio.<sup>[3011]</sup> She married **Carl MITCHELL** (son of **W. J. MITCHELL** and **Margaret MULLON**) on 16 September 1913 in Wyandot Co., Ohio.<sup>[3012]</sup> Carl MITCHELL was born about 1889 in New Castle, Pennsylvania.<sup>[3013]</sup>
  - 1056. ii. **William Russell<sup>9</sup> ZEIS** was born on 31 December 1897 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. Ohio. He died on 30 December 1948 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. He married **Amelia KEAR**.

From marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2999</sup> From 1910 U.S. Federal Census and marriage record, both cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3000</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Legarthus and Ralph Garn, Toledo Ward 2, Lucas Co., Ohio, T624\_1207, p. 4A, E.D. 43, appear to be brothers living in boarding house.

Marriage Record of Ralph Garn and Rose D. Jesionduski, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 17 October 2010, cites FHL# 2134590, Ref. No. P. 289 No. 41178, names parents, Ralph's father as Orrie Garn, Ralph's mother as Clara Curfman.

<sup>3003</sup> From death record.

Ohio Deaths, 28 November 1924, File No. 61381, names parents, spouse and informant as I. N. Zeis, M.D.

 $<sup>^{3005}</sup>$  Ira named as spouse on Viola's death record.

U.S. Federal Census of Ira N. Zeis, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T623\_1334, p. 2A, E.D. 123, indexed as Dora H. Zeis and Jora X Zais; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Ira N. Zeis, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T624\_1241, p. 19B, E.D. 177, son William R. indexed as 2 years when census reports 12 years old; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Ira N. Zeis, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T625\_1449, p. 3B, E.D. 171, appears on census next to Elza N. Garn, brother of Viola, she as Viola I. Zeis.

From death record and obituary, cited below.

Death Record for Ira Norman Zeis, Ohio Deaths, 7 October 1925, file no. 60633, widowed, spouse as Ida Viola Zeis, names parents, indexed by <familysearch.org> as Zeris.

Tiffin, Ohio, Tribune, 7 October 1925, p. 3, col. 5.

Children named on 1900 and 1910 U.S. Federal Censuses cited above; parents named on records of children.

From marriage record

<sup>3012</sup> Marriage Record of Carl Mitchell and Gladys Zeis, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 17 October 2010, cites FHL# 1017132, Ref. No. it 1, v10, p146, Gladys' parents as I. N. Zeis and Ida Viola Garn.

From marriage record.

From death record.

<sup>3015 &</sup>lt;br/> <br/> <

529. **Mont Pearl<sup>8</sup> GARN** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARN, person #154, and Catherine A. OVER) was born on 6 August 1883 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [3017] We are uncertain what name we should assign him. He appears as Mont. P. in the home of his parents in the 1900 Census, as Pearl on his birth record, as Mont. P. on his death record and the death record of his spouse, as Pearl or Pearl M. on the 1910-1930 Censuses and as Mont Pearl on his grave marker. He died on 8 October 1958 in Galion, Crawford Co., Ohio. [3018]

Mont Pearl GARN married **Clara Ethel REEDER** (daughter of **Elias REEDER** and **Lois FERRIN**). Pearl and Clara lived in Marion, Ohio, in 1910 and 1920 and in Toledo, Ohio in 1930. Clara Ethel REEDER was born on 1 January 1883 in Prospect, Marion Co., Ohio. She died on 14 January 1948 in Galion, Crawford Co., Ohio. [3022]

Mont Pearl GARN and Clara Ethel REEDER had the following children: [3023]

- 1057. i. **Kenneth J.** GARN was born about 1906 in Ohio.
- 1058. ii. **Herbert Doyle<sup>9</sup> GARN** was born about November 1908 in Ohio.<sup>[3024]</sup> He married **Helen Leona JACKSON** (daughter of **Guy B. JACKSON** and **Ada ASHBROOK**) on 12 July 1929 in Bucyrus, Crawford Co., Ohio.<sup>[3025]</sup> They appear as Doyle and Helen Garn in the 1930 Census in the household of his parents. Helen Leona JACKSON was born on 22 February 1909 in Edison, Morrow Co., Ohio.<sup>[3026]</sup> She died on 6 January 1944 in Galion, Crawford Co., Ohio.<sup>[3027]</sup>
- 532. **Eugene L.**<sup>8</sup> **GARN** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARN, person #154, and Catherine A. OVER) was born on 18 April 1890 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio.<sup>[3028]</sup> His death record places his birth ten days later, also in Carey. He appeared on the 1900 Census with both parents and on the 1910 Census with his widowed father.

 $<sup>^{3016}</sup>$  Amelia named on William's death record.

<sup>3017 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 926699, Ref. No. p. 65, as Pearl Garn, father as Gerey Garn, mother as Catharine A. Over.

<sup>3018 &</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 10 April 2014, Mont P. Garn, 8 October 1958, cites <ancestry.com> index, vol. 15547, certificate 68334; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 30991111, as Mont Pearl Garn.

<sup>3019</sup> Mont. P. Garn named as spouse on Clara's death record.

<sup>3020 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Pearl Garn, Marion Ward 2, Marion Co., Ohio, T624\_1213, p. 12B, E.D. 87, also indexed as Carl Sams; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Pearl M. Garn, Marion Ward 1, Marion Co., Ohio, T625\_1416, p. 7A, E.D. 117, also indexed as Purl M. Garn; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Pearl Garn, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1833, p. 2B, E.D. 11.

From death record

Death Record of Clara Ethel Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 224653, Cert. No. 834, names parents, spouse as Mont. P. Garn.

<sup>3023</sup> Both children appear in Pearl Garn household in 1910 - 1930 U.S. Censuses, cited above.

Birth month and year from 1910 Census of parents.

<sup>3025 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 18 October 2010, cites FHL# 388691, Ref. No. v21, cn 1050. names parents..

From death record.

Death Record for Helen Leona Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 18 October 2010, cites FHL# 2024189, Cert. No. fn 995, names parents, spouse as Doyle Garn.

<sup>3028 &</sup>lt;br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 926699, Ref. p. 68, names father as Jerry Garn and mother as Mary Lasie.

However, his birth record reports his mother was Mary Lasie. His death record reports his mother as unknown. His mother is Katherine with no last name on his marriage record.

We do not know where the name Mary Lasie on his birth record came from. We do not believe that Jeremiah fathered a child who was then brought into the home for Catherine to raise. It is possible that Jeremiah's daughter Mary had a child, was no longer living in 1900 and that Jeremiah and Catherine were raising him. In any event, except for the name of Eugene's mother, ages and places agree and convince us that Eugene belongs in Jeremiah's family and that there was probably an error in transcribing the mother's name on the birth record. He died on 28 October 1964 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3029] He was a telegrapher in 1920 and worked for the Pennsylvania Railroad in 1930.

Eugene L. GARN married **Mary E. KUDER** (daughter of **William J. KUDER** and **Agnes**) on 9 June 1914 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan. [3030] Eugene and Mary lived in Toledo, Ohio, when the 1920 and 1930 censuses were recorded. [3031] Mary E. KUDER was born about 1889 in Ohio. [3032]

Eugene L. GARN and Mary E. KUDER had the following children: [3033]

- i. **Jeremiah W.**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** was born on 21 March 1916 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan. He died on 16 June 1996 in Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio. His death record reports that he was honorably discharged from the U.S. Navy and that his occupation was Railroad Engineer. He married **Jane C. LEWIS**. [3036]
- 1060. ii. **Robert E.** GARN was born about December 1919 in Ohio.

538. **Jacob Henry**<sup>8</sup> **GARNES** (Samuel Andrew GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel Andrew GARNS, person #159, and Martha SPECK) was born in May 1855 in Pennsylvania. He died in 1929. His name appears in the records as both Garns and Garnes. And when the first edition of the book was published we believed that Garns was the preferred spelling. However, since his name appears as Garnes on his grave marker, we have changed the spelling for him and his children. [3039]

<sup>3029</sup> Death Record of Eugene L. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 28 October 1964, File No. 076624, names father, mother unknown, informant, Robert Garn, birth as 28 Apri.1 1890 in Carey, Ohio.

Setta, familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 3 December 2010, groom's parents as Jeremiah and Katherine, bride's parents as Wm. J. and Agnes.

<sup>3031 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Eugene Garn, Toledo Ward 13, Lucas Co., Ohio, T625\_1410, p. 1B, E.D. 144; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Eugene L. Garn, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1838, p. 10B, E.D. 238.

From 1920 and 1930 U.S. Federal Censuses cited above.

Children are named in 1920 and 1930 U.S. Federal Censuses cited above, death record of son Jeremiah names parents.

From death record.

Death Record of Jeremiah W. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 16 June 1996, File No. 043049, names spouse, parents, railroad engineer as occupation.

<sup>3036</sup> Death record of Jeremiah names spouse.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3037</sup> 1900 Census, cited below; Tombstone inscription, cited with spouse.

<sup>3038</sup> From tombstone inscription, cited with spouse.

<sup>3039 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 28942367.

Jacob Henry GARNES married **Anna Mary WAGNER** about 1876.<sup>[3040]</sup> Jacob Henry and Anna Mary appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Washington Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3041]</sup> Anna Mary WAGNER was born in November 1855 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[3042]</sup> She died in 1935.<sup>[3043]</sup> Jacob Henry and Anna Mary were buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery in Antrim Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3044]</sup>

On the 1900 U.S. Census Annie M. Garnes is reported to have been married 24 years and the mother of 12 children of whom 7 were living at the time. We cannot explain why on the 1880 Census a 6-year-old son Alonzo is reported. He would have to have been born around 1874, around two years before the reported marriage date at a time when Jacob would have been around 19 and Anna around 18. It is possible that they had a child well before marrying or even that Anna had a child and Jacob adopted him. What is clear is that the son Alonzo is reported to be Jacob's son on that census. And the Jacob and Anna M. Garns on this census are clearly Jacob Henry Garnes and Anna Mary Wagner since an 11-month-old son Charles who appears on that census reported that his parents were Jacob H. and Annie Mary Garnes when he married.

Jacob Henry GARNES and Anna Mary WAGNER had the following children, all probably born in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania: [3046]

- 1061. i. **Alonzo<sup>9</sup> GARNES** was born about 1874.
- ii. **James Bruce GARNES** was born on 25 March 1876. [3047] He died on 9 August 1876. [3048] He was buried in the Emanuel Lutheran Church Cemetery in Upper Strasburg, Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1063. iii. **Nova May GARNES** was born on 10 June 1877. [3049] She died on 16 August 1877. [3050] She was buried in the same cemetery as her brother James Bruce.
- 1064. iv. Charles O.<sup>9</sup> GARNES was born in July 1879 in Pennsylvania. He married Maud E. WOLFF (daughter of George WOLFF and Amanda C.) on 17 February 1898

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 14, Letterkenny and Lurgan Townships*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1988), p. 14-52, as James Bruce Garnes, Son of Jacob and Mary Garnes, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 14, Letterkenny and Lurgan Townships*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1988), p. 14-51, as Nova May Garnes, Daughter of Jacob and Mary Garnes, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>3040</sup> Anna Mary Wagner named as Jacob Henry's spouse on tombstone inscriptions, cited below; Marriage date from 1900 Census, cited below.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob H. Garnes, Washington Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1413, p. 7A, E.D. 62; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob H. Garnes, Waynesboro Ward 1, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624 1348, p. 8B, E.D. 40, as Garns.

<sup>3042 1900</sup> Census, cited above; Tombstone inscription, cited below.

<sup>3043 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 28942360, reports surname; Tombstone inscription, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 7, Cedar Hill Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 7-93, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>3045 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garns, Orrstown, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1131, FHL# 1255131, page 105C, E.D. 92. With 1880 Census.

Children [1, 4, 6, 7 and 10, 11] appear on one or more census, cited above; Children [2-3, 5, 8 and 8] named in cemetery records, cited above.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles Garnes, indexed as Gamis, Chambersburg Ward 4, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1412, page 11A, E.D. 37, FHL# 1241412, Charles born in July 1879; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Garns, Orrstown, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1131, FHL# 1255131, page 105C, E.D. 92, son Charles age 11 months born in July with census taken in June.

- in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3052] Maud E. WOLFF was born in January 1880 in Pennsylvania. [3053] Her name appears as both Maud E. and E. Maud in the records.
- v. Minnie Grace GARNES was born on 31 January 1884. [3054] She died on 19 August 1065. 1884 [3055]
- vi. Carrie GARNES was born in July 1885. 1066.
- 1067. vii. Effie Pearl GARNES was born in August 1887. She married Charles L. ECKER on 27 July 1905 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3056]
- 1068. viii. **Frank Bushey<sup>9</sup> GARNES** was born on 31 January 1892. [3057] He died on 16 May 1892 near Greencastle, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3058]
- ix. Nettie A. GARNES was born on 10 October 1893. [3059] She died on 9 October 1898. [3060] We place her in Jacob and Anna's family because they were buried in the same cemetery as she and were the only Garnes adults in that cemetery.
- x. Helen E. GARNES was born in December 1896. 1070.
- xi. **Isabel<sup>9</sup> GARNES** was born in March 1899.

539. **John David<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel Andrew GARNS, person #159, and Martha SPECK) was born on 27 January 1857 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3061] He died on 13 January 1910 in Huntsdale, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. [3062] Find A Grave reports that he was buried in the Huntsdale Church of the Brethern Cemetery. Another report calls it the Huntsdale Dunker Cemetery and reports that he shares a grave marker with Andrew Miller, whom we believe was the first husband of his wife Elizabeth Ann Widder.[3063]

John David GARNS married Margaret Lydia CRAMER on 8 January 1880 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3064] John and Margaret appeared on the 1880 U.S. Census in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3065]

<sup>3052 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950," <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Charles O. Garnes and Maud E. Wolff, 17 February 1898, reports estimated birth years, his parents as Jacob H. Garnes and Annie Mary Garnes, her parents as George and Amanda C. Wolff, cites FHL# 323904.

Month and year of birth reported on 1900 Census, cited with Charles above.

Tombstone inscription, cited with her mother, named as daughter of Jacob H. and Mary Garnes [sic] on her tombstone.

Tombstone inscription, cited with her mother.

<sup>3056 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 March 2014, Charles L. Ecker and Effie P. Garnes, 27 July 1905, her parents as Jacob and Annie, cites FHL# 323907.

Obituary or death report, cited below.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg., 27 May 1892, as Frank Bushey, son of Jacob H. and Mary Garnes.

Tombstone inscription, cited with her mother.

Tombstone inscription, cited with her mother.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Date agrees with 1900 Census, cited below.

<sup>3062 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 55215247.

Elizabeth Landis Carlson, Penn Township Cemetery Inscriptions, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania, (no city, 2003), within inscriptions of Huntsdale Dunker Cemetery, page 40, John D. Garns, 1857-1910, on same stone with Andrew Miller.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites the Daily Register, 12 January 1880, he as John Garnes of Upper Strasburg and she as Miss Maggie Cramer of Orrstown, Pa.

Margaret Lydia CRAMER was born on 8 February 1857 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3066] She died on 20 July 1886. [3067] She was buried in Salem Lutheran Church Cemetery in Pleasant Hall, Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

John David GARNS and Margaret Lydia CRAMER had the following children: [3068]

- i. Frank Lorenso GARNS was born on 24 August 1880 in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3069] He died on 28 December 1884. [3070] He was buried in same cemetery as his mother.
- ii. Lester Jay<sup>9</sup> GARNES (1881 1969). +1073.
- iii. Victor David GARNS (1883 1941).

John David GARNS next married Anna Mary MYERS on 1 September 1887 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3071] John and Anna Mary appeared on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3072] That census reports they had been married for 12 years and that Anna Mary was the mother of two children, both of whom were living. Bessie would have been one of the two. The other undoubtedly was from a prior marriage. A child born when Anna Mary was 20 would have been 23 when the 1900 Census was recorded and likely out of the house. Anna Mary could not have been the mother of Lester and Victor who appeared in the household on the 1900 Census.

Anna Mary MYERS was born on 26 January 1857 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3073] She died on 2 October 1905 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3074] She was buried in Salem or Church of the Brethren Cemetery in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

John David GARNS and Anna Mary MYERS had the following child:<sup>[3075]</sup>
1075. iv. **Bessie J.<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born in April 1890.<sup>[3076]</sup> Her grave marker suggests she was born a year later whereas her marriage record suggests that she was born two years earlier. She

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Tombstone inscription, cited below.

<sup>3067 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83635189, as Lydia M.; Edward L. Shafer, "Records in Stone," Vol. IV., p. 23, published by Shippensburg Historical Society, Oct., 1984, reports Lydia M. Garnes, w/o John D., 1857-1886, at Cumberland County Historical Society, Carlisle, PA; John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 14, Letterkenny and Lurgan Townships, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1988), p. 14-78, as Lydia M., Wife of John D. Garnes, reports birth and death dates, death in 1888 [sic], book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Children 2 and 3 appear on 1900 Census with John David and his second wife.

Obituary or death report, cited below; Tombstone inscription, cited with his mother.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg., 2 January 1885, as Franklin John D., son of John & Lydia Garnes, death on 26 December 1884; Tombstone inscription, cited with his mother, as Frank Lorenzo Garnes, Son of Jno. D. and Lydia Garnes.

<sup>3071 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," <familysearch.org>, accessed 19 April 2014, J. D. Garnes and Annie M. Myers, 1 September 1887, citing Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, FHL# 323901; Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages. Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg., 16 September 1887, he as John D. Garnes of Upper Strasburg and she as Miss Annie M. Myers of Marion, Pa.

<sup>3072 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John D. Garns, Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 7A, E.D. 42, as Garnes.

<sup>3073</sup> Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions; Houpt, Garns

<sup>3074</sup> Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3075</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3076</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

died on 29 March 1954. [3077] She married Crawford D. GROVE (son of Daniel GROVE) and **Annie**) on 14 February 1907 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3078] Crawford D. GROVE was born in 1883. [3079] He died in 1980. [3080]

John David GARNS next married Elizabeth Ann WIDDER (daughter of Joseph WIDDER and Elizabeth MATER) on 26 December 1906. [3081] After John David's death, Elizabeth appeared on the 1910 Census in Penn Twp., Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. [3082]

Elizabeth Ann WIDDER was born on 13 February 1868. [3083] She died on 4 February 1948 in Huntsdale, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. [3084] She was buried in the Huntsdale Church of the Brethern Cemetery in Huntsdale, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. She had been married more than once and did not want to show favoritism to one husband over the other. So she was buried beside her parents, which might explain why two of her husbands share a grave marker.

John David GARNS and Elizabeth Ann WIDDER had the following children: [3085]

- +1076. v. **John Widder**<sup>9</sup> **GARNS** (1908 1974).
  - 1077. vi. Ruth Elizabeth GARNS was born in 1909. She died on 13 September 1993 in Elizabethtown, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania.

540. **Rev. Samuel Andrew<sup>8</sup> GARNES** (Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup> GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel Andrew GARNS, person #159, and Martha SPECK) was born on 2 January 1859 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3086] He died on 30 November 1922 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3087] Church records at the historical society in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, report that his funeral was conducted at Centerville Lutheran Church and that he was buried in Norland Cemetery in Chambersburg. [3088]

Rev. Samuel Andrew GARNES married Minnie Bell SHOEMAKER (daughter of Phillip M. SHOEMAKER and Mary ZULLINGER) on 16 August 1883. [3089] Samuel and Minnie

3080 <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 11642003; Keystone Seekers Genealogical Quarterly, Vol. XXI, No. 2, 2003, Camp Hill Cemetery Inscriptions, pages 38-57, at 43, death report for Crawford and Bessie Garnes Grove.

3086 Obituary, cited below; Tombstone inscription, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

 $<sup>^{3077} &</sup>lt; www.findagrave.com >, Memorial \#\ 11642001; Keystone\ Seekers\ Genealogical\ Quarterly,\ Vol.\ XXI,\ No.\ 2,\ 2003,\ Camp\ Hill\ Appendix Append$ Cemetery Inscriptions, pages 38-57, at 43, death report for Crawford and Bessie Garnes Grove...

<sup>3078 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania County Marriages, 1885-1950," index and images, <familysearch.org>, Crawford D. Grove and Bessie J. Garns, 14 February 1907, cites FHL# 323907, his parents as Daniel and Annie, her father only as Jno D.

From grave marker, cited below.

Royer Family, comp. by Blair County Genealogical Society, Inc. (Hollidaysburg, PA, 2002), pp. 160-161; Houpt, Garns and Garns. 3082 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Elizabeth A. Garns, Penn Twp., Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1335, p. 2A, E.D. 33, as Lizzie

Information supplied by John N. Garns, great-grandson of John David and Elizabeth.

Information supplied by John N. Garns, great-grandson of John David and Elizabeth.

Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3087</sup> Obituary of Samuel Andrew Garnes, in *The Outlook*, Vol. 4, January 1923, a monthly publication of the Synod of West Pennsylvania of the United Lutheran Church of America.; <www.findabrave.com>, memorial# 51867295; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Death Report for Rev. S. A. Garnes, 30 November 1922, in burial records of St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, Carlisle, PA, 1855-1895, (#319) on microfilm at Cumberland County Historical Society, Carlisle, PA.

Obituary of Rev. Samuel Andrew Garnes, cited above; Minnie's death record names spouse; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

appeared on the 1900 Census in Selinsgrove, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania. [3090] In 1910 they were in Clinton Twp., Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania. And in 1920 they were in Penn Twp., Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. On the first of these censuses he listed his occupation as student in theology. On the others he listed his occupation as minister or clergyman at a Lutheran church, which probably explains the frequent moves.

Minnie Bell SHOEMAKER was born on 30 December 1862 in Upper Strasburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 10 June 1944 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. Minnie was living with her son Herbert in Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio when the 1930 Census was recorded. Both Samuel and Minnie were buried in Norland Cemetery in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. Samuel and Minnie were buried in Norland Cemetery in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Rev. Samuel Andrew GARNES and Minnie Bell SHOEMAKER had the following children: [3096] +1078. i. **Herbert Spencer GARNES**, **Sr.** (1887 - 1959).

1079. ii. **Rev. Samuel Shoemaker<sup>9</sup> GARNES** was born on 17 January 1891 in Waynesboro, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3097] He registered for the World War I draft in 1917. [3098] His registration card reports that he was married and a Minister of the Gospel at a Lutheran Church in Silver Spring Twp., Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 5 December 1918 in Derry Twp., Dauphin Co., Pennsylvania. [3099] He was buried in Norland Cemetery, Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, where his parents were buried. [3100] He married **Sallie Marie GROSS** on 24 June 1914 in York Co., Pennsylvania. [3101] Sallie Marie GROSS was born about 1894 in Pennsylvania. [3102]

541. **Rev. William S.**<sup>8</sup> **GARNES** (Samuel Andrew GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Samuel Andrew GARNS, person #159, and Martha SPECK) was born on 7 April 1861 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3103] He died on 17 April 1926. [3104]

Draft Registration Card, Samuel Shoemaker Garnes, <search.ancestry.com>, World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, accessed 6 April 2011, cites Roll 1877942, gives birth date, residence.

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 11-60, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel A. Garnes, Selinsgrove, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania, T623 1481, p. 10A, E.D. 180.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel A. Garnes, Clinton Twp., Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania, T624 1372, p. 3B, E.D. 34.

<sup>3092 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel A. Garnes, Penn Twp., Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1556, p. 5A, E.D. 10, indexed as Samuel H. Jarnes and Samuel A. James, widowed daughter-in-law Sallie M. living in household.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Minnie Bell Garnes, Ohio Deaths, 10 June 1944, File No. 40415, names parents, deceased spouse, birth place.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 11-60, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Children appear on 1900 and 1910 Censuses, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Draft Registration Card, cited below.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 18 April 2014, Samuel S. Garms [sic], 5 December 1918, certificate 186393, gives birth date and place, parents as Samuel A. Garnes and Minnie B. Shannahan [sic]; Tombstone inscription, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3101 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 15 May 2014, Samuel S. Garnes, Jr., and Sallie Marie Gross, 24 June 1914, cites York Co., Pennsylvania, FHL# 1287399; Sallie M. named as widowed daughter-in-law on 1920 Census of Samuel's parents.

<sup>3102</sup> From 1920 U.S., cited with Samuel's parents.

<sup>3103</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year on tombstone inscription, cited below.

Houpt, Garns and Garns, death in 1926 as shown here; Year on tombstone inscription, cited below, death in 1925.

It was reported that he chose to spell his name as Garnes instead of Garns, as his father spelled it, because he was an itinerant evangelist and wanted to distinguish himself from other Garns and make it easy for people to tell which Garns was him.<sup>[3105]</sup> So he added the "e" to his name and told people that he was the Garnes in the Waynesboro, Pennsylvania, phone book who spelled his name with an "e" for evangelist.

Rev. William S. GARNES married **Era D. CROMWELL** (daughter of **Samuel CROMWELL** and **Sarah**) on 30 January 1883. [3106] In 1900 they lived in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, where William worked as a weaver in a woolen mill. [3107] In 1910 and 1920 they appeared on the census in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, where he listed his occupation as a day laborer. [3108]

Era D. CROMWELL was born on 15 March 1863.<sup>[3109]</sup> She died on 11 June 1939.<sup>[3110]</sup> William and Era were buried in Norland Cemetery, Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, in the same plot where their sons Milton and Bruce and Bruce's wife were buried.<sup>[3111]</sup>

Rev. William S. GARNES and Era D. CROMWELL had the following children: [3112]

- 1080. i. **Milton Monroe GARNES** was born on 13 March 1884. [3113] He died on 21 September 1939. [3114]
- 1081. ii. **Grace Elizabeth<sup>9</sup> GARNES** was born on 9 December 1885. She died on 11 November 1966. She married **Clarence T. BURKHART** (son of **Augustus BURKHART** and **Charlotte**) on 20 April 1905 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3115]
- 1082. iii. **William Otterbeine GARNES** was born on 9 May 1887. The record reports his birth in 1886, which is too close to that of his older sister. So we presume he was born in 1887. He died on 17 March 1966.
- +1083. iv. **Samuel Cromwell<sup>9</sup> GARNES** (1888 1974).
- 1084. v. Maude Henrietta GARNES was born on 4 March 1891.
- +1085. vi. **Arthur Albertus<sup>9</sup> GARNES** (1893 1950).
- 1086. vii. Mary Ellen<sup>9</sup> GARNES was born on 26 June 1895. She died on 6 December 1967.
- 1087. viii. Emma Ruth GARNES was born on 22 March 1897. She died on 10 September 1966.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg. 9 February 1883, she as Eva; Era D. Cromwell named as spouse on tombstone inscription, cited below; her parents from 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Cromwell, Fayetteville, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1131, p. 205C, E.D. 96.

 $<sup>^{3105}</sup>$  John N. Garns, private communication, 4 July 2011.

<sup>3107 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William S. Garnes, Chambersburg Ward 1, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 6A, E.D. 34, indexed as Garner

<sup>3108 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William S. Garnes, Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 9A, E.D. 23; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of William S. Garnes, Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 6B, E.D. 24.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year is on tombstone inscription, cited below.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year on tombstone inscription, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 11-60, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Children appear on one or more census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Houpt, Garns and Garns: Year on tombstone inscription, cited with parents.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year on tombstone inscription, cited with parents.

<sup>3115 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 March 2014, Charence T. Burkhart and Grace E. Garnes, 20 April 1905, cites FHL# 323907, his parents as Agustus and Charlotte, her father only as William S.

- 1088. ix. **Bruce Ramsey GARNES** was born on 3 June 1899 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 10 April 1976 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He married **Rose J. CROFT** on 7 June 1923 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. They were married in the St. Paul Methodist Church. Rose J. CROFT was born in 1899.
- +1089. x. Elmer Elsworth<sup>9</sup> GARNES (1901 1972).
  - 1090. xi. Sarah Evelyn<sup>9</sup> GARNES was born on 7 December 1903. She died in 1979.
  - 1091. xii. **Ruby Catherine<sup>9</sup> GARNES** was born on 27 February 1907 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

542. **Mary Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Samuel Andrew GARNS, person #159, and Martha SPECK) was born on 21 August 1863 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3120] She died on 25 January 1941 in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3121]

Mary Elizabeth GARNS married **David Parton HEPFER** on 25 June 1882 in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3122] In 1900 and 1910 they appeared on the census in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3123] David Parton HEPFER was born on 20 November 1858 in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3124] He died on 28 October 1919 in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3125] Both David and Mary Elizabeth were buried in Salem Cemetery in Greene Township.

Mary Elizabeth GARNS and David Parton HEPFER had the following children: [3126]

- i. **Alice Sarah** HEPFER was born on 22 June 1883 in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 23 January 1968 in Buffalo Twp., Ogle Co., Illinois.
- 1093. ii. William M. HEPFER was born in 1886 in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1094. iii. **Harry I.** HEPFER was born on 13 January 1887 in Southampton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died in October 1964 in Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1095. iv. **Fanny C.** HEPFER was born in 1891 in Southampton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1096. v. **Jacob Henry** HEPFER was born in 1892 in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 3 January 1961 in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1097. vi. **Samuel A.** HEPFER was born in April 1892 in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died in 1959 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

<sup>3116</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year on tombstone inscription, cited below.

<sup>3117 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 132715426, Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year on tombstone inscription, cited below.

Pennsylvania and New Jersey, Church and Town Records, 1708-1985, Bruce R. Garnes and Rose J. Croft, 7 June 1923, cites Historical Society of Pennsylvania's Historic Pensylvania Church and Town Records, reel 281.

Tombstone inscription, cited above.

Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3121 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 101110634; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg. 30 June 1882; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3123 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Hepfer, Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1413, p. 15A, E.D. 46; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of David P. Hepfer, Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624 1347, p. 12A, E.D. 23.

<sup>3124</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3125</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Houpt, Garns and Garns.

- 1098. vii. **John D.** HEPFER was born on 30 July 1894 in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died in May 1970 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1099. viii. **Annie B.** HEPFER was born in 1898 in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died in 1920 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1100. ix. **Jane M.** HEPFER was born on 27 April 1903 in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 8 July 1981 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

546. **Susan Rebecca<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Catharine HAULMAN) was born on 10 December 1861 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3127] She died on 14 June 1941 in Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio. [3128]

Susan Rebecca GARNS married **Monroe Hartman STOUFFER** on 16 October 1888 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3129] Monroe and Susan appeared on the 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3130] The first of these reports they had been married eleven years. The second reports that he had been married twice. A Maggie, age 21, appearing on the 1900 Census was undoubtedly his daughter from his previous marriage. He appears with his first wife Sarah and this Maggie in the 1880 U.S. Census in Chambersburg. [3131] It appears that this Maggie's death record incorrectly reports that Susan was her mother. [3132] Monroe Hartman STOUFFER was born about 1854 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 18 September 1910 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Susan Rebecca GARNS and Monroe Hartman STOUFFER had the following children: [3133]

- 1101. i. **Walter Garns<sup>9</sup> STOUFFER** was born on 28 July 1889 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 6 May 1890.
- 1102. ii. **Lester Bonebrake<sup>9</sup> STOUFFER** was born on 4 June 1891 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 20 June 1936 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1103. iii. **Alesta Mae<sup>9</sup> STOUFFER** was born on 6 February 1893 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 22 December 1975 in Springfield, Ohio.
- 1104. iv. **Merle Hartman<sup>9</sup> STOUFFER** was born on 3 March 1898 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 1 July 1970 in Springfield, Ohio.

547. **Emma Catharine**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Catharine HAULMAN) was born on 15 December 1863 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3134] She died on 4 June 1952 in

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<sup>3127</sup> Henry Garns Family Records; date also given on death record.

Death Record for Susan R. Stouffer, Ohio Deaths, 14 June 1941, File No. 34736, names spouse, parents, burial in Chambersburg, PA; Henry Garns Family Records; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 107729371.

Spouse named on Susan's death record; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3130 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Monroe H. Stouffer, Chambersburg Ward 3, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 20B, E.D. 36; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Monroe Stouffer, Chambersburg Ward 3, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624 1347, p. 12B, E.D. 8.

<sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Monroe Stouffer, Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1132, p. 304D, E.D. 102.

Death Record for Maggie B. Hartman, Ohio Deaths, 28 April 1927, File No. 20546, father as Monroe Stauffer, mother as Susie Gaines [sic].

Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns.

Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3135] She was buried in Cedar Grove Cemetery in Chambersburg.

Emma Catharine GARNS married **Elmer C. OVER** about 1888.<sup>[3136]</sup> They appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.<sup>[3137]</sup> Elmer C. OVER was born in January 1867 in Pennsylvania.[3138]

Emma Catharine GARNS and Elmer C. OVER had the following children: [3139]

- i. Elven A. OVER was born in March 1889 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3140] She died in 1970 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- ii. **Grace<sup>9</sup> OVER** was born in May 1892 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[3141]</sup> 1106.
- iii. Seth Ellsworth<sup>9</sup> OVER was born on 29 September 1893 in Lemasters, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3142] He died on 25 January 1967 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1108. iv. **Howard G.** OVER was born in February 1896 in Pennsylvania. [3143]

548. Sarah Ann<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Catharine HAULMAN) was born on 29 June 1865 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3144] She died on 7 December 1939 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3145]

Sarah Ann GARNS married Edward A. SCHUCHMAN on 4 September 1888 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3146] Edward and Sarah appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. [3147] Edward A. SCHUCHMAN was born in April 1870 in Pennsylvania. [3148]

Sarah Ann GARNS and Edward A. SCHUCHMAN had the following children: [3149]

i. Minnie B. SCHUCHMAN was born in January 1889 in Pennsylvania. 1109

<sup>3135 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 108954529; Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns.

Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns, Emma's spouse as Over; Date from 1900 Census, cited below; Houpt, Garns

<sup>3137 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elmer Over, Chambersburg Ward 3, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 25A, E.D. 36; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Elmer C. Over, Chambersburg Ward 3, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624 1347, pp. 10B and 11A, E.D. 9.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

<sup>3139</sup> Children appear on one or more census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Date from 1900 Census, cited above, as Elva.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Date from 1900 Census, cited above.

Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Henry Garns Family Records.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg. 7 September 1888; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns, Sarah's spouse as Schuchman.

<sup>3147 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Edward Schuchman, Chambersburg Ward 2, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 16A, E.D. 35, Sarah's birth in June 1866, perhaps because she was older than her husband; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Edward Schuchman, Chambersburg Ward 2, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624 1347, p. 8B, E.D. 7, indexed as Schlickman and Schchuman.

<sup>3148 1900</sup> Census, cited above.

<sup>3149</sup> Children appear on censuses, cited above, children's births from 1900 Census.

- ii. Arthur G. SCHUCHMAN was born in October 1891 in Pennsylvania.
- 1111. iii. Charles M.9 SCHUCHMAN was born in February 1897 in Pennsylvania.

549. **Jennie Mae<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Catharine HAULMAN) was born on 10 October 1866 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3150] She died on 21 January 1953 in Fort Loudon, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3151]

Jennie Mae GARNS married Richard Ronald ROSENBERRY about January 1885 near Fort Loudon, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3152] They appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3153] In 1900 Richard reported that he was a farmer. In 1910 he operated a hotel. Richard Ronald ROSENBERRY was born on 23 October 1861 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 10 April 1923 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. Both Jennie Mae and Richard were buried in Stenger Cemetery.

Jennie Mae GARNS and Richard Ronald ROSENBERRY had the following children: [3154]

- i. Grover Cleveland ROSENBERRY was born on 7 May 1885 in Fort Loudon, Franklin 1112. Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 10 October 1944 in Fort Loudon, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1113. ii. Ethel G. PROSENBERRY was born on 23 November 1889 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 4 May 1953 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- iii. Mildred S. ROSENBERRY was born on 31 March 1903 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

551. William Henry<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Catharine HAULMAN) was born on 1 January 1869 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3155] He died on 18 February 1938 in Vero Beach, Indian River Co., Florida. [3156]

William Henry GARNS married Mary Jane SCOTT on 30 June 1896 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [3157] Several newspaper articles report about William and Mary's early life and residence in the Ashland,

Henry Garns Family Records; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3151 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 90463948; Henry Garns Family Records: Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg. 30 Jan 1885; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns, Jennie May's spouse as Rosenberry.

<sup>3153 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Richard Rosenberry, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1413, p. 4A, E.D. 54, in-laws Minnie B. Garns and D. Rush Garns, indexed as Gams, in household; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Richard Rosenberry, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 20A, E.D. 29, in-law Minnie B. Garnes in household.

Children appear on at least one census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Henry Garns Family Records; also reported on death record.

Death Record for William Henry Garns, <br/>
beta.familysearch.org>, Florida Deaths 1877-1939, accessed 22 November 2010, cites FHL# 2115033, Ref. No. 2150, names parents, spouse as Mary Jane Garns, birth in Le Masters, Pennsylvania, architect as occupation, residence at 106 DeQuincy St, Indianapolis, IN; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 104462795; Henry Garns Family Records.

Marriage Record for W. H. Garns and Mary Scott, <a href="https://beta.familysearch.org">beta.familysearch.org</a>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 22 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079407, Ref. No. p32, cn10284.

Ohio area among other Garn relatives. [3158] One article, dated 9 October 1890, reports on William's education and move to Ashland Co., Ohio. It reports:

W. H. Garns, a graduate of Northern Illinois [School] of Pen Art, is the teacher of penmanship and pen drawing at Ashland university. Prof Garns arrived last week and has a display of his work at the post office and the Centennial store. They are marvels of beauty.

Note that he is referred to as Prof. Garns and as W. H. Garns. Another article, dated 8 June 1893, clearly establishes that this Prof. Garns is the William Henry Garns of Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. It reports:

Henry Garns of Lemasters, Pa., was the guest of his son Prof. Garns here, and relatives near Jeromeville last week, leaving for Canton on Saturday. Prof. Garns started Monday to Greenville, O., where he will instruct in Prof Shook's business college. He has been retained another year to teach penmanship in the Ashland schools.

One article, dated 28 October 1897, confirms the surname of William's spouse. It reports:

Prof. Frank Scott, principal of the Bellville schools, where he is quite successful, visited his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Garns, over Sunday.



William Henry Garns, person #551

Some time between 28 October 1897 and 28 January 1903, when another article was written, William and wife moved to Connersville, Indiana. The latter article reports:

Mrs. W. H. Garns left Friday for her home in Connersville, Indiana, after a couple of weeks' visit here as the guest of P.F. Sharick and family, and at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Scott, in Widowville.

Finally, an article dated 26 August 1903 reported the birth of a child and other teaching responsibilities for William. That article reports:

P. F. Sharick, jeweler, received a card, Monday morning, announcing the birth of a baby girl in the home of W.H. Garns and wife, at Connersville, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Garnes [sic] formerly lived in Ashland where Mr. Garns was teacher of music in the public schools.

Some time after these news reports William took additional training and became an architect in Indianapolis. It was reported that he also worked as an architect in Florida. [3159] William and Mary and their children appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census in Indianapolis, Indiana in 1920. [3160] In 1935 William appeared as a married man on the Florida State Census. [3161] Both censuses reported that he was an architect. The latter census did not name his spouse. William also wrote a book of poems that was published in 1917. [3162]

Ashland [Ohio] Press, articles dated 9 October 1890, 8 June, 1893, 28 October 1897, 28 Jan 1903, and 26 August 1903, all as reported in the Obituary Notebook, D-I, 1890-1915, Ashland Co. Library, Ashland, Ohio.

Private communication, Milton Leroy Garnes, nephew of William Henry Garns, 31 August 2010.

<sup>3160 1920</sup> U.S. Census of William Garnes, Indianapolis Ward 9, Marion Co., Indiana, T625\_454, p. 3B, E.D. 172.

<sup>3161 1935</sup> Florida State Census for W. H. Garns, <beta.familysearch.org>, married, residence in Vero, Indian River Co., Florida, architect as occupation.

William Henry Garns, *Twilight dreams, and other poems*, (Indianapolis, 1917).

Mary Jane SCOTT was born about 1868 in Ohio. [3163]

William Henry GARNS and Mary Jane SCOTT had the following children: [3164]

- i. **Howard<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born on 2 March 1905 in Connersville, Fayette Co., Indiana. [3165] He died on 6 October 1989. [3166] Howard's cousin reported that he is credited with the invention of Sudoku, the logic-based, combinatorial number placement puzzle. [3167] This is corroborated by reports about Sudoku on the Internet. [3168] Howard earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in architectural engineering and, like his father, was an architect.
- 1116. ii. **Mildred** GARNS was born about 1909 in Indiana.

554. John Calvin<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Catharine HAULMAN) was born on 4 December 1873 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3169] He died on 10 April 1941 in Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Indiana. [3170] John Calvin GARNS married Anna D. MILLER on 4 March 1897 in South Bend, St. Joseph Co., Indiana. [3171] John and Anna appear on the 1900-1940 censuses in Penn Twp. or Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Indiana. [3172]

Anna D. MILLER was born in 1876 in Pennsylvania. [3173] She died in 1950. [3174] Anna's marriage record and some of the census records give "D" as her middle initial. The Anna Garns whose name appears on the same grave marker as the marker for John Calvin Garns has a middle initial "C." We presume the two Annas are the same person.

John Calvin GARNS and Anna D. MILLER had the following children: [3175]

i. Samuel GARNS was born in June 1898 in Indiana. [3176] He died about 1903. [3177] The 1900 Census reports a son Samuel born to John Calvin Garns and wife in June 1898. A Find A Grave memorial reports a child Samuel Garns born in 1904 and died in 1910, who was buried in the same cemetery as John Calvin Garns and was identified by relatives as

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3163</sup> From 1920 U.S. Census.

<sup>3164</sup> Children as listed on the 1920 U.S. Federal Census cited above.

<sup>3165 &</sup>lt;en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Howard\_Garns>, accessed 28 November 2010.

Wikipedia article about Howard Garns, cited above.

Private communication, Milton Leroy Garnes, nephew of William Henry Garns, 31 August 2010.

<sup>3168</sup> Wikipedia article about Howard Garns, cited above; <en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sukoku>, accessed 28 November 2010.

Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3170 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 99194782; Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>3171 &</sup>quot;Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 12 May 2014, John C. Garns and Anna D. Miller, 4 March 1897, cites St. Joseph County, FHL# 1503393.

<sup>3172 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Garnes, Penn Twp., St. Joseph Co., Indiana, Roll 401, Page 3A, E.D. 115, FHL# 1240401; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of John C. Garnes, Penn Twp., St. Joseph Co., Indiana, T624 377, Page 4A, E.D. 153, FHL# 1374390; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of John C. Garns, Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Indiana, T625 462, Page 7B, E.D. 209; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of John C. Garns, Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Indiana, Roll 628, Page \$B, E.D. 80, FHL# 2340363; 1940 U.S. Federal Census of John C. Garns, Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Indiana, T627\_1093, Page 6A, E.D. 71-31.

\*Seww.findagrave.com\*, Memorial# 99194774.

<sup>3174 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 99194774.

<sup>3175</sup> Children are named in one or more census, cited above, birth dates of children come from censuses unless otherwise reported.

<sup>3176</sup> From 1900 Census, cited with his parents.

<sup>3177 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 99194791.

John Calvin Garns' son. Samuel's sister Elizabeth, person #1121, told her son John Voorheis that the inscription on the marker was wrong and that Samuel had died when four of five years old. [3178] Based on this, we conclude that his birth was as reported in the 1900 Census, that his death was about four or five years later, and that the inscription is wrong.

- wrong.

  1118. ii. **Helen<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born about 1901 in Indiana. She died in 1932. [3179] She undoubtedly was the Helen (Garns) Swanger who was buried in the same cemetery as John Calvin Garns.
- 1119. iii. **Theodore C.** GARNS was born about 1904 in Indiana. He died in 1956. We presume the Clyde Garnes who appears on the early censuses with John C. Garns is the Theodore C. Garns who appears on later censuses, also in Mishawaka, Indiana, and who was also buried in the same cemetery as John Calvin Garns.
- 1120. iv. **Zelpha Gail<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born about 1907 in Indiana. She died on 4 July 1995 in Sarasota, Florida.<sup>[3181]</sup> She married **Howard K. KENYON** on 15 March 1930 in St. Joseph Co., Indiana.<sup>[3182]</sup>
- v. **Elizabeth<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born about 1914 in Indiana. She married **Warren VOORHEIS** on 15 June 1935 in St. Joseph Co., Indiana. Elizabeth and Warren and a son were living with her parents when the 1940 Census was recorded. She is named as a daughter and her husband as a son-in-law on that census. Warren VOORHEIS was born about 1913 in Michigan. [3184]

555. **Charles Milton<sup>8</sup> GARNES** (Henry<sup>7</sup> GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Catharine HAULMAN) was born on 4 June 1875 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He was born with surname Garns and changed his surname to Garnes. Charles' son Milton reported that Charles declared, "If people named Barnes spell their name with an 'e,' then people named Garns should also add the 'e'." He died on 7 January 1948 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. Charles and both of his wives were buried in St. Thomas Cemetery in St. Thomas Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Charles Milton GARNES married **Lula M. SMALL** on 19 November 1896 in Saint Thomas, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3188] They appeared on the 1910 and 1920 U.S. Censuses in Peters Twp., Franklin

3179 <www.findagrave.com>. Memorial# 87758786.

<sup>3181</sup> "Florida, Death Index, 1877-1998," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 18 May 2014, Zelpha Gail Kenyon, 4 July 1995, cites <ancestry.com> and cert. no. 79728.

Henry Garns Family Records; Information supplied by Milton L. Garnes, son of Charles Milton Garnes; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 20, Southampton and Saint Thomas Townships*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1988), p. 20-171, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Conversation with John Voorheis, May 2014.

<sup>3180 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 99194838.

<sup>3182</sup> St. Joseph Co., Indiana, Marriages, Book 52, Page 444, Howard K. Kenyon and Zeepha [sic] Gail Garns, 15 March 1930.

<sup>3183</sup> St. Joseph Co., Indiana, Marriages, Book 87, page 58, Warren M. Voorheis and Elizabeth Catherie Garus [sic], 15 June 1935, as found in <ancestry.com> RootsWeb Marriage Records Index; 1940 Census of Elizabeth's parents, cited with her parents.

From 1940 Census, cited with Elizabeth's parents.

Information supplied by Milton L. Garnes, son of Charles Milton Garnes; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 115513931; Henry Garns Family Records.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950," <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Charles M. Garns and Lula M. Small, 19 November 1896, reports estimated birth years, his father as Henry Garns, her mother as Catharine Small, cites FHL# 323904.

Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3189]</sup> The 1910 Census reports that they had been married 13 years. No children appeared on either census. And the place was left blank on the 1910 Census where one would list the number of children born to a woman and the number that were still living. Therefore we believe Lula never had any children. Lula M. SMALL was born in 1873 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3190]</sup> She died on 16 January 1928 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3191]</sup>

Charles Milton GARNES next married **Ethel E. NEIKIRK** about 1929. Charles and Ethel appeared on the 1930 Census in Peters Township. Ethel E. NEIKIRK was born on 1 September 1892 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 25 September 1975 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Charles Milton GARNES and Ethel E. NEIKIRK had the following child: [3196]

1122. i. **Milton Leroy GARNES** was born about 1930.

557. **Luther Walt<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Malinda Frances WALT) was born on 8 November 1880 in Antrim Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3197]</sup> He died on 3 September 1956 in Boonesboro, Washington Co., Maryland.<sup>[3198]</sup>

Luther Walt GARNS married Laversa COREY (daughter of Alfred COREY and Lucretia KIERSTEDE) on 14 December 1903 in Auburn, Androscoggin Co., Maine. [3199] Luther and Laversa appeared on the 1910 U.S. Federal Census in Antrim Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3200] Around 1914 they moved to Maryland and appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Hagerstown. [3201] Laversa COREY was born on 1 July 1882 in Aberdeen, Carleton Co., New Brunswick, Canada. [3202] She died on 22 October 1969 in Boonesboro, Washington Co., Maryland. [3203]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3189</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Charles M. Garnes, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 3A, E.D. 30; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Charles M. Garnes, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 2A, E.D. 36.

<sup>3190</sup> Information supplied by Milton L. Garnes, son of Charles Milton Garnes; Tombstone inscription, Vol. 20, cited with her husband.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Necrology, Vol. 1*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), p. 25, as Mrs. Chas. Garnes, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Information supplied by Milton L. Garnes, son of Charles Milton Garnes; Houpt, Garns and Garns; marriage date from 1930 census, cited below, where Ethel was 37 when census was taken and 36 when first married.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles M. Garnes, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2043, p. 10B, E.D. 28, as Garns.

Information supplied by Milton L. Garnes, son of Charles and Ethel.

Information supplied by Milton L. Garnes, son of Charles and Ethel; John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania*, *Necrology, Vol. 1*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), p. 124, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>3196</sup> Information supplied by Milton L. Garnes, son of Charles and Ethel; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Henry Garns Family Records; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Luther Walt Garns.

<sup>3198 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 84962819; Henry Garns Family Records; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Luther Walt Garns.

Miriam Garns, p. 43, transcript of "Marriage Record of Luther W. Garns at Auburn, Maine."

<sup>3200 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Luther W. Garns, Antrim Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 9B, E.D. 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3201</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Luther W. Garns, Hagerstown Ward 3, Washington Co., Maryland, T625\_676, pp. 5A and 5B, E.D. 159; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Luther W. Garns, Hagerstown, Washington Co., Maryland, Roll 880, p. 5A, E.D. 13; births of first three children in Pennsylvania and births of last four children in Maryland.

<sup>3202</sup> Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Luther Walt Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3203</sup> Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Luther Walt Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Luther Walt GARNS and Laversa COREY had the following children born in Antrim Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania (1-5) and probably in Hagerstown, Washington Co., Maryland (6-9):[3204]

- i. Edward James GARNS was born on 31 August 1904. He died on 29 January 1979. 1123.
- ii. Paul Henry GARNS was born on 18 October 1907. He died on 29 July 1959. 1124.
- iii. Gail Malinda Lucretia GARNS was born on 19 August 1909. She died on 17 February 1125.
- iv. Ruth Elizabeth<sup>9</sup> GARNS was born on 7 October 1911. She died on 14 November 2004. 1126.
- v. Miriam Edith<sup>9</sup> GARNS was born on 21 March 1913. She died on 4 February 2001. She 1127. is the author of *The Garns Family Roots*, one of the general references we cite in this
- 1128. vi. Esther Laversa<sup>9</sup> GARNS was born on 21 August 1915. She died on 2 March 2005.
- 1129. vii. Mary Catharine GARNS was born on 3 August 1917. She died on 4 August 2008.
- 1130. viii. Alberta Maud GARNS was born on 24 July 1919. She died on 7 April 1992.
- ix. Bernice Louise GARNS was born on 11 November 1922. She died on 22 September 2001.

558. Jacob Arthur<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Malinda Frances WALT) was born on 23 May 1882 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3205] In 1920 he appeared married, but without a wife, on the census in the home of his mother with sisters Amelia G. and Mary living with them. In 1930 he was listed as widowed, and head of the household, in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, with sisters Mary and Amelia, as Gail A., living with him. [3206] He died on 27 November 1947 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3207] He was buried in Spring Grove Cemetery in Lemasters with his parents, a brother and two sisters.

Jacob Arthur GARNS married **Nell HIGHLAND** (daughter of **Ida**) about 1907. [3208] Jacob and Nell separated soon after Glenn was born. We do not believe they divorced since both appear as married individuals on separate censuses. In 1910 - 1930 Nell appeared on the census in the home of her mother Ida Highland with her son Glenn living with them. [3209] Nell HIGHLAND was born in December 1887 in Pennsylvania. [3210] She died on 22 April 1961. [3211]

Jacob Arthur GARNS and Nell HIGHLAND had the following child: [3212]

3206 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob A. Garns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2043, p. 10B, E.D. 28, sisters Gail A. and Mary E. living in household.

 $<sup>^{3204}\,\</sup>mathrm{Children}$  appear on one or more census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3205</sup> Henry Garns Family Records; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3207 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 112378692; Henry Garns Family Records; John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of* Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Necrology, Vol. 1, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), p. 62, as Garnes, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Name of Jacob's spouse provided by Jacob's nephew Milton L. Garnes, person #1122.

<sup>3209 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ida Highland, Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1348, pp. 9B and 10A, E.D. 27, as Highland, grandson Glenn Garns as a granddaughter, Glenn Highlands; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Ida Highland, Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 9B, E.D. 26; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Ida Highland, Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2042, p. 14B, E.D. 21, as Highlands, daughter and grandson as Nellie Carnes and Glen Carnes.

<sup>3210 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ida M. Highland, Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1413, p. 1B, E.D. 49.

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Necrology, Vol. 1, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), p. 95, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

3212 Glenn reported as son of Jacob Arthur Garns and Nell Highland by Milton L. Garnes, person #1122, a nephew of Jacob Arthur.

i. **Glenn H.<sup>9</sup> GARNES** was born on 10 September 1907 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[3213]</sup> He died on 7 December 1972. <sup>[3214]</sup> His grave marker reports that he served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

559. **Edward Otterbein<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Henry<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry GARNS, person #160, and Malinda Frances WALT) was born on 13 May 1884 in Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3215] He died on 3 December 1948 in Auburn, Androscoggin Co., Maine. [3216]

Edward Otterbein GARNS married **Grace Ethel DICKSON** (daughter of **Edwin A. DICKSON** and **Laura E. SIMPSON**) on 21 June 1906 in Auburn, Androscoggin Co., Maine. [3218] Edward and Grace appeared on the 1910 Census in Auburn, Maine, living with her parents. [3218] They were also in Auburn when the 1920 and 1930 Censuses were taken. [3219] We are not sure of the correct spelling of Grace's surname. In 1910 when Edward and Grace were living with her parents, her father's surname was spelled as shown here. And he undoubtedly was the Edwin A. Dickson who appeared on the 1900 Census in Auburn with a 16-year-old daughter named Grace. [3220] However, the marriage record of Edward and Grace spells her name as Dixon. Edward reported that he was a shoemaker on his marriage record. Interestingly, on that same record he reported that his father was a cobbler. Later, on the censuses, he reported that he was a manager in a shirt factory. Grace Ethel DICKSON was born on 8 December 1884 in Charlestown, Massachusetts. [3221] She died on 30 August 1965. [3222]

Edward Otterbein GARNS and Grace Ethel DICKSON had the following children: [3223]

- 1133. i. Henry Simpson<sup>9</sup> GARNS was born on 28 December 1907. He died on 10 January 1968.
- 1134. ii. **Ethel Gail<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born about 1917.

563. **Jacob Henry**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** (John<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARNS, person #162, and Mary Belle GRAHAM) was born on 26 June 1865 in Upton, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3224] He died on 30 August 1931 in Freeport, Stephenson Co.,

<sup>3213</sup> Tombstone inscriptions, Vol. 16, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Necrology, Vol. 1*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), p. 118, available at Franklin County Historical Society; John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 16, Fairview Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 16-178, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Henry Garns Family Records; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3216 &</sup>lt;a href="www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 108339257; Henry Garns Family Records; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns; John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Necrology, Vol. 1*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania), p. 66, as Garnes, burial in Auburn, Maine, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Marriage Record for Edward Otterbein Garns and Grace Ethel Dixon, 21 June 1906, Maine State Archives, Cultural Building, 84 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333-0084, 1892-1907 Vital Records, Roll 21, names parents; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3218 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Edwin A. Dickson, Auburn Ward 2, Androscoggin Co., Maine, T624\_536, p. 16A, E.D. 3, son-in-law Edward O. Garns, wife Grace R. Garns, and their son Henry S. Garns in household.

<sup>3219 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Edward O. Garns, Auburn Ward 2, Androscoggin Co., Maine, T625\_637, p. 10B, E.D. 4; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Edward O. Garns, Auburn, Androscoggin Co., Maine, Roll 827, p. 9B, E.D. 4.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Edwin A. Dickson, Auburn, Androscoggin Co., Maine, T623\_587, p. 2B, E.D. 1.

Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for Henry Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3222</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Censuses, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3224</sup> Death record, cited below.

Illinois. [3225] His death record reports that his father was Jacob Garns, Sr. We believe the informant on the record confused Jacob Henry's father with Anna M. Brinkley's father, who was named Jacob.

Jacob Henry GARNS married **Anna M. BRINKLEY** (daughter of **Jacob BRINKLEY**) on 2 August 1887 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. They appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census in Forreston Twp., Ogle Co., Illinois. [3227] In 1910 and 1920 they appeared on the census in Oneco Twp., Stephenson Co., Illinois. [3228] Anna M. BRINKLEY was born in October 1869 in Pennsylvania. [3229] In 1930 Anna appeared on the census in the home of her daughter Azora.

Jacob Henry GARNS and Anna M. BRINKLEY had the following children: [3230]

- i. Azora D. GARNS was born in August 1890 in Pennsylvania. [3231] She married William J. BABLER. Azora's mother appeared as the mother-in-law of the head of the household on the 1930 Census. [3232] Several children of William and Azora appeared on that census also. William J. BABLER was born about 1885 in Wisconsin. [3233]
- ii. **Boyd McDowell<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born on 6 June 1892 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3234] He married **Grace**. [3235]

564. Sabina Frances<sup>8</sup> GARNES (John<sup>7</sup> GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARNS, person #162, and Mary Belle GRAHAM) was born on 29 March 1867 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3236] She died on 16 December 1946. [3237]

Sabina Frances GARNES married Samuel E. SWIGERT about 1886. [3238] Samuel and Sabina appeared on the 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses in Waynesboro, Pennsylvania. [3239] Samuel E. SWIGERT was born in February 1859 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3240] We originally thought his name was spelled

<sup>3225</sup> Death Record for Jacob H. Garns, <familysearch.org>, Illinois, Deaths and Stillbirths, 1916-1947, accessed 13 April 2011, cites FHL# 1653947, CN 33931, father as Jacob Garns Sr., birth on 26 June 1865 in Upton, Pa.; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 28942367, as Garnes.

<sup>3226 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 1 April 2014, J. H. Garnes and Anna M. Brinkley, 2 August 1887, cites FHL# 323900, his parents as John and Mary Garnes, her father only as Jacob Brinkley.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Henry Garns, Forreston Twp., Ogle Co., Illinois, T623 333, p. 8A, E.D. 78.

<sup>3228 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob H. Garns, Oneco Twp., Stephenson Co., Illinois, T624\_327, p. 1B, E.D. 111; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob H. Garns, Oneco Twp., Stephenson Co., Illinois, T625 397, p. 1B, E.D. 138.

<sup>1900</sup> Census, cited above.

<sup>3230</sup> Children appear on 1900 and 1920 Census, cited above, births from 1900 Census.

<sup>3232 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William J. Babler, Oneco, Stephenson Co., Illinois, Roll 560, page 1A, E.D. 30, Anna M. Garns - age 61 as mother-in-law, cites FHL# 2340295.

World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942, Boyd McDowell Garns, birth on 6 June 1892 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, wife as Grace, <ancestry.com>, accessed 1 April 2014.

Grace named as spouse on Draft Registration Card of Boyd, cited above.

Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 51395972; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3238</sup> Date from years married on 1900 Census, cited below; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns.

<sup>3239 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Sweigart, Waynesboro, Ward 3, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1413, p. 14A, E.D. 65, indexed as Surgist and Singer, spouse as Sabrina; U.S. Federal Census of Samuel E. Sweigart, Waynesboro, Ward 3, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1348, pp. 8A and 8B, E.D. 42, as S. E. Sweigert.

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

Sweigart when the first edition of the book was published. However, the inscription on his grave marker is Swigert. [3241] He died in 1922. [3242]

Sabina Frances GARNES and Samuel E. SWIGERT had the following children: [3243]

- i. **John<sup>9</sup> SWIGERT** was born on 28 August 1886 in Greencastle, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died in 1886. It is believed that he died shortly after he was born.
- 1138. ii. **Pearl<sup>9</sup> SWIGERT** was born in May 1887.
- 1139. iii. Beula Reynolds<sup>9</sup> SWIGERT was born in July 1888.
- 1140. iv. Marie<sup>9</sup> SWIGERT was born in November 1894.

565. **John Graham<sup>8</sup> GARNES, Sr.** (John<sup>7</sup> GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARNS, person #162, and Mary Belle GRAHAM) was born on 3 March 1869 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3244] He died on 4 October 1941 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3245] John was a blacksmith like his father and also a farmer.

John Graham GARNES, Sr. married **Elizabeth W. HILL** about 1919 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. John and Elizabeth appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. Elizabeth W. HILL was born in 1882 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died in 1930 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. John and Elizabeth were both buried in Norland Cemetery in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3250]

John Graham GARNES, Sr. and Elizabeth W. HILL had the following child: [3251]

i. **John Graham<sup>9</sup> GARNES, Jr.** was born in 1920, probably in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. There is a tombstone for him along with those of his parents in the Norland Cemetery which has the year of birth shown here. [3252] He may have died young since he does not appear on the 1930 Census with his parents.

567. **Sarah Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (John<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARNS, person #162, and Mary Belle GRAHAM) was born on 24 May

<sup>3241 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 60009645.

<sup>3242</sup> Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns.

<sup>3243</sup> Children named on and births from 1900 Census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns; Tombstone inscription, cited below.

Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns; Tombstone inscription, cited below.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Date from age at first marriage on 1930 Census, cited below.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John Graham Garnes, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 2B, E.D. 28, as J. G. Garns; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of John Graham Garnes, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2042, p. 12A, E.D. 25, as Graham Garnes.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 11-60, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>3251</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3252</sup> Tombstone inscription, cited with parents.

1873 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3253] She died in September 1946 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3254] Sarah was a school teacher.

Sarah Ellen GARNS married John W. AUGHENBAUGH on 28 February 1901 in Welsh Run. Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3255] John and Sarah appeared on the 1910 and 1920 Censuses in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3256] In 1930 they were in nearby Peters Twp., Franklin County. [3257] The 1910 Census reports that Sarah was the mother of two children, both of whom were living. We have not found the other child. John W. AUGHENBAUGH was born about 1876 in Pennsylvania. [3258] He died in 1948. [3259] John was a farmer. Both John and Sarah were buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery in Greencastle, Pennsylvania.

Sarah Ellen GARNS and John W. AUGHENBAUGH had the following child: [3260] i. Miriam<sup>9</sup> AUGHENBAUGH was born in 1902. She died in 1959.

570. Bessie Salome<sup>8</sup> GARNS (John<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARNS, person #162, and Mary Belle GRAHAM) was born on 1 June 1880 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3261] She died on 19 October 1960 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.[3262]

Bessie Salome GARNS married Victor E. ROYER (son of Jacob ROYER and Emma) on 24 December 1903 in Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3263] Victor and Bessie appeared on the 1910 - 1930 Censuses in Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3264] Victor E. ROYER was born on 28 November 1881 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3265] He died on 19 May 1978 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3266] Victor and Bessie were buried in Fairview Cemetery in Mercersburg, Pennsylvania.

<sup>3253</sup> Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 3254}$  Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites the Public Opinion, 8 March 1901; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns, names Sarah Ellen's spouse.

<sup>3256 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John W. Aughenbaugh, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1348, p. 10A, E.D. 28, as Aughinbaugh, spouse as Sallie: 1920 U.S. Federal Census of John W. Aughenbaugh, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625 1572, p. 5B, E.D, spouse as Sallie.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John W. Aughenbaugh, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2043, p. 7A, E.D. 28, as Aughinbaugh.

From Censuses, cited above.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 3259}$  Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3260</sup> Child appears on both censuses, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3262</sup> Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3263 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," <familysearch.org>, accessed 19 April 2014, Victor Royer and Bessie Garnes, 24 December 1903, names his parents, cites Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, FHL# 323906; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3264 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Victor Royer, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1348, p. 2A, E.D. 28; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Victor Royer, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625 1572, p. 8A, E.D. 29; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Victor Royer, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co. Pennsylvania, Roll 2042, p. 8B, E.D. 25.

<sup>3265</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns, places Victor's death in 1958; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Bessie Salome GARNS and Victor E. ROYER had the following children: [3267]

- i. Ruth Elizabeth Graham<sup>9</sup> ROYER was born on 25 December 1904.
- 1144. ii. **John Jacob<sup>9</sup> ROYER** was born on 1 October 1911.

571. **Clyda Naomi<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (John<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARNS, person #162, and Mary Belle GRAHAM) was born on 19 September 1882 in Welsh Run, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3268] She died on 22 May 1962 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Clyda Naomi GARNS married **Frank B. SMITH** about 1905. [3270] Frank and Clyda appeared on the 1910 and 1920 Censuses in Mercersburg, Pennsylvania. [3271] Frank operated a grocery store in Mercersburg. Between 1920 and 1930 they moved to Haycock Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania, where they appeared on the 1930 Census. [3272] On all three censuses Frank listed his occupation as merchant. Frank B. SMITH was born on 10 November 1883 in Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3273] He died on 5 October 1951 in Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Clyda Naomi GARNS and Frank B. SMITH had the following children, all born in Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania: [3275]

- 1145. i. **Robert Santee<sup>9</sup> SMITH** was born on 5 October 1906. He died on 6 January 1969 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1146. ii. **Frances<sup>9</sup> SMITH** was born on 2 July 1908 in Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 3 April 1909.
- 1147. iii. **Genevive Garns** SMITH was born on 3 February 1910.
- 1148. iv. Janet Naomi<sup>9</sup> SMITH was born on 23 January 1912.
- 1149. v. Mary Belle SMITH was born on 28 February 1913.
- 1150. vi. Nellie Ray<sup>9</sup> SMITH was born on 20 November 1915.
- 1151. vii. Bentley Graham<sup>9</sup> SMITH was born on 27 December 1917.
- 1152. viii. Franklin Bakner<sup>9</sup> SMITH was born on 16 December 1918.
- 1153. ix. **John Lynn<sup>9</sup> SMITH** was born on 3 May 1921.
- 1154. x. Ruth Hildegarde SMITH was born on 13 June 1922. She died on 10 January 1975.
- 1155. xi. **Donald Leighton<sup>9</sup> SMITH** was born about 1923.
- 1156. xii. **Darwin Lee<sup>9</sup> SMITH** was born about 1927.

575. **Samuel Henry**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 9 August

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns, places Frank's death in 1941.

<sup>3267</sup> Children appear on censuses, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3268</sup> Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns, placed Naomi's death in 1963.

<sup>3270</sup> Miriam Garns, Family Group Sheet for John Garns; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Frank B. Smith, Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1348, p. 4B, E.D. 27, spouse as Clyda L; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Frank B. Smith, Mercersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 2A, E.D. 26.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Frank B. Smith, Haycock Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2007, p. 11B, E.D. 28, spouse as C. Maomi.

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<sup>3275</sup> Children, except Frances, appear on one or more census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

1861 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3276] He was a twin of Mary Ellen Garns. He died on 7 November 1962 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3277] He lived to be 101 years old.

A newspaper article, written when he was about 97 years old, tells about his life. [3278] He learned the shoemaking trade from his father but soon turned to farming. After about two years, he decided that, "he and farming 'didn't fit' any better than he and shoemaking." He took a job as a carpenter and worked at that trade for the rest of his life, building most of the homes in Marion, Franklin County. He was only two years old when the battle at Gettysburg was fought and remembers, "of his elders telling of hearing, at Cashtown [Franklin County], the roar of cannon in that bloody battle and of his mother administering to an ill Confederate soldier who paused at the Garns property in the retreat of Confederate soldiers to the South." The article gives an interesting description of the first time he saw a train when he was about eight or nine years old and how the "hideous noises" frightened him so that he crouched in the back of the train station. Samuel was described as being five feet, three inches tall and weighing 112 pounds. Milton Garnes, person #1122, tells of talking with Samuel and hearing that farmers hid their horses in a place north of town called "Horse Valley" to keep the Confederates from stealing the horses during the Civil War.

Samuel Henry GARNS married **Mary Jane CRIDER** (daughter of **Levi CRIDER**) on 25 February 1887 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3279] Samuel and Mary Jane appeared on the 1900 - 1920 U.S. Censuses in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3280] Mary Jane CRIDER was born in April 1867 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3281] She died on 24 August 1930 in Marion, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3282] Both Samuel and Mary Jane were buried in Maplewood Cemetery, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3283]

Samuel Henry GARNS and Mary Jane CRIDER had the following children: [3284]

- i. **Walter Russel GARNS** was born in 1888. He died in 1893. He was buried near his parents in Maplewood Cemetery, where his tombstone identifies him as Samuel and Mary Jane's son. [3285]
- 1158. ii. **Nellie Ruth<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born in November 1894 in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites F[ranklin] R[epository], 25 August 1930; Month and year given in Samuel's obituary, cited above.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 3276}$  From obituary, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Obituary of Samuel H. Garns, Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, p. 70; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 115516602.

Public Opinion, 14 June 1958 issue, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

 <sup>&</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 March 2014, S. H. Garnes and Mary Jane Crider, 25 February 1887, cites FHL# 323900, his parents as Jeremiah and Cathern Garnes, her father only as Levi Crider; Mary Jane named as spouse in Samuel's obituary, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.
 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel H. Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 15B, E.D. 44, as Garnes;

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel H. Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 15B, E.D. 44, as Garnes; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 20A, E.D. 19, as S. H. Garnes; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 4A, E.D. 21.

<sup>3281 1900</sup> Census, cited above.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Children 2-5 appear on one or more census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Tombstone inscriptions, Maplewood Cemetery, cited above with his parents.

- 1159. iii. **John Irvin<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born on 22 November 1895 in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 19 February 1971 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. He was a salesman and worked at auto dealerships, a furniture store, and at the Chambersburg Dairy Products Company. He married **Violet E. GELSINGER**. Violet E. GELSINGER was born on 26 May 1901 in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. She died on 27 October 1985 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. John and Violet were buried in Lincoln Cemetery in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.
- 1160. iv. **Ethel<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born in October 1898 in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3292] She married **Melvin E. HARTZOG**. [3293] They appeared on the 1920 Census in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3294] Ten years later they lived in nearby Chambersburg. [3295] Melvin E. HARTZOG was born about 1898. [3296]
- v. **Mabel Catherine GARNS** was born about 1902. [3297] She married **Robert D. HARRISON**. [3298] They appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3299] Robert D. HARRISON was born about 1900. [3300]
- 576. **Mary Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 9 August 1861 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3301] She was a twin of Samuel Henry Garns. She died in 1933. [3302]

Mary Ellen GARNS married **Jonathan UNGER** on 18 July 1879 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3303]</sup> Jonathan and Mary Ellen appeared on the 1900 - 1920 U.S. Censuses in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co.,

<sup>3286</sup> From obituary, cited below; Tombstone inscription, cited with spouse.

Obituary of J. Irvin Garns, Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, pp. 69 and 71; Tombstone inscription, cited with spouse.

Obituaries of both name spouse.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

<sup>3290</sup> Obituary of Violet E. Garnes [sic], Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, p. 69, names spouse.

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 2, Lincoln Cemetery, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 2-70, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

From 1900 Census, cited with her parents.

Obituary of her father names son-in-law Melvin Hartzok.

<sup>3294 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Melvin E. Hartzok, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 4B, E.D. 21, as Hartyook

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Melvin Hartzok, Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2042, p. 12B, E.D. 6.

<sup>3296</sup> From censuses, cited above.

From census, cited below.

Mabel's father's obituary lists a daughter, Mrs. Robert Harrison.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Robert D. Harrison, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2042, p. 12B, E.D. 15.

From census, cited above.

Date from newspaper article about her twin, Samuel Henry, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

 <sup>3302 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 115516305; Newspaper article about Samuel H. Garns, Public Opinion, 14 June 1958 issue,
 Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, reports his twin, Mrs. John Unger, died at age 75, suggesting a death around 1933.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Daily Reg., 18 July 1879; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Pennsylvania.<sup>[3304]</sup> The 1910 Census reports that she had seven children of whom six were living. Jonathan UNGER was born in 1855 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[3305]</sup> He was a farmer. He died in 1939.<sup>[3306]</sup>

Mary Ellen GARNS and Jonathan UNGER had the following children, all born in Pennsylvania: [3307]

- 1162. i. Carrie M. UNGER was born about 1882.
- 1163. ii. Bessie<sup>9</sup> UNGER was born about 1884.
- 1164. iii. Sadie UNGER was born about 1886.
- 1165. iv. **David R.<sup>9</sup> UNGER** was born about 1889.
- 1166. v. **George W.** UNGER was born about 1891.
- 1167. vi. **Merle William** UNGER was born about 1899. He appears as both Merle W. and William Merle on the censuses of his parents.
- 1168. vii. Ira S.<sup>9</sup> UNGER was born about 1908.

581. **Jonathan Jeremiah**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 28 September 1865 in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3308] He died in 1927. [3309]

Jonathan Jeremiah GARNS married **Sarah Ellen ALLEN** on 31 March 1892 in St. Thomas Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3310] Jonathan and Sarah appeared on the 1900 Census in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3311] In 1910 and 1920 they appeared on the census in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. [3312] On the census Jonathan reported that he was a carpenter and worked for the railroad.

Sarah Ellen ALLEN was born in February 1870 in Pennsylvania. [3313] She died in 1940. [3314] Jonathan Jeremiah and Sarah Ellen were buried in Norland Cemetery, Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3315]

Jonathan Jeremiah GARNS and Sarah Ellen ALLEN had the following children: [3316]

<sup>3304 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Unger, Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 1A, E.D. 45, indexed as Wnger and Wuger; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Unger, Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 7A, E.D. 21, indexed as Johnathan Unger and as Dender; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Unger, Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625 1572, p. 9A, E.D. 22.

From Find A Grave memorial, cited below.

 $<sup>^{3306} &</sup>lt; \!\! \text{www.findagrave.com} \!\!>, Memorial \# 115517243.$ 

Children named on one or more census, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3308</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year from tombstone inscription, cited below.

Year from tombstone inscription, cited below.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg. 8 April 1892; Houpt, Garns and Garns; Sarah Ellen Allen named as spouse in tombstone inscription, cited below.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 15B, E.D. 44, as Johnathan Garnes

<sup>3312 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Garns, Chambersburg Ward 1, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 4A, E.D. 4, as Garnes, spouse as Ella; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Jonathan Garns, Chambersburg Ward 1, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1571, p. 14A, E.D. 4.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), pp. 11-45 and 11-60, on same stone as son-in-law Joseph Ranney Byers, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

- i. **Robert Edward<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born in January 1893.<sup>[3317]</sup> He died in 1916.<sup>[3318]</sup>
- 1170. ii. **Ruby<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born in July 1895.
- 1171. iii. **Marion<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born in July 1899, probably in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3319] She married **Joseph Ranney BYERS** about 1922. [3320] Joseph and Marion appeared on the 1930 U.S. Federal Census in West Vincent Twp., Chester Co., Pennsylvania. [3321] Joseph Ranney BYERS was born in 1892. [3322] He died in 1948. [3323] Joseph and Marion were buried in Norland Cemetery, Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3324] His grave marker reports that he was a Cpl., 19th Engineers in World War I. Tombstone inscriptions for his wife's parents and brother Robert appear on the tombstone for him and wife Marion.
- 1172. iv. Luther GARNS was born about 1905.
- 1173. v. **Anna<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born about 1911.

583. **John William**<sup>8</sup> **GARNS** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 6 September 1870 in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3325] He died on 9 April 1947. [3326]

John William GARNS married **Anna Frances POWELL**. [3327] They appeared on the 1920 and 1930 U.S. Censuses in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3328] Anna Frances POWELL was born on 21 September 1880. [3329] She died on 20 September 1957. [3330] Both John William and Anna were buried in the Marion Mennonite Church Cemetery in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

John William GARNS and Anna Frances POWELL had the following child: [3331]

+1174. i. **Jere Ault**<sup>9</sup> **GARNS** (1914 - 1971).

Children appear on one or more census, cited above, birth dates from census; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

From 1900 Census, cited with parents.

Tombstone inscription, cited with parents.

She is named Eva on the 1900 Census of her parents.

Marion Garnes [sic] as wife on their tombstone, which has inscriptions for Marion's parents also, cited below; Marriage date from age at first marriage on 1930 census, cited below.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Joseph R. Byers, West Vincent Twp., Chester Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2021, p. 3A, E.D. 106.

<sup>3322</sup> Tombstone inscription, cited below.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), pp. 11-45 and 11-60, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

From grave marker inscription, John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Marion Mennonite Cemetery, p. 12-4, available at Franklin County Historical Society; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3326 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 127864245; Grave marker inscription, cited above.

<sup>3327</sup> Grave marker inscripton names spouse as Anna F. Powell, cited with John William; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3328 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John William Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, P. 2A, E.D. 21, as William J. Garns; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of John William Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2042, p. 15B, E.D. 15, as J. William Garns.

Grave marker inscripton, cited with spouse.

<sup>3330 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 127864256; Grave marker inscripton, cited with spouse.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3331</sup> Jere appears on both censuses, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

584. Harriet Elizabeth<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 23 September 1872 in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3332]

Harriet Elizabeth GARNS married Charles D. OYLER on 19 April 1892 in St. Thomas Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3333] Charles and "Lizzie" or "Elizabeth" appear on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. [3334] Charles D. OYLER was born in October 1867 in Pennsylvania. [3335]

Harriet Elizabeth GARNS and Charles D. OYLER had the following children: [3336]

i. Ralph C. OYLER was born in December 1892.

ii. **Helen B.** OYLER was born in April 1895. 1176.

585. Laura "Lolly" Frances<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 6 December 1874 in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3337]

Laura "Lolly" Frances GARNS married **David C. ALLEN** on 14 January 1892 in St. Thomas Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3338] David and Laura appeared on the 1900 Census in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3339] Within the next ten years they moved to Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, where they appeared on the 1910 - 1930 Censuses. [3340] David C. ALLEN was born in January 1872 in Pennsylvania. [3341]

Laura "Lolly" Frances GARNS and David C. ALLEN had the following children: [3342]

i. Anna M. ALLEN was born in July 1892. 1177.

ii. Ruth E. ALLEN was born in December 1898. 1178.

1179. iii. **Dorothy L.<sup>9</sup> ALLEN** was born about October 1918.

586. Daniel Edwin<sup>8</sup> GARNS (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 24 December 1876 in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3343] He died in 1936. [3344]

3332 Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Peo. Reg.

<sup>3334 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles D. Oyler, Chambersburg Ward 1, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1412, p. 19B, E.D. 34, as Oiler, spouse as Lizzie H.; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Charles D. Oyler, Chambesburg Ward 1, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 13A, E.D. 4, spouse as Elizabeth.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

Children appear on censuses, cited above, dates from 1900 Census, Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Allen, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T623 1412, p. 17A, p. 17A, E.D. 44.

<sup>3340 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David Allen, Pittsburgh Ward 12, Allegheny Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1303, p. 7B, E.D. 436, as David L. Allen; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of David Allen, Pittsburgh Ward 12, Allegheny Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1511, p. 6A, E.D. 511, as David F. Allen; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of David Allen, Pittsburgh, Allegheny Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1977, p. 23A, E.D. 213.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

Children appear on one or more census, cited below, birth dates from census; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Daniel Edwin GARNS married **Anna M. "Maggie" WENTLING** (daughter of **Andrew WENTLING** and **Mary**) on 1 January 1901 in Marion, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3345] Daniel and Maggie appeared on the 1910 and 1920 Censuses in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3346]

Anna M. "Maggie" WENTLING was born about 1874 in Pennsylvania. [3347] She died in 1935. [3348] Both Daniel and Maggie were buried in the Marion United Brethern in Christ Church Cemetery in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

Daniel Edwin GARNS and Anna M. "Maggie" WENTLING had the following children: [3349]

- i. **Percy A.** GARNS was born on 4 December 1901. [3350] He died on 12 July 1957. [3351] He married **Laura L. BEAUMONT**. [3352] Laura L. BEAUMONT was born on 27 June 1910 in Waterford, Erie Co., Pennsylvania. [3353] She died on 21 November 1991 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3354] Percy and Laura were buried in Lincoln Cemetery in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. [3355]
- 1181. ii. Edna<sup>9</sup> GARNS was born about 1904.
- 1182. iii. Catherine GARNS was born about 1906.
- 1183. iv. Mary GARNS was born about 1913.

588. **Norman Charles<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 2 November 1881 in Hamilton Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3356] He died on 7 October 1907. [3357]

<sup>3343</sup> Grave marker inscription, John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Marion United Brethern in Christ Church Cemetery, p. 12-52, available at Franklin County Historical Society; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3344 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 118075463.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 March 2014, Daniel E. Garns and Anna M. Wentling, 1 January 19017, cites FHL# 323905, his parents as Jeremiah and Catherne Garns, her parents as Andrew and Mary Wentling; Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Index Cards of Marriages, Obituaries and Tombstone Inscriptions, cites Public Opinion, 11 January 1901, he as Edward Garnes, she as Miss Maggie Wentling, both of Marion.

<sup>3346 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 20B, E.D. 19, as D. E. Garnes; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Daniel Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 2B, E.D. 21, as Edward B.

Grave marker inscription, cited above with spouse.

<sup>3348 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 118075715.

Children all named in one or both census, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Tombstone inscription, cited with spouse.

Tombstone inscriptions, cited with spouse; Date also in spouse's obituary.

Laura named as spouse of Percy in her obituary, cited below; Tombstone inscriptions, cited below.

From obituary, cited below; Tombstone inscriptions, cited below.

Obituary of Laura L. Garns, Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, p. 66.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 2, Lincoln Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 2-141, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Tombstone inscription, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3357 &</sup>lt;a href="www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 82767974; John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Norman Charles GARNS married **Grace MILLER** (daughter of **Susan**) in 1904. [3358] In 1910, after Norman's death, Grace and her son, as Norman, lived with her mother and step-father, G. W. Gelsinger, in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3359] Although she is listed on that census as a daughter of G. W. Gelsinger and wife Susie, the age difference of nine years between Grace and G. W. Gelsinger indicates this is not the case and that she was only the daughter of G. W. Gelsinger's wife, who, according to the census, would have been 16 when Grace was born. Furthermore, G. W. Gelsinger and wife had been married only twelve years and it was their first marriage. Grace's age on that census, 28, suggests she was born well before they married. In 1920 Grace's son appears as C. Norman Garns, a grandson, in the G. W. Gelsinger household. [3360] Grace MILLER was born on 6 June 1882. [3361] She died on 28 March 1967. [3362] Both Norman and Grace were buried in Maplewood Cemetery in Guilford Township.

Norman Charles GARNS and Grace MILLER had the following children: [3363]

- i. **child GARNS** was born on 22 November 1904. [3364] He died on 11 December 1904. [1365] He was buried with his parents in Maplewood Cemetery, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.
- 1185. ii. **C. Norman<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born about 1908.<sup>[3366]</sup>

589. **Harvey Strock<sup>8</sup> GARNS** (Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jeremiah GARNS, person #163, and Catherine STROCK) was born on 23 January 1884 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3367] Harvey filled out a Draft Registration Card for World War II on 27 April 1942. [3368] He was living in Marion, Pennsylvania at the time. The person that he named who would always know his address was his daughter, Mildred Garns Sneeringer of Marion, Pennsylvania. He died on 23 December 1963. [3369]

Harvey Strock GARNS married **Gail Nancy BURKHOLDER**.<sup>[3370]</sup> Harvey and Gail appeared on the 1920 and 1930 U.S. Censuses in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3371]</sup> Gail Nancy BURKHOLDER was born on 18 April 1885.<sup>[3372]</sup> She appears as Gail N. on the two censuses, cited

3359 1910 U.S. Federal Census of G. W. Gelsinger, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T624\_1347, p. 19A, E.D. 19, [step]-daughter Grace Garn (indexed as Gains) and her son Norman, age 2, living in household.

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<sup>3358</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3360 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of G. W. Gelsinger, Waynesboro, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, pp. 4B and 5A, E.D. 43, grandson C. Norman Garns, age 12, living in household.

Tombstone inscription, cited above with spouse.

Tombstone inscription, cited above with spouse.

See references with children.

Tombstone inscription, cited with parents.

Tombstone inscription, cited with parents.

<sup>3366 1910</sup> Census of G. W. Gelsinger, cited above with his mother.

World War II Draft Registration Card, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>3368 &</sup>lt;search.ancestry.com>, World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942, accessed 8 April 2011, cites M1951, Roll 104, cites birth date and place, relative as Mildred Garns Sneeringer of Marion, PA.

<sup>3369 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 115519263; Houpt, Garns and Garns; Spouse's obituary places death three days earlier.

<sup>3370</sup> Spouse named in Gail's obituary; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Harvey S. Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1572, p. 4A, E.D. 21; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Harvey S. Garns, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2042, p. 12A, E.D. 15.

From obituary, cited below; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

above, and in her obituary. Houpt, Garns and Garns reported her name was Nancy. She died on 16 May 1974. [3373] Harvey and Nancy were buried in Maplewood Cemetery, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [3374]

- Harvey Strock GARNS and Gail Nancy BURKHOLDER had the following children: [3375] 1186. i. **Helen J.<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born in 1912. [3376] She died in 1978. [3377] She married Samuel K. SACKMAN. Samuel and Helen's names and birth years appear on the same tomb stone as her parents in Maplewood Cemetery, Guilford Township. [3378] Samuel K. SACKMAN was born in 1905. [3379] He died in 1975. [3380]
  - ii. **John H.** GARNS was born on 21 September 1915. [3381] He died on 31 August 1992. [3382] 1187. John enlisted in the army on 16 April 1945. [3383]
  - iii. **Mildred Louise<sup>9</sup> GARNS** was born about 1921. She died on 5 February 2005. [3384] She married **Philip Kohl SNEERINGER**. [3385] The marriage record of a daughter, Nancy Gail 1188. Sneeringer, names her parents as Philip Kohl Sneeringer and Mildred Louise Garns Sneeringer. [3386] Philip Kohl SNEERINGER was born on 9 May 1917. [3387] He died on 20 July 1974 [3388]

Obituary of Gail N. Garns, Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, p. 69.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Children named on one or both of the censuses, cited above; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

From grave marker, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 115519543.

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Year appears on grave marker, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 115519608.

Birth date appears on Social Security Index record and on his Veteran's Burial Card, cited below.

<sup>3382</sup> U.S. Social Security Death Index report for John H. Garns, birth on 21 September 1915, death on 31 August 1992, SSN: 175-03-0088; Pennsylvania Veterans Burial Cards, 1929-1990, John H. Garns, birth on 21 September 1915, death on 31 August 1992, <ancestry.com>, accessed 29 March 2014.

<sup>3383</sup> U.S. World War II Army Enlistment Records, 1938-1946, John H. Garns, enlistment on 16 April 1945, <ancestry.com>, accessed 29 March 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 10478740.

<sup>3385</sup> Mildred named as Mildred Garns Sneeringer on World War II Draft Registration Card of her father, cited with him.

<sup>3386 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 2 April 2014, Ronald Eugene Kline and Nancy Gail Sneeringer, 8 June 1963, cites FHL# 323923, names Nancy's parents as Philip Kohl Sneeringer and Mildred Louise

Birth date provided on Veterans Burial Card and Veterans Affairs Death File, cited with death information.

Pennsylvania Veterans Burial Cards, 1929-1990, Philip K. Sneeringer, death, reports birth on 9 May 1917 and death on 20 July 1974, <ancestry.com>, accessed 1 April 2014; U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File, 1850-2010, Philip Sneeringer, birth on 9 May 1917, death on 20 July 1974, SSN: 204-03-1409, enlisted in Navy on 3 May 1945 and released on 3 April 1946.

#### **Ninth Generation**

592. **Jacob<sup>9</sup> CARN** (William<sup>8</sup>; George<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of William CARN, person #165, and Susannah PRESSEL) was born on 26 December 1853 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3389] A history of Altoona and Blair County, Pennsylvania, reports about him and that he was the grandson of both George Carn and Isaac Pressel. [3390] Jacob was a mortician. [3391] The Altoona Mirror newspaper carried an lengthy article about him in 1937. [3392] Files at the Bedford County Historical Society in Bedford, Pennsylvania, indicate that Jacob served as an agent representing Civil War veterans who were petitioning the government for pensions based on their military service. He died on 28 September 1938 in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [3393] Jacob died without leaving a will. Papers to settle his estate were filed at the Office of the Register of Wills in Blair County, Pennsylvania, on 22 November 1938. [3394] His son John L. Carn and daughter Margaret V. Carn were appointed to administer the estate. Heirs listed in the estate papers were



Jacob Carn, person #592, and wife Matilda

John L. Carn, Margaret V. Carn, Martha C. Jones and William F. Carn of Claysburg, Pennsylvania, and Daniel Ray Carn and Fred L. Carn of Altoona, Pennsylvania.

Jacob CARN married **Matilda SHOOK** on 25 October 1875 in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [3395] Jacob and Matilda appeared on the 1880-1910 U.S. Federal Censuses in Greenfield Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [3396] Matilda SHOOK was born on 12 January 1853 in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [3397] She died on 14 February 1934 in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [3398]

Jacob CARN and Matilda SHOOK had the following children, all born in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania: [3399]

1189. i. Martha Rebecca<sup>10</sup> CARN was born on 15 March 1877.

<sup>3389</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

Jesse C. Sell, Twentieth Century History of Altoona and Blair County, Pennsylvania and Representative Citizens, (Chicago, 1911), pp. 825-826.

History of Altoona and Blair County, Pennsylvania, cited above.

<sup>3392</sup> Altoona Mirror (Pennsylvania), 16 January 1937.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

Estate of Jacob Carn, Blair Co., Pennsylvania Wills, book 54, pp. 557-558.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

 <sup>1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Carn, Greenfield Twp. (Claysburg), Blair Co., Pennsylvania, Roll T9-1103, p. 317.2, E.D. 166;
 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Carn, Greenfield Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1381, p. 8A, E.D. 77; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob Carn, Greenfield Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania, T624 1317, p. 14B, E.D. 70.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

<sup>3398</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

History of Altoona and Blair County, Pennsylvania, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 582; censuses, cited above.

- ii. William Foster<sup>10</sup> CARN was born on 12 September 1879. He married Edna LEE. Edna 1190. is named as the wife of William F. or W. F. Carn on death records of three children who died young, including twin girls born on 10 February 1918, one of whom died the day she was born and the other who died the next day. [3400]
- iii. Charles Oliver<sup>10</sup> CARN was born on 20 August 1881.
- iv. **Daniel Ray**<sup>10</sup> **CARN** was born on 25 November 1883. 1192.
- v. **John Leslie<sup>10</sup> CARN** was born on 10 February 1888. He took over his father's business as 1193 a mortician after his father's death.
- 1194. vi. Margaret Viola<sup>10</sup> CARN was born on 16 January 1891.
   1195. vii. Frederick Leroy<sup>10</sup> CARN was born on 2 October 1894.
- 1196. viii. **Stanton Dewey<sup>10</sup> CARN** was born about 1896. He undoubtedly died before 1900 since he does not appear on the 1900 Census with his parents.

593. William R. CARN (William<sup>8</sup>; George<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of William CARN, person #165, and Susannah PRESSEL) was born on 8 November 1856 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3401] He died on 29 September 1920 in Osterburg, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3402]

William R. CARN married Lucinda BURKETT on 3 February 1879. [3403] William and Lucinda appeared on the U.S. Federal Censuses in King Twp., Bedford Co., in 1900 and 1910 and in East Saint Clair Twp, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania in 1920. [3404] Lucinda BURKETT was born on 18 May 1860 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3405] She died on 15 October 1942 in Osterburg, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3406] William and Lucinda were buried in Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Pennsylvania.[3407]

William R. CARN and Lucinda BURKETT had the following children: [3408]

i. Loni May<sup>10</sup> CARN was born on 14 November 1880 in King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. Her granddaughter Geraldine "Geri" (Koenig) Arnold compiled the *Direct* Ancestors of Lonie May Carn, wife of John P. Harr, and Some of their Descendants,

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, William R. Carn, 29 September 1920, certificate 97411, gives birth date, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 127863120; Bedford County Historical Society (Pennsylvania) Obituary Collection, book 29, p. 16; McBride and Capener, p. 579.

Bedford County Historical Society (Pennsylvania) Obituary Collection, book 29, p. 16; McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p.

3406 <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 127863416; McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Virginia Carn, 10 February 1918, certificate 18569, gives birth date and place, names parents; Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Madeline Carn, 11 February 1918, certificate 18570, gives birth date and place, names parents; Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Foster U. Carn, 4 April 1919, certificate 59178, gives birth date, parents as W. F. Carn and Edna Lee.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

<sup>3404 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William R. Carn, King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, T623\_1376, p. 3B, E.D. 19; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of William R. Carn, King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, T624 1312, p. 1A, E.D. 18; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of William R. Carn, East Saint Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, T625 1533, p. 3A, E.D. 12.

McBride and Capener, p. 579; Geri Arnold, p. 17.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Reformed Cemetery, Osterburg, Book 1, pp. 137-148, at 137.

<sup>3408</sup> Obituary of William R. Carn, Bedford County Historical Society (Pennsylvania) Obituary Collection, book 29, p. 16, names children except Ada; McBride and Capener, page 588; Geri Arnold, p. 21; see also the censuses, cited above.

- which is quoted often in this book in connection with descendants of Frederick Garn/Carn, person #43 in this book.
- 1198. ii. **Hattie Elizabeth<sup>10</sup> CARN** was born on 3 June 1883 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3409]
- 1199. iii. **Park Roy**<sup>10</sup> **CARN** was born on 8 November 1885 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3410] His grave marker reports that he was born two years later than shown here. Since there is evidence that he had a sister born in June of 1887, the earlier year of birth is probably correct. He died on 27 October 1940. [3411] He married **Clara F.** [3412] Clara F. was born on 7 February 1895. [3413] She died on 9 October 1981. [3414]
- 1200. iv. Ada<sup>10</sup> CARN was born in June 1887. She died in 1888.
- 1201. v. **George Franklin<sup>10</sup> CARN** was born on 25 September 1888 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3415] He died on 12 September 1962. [3416]
- 1202. vi. **Harry Edgar<sup>10</sup> CARN** was born on 5 December 1892 in Imler, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3417]

598. **Susanah**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (Jacob<sup>8</sup>; George<sup>7</sup> CARN; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Jacob GARN, person #166, and Catharine KLOTZ) was born on 27 September 1847 in Ohio. [3418] Her death record reports the birth date shown here and an age at death of 77y, 2m, and 12d. Her age at death on her grave marker is 77y, 3m, and 17d, which gives a birth date on 22 August 1847. We do not know which date is correct. She died on 9 December 1924 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3419]

Susanah GARN married **John W. HOLCOMB** on 17 December 1873 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3420] John W. HOLCOMB was born on 29 March 1841 in Tinney, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3421] He died on 26 August 1876 in Tinney, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3422]

Susanah GARN and John W. HOLCOMB had the following child: [3423]

i. **George Jacob**<sup>10</sup> **HOLCOMB** was born on 8 March 1875 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3424] He is named in the will of his grandfather, Jacob Garn.

<sup>3409</sup> Date from Geri Arnold, p. 21, McBride and Capener give 3 July 1883 as birth date.

<sup>3410</sup> McBride and Capener, page 593, reports birth in 1885.

<sup>3411 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 127863714.

<sup>3412</sup> Shared grave marker for Park and Clara.

Date appears on grave marker, cited below.

<sup>3414 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 127863858.

Bedford County Historical Society Cemetery Inscriptions, Bedford, PA, Bedford Memorial Park Cemetery, Book 8, p. 19.

Grave marker inscription, cited above.

Birth date from Geri Arnold, p. 21, McBride and Capener give 5 July 1892 as birth date.

<sup>3418</sup> Birth date reported on death record.

Ohio Deaths, 9 December 1924, File No.68705, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 14730832.

<sup>3420</sup> Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), as Susanna Garn and J. W. Holcomb, cites vol. F 10, p. 567.

From age at death on grave marker.

<sup>3422 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 14730814; McBride and Capener, p. 596.

<sup>3423</sup> George is named as a grandson and son of Susanah in the will of Susanah's father Jacob Garn.

William Joseph Toeppe, Sandusky County, Ohio Births-Register Infant-Name Index, Vol. 1, A-K, (Sandusky Co., Ohio, 1998), parents as J. W. and Susanah Holcomb.

599. **Harrison<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Jacob<sup>8</sup>; George<sup>7</sup> CARN; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob GARN, person #166, and Catharine KLOTZ) was born on 27 February 1849 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3425] He died on 15 August 1923 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3426] Announcements of his death appeared in the newspaper, which reported that he died suddenly following a stroke. [3427]

Harrison wrote his will on 18 May 1923. [3428] It was filed in Probate Court in Sandusky Co., Ohio on 22 August 1923. It names his wife. The estate names children Lena, Theodore and Daisy.

Harrison GARN married **Marcia BRAY** (daughter of **Thomas A. BRAY** and **Caroline ALLEN**) on 19 February 1875 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3429] Harrison and Marcia appeared on the 1880 and 1900 U.S. Censuses in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3430] Marcia BRAY was born on 23 September 1853 in Rollersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3431] She died on 2 June 1938 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3432] Several obituaries reported her death. [3433] All of them name her deceased spouse, parents, and surviving children. Both Harrison and Marcia were buried in Metzgar Cemetery in Sandusky Co., Ohio.

Harrison GARN and Marcia BRAY had the following children: [3434]

- i. **Frank<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 23 August 1877 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3435] He died on 10 August 1888 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3436]
- 1205. ii. **Pearl<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 30 August 1880.<sup>[3437]</sup> She died on 26 August 1881.<sup>[3438]</sup>
- 1206. iii. **Philena Regina<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 23 January 1883 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3439]</sup> She appears as Lena in her father's estate.
- 1207. iv. **Theodore Lincoln<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 29 December 1886 in California. [3440] He died on 23 April 1958 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3441] An obituary reports that he was an

Ohio Deaths, 15 August 1923, File No. 51327, names parents, mother as Katherine Klotz, both parents born in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 17340984; Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>3425</sup> From death record.

Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 16 August 1923, p. 1, col. 6; Sandusky Daily Register [Ohio], 16 August 1923, p. 8, col. 8.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Estates, File #10366, 1923, has copy of will, estate file of Harrison Garn located at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), cites vol. G 11, p. 46.

<sup>3430</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Harrison Garn, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1063, p. 108B, E.D. 76; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Harrison Garn, Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623-1318, p. 15B, E.D. 87.

From death record.

Ohio Deaths, 2 June 1938, File No. 37028, names spouse, parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3433</sup> Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 2 June 1938, p. 2, col. 5; Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 2 June 1938, p. 2, col. 7; Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 9 June 1938, p. 1, col. 6.

McBride and Capener, p. 596; censuses cited above; last three children named in estate of Harrison.

William Joseph Toeppe, Sandusky County, Ohio Births-Register Infant-Name Index, Vol. 1, A-K, (Sandusky Co., Ohio, 1998), parents as Harrison Garn and Mary Bray.

<sup>3436</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

From age at death on grave marker.

<sup>3438</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

McBride and Capener, p. 596.

From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 596.

avid sportsman and hunter, that he had served as a Scott Township Trustee for eight years, and also had served on the Helena School Board. He married **Stella WRIGHT** (daughter of **William WRIGHT** and **Almeda TINNEY**) on 18 November 1908 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3442] Stella WRIGHT was born on 9 September 1882 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3443] She died on 6 September 1967 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3444] Her obituaries name her parents, deceased spouse and children. Both Theodore and Stella were buried in Metzgar Cemetery, Sandusky Co., Ohio.

v. **Daisy Lilian<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 5 April 1893 in Nicolaus, Sutter Co., California. She married **Alpha ALDRICH** on 25 March 1915 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3446]

616. **George Henry**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>8</sup>; George<sup>7</sup> CARN; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #171, and Maria MOCK) was born on 17 September 1856 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3447] He died on 4 July 1919 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3448] George wrote his will on 12 May 1919, which was probated in Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 15 July 1919. [3449] The will names his wife Rozetta E. Garn and his four children.

Obituaries report that he was a carpenter and retired farmer.<sup>[3450]</sup> They also report that he had contracted influenza during the epidemic the past winter and had never fully recovered. Also, several weeks before his death he suffered a stroke.

George Henry GARN married **Rosetta Elnora BUTLER** on 1 September 1887 in Ottawa Co., Ohio. [3451] George and Rosetta and family appeared on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census in Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio living near his brother Watson and his father. [3452] Rosetta Elnora BUTLER was born

Obituary of Theodore L. Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 1 May 1958, p. 1, col. 5, names parents, spouse, and children; Funeral News for Theodore L. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 24 April 1958, p. 1, col. 3.

<sup>3442 &</sup>lt;br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 3 March 2011, cites FHL# 506648, Ref. No. vol. 17, cn 2578, names parents.

From obituaries, cited below.

Obituary of Stella Wright Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 6 September 1958, p. 2, col. 4; Obituary of Stella Wright Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 14 September 1967, p. 1, col. 7; Funeral Service News for Stella Wright Garn, Fremont News Messenger [Ohio] 9 September 1967, p. 2, col. 5.

McBride and Capener, p. 596; marriage record reports birth in Marysville, California.

<sup>3446 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 3 March 2011, cites FHL# 506649, Ref. No. vol. 18, cn 4141, names parents.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 623.

Ohio Deaths, 4 July 1919, File No. 45241, names parents, mother as Maria Mauch; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 107900488.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, file 9175, Probate file for George H. Garn, names spouse and children, original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 5 July 1919, p. 7, col. 4, names spouse, children; Fremont daily News [Ohio], 5 July 1919, p. 1, col. 7, names spouse and children.

Marriage Record for Geo. H. Garn and Rosetta Butler, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 6 March 2011, cites FHL# 1992894, Ref. No. it 2, no. 108.

<sup>3452 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George Garn, Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio, T623\_1312, p. 3A, E.D. 130, listed between brother Watson, and their father John.

on 26 May 1864 in Ottawa Co., Ohio. [3453] She died on 2 August 1941 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3454]

George Henry GARN and Rosetta Elnora BUTLER had the following children, all born in Elmore, Ottawa Co., Ohio:<sup>[3455]</sup>

- i. **Charles Vernon**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 7 July 1888. He died on 28 November 1959 in Elmore, Ottawa Co., Ohio. [3456] His obituary reports that he was a teacher at numerous schools in the area and that he later worked for the Erie Ordnance Depot. His widow when he died was named Martha. A first wife, and mother of their children, died in 1944. [3457]
- 1210. ii. **William Lloyd<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 11 November 1889.<sup>[3458]</sup> He died on 14 September 1957 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3459]</sup> His obituary reports that he worked as a millwright until he became ill.
- 1211. iii. **Mabel Clarenda<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 11 December 1891. She died on 22 September 1967 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3460] We believe she is the Miss Mabel C. Garn who died on this date. McBride and Capener report that she never married.
- 1212. iv. **Merton Stewart**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 17 February 1894. He died on 20 July 1958 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3461] An obituary reports that he was a retired mail carrier, a veteran of World War I, that he was in four major battles in France, and that he received the Purple Heart. He was a member of the Disabled American Veterans organization, including serving for a time as the state commander for the organization in Ohio. He married **Lottie VOSS**. [3462] Lottie VOSS was born on 31 July 1892 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3463] She died on 9 August 1980 in West Palm Beach, Beach Co., Florida. [3464]

617. **Maranda**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (John<sup>8</sup>; George<sup>7</sup> CARN; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John GARN, person #171, and Maria MOCK) was born on 21 April 1862 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3465]</sup> She died on 20 October 1918 in Clay Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio.<sup>[3466]</sup>

From obituary, cited below; 1900 U.S. Census, cited above, places birth in May 1866 but age at 36.

Obituary for Rosetta Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 4 August 1941, p. 2, col. 5, names spouse, children; Death Announcement for Rosetta Elnora Garn, Clyde Enterprise [Ohio], 7 August 1941, p. 8, col. 3.

Children named in George's estate file, cited above; Children named in 1900 Census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 623.

<sup>3456</sup> Obituary of Charles V. Garn, Fremont Messenger, 30 November 1959, p. 2, col. 2, names children, widow as Martha.

Obituary of Mrs. Charles Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 2 June 1944, p. 1, col. 6, first name not given, names spouse and children.

Date from obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener place birth two days later.

Obituary of William Lloyd Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 14 September 1957, p. 2, col. 3, names parents, widow, sons, and siblings.

<sup>3460</sup> Death Announcement for Miss Mabel C. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 26 July 1967, p. 2, col. 4.

Obituary of Merton S. Garn, Clyde Enterprise [Ohio], 24 Julyy 1958, p. 2, col. 6, names widow, children; Funeral Announcement for Merton S. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 25 July 1958, p. 2, col. 6.

Obituaries of both name spouse.

From obituary, cited below.

Obituary of Lottie V. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 11 August 1980, p. 8, col. 3, names parents, deceased spouse, and children; Funeral Service Announcement for Lottie V. Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 12 August 1980, p. 8, col. 2.

<sup>3465</sup> Date from death record, place from McBride and Capener, p. 623.

Ohio Deaths, 20 October 1918, File No. 68633, as Mrs. Jonas Carper, father as S. Garn, mother unknown.

Maranda GARN married **Jonas Peter CARPER** on 18 November 1890 in Ottawa Co., Ohio.<sup>[3467]</sup> Jonas Peter CARPER was born in 1856.<sup>[3468]</sup>

Maranda GARN and Jonas Peter CARPER had the following child: [3469]

i. **William<sup>10</sup> CARPER** was born on 11 May 1892 in Genoa, Ottawa Co., Ohio.<sup>[3470]</sup> He died on 7 September 1927 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3471]</sup>

618. **Jacob<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John<sup>8</sup>; George<sup>7</sup> CARN; Frederick<sup>6</sup> GARN; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John GARN, person #171, and Maria MOCK) was born on 18 July 1863 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3472] He died on 12 March 1923 in Harris Twp., Ottawa Co., Ohio. [3473] An obituary names his seven daughters including the first two by their married surnames. [3474]

Jacob GARN married **Luella CORLE** (daughter of **Josiah CORLE** and **Julia LING**) on 10 December 1891 in Elmore, Ottawa Co., Ohio. [3475] The local German newspaper also carried news of their marriage. [3476] Luella CORLE was born on 4 April 1873 in Alum Bank, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3477] She died on 10 January 1951 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3478] An obituary names her deceased spouse and seven daughters by their married surnames. [3479]

Jacob GARN and Luella CORLE had the following children, all born in Elmore, Ottawa Co., Ohio: [3480]

- 1214. i. Jessie Dersia<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 30 June 1894.
- 1215. ii. Isa Anna<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 15 November 1896.
- 1216. iii. **Coral Corollo<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 20 October 1899.
- 1217. iv. Ila Cuba<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 11 August 1900.
- 1218. v. **Rea Martha** GARN was born on 22 January 1902.
- 1219. vi. **Porto Rico<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 23 December 1906.

Marriage Record for Jonas P. Carper and Miranda Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 6 March 2011, cites FHL# 2069268, Ref. No. it. 2, p. 123.

From marriage record.

McBride and Capener, p. 626; parents also named in death record of child.

From death record

Ohio Deaths, 7 Sept 1927, File No. 52778, names parents, mother as Marinda Garns.

<sup>3472</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 623, gives birth as shown here, age at death, 60y, on death record places birth on 12 March 1863.

Ohio Deaths, 12 March 1923, File No. 21525, names father, mother unknown, age, 60y; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 107900503.

Obituary of Jacob Garn, from unknown newspaper, but probably the 15 March 1923 issue of the Ottawa County Exponent from near Elmore, Ohio, provided by the Harris-Elmore Public Librarh and Vada (Riemer) Morr, a granddaughter of Jacob.

Newspaper report of marriage of Jacob Garn and Luella Corle, Elmore [Ohio] Independent, 18 December 1891, marriage on 10 December 1891 at Parsonage of Christian Church in Elmore, Ohio, as reported by Vada (Reimer) Morr, a granddaughter; <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 6 March 2011, cites FHL# 506620, Ref. No. p. 324, she as Luella Carle, marriage in Sandusky, Crawford, Ohio, a place that we can not explain.

Fremont Courier, 17 December 1891, p. 4, col. 4, in script German.

From death record; also McBride and Capener, p. 627.

Ohio Deaths, 10 January 1951, File No. 05453, mistakenly reports death in Elmore, Sandusky Co., Ohio, father as Josiah Garn [sic, should be Corle], a mistake by informant, Carlton Yagle, a son-in-law of Luella.

Obituary of Mrs. Ella Garn, from unknown newspaper, but probably the 10 January 1951 issue of the Ottawa County Exponent from near Elmore, Ohio, provided by the Harris-Elmore Public Library and Vada (Riemer) Morr, a granddaughter of Luella.

All six children named in obituaries of parents, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 627.

1220. vii. Mary Elizabeth<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 18 October 1917.

629. **George Washington<sup>9</sup> MAUK** (Catherine<sup>8</sup> GARN; Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Solomon MAUK, and Catherine GARN, person #174) was born on 7 October 1849 in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3481]</sup> He died on 3 October 1925 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio.<sup>[3482]</sup>

George Washington MAUK married **Sarah Ellen GARN** (daughter of **John GARN**, person #98, and **Fanny KERNS**) on 18 March 1875 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3483] They lived in Seneca Co., Ohio. [3484] Although McBride and Capener and her death record identify her as Sarah Ellen, she appeared as Ellen or Ella on the censuses including the 1930 Census after George had died. [3485]

Sarah is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Sarah Ellen<sup>8</sup> GARN (John<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #320, in this book. Additional information about Sarah may be found in her biography at person #320.

George Washington MAUK and Sarah Ellen GARN had one child. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the child has already been named and given number 762 and appears earlier in the book with the biography of Sarah, person #320.

633. **David Watson<sup>9</sup> MAUK** (Catherine<sup>8</sup> GARN; Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Solomon MAUK, and Catherine GARN, person #174) was born on 27 March 1857 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 27 January 1922 in Greenfield Twp., Blair Co., Pennsylvania. His death record places his birth year as 1875 but age at 65, which suggests his birth was in 1857 in agreement with McBride and Capener.

David Watson MAUK married **Sarah DIVELY** (daughter of **Jacob DIVELY** and **Rachel MOCK**) in 1876 in Claysburg, Blair Co., Pennsylvania. [3488] She is also a descendant of Johannes GERN and appears as Sarah DIVELY (Rachel MOCK; Catharina GARN; Johannes GERN; Johannes Johannes David; Joha

650. **Daniel** BRIGGLE (Margaret I. <sup>8</sup> GARN; Christian M. <sup>7</sup>; Frederick <sup>6</sup>; Johannes <sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam <sup>4</sup>; Johannes <sup>3</sup>; David <sup>2</sup>; Johannes <sup>1</sup>) (son of Adam BRIGGLE, and Margaret I. GARN, person

Death record of George Washington Mauk, Seneca Co., Ohio Deaths, 3 October 1925, File 59734. parents as Solomon Mauk and Katherine Garn, spouse as Ella; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 69019482.

From death record

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. G-11, p. 55, he as Mauch.

<sup>3484 1880</sup> U.S. Census of George W. Mauk, Clinton Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1065, p. 161D, E.D. 200; 1900 U.S. Federal Census of George Mauk, indexed as Marck, Clinton, Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1320, Page 8A, E.D. 97; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Mauk, Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio, T624\_1229, p. 6A, E.D. 141; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of George W. Mauk, Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio, T625\_1431, p. 5A, E.D. 107.

<sup>3485 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ellen Mauk, Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio, Roll 1868, p. 14A, E.D. 9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3486</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 634.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 19 April 2014, Watson Mauk, 27 January 1922, certificate 8085, age 65, birth on 28 March 1875, names parents; McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 634.

McBride and Capener, pp. 633, 634.

#176) was born on 3 December 1867 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[3489]</sup> Daniel BRIGGLE married **Amanda CLAYCOMB**.<sup>[3490]</sup>

Daniel BRIGGLE next married Annie EVANS. [3491]

652. **Elizabeth Jane<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John Ickes<sup>8</sup>; Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John Ickes GARN, person #177, and Maria GARN, person #314) was born on 6 December 1855 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3492]</sup> She died on 7 June 1892 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3493]</sup>

Elizabeth Jane GARN married **Abraham RINEBOLT** on 7 November 1872 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3494] Abraham RINEBOLT was born on 28 September 1853 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3495] He died on 7 November 1940 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3496] His death record gives his birth date as 7 September 1853 and death date as 7 November 1940, but age at death as 87y, 1m, 20d. McBride and Capener give his birth date as 28 September 1853. We use McBride and Capener's report of his birth since his death record is inconsistent about the birth. The informant on his death record appears to be a daughter reported by McBride and Capener.

Elizabeth Jane GARN and Abraham RINEBOLT had the following children: [3497]

- i. **Minnie Estella<sup>10</sup> RINEBOLT** was born on 15 September 1873 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. She married **John Newton HILBORN**. [3498] John Newton HILBORN was born on 6 April 1873 in Crawford Co., Ohio. [3499] He died on 30 December 1944 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3500]
- 1222. ii. **John Isaac<sup>10</sup> RINEBOLT** was born on 15 October 1875 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio.

653. **Anna Mary** GARN (John Ickes<sup>8</sup>; Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John Ickes GARN, person #177, and Maria GARN, person

McBride and Capener, pp. 647, 652; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Adam Briggle, Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1304, p. 704B; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Adam Briggle, King Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 1098, p. 198B, E.D. 226.

<sup>3490</sup> McBride and Capener, pp. 647, 652.

McBride and Capener, p. 652.

McBride and Capener, p. 653; 1860 U.S. Census of John Garns, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653\_1032, pp. 235, 236; 1870 U.S. Census of John I. Garn, indexed as John J. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593 1264, p. 149B.

<sup>3493 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81705846; McBride and Capener, p. 653.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. F-10, p. 466.

McBride and Capener, p. 653.

Death record of Abraham Rinebolt, Sandusky Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 7 November 1940, File 70254, widowed - wife as Mrs. A. Rinebolt, informant - Mrs. J. N. Hilborn.

McBride and Capener, p. 653.

McBride and Capener, p. 653; death record of John names his wife as Minnie E. Hilborn.

From death record

beath record of John Newton Hilborn, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 30 December 1944, File 79258, spouse as Minnie E. Hilborn.

#314) was born on 29 July 1857 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3501] She died on 19 October 1945 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3502]

Anna Mary GARN married **Henry MADSON** on 18 November 1880 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3503] Henry MADSON was born on 25 March 1849 in Lygum, Kloster, Denmark. [3504] He died on 10 December 1939 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3505]

Anna Mary GARN and Henry MADSON had the following children: [3506]

- i. Charlotte Rosena<sup>10</sup> MADSON was born on 5 December 1880 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3507] She died on 18 November 1953 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3508] She married Andrew Jackson HEBERLING on 14 November 1901 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3509] Andrew Jackson HEBERLING was born on 6 October 1872 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3510] He died on 25 October 1953 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3511]
- ii. Anna Mary<sup>10</sup> MADSON was born on 20 September 1882 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., 1224.
- iii. **John I.**<sup>10</sup> **MADSON** was born on 29 April 1884 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3512] 1225. He died on 9 March 1950 in Scott Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3513]
- 1226. iv. Charles Tinney<sup>10</sup> MADSON was born on 8 October 1886 in Fremont, Sandusky Co.,
- v. Ida<sup>10</sup> MADSON was born on 17 September 1888 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. 1227.
- vi. Grace Catherine<sup>10</sup> MADSON was born on 27 May 1891 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., 1228. Ohio.
- 1229. vii. **Eulalie<sup>10</sup> MADSON** was born on 6 April 1892 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio.
- 1230. viii. Henry Andrew<sup>10</sup> MADSON was born on 7 June 1895 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3514] He died on 7 April 1951 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3515]

655. **Delilah M.** GARN (John Ickes<sup>8</sup>; Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John Ickes GARN, person #177, and Maria GARN, person

Death record of Anna Mary Madson, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 19 October 1945, File 61818, spouse as Henry Madson, parents as John I. Garn and Mariah Garn; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 75058611.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. G-11, p. 554.

Death record of Henry Madson, Sr., Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 10 December 1939, File 75452, spouse as Anna Mary.

Death record of Charlotta Rosena Heberling, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 18 November 1953, File 76669, father as Henry Madson, mother as Anna Mary Garn.

Death record of Andrew Jackson Heberling, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 15 October 1953, File 69388.

From death record.

From death record.

McBride and Capener, p. 655.

<sup>3507</sup> From death record.

McBride and Capener, pp. 655, 656.

From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3512</sup> From death record; McBride and Capener report 1883 as birth year.

<sup>3513</sup> Death record of John I. Madson, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 9 Mar 1950, File 19181, father as Henry Madson, mother as Anna Mary

Death record of Henry Andrew Madson, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 7 April 1951, File 26853, father as Henry Madson, mother as

#314) was born on 16 November 1860 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3516] The birth date reported on her death record is 16 November 1859, which is consistent with the age-at-death, 77y, 5m, 28d, reported on the death record. McBride and Capener report she was born a year later in 1860, which is probably the correct birth year given the evidence that Delilah had a sister born less than 9 months before the 1859 birth date and also the year of birth, 1860, that is inscribed on her grave marker. She died on 14 May 1937 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3517]

Delilah M. GARN married **Robert D. MCCONE** on 27 November 1889 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3518] Robert D. MCCONE was born on 23 August 1851 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. [3519] McBride and Capener place his birth in Dowington, Chester Co., Pennsylvania. [3520] He died on 12 July 1927 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3521]

Delilah M. GARN and Robert D. MCCONE had the following children: [3522]

- i. **Maria Jane<sup>10</sup> MCCONE** was born on 12 August 1891 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. She died on 2 January 1892.
- ii. **Mabel Minnie**<sup>10</sup> **MCCONE** was born on 25 May 1893 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3523] She died on 11 August 1951. [3524] She was the informant for death records of both parents. She married **Joseph E. SIMMONS** on 31 August 1940 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3525] Joseph E. SIMMONS was born on 4 May 1889 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Michigan. [3526]
- 1233. iii. **John<sup>10</sup> MČCONE** was born on 7 July 1894 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. He died on 20 April 1905.

660. **William J.<sup>9</sup> GARN** (George I.<sup>8</sup>; Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of George I. GARN, person #179, and Elizabeth WALTERS) was born on 27 May 1862 in Weyant, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 2 April 1956 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. His obituary reports that he was a teacher.

William J. GARN married **Charlotte BOOR** (daughter of **Francis M. BOOR** and **Elizabeth Ann KING**) on 29 March 1887 in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3529] William and Charlotte

<sup>3516</sup> From death record; McBride and Capener, pp. 653, 663.

Death record of Delilah McCone, Lucas Co., Ohio Deaths, 14 May 1937, File 33650, widowed but spouse as Robert D. McCone, parents as John I. Garn and Maria Garn; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81702671, accessed 19 March 2014.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. 13, p. 158.

From death record.

<sup>3520</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 663.

Death record of Robert D. McCone, Lucas Co., Ohio Deaths, 12 July 1927, File 42007, spouse as Delilah McCone.

<sup>3522</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 663; see also death record of daughter Mabel.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 663.

Death record of Mabel M. Simmons, Lucas Co., Ohio Deaths, 11 Aug 1951, File 51438, informant was Joseph E. Simmons, parents as Robert D. McCone and Delilah Garn.

McBride and Capener, p. 663.

<sup>3526</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 663.

McBride and Capener, p. 664.

Obituary of William J. Garn, Clyde Enterprise, Clyde, Ohio, 5 April 1956, p. 2, col. 4, names son and daughter as Mrs. Hiram Michaels.

Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. 12, p. 538.

appeared on censuses in Seneca and Sandusky Counties, Ohio. [3530] Charlotte BOOR was born on 10 April 1868 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3531] She died on 18 December 1930 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio, [3532]

William J. GARN and Charlotte BOOR had the following children: [3533]

- i. George Francis<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 4 April 1888 in Liberty Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio. [3534] He died on 24 February 1963 in Bowling Green, Wood Co., Ohio. [3535] A notice of his funeral appeared in a local newspaper. [3536] He married Chattie Ethel STIGER (daughter of David STIGER and Clara LAFLEUR) on 3 October 1907 in Windsor, Ontario, Canada. [3537] Chattie Ethel STIGER was born on 10 August 1890 in Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio. [3538] She died on 14 January 1983 in Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio. [3539] George's son Gerald was the father of Paul W. 12 GARN who took one of the Y-DNA tests to confirm relationships among the family. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them.
- ii. Harry Leon<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 13 February 1891 in Liberty Twp., Seneca Co., 1235 Ohio. [3540] He died on 6 April 1891 in Liberty Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio. [3541]
- iii. Ruth E. 10 GARN was born on 15 May 1900 in Seneca Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio. [3542]

661. **Emma<sup>9</sup> GARN** (George I.<sup>8</sup>; Christian M.<sup>7</sup>; Frederick<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of George I. GARN, person #179, and Elizabeth WALTERS) was born on 25 April 1866 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3543]

Emma GARN married Adam Wesley DUNDORE on 29 November 1888 in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3544] They lived in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3545] Adam Wesley DUNDORE was born

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<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Garn, Bettsville, Seneca Co., Ohio, T623 1320, p. 4A, E.D. 107; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of William J. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624 1227, p. 1A, E.D. 120; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of William J. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625-1429, p. 7A, E.D. 85.

From death record.

Death record of Charlotte Boor Garn, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 18 December 1930, File 74957, indexed as Sharlotte; Obituary of Mrs. Charlotte Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 19 December 1930, p. 1, col. 7, names spouse and parents; Obituary of Mrs Charlotte Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 23 December 1939, p. 2, col. 8, names spouse.

Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962 at <a href="https://fsbeta.familysearch.org">https://fsbeta.familysearch.org</a>

<sup>3534 &</sup>lt;a href="https://fsbeta.familysearch.org">https://fsbeta.familysearch.org</a>, accessed 24 August 2010, birth record of George F. Garn, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, 4 April 1888, Ref. Num. v. 4, p. 63.

Death record of Geo. Francis Garn, Wood Co., Ohio Deaths, 24 Feb 1963, Ref. Num. 179, from <a href="https://fsbeta.familysearch.org">https://fsbeta.familysearch.org</a>, accessed 24 August 2010.

Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 25 February 1963, p. 2, col. 2.

From obituary of Chattie Garn.

From obituary.

Obituary of Chattie Garn, Fostoria [Ohio] Review Times, 15 January 1983, names parents, spouse, children; Obituary of Chattie Garn, Advertiser Tribune, Tiffin, Ohio, 15 January 1983, p. 3A, names parents, deceased apouse as G. F. Garn; Obituary of Chattie Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 18 January, 1983, p. 6, col. 3, names parents and children, spouse as G. F. Garn.

<sup>3540 &</sup>lt;a href="https://fsbeta.familysearch.org">https://fsbeta.familysearch.org</a>, accessed 24 August 2010, birth record of Harry Leon Garn, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, 13 Feb 1891, Ref. Num. v. 4, p. 65.

Death record of Harry Leon Garn, Seneca Co., Ohio Deaths, 6 April 1891, Ref. Num.v. 4, p. 66, from <a href="https://fsbeta.familysearch.org">https://fsbeta.familysearch.org</a>, accessed 24 August 2010.

<sup>3542 &</sup>lt;a href="https://fsbeta.familysearch.org">https://fsbeta.familysearch.org</a>, accessed 24 August 2010, birth record of Ruth E. Garn, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, 15 May 1900, Ref. Num. v. 4, p. 71.

McBride and Capener, pp. 664, 668.

on 24 August 1860 in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3546] He died in April 1921 in Tiffin, Seneca Co., Ohio. [3547]

Emma GARN and Adam Wesley DUNDORE had the following child: [3548]

i. **George John <sup>10</sup> DUNDORE** was born on 19 April 1892 in Burgoon, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3549]

686. **Merit<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Andrew<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Andrew GARN, person #246, and Martha DICK) was born on 19 December 1865, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3550] His name appears as Merit and Merritt in the records. However, it appears as Merit on his grave marker and in his estate file. He died on 10 March 1903, probably in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3551] An obituary reports that he was a prosperous farmer and stock dealer, that he came down with the grippe (influenza) four weeks prior to his death, and that he never recovered. [3552] His death was also reported in another newspaper notice. [3553]

He died intestate and his estate was settled in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3554] Since Merit had minor children, guardians were appointed for them and separate estate papers were maintained for his children in the Sandusky Co., Ohio, courts. [3555]

Merit GARN married **Attie Adelia KNOBLE** (daughter of **Simon KNOBLE** and **Amanda STREWN**) on 28 August 1885 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3556] Attie Adelia KNOBLE was born on 12 May 1869 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3557] She died on 7 April 1947 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3558]

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3544</sup> Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), Vol. 13, p. 71, he married as A. W. Dundore; Marriage License Announcement for A. W. Dundore and Emma Garn, Fremont Courier, Fremont, Ohio, 6 December 1888, in German.

<sup>3545 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Adam W. Dundore, indexed as Doudon and Dondore, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 4A, E.D. 81; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Westley A. Dundore, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, P. 2B, E.D. 120; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Wesley A. Dundore, indexed as Wesley R. Dundore, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 8A, E.D. 85.

From death record; see also McBride and Capener, pp. 664, 668.

Death record of Adam Wesley Dundore, Sandusky Co., Ohio Deaths, 20 March 1921, File 17714, indexed as Adaire Wesley Dundore.

<sup>3548</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 668.

McBride and Capener, p. 668.

Gravemarker inscription, *Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries*, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date, p. 94); McBride and Capener, p. 123, gives birth one year later.

<sup>3551 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 86476509; Gravemarker inscription, Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date, p. 94); McBride and Capener, p. 123.

<sup>3552</sup> Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 12 March 1903, p. 1, col. 3.

<sup>3553</sup> Fremont Daily News, 11 March 1903, p. 3, col. 3.

<sup>3554</sup> Sandusky County, Ohio, Estates, File 5696, Estate of Merit [sic] Garn, names widow and children, gives death date. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Sandusky County, Ohio, Estates, File 5752, Probate file and Guardianship Papers for Lloyd, Ella, Amanda, Anna, Hazel, and Merit A. Garn, heirs of Merit Garn, names Merit's spouse. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 28 August 1885, Vol. 12, p. 396,as Merrit Garns and Altie/Attie Noble, reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894*, (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 113.

From death record.

Merit GARN and Attie Adelia KNOBLE had the following children: [3559]

- i. **Lloyd<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 25 February 1886 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3560] He died on 29 July 1955 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3561]
- 1239. ii. Ellen<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 13 February 1888.
- 1240. iii. Amanda<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 17 June 1890.
- 1241. iv. Anna<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 24 September 1892.
- 1242. v. Hazel<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 9 June 1895.
- vi. **Merritt Andrew**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 19 December 1902. He died on 28 December 1932 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3562] Several obituaries report his life and death. [3563] He had gone hunting two weeks prior to his death and developed a blister on his heel, which became infected. He got blood poisoning and died. His obituary reports that he was the office manager at Owens-Illinois Glass Company in Toledo and that he was going to law school in the evenings with plans to take the bar exam in January. He was planning to become the legal advisor to the company upon passing the bar exam. [3564]

704. **Peter W.** <sup>9</sup> **GARN** (Elijah<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Elijah GARN, person #252, and Eliza RIDER) was born on 8 April 1871 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[3565]</sup> He died on 11 December 1935 in Los Angeles Co., California. <sup>[3566]</sup> Peter W. GARN married **Anna Laura WILSON** on 24 December 1896 in Lucas Co., Ohio. <sup>[3567]</sup> Anna's maiden name on her marriage record appears as Wilcox. This is clearly a mistake or a huge coincidence since her mother appears with the family on the 1910 census, cited below, as Wilson and death records of their children give Wilson as their mother's maiden name.

3558 Death Record for Attie Adelia Garn, Ohio Deaths, 7 April 1947, file no. 27438, names spouse, parents; Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date, p. 94).

Date and place appear in obituaries, cited below.

Obituary of Lloyd Garn, Fremont News Messenger [Ohio], 29 July 1955, p. 1, col. 7, names parents, siblings, spouse and children; Obituary of Lloyd Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 4 August 1955, p. 1, col. 4, names parents, spouse, siblings, and children.

Death Record for Merritt Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, 28 December 1932, cites FHL# 1992773, Cert. No. 73397, names spouse and parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 86503836.

Fremont Daily News [Ohio], 23 December 1932, p. 1, col. 4; Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 29 December 1932, p. 1, col. 2; Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 31 December 1932, p. 3, col. 5.

The author finds it interesting that Merritt worked for Owens-Illinois Glass Company because the author's father and uncle operated the Garn Glass Company in Cadillac, Michigan, for many years and purchased products from Owens-Illinois Glass Company, though not at a time when Merritt would have been working there.

3565 "Ohio, County Births, 1841-2003," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 4 April 2014, Peter Garns, 8 April 1871, names parents, cites FHL# 511730 v1, p28; McBride and Capener, p. 142, places birth one year earlier.

California, Death Index, 1905-1939, <ancestry.com>, accessed 4 April 2014, sites on-line database, Peter W. Garn, death on 11 December 1935, age 64; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 104657222; McBride and Capener, p. 142.

3567 "Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 4 April 2014, Peter M. Garn [sic] and Anna Laura Wilcox [sic], 24 December 1896, cites Lucas Ohio, ref. 235, FHL# 909004.

Children named in Merritt's estate papers and in guardianship papers for his heirs, both cited above; Children also named as grandchildren in Andrew Garn's estate papers; William Joseph Toeppe, *Sandusky County, Ohio Births-Register Infant-Name Index*, Vol. 1, A-K, p. 200; McBride and Capener, p. 123, gives Lloyd's birth a day later.

Peter and Anna appeared on the 1910 and 1930 Censuses in Los Angeles, California. [3568] We did not find them on the 1920 Census. This may be because they were living in Mexico. A passport application for Anna, dated 28 March 1921, indicates that their residence was Tampico, Tamaulipas, Mexico on that date.[3569]

Anna Laura WILSON was born on 22 December 1874 in Ebensburg, Cambria Co., Pennsylvania. [3570] She died on 23 April 1941 in California. [3571]

- Peter W. GARN and Anna Laura WILSON had the following children:<sup>[3572]</sup> 1244. i. **Leah Lyle<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 17 May 1898.<sup>[3573]</sup> She died on 6 September 1982 in San Mateo Co., California. [3574] Her Find A Grave memorial reports that she married a Mr. Winfield R. Cram.
  - ii. **Don Carlos<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 10 September 1900.<sup>[3575]</sup> He died on 17 February 1967 in Kern Co., California.<sup>[3576]</sup> He married **Evalina M. CHROMAR** on 12 May 1949 in 1245. Los Angeles Co., California. [3577] Evalina M. CHROMAR was born about 1911. The California, Marriage Index, 1949-1959 reports two identical records of marriages by Don C. Garn to Evalina M., except for her last name, which is Chromar on one and Schneider on the other. We suspect one was is maiden name and one is a name she received from a previous marriage. We do not know which is her maiden name.

707. Olive GARN (Adam B.8; Jacob7; John6; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam4; Johannes3; David2; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam B. GARN, person #253, and Rebecca LONG) was born on 3 March

<sup>3568 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census for Peter W. Garn, Los Angeles Assembly District 70, Los Angeles, California, T624\_80, page 1A, E.D. 221, <ancestry.com> accessed 4 April 2014, cites FHL# 1374093; 1930 U.S. Federal Census for Peter W. Garn, Los Angeles. Los Angeles Co., California, Roll 141, Page 24A, E.D. 221, <ancestry.com>, accessed 4 April 2014, cites FHL# 2339876. With 1930 U.S.

National Archives and Records Administration, Passport Applications, January 2, 1906 - March 31, 1925, <ancestry.com>, accessed 4 April 2014, Anna L. Garn, reports birth on 22 December 1874 in Ebensburg, PA, spouse as Peter W., born in Gibsonburg, PA, cites NARA Series M1490, Roll 1542.

Date and place appear on passport application, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>. Memorial# 85405892.

Both children named on 1910 Census, cited above, Don cited on 1930 Census, death records of children.

Death report gives birth date.

California, Death Index, 1940-1997, on-line database, <ancestry.com>, accessed 4 April 2014, Leah Lyle Cram, 6 Sept 1982, death in San Mateo, SSN 557-62-9628, gives birth date, mother's maiden name as Wilson, father's surname as Garn; <www.findagrave.com>,

<sup>3575</sup> U.S. World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, on-line database, <ancestry.com>, accessed 4 April 2014, Don Carlos Garn, gives birth date, father as Peter W. Garn, occupation: student at Hollywood High School, cites Los Angeles County Draft Registrations, Roll 1530901, Draft Board 12.

<sup>3576</sup> California, Death Index, 1940-1997, on-line database, <ancestry.com>, accessed 4 April 2014, Don C. Garn, 17 February 1967, death in Kern Co., SSN 554-54-1798, gives birth date, mother's maiden name as Wilson; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 85405893.

California, Marriage Index, 1949-1959, on-line database, <ancestry.com>, accessed 4 April 2014, Don C. Garn and Evalina M. Schneider, 23 May 1949, gives ages; California, Marriage Index, 1949-1959, on-line database, <ancestry.com>, accessed 4 April 2014, Don C. Garn and Evalina M. Chromar, 23 May 1949, gives ages.

1867. [3578] She died on 3 October 1962 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3579] She probably was the, "highly esteemed," Miss Olive Garn who was reported to be teaching her fifth term. [3580]

Olive GARN married **William H. PHISTER** on 13 May 1890 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. Their marriage was reported in the local German language newspaper. William H. PHISTER was born on 8 September 1865 in Bradner, Wood Co., Ohio. He died on 3 November 1905 in Bowling Green, Wood Co., Ohio. Both Olive and William were buried near her parents in West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky Co., Ohio. Ohio. Ohio.

Olive GARN next married **John H. LONDICK** (son of **George LONDICK** and **Mary**) on 21 December 1912 in Wood Co., Ohio. [3586] John H. LONDICK was born on 28 December 1872 in Michigan. [3587] He died on 23 September 1934 in Nankin, Wayne Co., Michigan. [3588]

708. **Oby Dexter<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Adam B. <sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Adam B. GARN, person #253, and Rebecca LONG) was born on 11 December 1872 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[3589]</sup> He died on 3 November 1949 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[3590]</sup> Two obituaries report his death, which occurred from injuries he incurred when a truck struck the back of his automobile. <sup>[3591]</sup>

Oby Dexter GARN married **Emma YEASTING** (daughter of **Fred YEASTING**) on 21 March 1894 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3592] Their marriage was reported in the local German language newspaper. [3593] Emma YEASTING was born on 1 May 1871 in Woodville Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3594] She died on

<sup>3578</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 149; Year on grave marker is consistent.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, Index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Olive Londick, 3 October 1962, age 95, cites certificate# 75292; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 87398571; Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 106.

Fremont Democratic Messenger [Oho], 2 December 1886, p. 2, col. 5.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 13, p. 202, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 473; McBride and Capener, p. 149.

Fremont Courier [Ohio], 15 May 1890, p. 4, col. 2. in German script.

Find A Grave memorial, cited below.

<sup>3584</sup> <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 87396195; Grave marker inscription, cited below.

<sup>3585</sup> Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 106.

<sup>3586 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, John H. Londick and Olive Phister, 21 December 1912, gives his birth date, names parents, cites FHL# 409706; Obituary of Olive's brother Oby Dexter Garn reports he had a sister named Olive Londick.

Date appears on marriage record, cited above; death record, cited below, reports birth a year and a day later.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Michigan Death Certificates, 1921-1952," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, John H. Londick, 23 September 1934, birth on 29 December 1873 [sic], parents as George and Mary, cites FHL# 1973147.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 149.

<sup>3590 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 87332848; Death Record for Oby Dexter Garn, Ohio Deaths, 3 November 1949, file no. 71291, married, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 149.

Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 4 November 1949, p. 1, col. 7, names parents and three sons, widow as Laura sister as Olive Londick; Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 10 November 1949, p. 1, col. 4, names parents and three sons, widow as Laura, sister as Olive Londick.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 13, p. 532, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., *Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records*, *1820-1894* (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 112; McBride and Capener, p. 152.

Marriage License news for Oby Garn and Emma Yeastings [sic], Fremont Courier [Ohio], 29 March 1894, p. 4, col. 3, in German script.

From age at death on grave marker, cited below; Obituary, cited below places birth a year earlier.

12 September 1896 near Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3595] Emma's obituary reports that she had an infant and a child that was a little over a year old. A news item indicates that the infant was a baby born less than a month before she died and that the child lived less than four months. [3596] Both Oby and Emma were buried at West Union or Gibsonburg Cemetery in Sandusky County.

Oby Dexter GARN and Emma YEASTING had the following children: [3597]

- i. **Fenton Harold<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 10 March 1895 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3598]</sup> He died on 26 December 1949.<sup>[3599]</sup> Fenton registered for the draft for both World War I and World War II, registering as Fenton Harrold Garn [sic] the first time and as Harold Garn, Sr., the second.<sup>[3600]</sup>
- 1247. ii. **Royal Clovas**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 20 August 1896.<sup>[3601]</sup> He died on 19 December 1896.<sup>[3602]</sup>

Oby Dexter GARN next married **Callie HOLLINGER** (daughter of **Jacob HOLLINGER** and **Sophia HEMMINGER**) on 17 May 1898 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. Their marriage was reported in the local German language newspaper. Oby and Callie must have separated because she remarried as Callie H. Garn to Henry Harr on 24 August 1921 in Sandusky County. [3605]

Oby and Callie appear on the 1900-1920 Censuses in Madison Twp., Sandusky County. [3606] His wife, named Caroline on the 1920 Census, is undoubtedly Callie since she is reported to be a year older than Oby on all three censuses. Callie HOLLINGER was born in 1870. [3607] She died on 7 July 1943 in

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<sup>3595 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 87334024; Sandusky County, Ohio, Madison Twp. Cemeteries, compiled by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, no date), p. 105; Obituary of Mrs. Emma Garn, Gibonsburg Derrick [Ohio], 17 September 1896, p. 1, col. 2.

<sup>3596</sup> Death News for Royal Cloves Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 24 December 1896, p. 1, col. 3, names parents and Emma's father.

Birth record of Fenton names parents, news of death of Royal names parents.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, Births and Christenings, 1821-1962," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 8 April 2014, Fenton Garn, 10 March 1895, names parents, cites Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., ref. p. 76, rn 289, FHL# 511731.

<sup>3599 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 59807792.

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, <ancestry.com>, on-line database, accessed 3 April 2014, Fenton Harrold Garn, reports birth date; World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942, <ancestry.com>, on-line database, accessed 7 April 2014, Harold Garn, Sr., reports birth date and place.

Reported in news item about his death, cited below.

Death News for Royal Cloves Garn, Gibsonburg Derrick [Ohio], 24 December 1896, p. 1, col. 3, reports both date of birth and date of death, names parents and Emma's father; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 59807792, reports death on 19 December 1896 at age 3 months and 29 days.

Marriage Record for Oby Garn and Callie Hollinger, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 20 September 2011, cites FHL# 506621, ref. no. Vol. 14, p. 351, cn. 1053.

Marriage License news for Oby Garn and Callie Hollinger, Fremont Courier [Ohio], 26 May 1989, p. 4, col. 5, he as D. Garn, in German script.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Henry Harr and Callie H. Garn, 24 August 1921, reports ages and names parents, cites FHL# 506649.

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 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Oby D. Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1318, Page 3A, E.D. 82; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Oby D. Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, Page 12A, E.D. 121; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Obey Garn, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, Page 9B, E.D. 86, wife as Caroline. With 1920 Census.

Year appears on grave marker, cited below.

Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3608] The files on Callie H. Harr at the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center report that in 1926 the courts appointed her a guardian. [3609]

Oby Dexter GARN and Callie HOLLINGER had the following children: [3610]

- 1248. iii. Carroll H. GARN was born on 22 May 1898 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3611] He died on 6 June 1905 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3612]
- iv. Clarence A<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 5 September 1902 in Woodville Twp., Sandusky Co., 1249
- Ohio. 1250

Oby Dexter GARN next married Sarah CANNON (daughter of John CANNON and Anna WEBBER) on 9 February 1924 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [3617] Sarah married as Mrs. Sarah Meister. Sarah CANNON was born on 21 November 1863 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3618] The birth date shown here comes from her death record. Her age on the record of her marriage to Oby suggests a birth around 1876. We do not know which is correct. However, we are certain that the records both apply to Sarah because they both name her parents. She died on 23 September 1938 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3619] Her death record reports that she was divorced. Her name on her death record, Moister, suggests that she had gone back to the name she had before marrying Obv.

Oby Dexter GARN next married Laura Estella MAHLER (daughter of George MAHLER and Luetta HILL) on 20 July 1928 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [3620] She married as Mrs. Laura Mahler Warren.

 $<sup>^{3608} \ &</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, 7 July and 1958-2007, "index, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Callie Harr, < family search.org>, accessed 3 April 20$ 1943, cites <ancestry.com> index by the same name; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 20752423.

Ohio Obituary Index, 1930s-2011, Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center, Callie H. Harr files, reports first husband as Garn, second husband as John Henry Harr, reports mental illness and guardianship in 1926. on-line database at <ancestry.com>. accessed 3

<sup>3610</sup> Children appear on one or more census, cited above; records with children name parents.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, Births and Christenings, 1821-1962," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 8 April 2014, Carrol Garns, 22 May 1898 [sic], names parents, cites Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., ref. p. 127, rn 256, FHL# 511731.

Ohio Obituary Index, 1930s-2011, Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center, Carol Garn files, reports death date and place, names father, on-line database at <ancestry.com>, accessed 8 April 2014; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 87334621.

Birth date reported on death record.

<sup>3614 &</sup>quot;Florida, Death Index, 1877-1998," index, <ancestry.com>, accessed 8 April 2014, Clarence A. Garn, 28 December 1975, reports birth date; Ohio Obituary Index, 1930s-2011, Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center, Clarence A. Garn files, reports death date and place, names spouse, father as Oby, on-line database at <ancestry.com>, accessed 8 April 2014; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 87335651.

From 1910 and 1920 Census, cited with parents.

<sup>3616</sup> Ohio Obituary Index, 1930s-2011, Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center, Harry R. Garn files, reports death date and place, names spouse, on-line database at <ancestry.com>, accessed 8 April 2014.

<sup>3617 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Oby D. Garn and Sarah Meister, 9 February 1924, reports ages and names parents, cites FHL# 2166648.

<sup>3618</sup> Birth date appears on death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3619</sup> "Ohio, Deaths, 1908-1953," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Sarah Moister, 23 September 1938, cites Toledo, Lucas, Ohio, ref 53263, FHL# 2023614.

<sup>3620 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 3 April 2014, Oby Garn and Laura Mahler Warren, 20 July 1928, reports ages and names parents, cites FHL# 2168582.

Laura Estella MAHLER was born on 8 July 1877 in Milton Center, Wood Co., Ohio. [3621] She died on 3 July 1956 in Perrysburg, Wood Co., Ohio. [3622]

719. **Gertrude May<sup>9</sup> GARNS** (Samuel<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup> GARN; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Samuel GARNS, person #257, and Rebecca SLATES) was born on 4 October 1877 in Montpelier Village, Williams Co., Ohio. She died on 6 February 1959 in Williams Co., Ohio. [3623] Her death record reports that she was widowed.

Gertrude May GARNS married **William C. INGRAM** on 17 December 1895 in Williams Co., Ohio. [3624] William and Gertrude were not living together when the 1900 Census was recorded. Gertrude was living with her father and step-mother and William claimed to have been widowed. [3625] William C. INGRAM was born in January 1872 in Ohio. [3626]

Gertrude May GARNS next married **Louis D. CHIRRA** (son of **Jacob CHIRRA** and **Joanna MOWERY**) on 6 April 1907 in Williams Co., Ohio. [3627] Louis D. CHIRRA was born on 7 March 1864 in Ohio. [3628] His marriage record reports that he was born in Sanduskey [sic], Ohio. It is not clear if this is the city or the county of Sandusky.

721. **Clarence Dekirk<sup>9</sup> GARNS** (Daniel<sup>8</sup> GARN; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Daniel GARN, person #258, and Sarah MOSES) was born on 1 December 1873 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3629] Clarence Dekirk GARNS married **Jessie** about 1894, probably in San Jose, Santa Clara Co., California. [3630] Clarence and Jessie appeared on the 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses in San Jose, Santa Clara Co., California. [3631] Jessie was born in March 1877 in California. [3632]

Clarence Dekirk GARNS and Jessie had the following children: [3633]

3622 "Ohio, Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 8 April 2014, Laura Estella Garn, 3 July 1956, widowed, names father, gives birth date, cites Perrysburg, Wood, Ohio, ref. cn 179, FHL# 2032330; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 87333302.

Death Record for Gertrude M. Chirra, as Gertrud M. Chirre, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, accessed 23 September 2013, cites Certificate 14716, Vol. 15699; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 117520443.

3626 1900 U.S. Federal Census of William C. Ingram, Montpelier, Williams Co., Ohio, Roll 1332, p. 3B, ED, 118, birth in January 1872, reported to be widowed.

<sup>3621</sup> From death record.

Marriage Record for William C. Ingram and Gertie M. Garns, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994, accessed 23 September 2013, cites FHL# 914039, Reference ID bk 7 p 10 cn 30; Gertrude appears as Gertie M. Ingram, married three years in the home of her father on the 1900 Census, cited with his wife Jennie, Gertrude's husband not in home.

<sup>3625 1900</sup> Federal Census of William C. Ingram, cited below.

Marriage Record for Louis D. Chirra and Gertrude M. Garns, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994, accessed 23 September 2013, cites FHL# 914040, Reference ID bk 9 p 381 cn 763, names parents, her mother as Slats.

<sup>3628</sup> Marriage Record, cited above.

Birth Record of unnamed male child, surname Garns, <familysearch.org> Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 15 July 2011, cites FHL #511730, ref. no. 2:16VV32M, parents as Daniel Garns and Sarah Moses; McBride and Capener, p. 164 gives this date of birth; 1900 U.S. Census, cited below reports birth in December 1873.

<sup>3630</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 164; 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses, cited below.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Clarence D. Garns, San Jose Ward 3, Santa Clara Co., California, T623\_111, p. 13B, E.D. 70, as Garnes; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Clarence D. Garns, San Jose Ward 3, Santa Clara Co., California, T624\_106, p. 7A, E.D. 101.

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3633</sup> Children appear on one or more census, cited above, birth information from census; McBride and Capener, p. 164.

- 1251. i. Ethel A.<sup>10</sup> GARNS was born in August 1895 in California.
- 1252. ii. Myrtle G. 10 GARNS was born in March 1897 in California.
- 1253. iii. Clarence D. 10 GARNS was born about 1904 in California.

722. **Eugene<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Daniel<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Daniel GARN, person #258, and Fanny Marion BARLOW) was born on 19 June 1887 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. He died on 28 October 1965 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[3634]</sup> He was a farmer and died in his corn field of a "presumed heart attack."

Eugene GARN married **Mary TEALE** (daughter of **Thomas TEALE** and **Lillian KELLEY**) on 3 April 1912 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3635] Mary TEALE was born about 1893 in Clare, Michigan. [3636]

Eugene GARN next married **Edith C. ALWINE** (daughter of **Robert ALWINE** and **Flora HERD**) on 5 September 1939 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3637] Since she married as Edith C. Ginn, she had been married at least once before. Edith C. ALWINE was born about 1900. [3638]

726. **F. I.** GARN (Daniel<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Daniel GARN, person #258, and Fanny Marion BARLOW) was born on 9 July 1896. We have not seen a first name for him on any record. The 1930 U.S. Census has "No First Name" above his initials. He registered for the Draft for World War II on 26 April 1942. He named Mrs. Fanny Garn as the person who would always know where he was. He died on 31 March 1985 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. A death notice reports that he was a farmer and clerked at a hardware store. Sandusky Co., Ohio.

F. I. GARN married **Myrtle Minnie WRIGHT** (daughter of **George WRIGHT** and **Blanche BAIR**) on 19 August 1920 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3643] F. I. and Myrtle appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Grand Rapids, Wood Co., Ohio. [3644] Myrtle Minnie WRIGHT was born on 13 July 1898 in Bloomdale, Wood Co., Ohio. [3645]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3634</sup> Death Notice for Eugene Garn, Fremont Messenger, 1 November 1965, p. 2, col. 2.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 6 April 2014, Eugene Garn and Mary Teale, 3 April 1912, names parents, ages, and places of birth, cites Sandusky Co., Ohio, ref. v. 17, cn 3392, FHL# 506648.

Marriage record gives age and place of birth.

<sup>3637 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 6 April 2014, Eugene Garn and Edith C. Ginn, 5 September 1939, names parents and gives ages, cites Sandusky Co., Ohio, FHL# 506651.

Age 39 on marriage record.

McBride and Capener, p. 169.

World War II Draft Registration Card for F. I. Garn, <familysearch.org>, United States, World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942, accessed 18 July 2011, cites FHL# 2246291, gives birth date.

Death Record for F. I. Garn, <ancestry.com>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, accessed 18 July 2011, Certificate 023966; Vol.: 25998; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 20492743.

Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 2 April 1985, p. 7, col. 4, names parents.

Marriage Record for F. I. Garn and Myrtle Minnie Wright, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 18 July 2011, cites FHL# 4016803, ref. no. V19, cn 5394, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 169.

<sup>3644 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of F. I Garn, Grand Rapids, Wood Co., Ohio, Roll 1888, p. 1B, E.D. 13.

<sup>3645</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 169.

- F. I. GARN and Myrtle Minnie WRIGHT had the following children: [3646]
  - 1254. i. **Daniel Wright**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 7 August 1921.
  - 1255. ii. **daughter<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 11 May 1923.<sup>[3647]</sup> She died on 12 May 1923 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3648]</sup>

737. **William<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Levi<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Levi GARN, person #260, and Mary Emma SMITH) was born on 10 May 1896. [3649] He died on 3 June 1957 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3650] Obituaries report that he had retired from the National Gypsum Company. They also name his parents, his two wives and report that two daughters were born to his first marriage.

William GARN married **Dorothy YANTZ** (daughter of **Robert YANTZ** and **Louise MANCH**) on 21 June 1917 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3651] Dorothy YANTZ was born about 1900 in Castalia, Erie Co., Ohio. [3652] She died on 11 September 1923 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3653]

William GARN next married Margaret CUNNINGHAM on 28 April 1927. [3654]

738. **Jacob Edwin<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Jacob Moroni<sup>8</sup>; Daniel<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob Moroni GARN, person #298, and Martha Virginia WASHINGTON) was born on 16 July 1893 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [3655] He appeared as Edwin on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses and as Jacob E. on the 1920 Census with his parents. He appeared as J. Edwin on the 1930 U.S. Census. He went by the name Edwin. He died on 19 July 1971 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [3656]

Jacob Edwin GARN married **Agnes Fern CHRISTENSEN** on 21 January 1921 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [3657] Edwin and Fern appeared on the 1930 U.S. Federal Census in Richfield, Sevier Co., Utah. [3658] Agnes Fern CHRISTENSEN was born on 15 June 1896 in Fairfiew, Sanpete Co., Utah. [3659]

Daniel appears on 1930 Census, cited above and McBride and Capener, p. 169, daughter as noted.

From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3648</sup> Death Record for Infant Garn, Ohio Deaths, 12 May 1923, file no. 35123, names parents, death from premature birth.

Date reported in obituaries, cited below.

Obituary of William Garn, Fremont Messenger [Ohio], 3 June 1957, p. 1, col. 2; Obituary of William Garn, Gibsonburg Derrik [Ohio], 6 June 1957, p. 1, col. 2; Grave marker inscription, cited with parents.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and marriages, <familysearch.org>, accessed 15 May 2014, William Garns and Dorothy Yantz, 21 June 1917, cites Sandusky Co., Ohio, ref. v18, Cn4680, FHL# 506649.

Age and birth place given on marriage record.

<sup>3653 &</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 15 May 2014, Dorthy L. Garn, 11 September 1923, cites <ancestry.com>; her death is reported in William's obituaries, cited above.

Spouse named in William's obituaries, cited above.

Draft Registration Card for Jacob Edwin Garn, <search.ancestry.com>, World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, accessed 3 July 2011, cites Roll 1983911, Draft Board 1, birth on 16 July 1893 in Utah, occupation, civil engineer at Utah Copper Company; McBride and Capener, p. 284.

<sup>3656 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 119989176.

<sup>3657</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 285.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3658</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Census of J. Edwin Garn, Richfield, Sevier Co., Utah, Roll 2422, pp. 13A and 13B, E.D. 21, indexed as Lain.

<sup>3659</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 285.

Jacob Edwin GARN and Agnes Fern CHRISTENSEN had the following children: [3660]

1256. i. Martha Janet<sup>10</sup> GARN.

1257. ii. Mildred Fern<sup>10</sup> GARN.

1258. iii. **Edwin Jacob**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** - He goes by the name Jake. He served as a United States Senator from the State of Utah from 1974 until 1993. He also was an astronaut and flew aboard the Space Shuttle Discovery, flight STS-51-D in 1985. He confirmed to the author his descend from Daniel Garn and wife Mahala Garn as shown here and in McBride and Capener. [3661]

740. **Daniel Milton<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Jacob Moroni<sup>8</sup>; Daniel<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Jacob Moroni GARN, person #298, and Martha Virginia WASHINGTON) was born on 15 March 1899 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [3662] He appeared as Daniel M. on the 1900 Census, as Milton on the 1910 Census, and as Milton D. on the 1920 Census with his parents. He died on 23 October 1987 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [3663]

Daniel Milton GARN married **Melba Fredricka NORDQUIST** (daughter of **Peter August NORDQUIST** and **Hilda IPSEN**) on 2 December 1932 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., California. [3664] Melba Fredricka NORDQUIST was born on 24 August 1905 in Ogden, Weber Co., Utah. [3665]

Daniel Milton GARN and Melba Fredricka NORDQUIST had the following children: [3666]

- i. **Daniel Richard<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 30 July 1944 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [3667] He died on 19 November 1944 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [3668]
- ii. **Robert Milton**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** Robert took the Y-DNA test to help establish relationships among family members. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them. He confirmed his descent from Daniel Garn and wife Mahala Garn as reported here and in McBride and Capener. [3669]

743. **Leah V.** <sup>9</sup> **ICKES** (Henry <sup>8</sup>; Mary <sup>7</sup> GARN; John <sup>6</sup>; Johannes <sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam <sup>4</sup>; Johannes <sup>3</sup>; David <sup>2</sup>; Johannes <sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Henry ICKES, person #302, and Mary Ann SPANGLER) was born on

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3660</sup> First two children named on 1930 Census, cited above; Edwin Jacob "Jake" Garn confirmed in private communication, November 1979.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3661</sup> Private communication, November 1979.

Draft Registration Card for Daniel Milton Garn, <search.ancestry.com>, World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, accessed 3 July 2011, cites Roll 1983911, Draft Board 1, birth on 15 March 1899, nearest relative as Jacob Garn, father; McBride and Capener, p. 284.

<sup>5005 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 70347123.

Death record of son Daniel Richard names Daniel and Melba as parents; McBride and Capener, p. 284.

McBride and Capener, p. 286.

<sup>3666</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 286; parents named on Daniel Richard's death record; private communication, Robert M. Garn, 14 June 2010.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 286.

Death Record for Daniel Richard Garn, 19 Nov 1944, Utah Deaths, file no. 1904, parents as D. Milton Garn and Melba F. Nordquist; McBride and Capener, p. 286.

Private communication, Robert M. Garn, 14 June 2010.

1 February 1852 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3670] She died on 17 August 1944 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio [3671]

Leah V. ICKES married **Titus GARN** (son of **Martin GARN**, person #101, and **Catharine CROYLE**) on 13 January 1870 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3672] Titus and Leah and their unnamed three-month-old daughter appeared on the 1880 Census in Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan. [3673] Between 1880 and 1900 Titus and Leah divorced. Titus appeared as a single, divorced person on the 1900 Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3674] That same year Leah appeared as a single, divorced person on the Census in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Michigan. [3675]

Titus is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Titus<sup>8</sup> GARN (Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #353, in this book. Additional information about Titus may be found in his biography at person #353.

Leah V. ICKES and Titus GARN had one child. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the child has already been named and given number 836 and appears earlier in the book with the biography of Titus, person #353.

753. Ella CARN (Adam B. 8; Samuel 7; John GARN; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam 4; Johannes 3; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam B. CARN, person #312, and Emma DEFIBAUGH) was born on 6 March 1862 in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [3676] She died on 31 December 1924 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania. [3677] Ella CARN married **Harry RAPP**. [3678]

Ella CARN and Harry RAPP had the following children: [3679] 1261. i. Harry RAPP, Jr.

ii. Edith<sup>10</sup> RAPP. She married unknown REED. 1262.

761. Eugene M. GARN (John J. S; John ; John ; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam ; Johannes ; David; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John J. GARN, person #316, and Rosina MITCHELL) was born in May 1864 in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3670</sup> Death Record, cited below, places birth on 1 February 1855; Age at death on death record gives birth on 29 February 1856; McBride and Capener, pp. 295 and 377, place her birth on 2 January 1852; 1860 Census, cited with her parents, places her birth about 1851; 1900 Census, cited below, places birth in February 1852 We presume she was born on the day and month given by her death record but in 1852, which is more consistent with McBride and Capener, and the census.

Death Record for Leah V. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 17 August 1944, file no. 51294, parents as Henry Jakes and Mary Ann Spangler, birth on 1 February 1855.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 13 January 1870, vol. F 10, p. 237, indexed as Titus Garns and Leah Icken, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 113, 13 January 1870.

<sup>3673 1880</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Titus Garn, Chester Twp., Eaton Co., Michigan, Roll 577, p. 112D, E.D. 65, unnamed 3-month-old daughter in household.

<sup>3674 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Titus Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 14B, E.D. 81, divorced, indexed as

<sup>3675 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Leah V. Garn, Charlotte Ward 1, Eaton Co., Michigan, T623\_709, p. 6A, E.D. 64, divorced, daughter Minnie Brown living in household.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3676</sup> From death record, cited below.

Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1924, <ancestry.com>, accessed 18 April 2014, Mrs. Ella Rapp, 31 December 1924, certificate 1225491, gives birth date, names parents; Obituary of Ella Rapp, Bedford County (PA) Historical Society Obituary Collection, book 30, p. 15.

Harry named as spouse in Ella's obituary.

<sup>3679</sup> Children and Edith's married name given in Ella's obituary.

Ohio. [3680] He is named as a son in the probate file of John J. Garn. [3681] He died in 1943, probably in Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa. [3682]

Eugene M. GARN married Josephine C. SMITH on 8 June 1882 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3683] Josephine C. SMITH was born on 11 November 1863. [3684] She died on 12 March 1886, probably in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3685]

Eugene M. GARN and Josephine C. SMITH had the following child: [3686]

1263. i. **J. C. M.** 10 **GARN** was born in May 1883 in Ohio. He married **Bessie**. [3687] Bessie was born about 1885.

Eugene M. GARN next married Lida M. SHINABARGER (daughter of George SHINABARGER and Harriet HILL) on 8 August 1887 in Keokuk, Lee Co., Iowa. [3688] We do not know how this marriage ended. Lida M. SHINABARGER was born in 1865 in Iowa [3689]

Eugene M. GARN next married Amanda E. LOVEBERRY on 26 October 1897 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3690] They appeared on the 1900, 1910, 1920, and 1930 U.S. Federal Censuses in Vinton, Iowa. [3691] The 1910 U.S. Census reports he was married twice while his then wife, Amanda E., had only been married once. Amanda E. LOVEBERRY was born in June 1863 in Ohio. [3692] She died in 1940. probably in Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa. [3693]

Grave marker, Metzger Cemetery Records, as wife of E. M.

Marriage Record for Eugene M. Garn and Amanda E. Loveberry, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 3 August 2011, cites FHL# 506621, ref. no. 2:3JLM8KK; Marriage License Notice for Eugene M. Garn and Amanda Loveberry, Fremont Courier [Ohio], 11 November 1897, p. 1, col. 4, in German.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3680</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census, cited below, gives month and year of birth; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of J. J. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593 1264, p. 146A.

Sandusky Co., Ohio Probate file of John J. Garn, File 9964, currently held by the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio, names his widow, Elizabeth Garn of Sandusky Co., and Eugene M. Garn of Vinton, Iowa, as his next of kin.

Grave marker for Eugene M. Garn, <findagrave.com>, accessed 7 August 2011, burial in Evergreen Cemetery, Vinton, Benton Co.,

<sup>3683</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, Vol. 12, p. 111, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), marriage of Eugene Garn and Josephine Smith.

Age at death, Metzger Cemetery Records.

<sup>3686</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio Probate file of John J. Garn, File 9964, held by the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio, names J. C. M or J. O. M Garn as a grandson; birth in 1883 before Eugene's marriage to Amanda places him as

<sup>3687 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Eugene M. Garn, as Gorm, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa, T625\_477, p. 7A, E.D. 27, names J. C. as son and

Marriage Record for Eugene M. Garn and Lida M. Shinabarger, <familysearch.org>, accessed 6 August 2011, two citations, FHL# 1005837, ref. no p. 108, names parents, and FHL# 1005841, ref. no. vol. 9-10.

From marriage record, cited below.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Eugene M. Garn, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa, T623\_417, p. 23A, E.D. 21; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of E. M. Garn, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa, T624 391, p. 17A, E. D. 24; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Eugene M. Garn, as Gorm, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa, T625 477, p. 7A, E.D. 27; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Eugene M. Garn, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa, Roll 641, P. 5A, E.D. 39.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

Grave marker for Amanda E. Garn, <findagrave.com>, accessed 7 August 2011, burial in Evergreen Cemetery, Vinton, Benton Co., Iowa, memorial# 45833068.

Eugene M. GARN and Amanda E. LOVEBERRY had the following child: [3694] 1264. ii. **Rosina M.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1905 in Iowa.

776. Frank Warren<sup>9</sup> GARN (Joseph Ickes<sup>8</sup>; Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Joseph Ickes GARN, person #326, and Margaret FRY) was born on 5 September 1864 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3695] He died on 4 May 1947 in Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio.[3696]

Frank Warren GARN married Lucille WOLFF (daughter of Ludwig WOLFF) on 10 March 1892 in Cook Co., Illinois. [3697] Frank, Lucy, and their two sons appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census in Chicago, Illinois. [3698] Lucille WOLFF was born on 19 March 1868 in Chicago, Cook Co., Illinois. [3699] She died on 30 December 1903 in Chicago, Cook Co., Illinois. [3700]

There is a grave marker in the Metzgar Cemetery for Frank, Lucille, and their two sons. [3701] The grave marker reports that Lucille and their two sons died in the Iroquois Theater Fire, which occurred on 30 December 1903 in Chicago, Illinois. According to <wikipedia.org>, this was the deadliest theater fire and the deadliest single fire in the Untied States. It was estimated that 2000 people, mostly women and children, had crowded into the theater for a matinee when curtains caught fire on the stage and quickly spread to flamable fabric above and around the audience. At least 575 people died in the fire and 30 more died later as a result of burns sustained in the fire.

Frank Warren GARN and Lucille WOLFF had the following children: [3702]

- i. Frank Ludwig<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 16 January 1893. He died on 30 December 1903 in Chicago, Cook Co., Illinois.
- ii. William Joseph 10 GARN was born on 21 April 1896. He died on 30 December 1903 in 1266. Chicago, Cook Co., Illinois.

Frank Warren GARN next married Jeanette P. ADAMS (daughter of Newton M. ADAMS and unknown BROWN) on 17 March 1909 in Hancock Co., Ohio. [3703] Frank and Jeanette appeared on the

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 314, reports birth a day later.

 $<sup>^{3694} \</sup> Sandusky \ Co., Ohio \ Probate \ file \ of \ John \ J. \ Garn, File \ 9964, held \ by \ the \ Rutherford \ B. \ Hayes \ Presidential \ Library, \ Spiegel \ Grove, \ Garn, File \ 9964, held \ by \ the \ Rutherford \ B. \ Hayes \ Presidential \ Library, \ Spiegel \ Grove, \ Garn, \ File \ 9964, held \ by \ the \ Rutherford \ B. \ Hayes \ Presidential \ Library, \ Spiegel \ Grove, \ Garn, \ Gar$ Fremont, Ohio, names Rosina as a granddaughter; appearance on 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses places Rosina as Amanda's daughter.

Death Record for Frank Warren Garn, Ohio Deaths, 4 May 1947, file no. 30670, father as Joseph Garn, mother not named, spouse as Jeannette A. Garn; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81976405.

Marriage Record for Frank W. Garn and Lucy Wolff, <familysearch.org>, Illinois, Cook County Marriages 1871-1920, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 1030212, ref. no. item 1; Lucille's fathrer named in funeral notice, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3698</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Frank Warren Garn, Chicago Ward 20, Cook Co., Illinois, T623\_270, p. 19B, E.D. 618, indexed as F. Wm. Garn.

Funeral Notice, The Four Funerals, reporting concurrent funerals for Mrs. Lucy Garn, wife of Frank W. Garn and daughter of Ludwig Wolff; Frank L. Garn; Willie Garn, son of Frank W. Garn and Mrs. Lucy Garn, (deceased); and Harriet Wolf, daughter of Ludwig Wolff and sister of Mrs. Garn, Fremont [Ohio] Daily News, 2 January 1904, p. 3, col. 5.

<sup>3701</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3702</sup> Children named on 1900 Census, on grave marker, and in funeral notice, all cited above, children's birth dates from McBride and

Marriage Record for Frank W. Garn and Jeanette P. Adams, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 1299110, ref. no. 2:307VT2M, names parents, her mother as "Brown."

1920 U.S. Census in Goshen, Indiana. [3704] That census reports that Frank was a mechanical engineer. In 1930 they appeared on the census in South Bend. Indiana. [3705]

Jeanette P. ADAMS was born on 18 April 1880 in Findlay, Hancock Co., Ohio. [3706] She died on 29 February 1948 in Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio. [3707]

Frank Warren GARN and Jeanette P. ADAMS had the following children: [3708]

- 1267. iii. Frank Newton<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 2 December 1910 in Illinois.
- iv. Jeanette Lucile<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 10 September 1912 in Illinois. 1268
- v. Richard Joseph 10 GARN was born on 4 February 1915 in Oak Park, Cook Co., 1269. Illinois [3709]

777. Eva Eldorado<sup>9</sup> GARN (Martin VanBuren<sup>8</sup>; Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Martin VanBuren GARN, person #327, and Elizabeth Ann BOOR) was born on 16 June 1860 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3710] She died on 26 March 1927 in Sonoma Co., California. [3711] Although her age on her death record places her birth around 1865, we are convinced this is the death record for Eva because of the death of a man named Thomas W. Kibbe in the same county two years earlier and his burial in Drayton, Pembina Co., North Dakota, where the family appeared on the census.

Eva Eldorado GARN married Thomas Warren KIBBEE (son of Austin D. KIBBEE and Nancy FERGUSON) on 27 February 1884 in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3712] In 1900 Thomas and Eva appeared on the U.S. Census in Drayton, Pembina Co., North Dakota. [3713] Ten years later they appeared on the census in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3714] Their appearance there may have had something to do with the illness of her father, who died there soon after the census was recorded. Although Thomas appeared on that census, he also appeared separately as a married man on the 1910

2011, cites FHL# 1288346, ref. no. 6425, names parents.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Frank W. Garn, Goshen Ward 4, Elkhart, Indiana, T625 431, p. 4A, E.D. 18.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Frank W. Garn, South Bend, St. Joseph Co., Indiana, Roll 626, p. 10A, E.D. 34.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Jeanette A. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 29 February 1948, file no. 8987. widowed, spouse as Frank W. Garn, father as Newton M. Adams, mother unknown.

<sup>3708</sup> Children appear on 1920 and 1930 Censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 315, as source of birth dates, except where noted. Birth Certificate for Richard Joseph Garn, <familysearch.org>, Illinois, Cook County Birth Certificates, 1878-1922, accessed 21 July

McBride and Capener, p. 317.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3711</sup> California, Death Index, <ancestry.com>, on-line database, accessed 6 April 2014, Eva E. Kibbe, 26 March 1927, age 62, cites California Department of Health and Welfare.

<sup>3712</sup> Marriage Record for Thomas W. Kibbee and Eva E. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1780-1992, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL #1887358, ref. no. BK 1888-1890, p. 36 in one transcript and p. 32 in another transcript, she as Eva A. Gams in one transcript, names parents, Eva's mother as Annie Barr in one transcript; McBride and Capener, p. 317.

<sup>3713 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Thomas W. Kibbee, Drayton, Pembina Co., North Dakota, T623\_1230, p. 17A, E.D. 116, Thomas' mother in household.

<sup>3714 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Thomas Kibbee, Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana, T624\_380, p. 2B, E.D. 128, on same census page as Eva's mother, indexed as Kibber.

Census in Grafton, Walsh Co., North Dakota. [3715] In 1920 Thomas and Eva and their children were back in North Dakota, living in Grafton, where Thomas had been ten years earlier. [3716]

Thomas Warren KIBBEE was born on 10 March 1856 in Ione, Amador Co., California. [3717] He died on 2 September 1925 in Sonoma Co., California. [3718] He was buried in Drayton, Pembina Co., North Dakota. [3719]

Eva Eldorado GARN and Thomas Warren KIBBEE had the following children: [3720]

- i. **Ross Warren<sup>10</sup> KIBBEE** was born on 16 October 1885 in Fremont, Steuben Co.,
- ii. Elizabeth Marie<sup>10</sup> KIBBEE was born on 4 May 1888 in Drayton, Pembina Co., North 1271
- iii. Karl Garn<sup>10</sup> KIBBEE was born on 20 September 1896 in Drayton, Pembina Co., North 1272.
- iv. **Nelle Claire**<sup>10</sup> **KIBBEE** was born on 3 April 1900 in Drayton, Pembina Co., North 1273.
- v. Martin Bryan<sup>10</sup> KIBBEE was born on 5 June 1902 in Drayton, Pembina Co., North 1274. Dakota.

778. William Watson<sup>9</sup> GARN (Martin VanBuren<sup>8</sup>; Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin VanBuren GARN, person #327, and Elizabeth Ann BOOR) was born on 16 October 1861 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3721] He died on 22 April 1947 in Angola, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3722]

William Watson GARN married Cora HUNTINGTON on 15 March 1887 in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3723] William and Cora appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census in Scott Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana. [3724] Cora HUNTINGTON was born on 16 December 1866 in Williams Co., Ohio. [3725] She died on 6 October 1944 in Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan. [3726]

<sup>3718</sup> California, Death Index, <ancestry.com>, on-line database, accessed 6 April 2014, Thomas W. Kibbe, 2 September 1925, age 66, cites California Department of Health and Welfare.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3715</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Thomas Kibbee, Grafton Ward 3, Walsh Co., North Dakota, T624\_1145, p. 10A, E.D. 256, indexed as Kibble, married but no other family listed.

<sup>3716 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Thomas W. Kibbee, Grafton, Walsh Co., North Dakota, T625\_1342, p. 8A, E.D. 200.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3717</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 317.

<sup>3719 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 22145271.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3720</sup> Children named on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 317, as source for birth dates and places.

From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

Obituary of William W. Garn, Fremont Historical Society Obituary Collection, Fremont, Indiana, names parents, spouse, children; <a href="www.findagrave.com"><a href="www.fin

Marriage Record for Wm. W. Garn and Cora Huntington, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1780-1992, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 1887358, ref. no. BK 1882-18890, p. 66, names parents, she as Cara Huntington; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Garn, Scott Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana, T623 404, p. 8B, E.D. 107.

From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

<sup>3726</sup> Obituary of Cora (Huntington) Garn, Fremont Historical Society Obituary Collection, Fremont, Indiana, names spouse, children; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

William Watson GARN and Cora HUNTINGTON had the following children: [3727]

- i. Jessie Eva<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 22 February 1888 in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3728] She died on 20 March 1912 in Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan. [3729] She married Marcus Arlo POWELSON on 9 April 1906 in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3730] Marcus Arlo POWELSON was born on 31 October 1881 in Kinderhook, Branch Co., Michigan. [3731]
- 1276. ii. **William Conway<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 29 June 1891 in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3732] He died on 18 October 1978 in Angola, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3734] He married **Esther Viola SMITH** on 19 May 1920 in Steuben Co., Indiana. [3734] Esther Viola SMITH was born on 9 February 1902 in Columbia City, Whitney Co., Indiana. [3735]
- 1277. iii. **Helen Marie<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born in 1893. [3736] She died in 1897. [3737]
- 1278. iv. **Mildred**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 3 June 1896. [3738]
- 779. **J. Wesley<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Martin VanBuren<sup>8</sup>; Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin VanBuren GARN, person #327, and Elizabeth Ann BOOR) was born on 28 March 1865 in Scott Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana.<sup>[3739]</sup> McBride and Capener (p. 326) report that his name was John Wesley Garn. However, we find him listed on the 1910 and 1940 U.S. Censuses as Joseph W. Garn and on the 1920 U.S. Census as John W. Garn. Most records report his name as either Wesley or J. Wesley. He died on 24 October 1945 in Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan.<sup>[3740]</sup>
- J. Wesley GARN married **Ruth BROWN** (daughter of **Elisha J. BROWN** and **Ann CHENEY**) on 24 August 1893 in Kinderhook, Branch Co., Michigan. [3741] Most records report that Ruth's mother's maiden name was Cheney. However, her death record reports Chesney was her mother's maiden name. We do not know which is correct.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3727</sup> Children named in obituaries of parents; First two and last children named in census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

From marriage record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

McBride and Capener, p. 321; death at age 23 and 24 reported in obituaries of her parents.

Marriage Record for Marcus Arlo Powelson and Jessie Eva Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1780-1992, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 1872321, ref. no. p. 152, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

From marriage record, cited above.

From obituary and marriage record, cited below: McBride and Capener, p. 323.

<sup>3733</sup> Obituary of William Conway Garn, Fremont Historical Society Obituary Collection, Fremont, Indiana, names parents, son, and sister Mildred.

Marriage Record for Will Conway Garn and Esther Viola Smith, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1780-1992, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 1872324, ref. no. p. 166, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 323.

From marriage record, cited above.

Obituaries of her parents; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

Obituaries of her parents; McBride and Capener, p. 321.

Named as daughter, Mildred Reppert, in obituaries of her parents; McBride and Capener, pp. 321 and 324.

McBride and Capener, p. 326; month and year confirmed by 1900 U.S. Census, cited below.

<sup>3740 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 60041670; McBride and Capener, p. 326.

Marriage Record for J. Wesley Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 930798, ref. no. 106, his parents as M... Garn and E... B..., her parents as E... Brown and Ann Chaney; Marriage Record for J. Wesley Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 2342495, he as J. Wisley Garn, his parents as M. V. Garn and E. A. Boor, hers as E. J. Brown and Ann Cheney; McBride and Capener, p. 326.

In 1900 Wesley and Ruth appeared on the census in Jamestown Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana. [3742] Ten years later they were in nearby Kinderhook Twp., Branch Co., Michigan. [3743] And ten years later they appeared on the census in the home of Wesley's mother in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3744]

Ruth BROWN was born on 26 September 1873 in Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan. [3745] She died on 31 May 1924 in Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan. [3746]

- J. Wesley GARN and Ruth BROWN had the following child: [3747]
  - i. **Anna Bernice<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 16 September 1897.<sup>[3748]</sup> She died on 25 February 1996 in Westland, Wayne Co., Michigan.<sup>[3749]</sup> She married **Otis O. BARNES** (son of John M. BARNES and Olive Alberta MOWRY) on 2 January 1917 in Kinderhook, Branch Co., Michigan.<sup>[3750]</sup> Otis O. BARNES was born in 1892.<sup>[3751]</sup> He died in 1976.<sup>[3752]</sup>
- J. Weslev GARN next married Olive Alberta MOWRY (daughter of Samuel MOWRY and Elizabeth SMITH). [3753] The alert reader will notice that Olive was the mother-in-law of Bernice Garn, daughter of J. Wesley Garn and his first wife, Ruth Brown. J. Wesley Garn and Olive appeared on the 1930 and 1940 U.S. Censuses in Kinderhook, Branch Co., Michigan. [3754] In 1940 her name appeared on the census as Ruth O. Garn. We doubt that the name Ruth belongs with Olive. We suspect someone knew the name of Wesley's first wife and added it to Olive's name when they recorded the census.

Olive Alberta MOWRY was born on 1 February 1866 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [3755] She died on 25 July 1942 in Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan. [3756] When the first edition of the book was published, we

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of J. Wesley Garn, Jamestown Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana, T623 404, p. 6A, E.D. 99, as Wesley Garn.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of J. Wesley Garn, Kinderhook Twp., Branch Co., Michigan, T624 639, p. 1B, E.D. 16, as Joseph W.

<sup>3744 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elizabeth A. Garn, Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana, T625\_461, p. 3B, E.D. 153, son and daughter-in-law in household, son as John W. Garn and daughter-in-law as Ruth B. Garn.

McBride and Capener, p. 326; month and year confirmed by 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Michigan, Death Certificates, 1921-1952," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 8 April 2014, Ruth B. Brown, 31 May 1924, parents as Elisha J. Brown and Anna Chesney, gives birth date, cites Coldwater, Branch, Michigan, #3158, FHL# 1973196; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 60041604; McBride and Capener, p. 326, places death a day earlier.

Parents named on Bernice's marriage record; Bernice appears on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 326.

Date reported on death record; McBride and Capener, p. 326, as Anna Bernice Garn.

Michigan Deaths, 1971-1996, <ancestry.com>, on-line database, accessed 6 April 2014, Bernice G. Barnes, 25 February, 1996, reports birth on 16 September 1897; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 60040740.

<sup>3750 &</sup>quot;Michigan, Marriages, 1868-1925," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 6 April 2014, Otis O. Barnes and Bernice Garn, 2 January 1917, names parents, gives ages, cites Kinderhook, Branch, Michigan, v 1, p 265 rn 7531, Dept. of Vital Records, Lansing,

From Find A Grave memorial, cited below; Age on marriage record when married is 24.

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 60040781.

McBride and Capener, p. 328; Wesley named as spouse in Olive's death announcement, cited below..

<sup>3754 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of J. Wesley Garn, Kinderhook Twp., Branch Co., Michigan, Roll 977, p. 5B, E.D. 16, as Garnes, wife as Olive Garnes; 1940 U.S. Federal Census of Joseph W. Garn, Kinderhook, Branch Co., Michigan, T627 1734, page 7A, E.D. 12-17. spouse as Ruth O. Garn.

Birth date and place are reported on death record.

<sup>3756 &</sup>quot;Michigan, Death Certificates, 1921-1952," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 6 April 2014, Olive Alberta Garn, 25 July 1942, parents as Samuel Mowry and Elizabeth Smith, gives birth date & place, cites Coldwater, Branch, Michigan, # 2050, FHL# 1973197; Death Announcement for Aline Garn [sic], Fremont Messenger, 27 July 1942, p. 3, col. 2, spouse as Wesley Garn, children with surname Barnes, brothers with surname Mowrey, and death "last Friday."

reported that Wesley had a wife named Olive and another wife named Aline Mowry. Records discovered after the publication of the first edition convince us that they were the same person and that someone probably misinterpreted Olive's name as Aline for the report of her death that appeared in a newspaper.

780. **Vern Duane**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (Martin VanBuren<sup>8</sup>; Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin VanBuren GARN, person #327, and Elizabeth Ann BOOR) was born on 13 December 1876 in Fremont, Steuben Co., Indiana. He registered for the draft in World War I and named Minnie F. Garn as a close relative. He died on 6 November 1944 in Michigan Center, Jackson Co., Michigan. His death record reports that he was a guard at the Michigan State Prison in Jackson, Michigan.

Vern Duane GARN married **Minnie F. GRAY** (daughter of **Charles W. GRAY** and **Caroline SCHUTT**) on 28 October 1896 in Kinderhook, Branch Co., Michigan. Vern and Minnie appeared on the 1900 and 1910 Censuses in Steuben Co., Indiana. Minnie F. GRAY was born on 28 October 1875 in Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan. [3762]

Vern Duane GARN and Minnie F. GRAY had the following children, all born in Steuben Co., Indiana:<sup>[3763]</sup>

- i. **Vera Marie<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 25 August 1897.<sup>[3764]</sup> She married **Hartsell COPPIES** (son of **Milton COPPIES** and **Ella CASEBEER**) on 22 September 1917 in Steuben Co., Indiana.<sup>[3765]</sup> Hartsell COPPIES was born on 2 October 1893 in Steuben Co., Indiana.<sup>[3766]</sup>
- 1281. ii. **Anna B.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 9 March 1899.
- 1282. iii. Eva Emeline<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 5 May 1903.
- 1283. iv. Charles Martin<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 5 June 1908.
- 1284. v. **Mable Leola<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 27 October 1910. She died on 24 May 1911. We find her only in McBride and Capener.

Vern Duane GARN next married **Ruby PHILLIPS** (daughter of **Charles PHILLIPS** and **Helen WILLIAMS**) on 26 August 1919 in Lansing, Ingham Co., Michigan. [3767] In 1930 Vern and

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 $<sup>^{3757}</sup>$  From death record and draft registration card, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 328.

World War I Draft Registration Card for Vern Duane Garn, <ancestry.com>, World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, Jackson Co., Michigan, Roll 1675760, birth on 13 December 1876.

Death Record for Vern D. Garn, <a href="mailto:specific black">familysearh.org</a>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL# 1310204, ref. no. 24, names parents, spouse as Ruby A. Garn <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 22712073.

Marriage Record for Vern D. Garn and Minnie F. Gray, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 26 July 2011, cites FHL# 2342503, ref. no. v. 1, p. 292, rn 2403, his parents as M. V. Garn and Ann E. Borr, hers as Chas. W. Gray and Caroline Schutt; McBride and Capener, p. 328.

<sup>3761 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Vern D. Garn, York Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana, T623\_404, p. 1B, E.D. 105; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Vern D. Garn, Jamestown Twp., Steuben Co., Indiana, T624\_3880, p. 6B, E.D. 130.

<sup>3762</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 328.

<sup>3763</sup> Children except Mable named on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 328, as source of birth information except where augmented.

From marriage record.

Marriage Record for Hartsell Coppies and Vera Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1780-1992, accessed 21 July 2011, cites FHL#1872323, ref. no. p. 197, names parents.

From marriage record.

Ruby appeared on the Census in Jackson, Michigan, where he was employed as a prison guard. [3768] Ruby's mother was living with them. Ruby PHILLIPS was born about 1884 in Reading, Hillsdale Co., Michigan. [3769]

793. **Clyde Harrison<sup>9</sup> SMITH** (Lauretta Ella<sup>8</sup> GARN; Joseph<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of William Henry SMITH, and Lauretta Ella GARN, person #337) was born on 29 March 1888 in Millersville, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3770] He died on 8 April 1974. [3771] Clyde and his two wives were buried in Metzgar Cemetery along with his daughter Mary Rose. [3772]

Clyde Harrison SMITH married **Mildred Alice GARN** (daughter of **Chauncey C. GARN**, person #354, and **Cornelia Alice SENTZ**) on 2 June 1910 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3773] Clyde and Mildred appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, with their first four children. [3774]

Mildred is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Mildred Alice<sup>9</sup> GARN (Chauncey C.<sup>8</sup>; Martin<sup>7</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #840, in this book. Additional information about Mildred may be found in her biography at person #840.

Clyde Harrison SMITH and Mildred Alice GARN had the following children: [3775]

- 1285. i. **Pauline Theodora** SMITH was born on 19 September 1911.
- 1286. ii. Stanley Clyde<sup>10</sup> SMITH was born on 16 January 1914.
- 1287. iii. **Phyllis Mildred**<sup>10</sup> **SMITH** was born on 12 March 1915.
- 1288. iv. Alice Ella<sup>10</sup> SMITH was born on 20 June 1917.
- v. **Mary Rose<sup>10</sup> SMITH** was born on 18 February 1923 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3776]</sup> Although her death record does not provide a name, a grave marker in Metzgar Cemetery for Mary Rose Smith, who died in 1923, identifies her as the daughter of C. H. and M. A. Smith.<sup>[3777]</sup> She died on 19 February 1923 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3778]</sup>

Marriage Record for Vern D. Garn and Ruby Phillips, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 26 July 2011, cites FHL 2342731, ref. no. v. 3, p. 279 and also on p. 391, rn 610, names parents.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Vern D. Garn, Jackson Co., Michigan, Roll 996, p. 16B, E.D. 31, occupation was prison guard.

From marriage record, cited above.

McBride and Capener, p. 339.

<sup>3771 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 24840916; <index.rbhayes.org>, Ohio Obituary Index information for Clyde H. Smith, wife as Mabel Hummel, first wife as Mildred Alice Garn.

<sup>3772</sup> Metzgar Cemetery Records.

Marriage Record for Clyde H. Smith and Mildred Alice Garn, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 27 July 2011, cites FHL# 506648, ref. no. v. 17, cn 2962, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 339.

<sup>3774 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Clyde H. Smith, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 1B, E.D. 85.

<sup>3775</sup> Children named on 1920 Census, cited above; McBride and Capener, pp. 339 and 380.

From death record, cited below.

<sup>3777 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 24840784.

Death Record for "Baby" Smith, Ohio Deaths, 19 February, 1923, cert. no. 14060, father as C. Smith, mother as Garn, lived 1 day, death due to premature birth, "at or about seven months brought on by mother having pneumonia."

Clyde Harrison SMITH next married Mabel HUMMEL on 28 February 1928 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3779] Clyde and Mabel appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, with their children from their first marriages. [3780] Mabel HUMMEL was born on 6 November 1898 in Seneca Co., Ohio. [3781] She died in 1972. [3782]

Clyde Harrison SMITH and Mabel HUMMEL had the following children: [3783]

1290. vi. **Ronald Eugene<sup>10</sup> SMITH** was born about 1935. 1291. vii. **Joan Eileen<sup>10</sup> SMITH** was born about 1940.

821. Major Leroy<sup>9</sup> WEIBLE (Mary<sup>8</sup> GARN; David<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Michael WEIBLE, and Mary GARN, person #346) was born about 1862, probably in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3784] He died on 4 April 1890 in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3785] Upon his death, his estate was settled in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3786] The estate file gives his date of death, and names his wife and two children.

Major Leroy WEIBLE married Hattie L. ZINK on 19 March 1885 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3787] Hattie L. ZINK was born in 1864. [3788] She died in 1897. [3789]

Major Leroy and Hattie were buried in Metzger Cemetery. The transcript of the inscription on her grave marker clearly identifies her and gives her birth and death information. A Weible marker nearby with illegible name is clearly that of Major Leroy since the date of death agrees with that given in his estate file and the age, 27, is consistent with his age on censuses.

Major Leroy WEIBLE and Hattie L. ZINK had the following children: [3790]

i. Webb L.<sup>10</sup> WEIBLE was born on 2 February 1887 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3791] He married **Rose H. WISCHNEWSKA** on 10 June 1914 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan. [3792] Rose H. WISCHNEWSKA was born in 1883 in Michigan. [3793]

<sup>3779</sup> Marriage Record for Clyde H. Smith and Mabel Hummel Aldrich, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 29 July 2011, cites FHL 506650, ref. v20, Cn7239, names parents, both married once before; McBride and Capener, p. 339.

<sup>3780 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Clyde H. Smith, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1866, p. 5A, E.D. 17, Aldrich children in household listed as stepchildren.

McBride and Capener, p. 339.

Metzgar Cemetery Records.

McBride and Capener, p. 339.

<sup>3784 1870</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M593\_1264, p. 286B, she as Margt Garns, child Leroy Garns in household; 1880 U.S. Federal Census of Margaret Garn, Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, Roll 1064, p. 272D, E.D. 84, grandson Leroy M. Weible, as Whipple, in household.

Estate of Major Leroy Weible, cited below; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 101429429.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Probate Files, File 3649, Estate of Major L. Weible. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Marriages, 19 March 1885, vol. 12, p. 369, he as M. L. Weible, as reported by Kenneth R. Smith, comp., Sandusky County, Ohio, Index to Marriage Records, 1820-1894 (Fremont, Ohio, 2005), p. 344.

Metzger Cemetery Records.

Metzger Cemetery Records.

Children named in estate file of their father; Marriage records of children name their parents.

Birth Record for Webb L. Weible, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 8 August 2011, cites FHL# 511730, ref. no. v. 2, p. 140, parents as M. L. Weible and Hattie Zink.

- ii. **Glenn Zink<sup>10</sup> WEIBLE** was born on 29 March 1888 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3794]</sup> He died on 3 July 1967 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3795]</sup> He married **Alta May MAURER** on 9 June 1908 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3796]</sup> Alta May MAURER was born about 1887.<sup>[3797]</sup>
- 822. **Firm H.**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (David W.<sup>8</sup>; David<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David W. GARN, person #349, and Anna M. HOFFMAN) was born on 10 December 1884 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3798] He registered for the World War II Draft, naming his birth place as Helena, Ohio, and his next of kin as Nita Garn. [3799] McBride and Capener (p. 348) give him the middle name Hullenbeck. He may have had that name at one time. However, on his World War II Draft Registration Card, the words "initial only" were written above his middle initial, suggesting that he either never had a middle name or had abandoned it. He died on 13 December 1961 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3800]

Firm H. GARN married **Lyda WOOLCOTT** (daughter of **George WOOLCOTT** and **Ella Jane VANHORN**) on 11 December 1903 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [3801] Lyda appeared as a married woman but living alone on the 1910 Census in Toledo, Ohio. [3802] The marriage must have ended in divorce. We know that she remarried to George M. DeWitt in 1915. [3803] Lyda WOOLCOTT was born on 8 February 1880 in Deshler, Ohio. [3804] She died on 10 January 1950 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3805]

Firm H. GARN next married **Juanita S. INGLE** (daughter of **Ernest INGLE** and **Nellie JANSEN**) on 16 February 1914 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [3806] Firm and Juanita and their son appeared on the 1930 Census

Marriage Record for Webb L. Weible and Rose H. Wischnewska, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 8
August 2011, cites FHL# 2342708, ref. no. v. 7, p. 295, rn 106135, names his parents, her father.

From marriage record, cited above.

Birth Record for Glenn Z. Weible, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 5 August 2011, cites FHL# 511730, ref. no. v. 2, p. 153, parents as M. L. Weible and Hattie Zink.

<sup>\*</sup>www.findagrave.com\*\*, Memorial# 108709631; Obituary of Glenn Z. Weible, Fremont News-Messenger [Ohio], 3 July 1967, parents, spouse, father as LeRoy Weible, two children; Funeral Service Announcement for Glenn Z. Weible, Fremont News-Messenger [Ohio], 7 Jully 1967.

Marriage Record for Glen Zink Weible and Alta May Maurer, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 3 August 2011, cites FHL# 506648, ref. no. v. 16, cn 2476, names parents, his father as Leroy Weible.

From marriage record, cited above.

Birth Record for Firm H. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 511730, ref. no. v. 2, p. 109, as Ferin H. Garn, names parents.

World War II Draft Registration Card for Firm H. Garn, <familysearch.org>, United States, World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942, accessed 6 August 2011, cites FHL# 2246291, gives birth date, Nita Garn as next of kin.

<sup>3800 &</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, Index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Firm H. Garn, 13 December 1961, age 77, married, cites certificate# 87766.

Marriage Record for Firm H. Garn and Lyda Woolcott, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 909010, ref. no. 6554, p. 13, names parents, her father as John Woolcott.

<sup>3802 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lyda Garn, Toledo Ward 11, Lucas Co., Ohio, T624\_1210, p. 11A, E.D. 134, as Lydia Garn.

Marriage Record for George M. DeWitt and Lyda Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 6 August 2011, cites FHL# 2132745, ref. no. 23140, her parents indexed as George Wolcott and Alien Banhorn.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Lyda Cooper, Ohio Deaths, 10 January 1950, file no. 3951, parents as George Woolcott and Ella Jane Vanhorn.

Marriage Record for Firm H. Garn and Juanita S. Ingle, <a href="familysearch.org">familysearch.org</a>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 2132744, ref. no. p. 14, cn. 21372, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 348.

in Washington Twp., Lucas Co., Ohio. [3807] Juanita S. INGLE was born on 3 October 1893 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3808]

Firm H. GARN and Juanita S. INGLE had the following child: [3809]

i. **Donald Ingle<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 17 June 1923 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3810]</sup> He died on 14 January 1999 in Perrysburg, Wood Co., Ohio.<sup>[3811]</sup> William Williams, the husband of Donald's cousin Audrey, person #1297, reported that Donald was quite a joker, which may be seen in his obituary, written by Donald himself according to Mr. Williams. It claims that he played professional baseball for the St. Louis Cardinals as a backup to Stan Musial, that he served in the army during World War II, and was awarded both the Congressional Medal of Honor and British Victoria Cross while still in the service. He married **Florence Elaine WILLIAMSON** (daughter of **Howard W. WILLIAMSON** and **Florence THOMPSON**) on 9 September 1952 in Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3812]</sup> Florence Elaine WILLIAMSON was born about 1923.<sup>[3813]</sup>

823. **Ray Vernon<sup>9</sup> GARN** (David W.<sup>8</sup>; David<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David W. GARN, person #349, and Anna M. HOFFMAN) was born on 3 January 1886 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio.<sup>[3814]</sup> He died on 26 August 1952 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3815]</sup>

Ray Vernon GARN married **Laura Ann TUSSING** (daughter of **William TUSSING** and **Mary WILSON**) on 11 June 1910 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [3816] Ray and Laura appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Toledo, Ohio. [3817] Laura Ann TUSSING was born on 15 August 1891 in Hancock Co., Ohio. [3818] She died on 9 February 1945 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3819]

Ray Vernon GARN and Laura Ann TUSSING had the following children: [3820 1295. i. **Hugh Vincent** GARN was born about 1911.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3807</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Firm Garn, Washington Twp., Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1840, p. 7A, E.D. 193, indexed as Fern and Gustie Garn.

<sup>3808</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 348, in agreement with 1930 Census, cited above.

Donald named on 1930 Census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 348.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3810</sup> From obituary, cited below.

<sup>3811</sup> Obituary of Donald Ingle Garn, Toledo Blade, Toledo, Ohio, 16 January 1999, section 2, page 20, col. 6, wife as Elaine.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3812</sup> "Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 28 May 2014, Domald [sic] Ingle and Florence Elaine Williamson, 9 September 1952, names parents, his parents as Finn Garn and Wanita Ingle, cites Lucas County, Ohio, FHL# 2251901.

From age on marriage record.

Birth Record for Ray Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 511730, ref. no. v. 2, p. 123, names parents, date agrees with death record.

Death Record for Ray Vernon Garn, Ohio Deaths, 26 August 1952, file no. 52690, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 92513859.

Marriage Record for Ray V. Garn and Laura Tussing, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 2 August 2011, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 349.

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1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ray Garn, Toledo Ward 8, Lucas Co., Ohio, T625\_1409, p. 9B, E.D. 94; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Ray Garn, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1837, p. 13B, E.D. 226, as Ray R. Garn.

<sup>3818</sup> From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Laura A. Garn, Ohio Deaths, 9 February 1945, file no. 18600, names parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3820</sup> Children named on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 349.

- 1296. ii. **Thelma Vera<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born about 1915.
- 1297. iii. **Audrey Jane<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 15 May 1928 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3821]</sup> She died on 8 November 2011 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3822]</sup> She married **William R. WILLIAMS** on 3 September 1955 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[3823]</sup>

824. **David W.<sup>9</sup> GARN, Jr.** (David W.<sup>8</sup>; David<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David W. GARN, person #349, and Anna M. HOFFMAN) was born on 9 June 1887 in Washington Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3824]

David W. GARN, Jr. married **Helen Florence BADE** (daughter of **Charles A. BADE** and **Amelia STREICHER**) on 24 April 1917 in Lucas Co., Ohio. David and Helen lived in Lucas Co., Ohio, when the 1920 and 1930 Censuses were recorded. Helen Florence BADE was born on 18 October 1895 in Ohio. David in Ohio.

David W. GARN, Jr. and Helen Florence BADE had the following child: [3828] 1298. i. **June Pauline** GARN was born about 1919.

837. **Harriet Isabell<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Chauncey C.<sup>8</sup>; Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Chauncey C. GARN, person #354, and Cornelia Alice SENTZ) was born on 16 August 1874 in Barry Co., Michigan. She died on 30 June 1946 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. We have not found any children on any census which could be assigned as her children. Therefore we do not believe she had any children.

Harriet Isabell GARN married **William E. CRISMORE** on 20 August 1896 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3831] William and Isabell appeared on the 1900 Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3832] William E. CRISMORE was born in April 1871 in Ohio. [3833] He was a physician and undoubtedly was related to a J. W. Crismore, MD, who witnessed the will of Isabell's grandfather Martin Garn.

Birth date and place reported in obituary, cited below.

Obituary of Audrey Jane (Garn) Williams, 8 November 2011, <legacy.com>, accessed 26 March 2014,birth on 15 May 1928, reports obituary published in Toledo Blade on 13 November 2011, names parents, spouse and children.

Reported in Audrey Jane's obituary, cited above.

Birth Record for David Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 511730, ref. no. v. 2, p. 139, names parents; Civil War Pension of his father, agrees with birth date; McBride and Capener, p. 350.

Marriage Record for David Garn and Helen F. Bade, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 2 August 2011, cites FHL# 2133947, ref. no. 28342, names parents, his mother as Martha A. Hoffman; McBride and Capener, p. 350.

<sup>3826 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of David W. Garn, Toledo Ward 7, Lucas Co., Ohio, T625\_1409, p. 4A, E.D. 90; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of David W. Garn, Washington Twp., Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1840, p. 4A, E.D. 191.

McBride and Capener, p. 350, year in agreement with year-only on marriage record.

<sup>3828</sup> Child appears on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 350.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 378.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3830</sup> Death Record for Harriet Isabelle, Fendrick, Ohio Deaths, 30 June 1946, file no. 5883, spouse as J.E. Fendrick, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 378.

Marriage Record for William E. Crismore and Harriet Isabelle Garn, <familysearch.org> Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 506621, ref. no. 2:3JLLX6L, she as H. Isabell Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 378.

<sup>3832 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William E. Crismore, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T623\_1318, p. 15A, E.D. 81.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3833</sup> From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

Harriet Isabell GARN next married Emery HOUGHTALIN (son of George HOUGHTALIN and Rebecca ROUSH) on 18 May 1914 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3834] We do not know how this marriage ended. Emery HOUGHTALIN was born about 1872. [3835]

Harriet Isabell GARN next married Jacob E. FENDRICK about 1919. Jacob and Isabell appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio, where obituaries of both of Isabell's parents report she was living. [3836] In 1930 Jacob and Isabell appeared on the census in Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3837] Isabelle's death record places her as the wife of J. E. Fendrick. Her appearance on the 1920 Census with him indicates a marriage some time between her marriage in 1914 and when the 1920 Census was recorded. Jacob E. FENDRICK was born about 1871 in Iowa. [3838]

840. Mildred Alice GARN (Chauncey C. 8; Martin John GERN; Johann Adam ; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Chauncey C. GARN, person #354, and Cornelia Alice SENTZ) was born on 5 December 1891 in Hastings, Barry Co., Michigan. [3839] She died on 23 February 1923 in Fremont, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3840] The death record of her baby, Mary Rose, reports that the baby's death was due to premature birth, "at or about seven months brought on by mother having pneumonia." Mildred died four days after her baby died.

Mildred Alice GARN married Clyde Harrison SMITH (son of William Henry SMITH and Lauretta Ella GARN) on 2 June 1910 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3841] Clyde and Mildred appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, with their first four children. [3842]

Clyde is also a descendant of Johannes<sup>1</sup> GERN and appears as Clyde Harrison<sup>9</sup> SMITH (Lauretta Ella GARN; Joseph ; John ; Johannes GERN; Johann Adam ; Johannes; David; Johannes<sup>1</sup>), #793, in this book. Additional information about Clyde may be found in his biography at person #793.

Mildred Alice GARN and Clyde Harrison SMITH had five children. Since both parents are descendants of Johannes Gern, the children have already been named and given numbers 1285 to 1289 and appear earlier in the book with the biography of Clyde, person #793.

845. Orville Justin GARN (Zachariah C. 8; Martin John GERN; Johann Adam ; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Zachariah C. GARN, person #356, and Jennie L. ICKES) was

3836 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob E. Fendrick, Mansfield Ward 1, Richland Co., Ohio, T625\_1430, p. 10A, E.D. 194, indexed as

<sup>3834</sup> Marriage Record for Emery Houghtalin and Isabelle Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 16 August 2011, cites FHL# 506649, ref. no. v-18, cn 3953, names parents.

From marriage record, cited above.

<sup>1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Jacob E. Fendrick, Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, Roll 1863, p. 21B, E.D. 17.

From censuses, cited above.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 339 and 380.

Death Record for Mildred A. Smith, Ohio Deaths, 23 February 1923, cert. no. 14061, spouse as Clyde Smith, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 24840815; McBride and Capener, pp. 223 and 381.

Marriage Record for Clyde H. Smith and Mildred Alice Garn, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 27 July 2011, cites FHL# 506648, ref. no. v. 17, cn 2962, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 339.

<sup>3842 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Clyde H. Smith, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T625\_1429, p. 1B, E.D. 85.

born on 11 December 1878 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3843] He died on 22 April 1933 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3844] At least two newspapers reported his death. [3845]

Orville Justin GARN married **Emma C. CARNICOM** (daughter of **Lewis CARNICOM** and **Ellen GILBERT**) on 30 July 1902 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. Orville and Emma lived in Toledo when the 1910-1930 Censuses were recorded. His mother Jennie was living with them in 1930. Emma C. CARNICOM was born on 16 March 1882 in Ohio. She died on 19 December 1974 in Saline, Washtenaw Co., Michigan.

Orville Justin GARN and Emma C. CARNICOM had the following children: [3850]

- 1299. i. **Lewis Zachariah** GARN was born about 1908 in Ohio.
- 1300. ii. Jenell<sup>10</sup> GARN was born about 1917 in Ohio.

846. **Royal M.**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (Zachariah C.<sup>8</sup>; Martin<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Zachariah C. GARN, person #356, and Jennie L. ICKES) was born on 27 September 1883 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3851] He died on 29 May 1916 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3852]

Royal M. GARN married **Pearl CUNNINGHAM** (daughter of **Daniel CUNNINGHAM** and **Lillian BOWERS**) on 16 August 1905 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3853] Their marriage was reported in the local German language newspaper. [3854] Royal and Pearl appeared on the 1910 U.S. Federal Census in Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3855] Pearl CUNNINGHAM was born on 22 June

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 390.

Death Record for Orville Justin Garn, Ohio Deaths, 22 April 1933, file no. 23175, names spouse and parents, father as Z. C. Garn; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 100953398.

Funeral Announcement for Orville Garn, Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 28 April 1933, p. 8, col 5; Obituary of Orville J. Garn, Fremont Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 24 April 1933, p. 3, col. 5.

Marriage Record for Orville J. Garn and Emma C. Carnicom, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 9 August 2011, cites FHL# 506621, ref. no. 2:3JLNNQS, names parents, his parents as Z. C. Garn and Jannnie L. Ickes; McBride and Capener, p. 390.

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1910 U.S. Federal Census of Orvilla Communication and Capener, Table W. 10.7

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Orville Garn, Toledo Ward 8, Lucas Co., Ohio, T624\_1209, p. 4B, E.D. 101, indexed also as Orville Sam and Orville Larn; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Orville J. Garn, Toledo Ward 8, Lucas Co., Ohio, T625\_1409, p. 18B, E.D. 92; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Orville J. Garn, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1837, p. 8A, E.D. 102, Jennie L. Garn as mother of head of household living in home.

McBride and Capener, p. 390, in agreement with year given in censuses.

Death Record for Emma C. Garn, Michigan Deaths, 19 Dec 1974, Washtenaw County, state file 2438, widowed, names parents, Lewis Garn, as informant and named as son.

<sup>3850</sup> Children named on censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 390, names children, Jenell as Janette.

From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 390.

Death Record for Royal Garn, Ohio Deaths, 29 May 1916, file no. 34230, married, names parents, father as Z. C. Garn; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 80918804; McBride and Capener, p. 390.

Marriage Record for Royal M. Garn and Pearl Cunningham, <familysearch.org>, Ohio, County Marriages, 1790-1950, accessed 17 August 2011, cites FHL# 506648, ref. no. v16, Cn1750, names parents, his father as Z. C. Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 390, places marriage 10 days earlier.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3854</sup> Fremont Courier [Ohio], 17 August 1905, p. 3, col. 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3855</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Royal M. Garn, Jackson Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, T624\_1227, p. 14A, E.D. 120.

1883 in Gibsonburg, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3856] She died on 29 May 1916 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio [3857]

Royal and Pearl died on the same day. Several newspapers reported their deaths. <sup>[3858]</sup> They were buried in Metzger Cemetery near Helena, Ohio. <sup>[3859]</sup> After their deaths, their estates were settled in Sandusky Co., Ohio. <sup>[3860]</sup> Royal had been named the postmaster at the post office in the town of Helena, Ohio, shortly before he died.

Royal M. GARN and Pearl CUNNINGHAM had the following child: [3861]

i. **Opal**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 20 June 1907 in Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio. [3862] After her parents' deaths, Opal appeared on the 1920 Census as a boarder in the Ursaline Convent in Tiffin, Ohio. [3863] Her grandfather, Zachariah Garn, was appointed as her guardian. [3864] After Zachariah's death, Opal's uncle Orville J. Garn served as her guardian. She died on 3 October 1970 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3865] She married **Lewis E. MAYBEE** before 13 August 1928. [3866] A paper in her guardianship papers dated 13 August 1928 names her Opal Garn Maybee. Lewis and Opal appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Toledo, Ohio. [3867] Lewis E. MAYBEE was born on 8 November 1903 in Ohio. [3868] He died on 11 February 1987 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [3869] Opal and Lewis were buried in Metzger Cemetery near Helena, Ohio. [3870]

847. **Lucinda A.<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John Washington GARN, person #358, and Sarah Ann WARNER) was born on 21 October 1861 in Marshall Co., Indiana. [3871] Her death record names John

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 $<sup>^{3856}</sup>$  From death record, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 390, places birth six days later.

Death Record for Pearl Garn, Ohio Deaths, 29 May 1916, file no. 34229, married, names parents.

Fremont News, Fremont, Ohio, 31 May 1916, p. 2, col. 6; Clyde Enterprise, Clyde, Ohio, 1 June 1916, p. 4, col. 4; Gibsonburk Derrick, Gibsonburg, Ohio, 1 June 1916, p. 1, col. 1; Fremont Daily News, Fremont, Ohio, 31 May 1916, p. 7, col. 3; Risingsun Unique, Risingsun, Ohio, 1 June 1916, p. 1, col. 6.

<sup>3859</sup> Metzger Cemetery Records.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, file 8396, Probate file for Royal M. Garn, names mother as Jennie L., spouse as Pearl and daughter as Opal; Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, file 8401, Probate file for Pearl Garn, names daughter as Opal; Original estates now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Parents named on Opal's birth record; 1910 Census, cited above; Opal named as Royal's child in Royal's father's eatate; Opal named as Royal and Pearl's child in each of their estates.

Birth Record for Opal Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 16 August 2011, cites FHL# 511731, ref. no. 86, names parents.

<sup>3863 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Opal Garn, Tiffin Ward 1, Seneca Co., Ohio, T625 1431, p. 9A, E.D. 109.

Sandusky Co., Ohio, Probate Files, file 8433, Guardianship and Land Sale for Opal Garn, as heir of Royal and Pearl Garn, original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Obituary of Opal Maybee, Fremont News Messenger, Fremont, Ohio, 5 October 1970, p. 2, col. 1, names parents; Email from Ruth Garn Garrison, granddaughter of Royal's brother Orville J. Garn, 17 August 2011, reports that Opal married Lewis MayBee, that she died on 10/3/70, and that Lewis Maybee died in 1987 in Sylvania, Ohio; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81416684.

Email from Ruth Garn Garrison, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3867</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Lewis Maybee, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1836, p. 30B, E.D. 87.

Find A Grave memorial, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3869</sup> "Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, Index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Lewis E. Maybee, 11 February 1987, age 83, married, cites certificate# 12447; Email from Ruth Garn Garrison, cited above.

<sup>3870 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81416684 and 81417806; Metzger Cemetery Records.

From death record.

Garn as her father. She died on 24 July 1932 in Hibbard, Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[3872]</sup> An obituary reported her death and named a number of family members.<sup>[3873]</sup>

Lucinda A. GARN married **William Henry LICHTENBERGER** on 13 March 1879 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. William Henry LICHTENBERGER was born on 2 August 1856 in Kosciusko Co., Indiana. He died on 11 February 1930. [3876]

Lucinda A. GARN and William Henry LICHTENBERGER had the following children, all born in Hibbard, Marshall Co., Indiana:<sup>[3877]</sup>

- i. **John William<sup>10</sup> LICHTENBERGER** was born on 7 September 1879. He died on 6 November 1879.
- 1303. ii. Oliver G.<sup>10</sup> LICHTENBERGER was born on 6 April 1881. He died in April 1942.
- 1304. iii. Lloyd<sup>10</sup> LICHTENBERGER was born on 6 January 1886. He died in 1890.
- 1305. iv. Harry C.<sup>10</sup> LICHTENBERGER was born on 15 March 1893. He died in 1930.
- 1306. v. Hattie May<sup>10</sup> LICHTENBERGER was born on 1 May 1895.
- 1307. vi. **Edna Bell<sup>10</sup> LICHTENBERGER** was born on 27 April 1898. She died on 31 December 1898.

848. **Charles Milroy**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (John Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John Washington GARN, person #358, and Susanna Emmaline BURNS) was born on 11 March 1862 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. Charles did not appear on the 1870 U.S. Census with his mother who was living at the time with her family, Michael and Nancy (SHOCK) BURNS. Ten years later Charles carried the surname GARN on the U.S. Census where he appeared in West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, where he was an apprentice carpenter. He died on 7 December 1896. Two obituaries report his death.

Charles Milroy GARN married **Eva M. SUTTON** (daughter of **Harvey A. SUTTON** and **Emmaline NEWELL**) in May 1886. [3881] After Charles died, Eva remarried to Lewis Shock and appeared on the 1900 Census in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3882] Her children appeared in the

Death Record of Lucinda A. Lichtenberger, Marshall County Deaths, 24 July 1932, Marshall Co., Indiana Board of Health, cert. no. 106, book Culver 2, p. 53, father as John Garn, mother as Sarah Warner.

<sup>3873</sup> Obituary of Lucinda Lichtenberger, Culver [Indiana] Citizen, 3 August 1932, p. 4, col. 7.

Marriage Record for Henry Lichtenberger and Lucinda A. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 28 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651769; Ione F. Palmer, copyright holder and presumed author, *Henry Werner's Posterity*, (no place named, 1975), pp. 88-89, available at Plymouth Public Library, Plymouth, Indiana; obituary of Lucinda, cited above gives 1878 as year of marriage.

From Warner genealogy, cited above.

From Warner genealogy, cited above.

Children named in Warner Genealogy, cited above; living children named in Lucinda's obituary.

Family Bible of Michael and Nancy Burns, photocopy provided by Mary (Garn) Wolverton, names daughter Susannah and grandson Charles Milroy Garn and gives birth dates; birth also reported in paternity suit, cited with biography of Charles' father and mother

Charles Milroy Garn and gives birth dates; birth also reported in paternity suit, cited with biography of Charles' father and mother.

1880 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Clapp, West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, Roll 297, p. 171C, E.D. 107, Charles Garn in household as apprentice carpenter.

Obituary of Charles Garn, Argo Reflector, Argos, Indiana, December 1996; Obituary of Chas. Garn, Culver City Herald, Culver, Indiana, 11 Dec. 1896, p. 4, col. 2; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 47668959.

Email from Mary Wolverton, daughter of Charles Henry Garn, person #1312, 7 January 2001.

<sup>3882 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lewis Shock, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_392, p. 11B, E.D. 28, Garn stepchildren as Shock.

household. However, they were listed with the Shock surname. Eva M. SUTTON was born about 1865 in Ohio [3883]

Charles Milroy GARN and Eva M. SUTTON had the following children: [3884]

- i. Nettie May<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 18 May 1888.
   ii. Susanna Emmaline<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 26 February 1889. 1309.
- iii. Harvey Samuel<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 7 June 1893. He died about August 1894. He died 1310. at age 1 year, 2 months.
- iv. Marthey Ellen<sup>10</sup> GARN was born in June 1895. She died in 1905. 1311.
- v. Charles Henry<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 18 May 1897. [3885] In 1910 he appeared on the census as an "Orphan to Raise" in the home of George E. Seymour in Bourbon Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3886] Charles Henry Garn's son Clarence V. 11 Garn, Sr., was the father of Clarence V. 12 GARN, Jr., who took the Y-DNA test that establishes that Charles Milroy Garn was indeed the son of John Washington Garn. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them. He died in 1942. [3887] He married Effie Cleo MCCLAIN (daughter of Joseph Barton MCCLAIN and Ada Belle FOSTER). [3888]

849. Minnie Ellen<sup>9</sup> GARN (John Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John Washington GARN, person #358, and Rebecca HUMMEL) was born on 9 October 1865 in Richland Center, Fulton Co., Indiana. [3889] She died on 2 October 1948 in Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [3890]

Minnie Ellen GARN married William Howard HAWKINS (son of William W. HAWKINS and **Talitha Ann OWENS**) on 5 June 1881 in Fulton Co., Indiana. William and Minnie appeared on the 1900-1930 U.S. Censuses in Sturgis, Saint Joseph Co., Michigan. Minnie's mother was living with them in 1920.

From 1900 Census, cited above.

Descendants of John Washington Garn, provided by Mary (Garn) Wolverton, daughter of Charles Henry Garn, person #1312, 31

<sup>3885 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 32875096; Email from Mary Wolverton, daughter of Charles Henry Garn, person #1312, 7

<sup>3886 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of George E. Seymour, Bourbon Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T624\_370, p. 3B, E.D. 96, Charles H. Garn in household as "Orphan to Raise."

<sup>3887 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 32875096; Email from Mary (Garn) Wolverton, cited above.

Email from Mary (Garn) Wolverton, cited above, and private communication, 29 August 2011 to correct maiden name of Effie's

<sup>3889</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 34; private communication, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., great great grandson of Minnie.

<sup>3890 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 99093497; McBride and Capener, p. 34; Private communication, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., great great grandson of Minnie.

Index to Marriage Records 1850 - 1920, Fulton County, Indiana, compiled by the Works Progress Administration.

<sup>3892 1900</sup> U. S. Census of W. H. Hawkins, Sturgis Twp., Saint Joseph Co., Michigan, T623\_742, p. 1A, E.D. 125; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of William H. Hawkins, Sturgis Twp., Saint Joseph Co., Michigan, T624 674, p. 6A, E.D. 140; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of William H. Hawkins, Sturgis Twp., Saint Joseph Co., Michigan, T625\_796, p. 6A, E.D. 166, mother-in-law Rebecca Garn in household; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of William H. Hawkins, Sturgis Twp., Saint Joseph Co., Michigan, Roll 1026, p. 3A, E.D. 24.

William Howard HAWKINS was born on 13 September 1855 in Knox, Starke Co., Indiana. [3893] He was a younger brother of Sarah Jane Hawkins, who married Martin Garn, person #364 in this book. William Howard Hawkins appears as person #382 in *The Family of Zadock Hawkins*. [3894] He died on 1 January 1947 in Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [3895] He died of bronchial pneumonia and was buried at Oak Lawn Cemetery in Sturgis.

Minnie Ellen GARN and William Howard HAWKINS had the following children: [3896]

- i. Melvin Lawrence<sup>10</sup> HAWKINS was born on 21 August 1882 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [3897] He died on 19 September 1957 in Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. He married Ada Elzoa SUMMEY (daughter of Abraham SUMMEY and Hannah ARNOLD) on 2 August 1905 in LaGrange, LaGrange Co., Indiana. Ada Elzoa SUMMEY was born on 24 March 1886 in Missouri. [3898] She died on 19 March 1954 in Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Michigan.
- ii. Virgil Martin<sup>10</sup> HAWKINS was born on 11 March 1884 in Culver, Marshall Co., 1314. Indiana. [3899] He died on 26 December 1971. He married **Rita E. HARDING** on 5 April 1908. Rita E. HARDING was born in 1891. [3900] She died in 1951.

850. **David Frank<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John Washington GARN, person #358, and Rebecca HUMMEL) was born on 16 October 1867. [3901] He appears on the censuses, cited below, as Frank or Frank D. Garn even though McBride and Capener reported that his name was David Franklin Garn and he appears as David F. or David Frank on his marriage record and death record and as D. Frank on his grave marker. In the first edition of the book we reported him as Frank D. Garn. We do not know which name is correct. Although McBride and Capener reported that he was born in Richland, Spencer Co., Indiana, it is more likely he was born in Richland Twp., Fulton Co., Indiana, where his parents were known to have lived. He died on 27 July 1946 in Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. [3902]

David Frank GARN married Mary E. WOODMANSE (daughter of Richard WOODMANSE and Rachael COSSELMAN) on 30 October 1895 in Wexford Co., Michigan. [3903] Frank and Mary appeared on the 1900-1920 U.S. Censuses in Bloomfield Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. [3904]

From death record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3894</sup> Lynn E. Garn, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., and G. Christian Larsen, *The Family of Zadock Hawkins*, (Woodbridge, VA, 2005), pp. 57,

Michigan Deaths, 1 January 1947, State File No. 178-1397.

<sup>3896</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 34; private communication, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., great great grandson of Minnie.

<sup>3897</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 34; private communication, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., great grandson of Melvin and Ada.

<sup>3898</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 34; private communication, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., great grandson of Melvin and Ada.

McBride and Capener, p. 37; private communication, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., great grandson of Virgil's brother Melvin.

McBride and Capener, p. 37; private communication, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., great grandson of Virgil's brother Melvin.

McBride and Capener, pp. 33 and 37.

<sup>3902</sup> Grand Traverse County, Michigan, Deaths, <a href="http://online.co.grand-traverse.mi.us/iprodp/death.cgi?lastname=Garn&firstname=">http://online.co.grand-traverse.mi.us/iprodp/death.cgi?lastname=Garn&firstname=>, accessed 30 March 2014, David F. Garn, 17 July 1946, also available at <ancestry.com>, Grand Traverse County, Michigan, Death Index, 1867-2011; McBride and Capener, p. 37, report death in Mount Pleasant, Isabela Co., Michigan, which is where he lived or had

<sup>3903</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 37; date from census.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3904</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Frank D. Garn, Bloomfield Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T623\_732, p. 11B, E.D. 109, as Frank Garns; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Frank D. Garn, Bloomfield Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T624, 665, p. 13A, E.D. 133; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Frank D. Garn, Bloomfield Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T625 785, p. 2A, E.D. 104.

Mary E. WOODMANSE was born on 3 January 1877 in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Michigan. [3905] She died on 24 June 1951 in Otisville, Genesee Co., Michigan. [3906] Both David and Mary were buried at Riverside Cemetery in Mount Pleasant, Isabella Co., Michigan. [3907]

David Frank GARN and Mary E. WOODMANSE had the following children: [3908]

- 1315. i. **Ada May**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 18 July 1901.
- 1316. ii. John Richard<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 9 September 1910.
- 1317. iii. Edna Belle<sup>10</sup> GARN was born in 1912. She died in 1912.

851. **Samuel Schyler<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John Washington GARN, person #358, and Rebecca HUMMEL) was born on 25 March 1869 in Richland Center, Fulton Co., Indiana.<sup>[3909]</sup> He died on 1 June 1943 in Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Michigan.<sup>[3910]</sup>

Samuel Schyler GARN married **Pheobe SHOOK** (daughter of **William SHOOK** and **Catherine EVERHART**) on 5 September 1894 in Centreville, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [3911] Samuel and Pheobe appeared on the 1900-1930 U.S. Censuses in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. [3912] Pheobe SHOOK was born on 11 February 1872. [3913] She died on 9 December 1941 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [3914] Samuel and Pheobe were buried in the Caldwell Township Cemetery, Missaukee Co., Michigan. [3915]

Samuel Schyler GARN and Pheobe SHOOK had the following children: [3916]

i. **Mandes Earl<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 30 September 1895 in Colon, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. His obituary claims he was born in Mason Co., Michigan, whereas McBride and Capener list the place cited here. He died in 1962 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He married **Katherine Eleanor KISSEL** on 10 August 1916 in

<sup>3905</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 37.

<sup>3906</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 37.

<sup>3907 &</sup>lt; www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 74935146 and 74935145.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3908</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 37, names all children; Censuses, cited above, name first two children.

McBride and Capener, p. 39.

Death Record for Samuel S. Garn, <familysearch.org>, "Michigan, Death Certificates, 1921-1952, cites FHL# 001973109, father as John Garn, accessed 21 August 2013; Find A Grave Memorial for Samuel Schyler Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 117551276; McBride and Capener, p. 39.

Marriage Record of Samuel S. Garn and Phebe Shook, <familysearch.org>, "Michigan, County Marriages, 1820-1935," cites FHL# 1295530, his parents as John W. Garn and Rebecca Hommell, her parents as William Shook and Carrie Everhart; McBride and Capener. p. 39

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3912</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T623\_732, p. 2B, E.D. 109; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel S. Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T624\_665, p. 8B, E.D. 133; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T625\_785, p. 8A, E.D. 104, indexed as Garns; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel S. Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, Roll 1012, p. 3B, E.D. 4, Phoebe indexed as Theone O.

McBride and Capener, p. 39.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3914</sup> Find A Grave Memorial for Pheobe (Shook) Garn. <findagrave.com>. Memorial# 117551433; McBride and Capener. p. 39.

Find A Grave Memorials, cited above.

All children named on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 39.

Obituary clipping, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan; McBride and Capener, p. 39.

<sup>3918 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 15190088; Obituary clipping, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan; McBride and Capener, p. 39.

Ludington, Mason Co., Michigan. <sup>[3919]</sup> They appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. <sup>[3920]</sup> Katherine Eleanor KISSEL was born about 1899 in Illinois. <sup>[3921]</sup>

- 1319. ii. Florence May<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 23 February 1898.
- 1320. iii. **Guy Albert**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 21 September 1900 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He died on 13 September 1989 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Michigan. Fisson Maynard Ralph<sup>11</sup> GARN took the Y-DNA test to help establish relationships among members of the family. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them. He married **Ethel Truly VEEDER** (daughter of **Seth VEEDER** and **Delilah Johannah BOGUE**) on 20 September 1921 in Ludington, Mason Co., Michigan. In 1930 they lived on Haring Road in Haring Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan. Stehel Truly VEEDER was born on 24 January 1901 in Custer, Mason Co., Michigan. She died on 5 March 1972 in Sparta, Kent Co., Michigan. Solution Guy and Ethel were buried in the Caldwell Township Cemetery, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. Solution S
- 1321. iv. **Ray Emery<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 25 August 1902 in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. He died on 18 August 1914 in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. He was buried near his parents in Caldwell Township Cemetery. [3928]
- 1322. v. **George Allen**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 26 June 1905.
- 1323. vi. Verda Rebecca<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 29 October 1907.
- 1324. vii. **Archie LaVern<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 28 February 1912. [3929] He died on 22 October 1971 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [3930] He married **Elizabeth Ellen SALMON** (daughter of **Eugene SALMON** and **Bertha**) on 1 May 1935 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [3931] Elizabeth Ellen SALMON was born on 4 November 1909 in Missaukee

Obituary clipping, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan; McBride and Capener, p. 39.

<sup>3920 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Mandes E. Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T625\_785, p. 8B, E.D. 104, indexed as Mander E. Garns; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Mandes E. Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, Roll 1012, p. 4A, E.D. 4, indexed as Mondes.

<sup>3921</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 39.

Death Record for Guy A. Garn, <familysearch.org>, "Michigan, Death Index, 1971-1996, Certificate Number 2921, accessed 21 August 2013; Social Security Death Index for Guy A. Garn, SSN: 377-07-9268, birth on 21 September 1900, death on 21 September 1989; Find A Grave Memorial for Guy Albert Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 117551678, accessed 24 September 2013.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3923</sup> 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Guy A. Garn, Haring Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, Roll 1077, p. 5A, E.D. 17, of note to the author is that this location is about one mile from where the author lived as a child.

Death Record for Ethyl T. Garn, <familysearch.org>, "Michigan, Death Index, 1971-1996, Certificate Number 17552, accessed 21 August 2013; Find A Grave Memorial for Ethyl Truly (Veeder) Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 117551873, accessed 24 September 2013.

Find A Grave Memorials, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3926</sup> Birth Record for Ray E. Garn, <familysearch.org>, "Michigan, Births, 1867-1902, cites FHL# 2363097, parents as Samuel S. Garn and Phebe O. Garn, accessed 24 September 2013.

Death Record for Ray Emery Garn, <familysearch.org>, "Michigan, Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, cites FHL# 964503, parents as Samuel S. Garn and Phoebe O. Shook, accessed 24 September 2013.

Find A Grave Memorial for Ray Emery Garn, <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 117552507, accessed 24 September 2013.

McBride and Capener, p. 47.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Michigan, Death Index, 1971-1996," index, <familysearch.org>, Archie L. Garn, 22 October 1971, Certificate# 63952, accessed 24 September 2013; <findagrave.com>, Memorial# 18835190, accessed 23 March 2013.

Obituary of Elizabeth Garn, unnamed newspaper, probably Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan; McBride and Capener, p. 47.

Co., Michigan. [3932] She died on 15 November 1948, probably in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [3933]

1325. viii. **Delsia Lawrina** GARN was born on 26 March 1918.

852. **James Washington**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (John Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John Washington GARN, person #358, and Rebecca HUMMEL) was born on 12 August 1871 in Richland Center, Fulton Co., Indiana.<sup>[3934]</sup> He died on 15 April 1952.<sup>[3935]</sup>

James Washington GARN married **Maggie R. SILVUS** on 24 July 1895.<sup>[3936]</sup> James and Maggie appeared on the 1900-1920 U.S. Censuses in Caldwell Twp., Missuakee Co., Michigan.<sup>[3937]</sup> Maggie R. SILVUS was born in January 1877 in Pennsylvania.<sup>[3938]</sup>

James Washington GARN and Maggie R. SILVUS had the following children, all probably in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan: [3939]

- i. **Bernice<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born in July 1898.<sup>[3940]</sup> She resided in Riverside, California in 1954. Her brother's obituary suggests that she was married to a Mr. Miller.
- 1327. ii. Harvey<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 6 June 1900.<sup>[3941]</sup> His name was probably John Harvey Garn, as he appears on the 1910 Census of his parents with that name. His obituary names him J. Harvey Garn. However, he was known as Harvey Garn, as the name appears on his grave marker, cited below. Although some records suggest he was born in Manton, Michigan, he undoubtedly was born in nearby Caldwell Twp., where his parents lived. He died on 5 October 1954 in Roosevelt Park, Muskegon Co., Michigan.<sup>[3942]</sup> He and Ina were buried at Mona View Cemetery in Muskegon Heights, Michigan.<sup>[3943]</sup> He married Ina Wiletta OLNEY (daughter of Charles Edward OLNEY and Viola Elnora STEWART) on 19 November 1921 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[3944]</sup> Ina's mother was an older sister to Carrie Stewart, who married Jesse Garn, person #872, and of Eva Stewart, who married Archie Garn, person #873 in this book.

3933 Obituary of Elizabeth Garn, unnamed newspaper, probably Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3932</sup> From obituary, cited below.

<sup>3934</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 48; in agreement with 1900 Census, cited below.

<sup>3935 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83750657; McBride and Capener, p. 48.

<sup>3936</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 48.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3937</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of James W. Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T623\_732, p. 2B, E.D. 109, also indexed as Garw; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of James W. Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T624\_665, p. 5A, E.D. 133, son Harvey as John H; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of James W. Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T625\_785, p. 8A, E.D. 104, indexed as Garns, son Harvey indexed as Harry.

From 1900 U.S. Census, cited above.

Children named in one or more census, cited above; Obituary of Harvey, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3940</sup> From 1900 U.S. Census.

From obituary, cited below.

<sup>3942</sup> Stewart-Hillard Reunion Papers, p. 44, in possesion of the author; Obituary of J. Harvey Garn, unnamed newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News.

<sup>3943 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 54206394, as J Harvey Garn on memorial and Harvey Garn only on the marker itself and Memorial# 116764561 for Ina W. Garn.

Marriage Record for Harvey J. Garn and Ina W. Olney, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 2342746, Ref. No. v.7, R.N. 133, groom's parents as J. W. Garn and Maggie Silves, bride's parents as Chas. E. Olney and Viola E. Stewart; Obituary of Harvey, cited above.

After Harvey's death Ina remarried to Levi Stark. Ina Wiletta OLNEY was born on 25 September 1899. She died on 24 August 1994.

856. **Annis Earl<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John Washington GARN, person #358, and Rebecca HUMMEL) was born on 25 August 1882 in Richland Center, Fulton Co., Indiana. [3945] He died on 26 February 1970 in Burr Oak Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [3946]

Annis Earl GARN married **Ruth Erma JOHNSON** (daughter of **Delbert JOHNSON** and **Estelle BARNUM**) on 26 October 1910 in Centreville, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. They appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Burr Oak Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan. Ruth Erma JOHNSON was born on 17 June 1893 in Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. Although McBride and Capener give her name as Erma Ruth, she appears on two censuses as Ruth or Ruth E. Garn. She died on 16 June 1938 in Findley, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [3950]

Annis Earl GARN and Ruth Erma JOHNSON had the following children: [3951]

- i. **Erma Blanche<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born about 1913 in Burr Oak, St. Joseph Co., Michigan.<sup>[3952]</sup> She married **William BECKWITH** in May 1939.<sup>[3953]</sup>
- ii. **Esther Marie<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 20 February 1915 in Burr Oak, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. She married **John PIERUCKE** (son of **Frank PIERUCKE** and **Anna SCHEMSKE**) on 27 August 1938 in Sturgis, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. [3954] John PIERUCKE was born on 9 April 1908 in Bronson, Branch Co., Michigan.

Annis Earl GARN next married **Mary Bauman STREAHLY** on 30 June 1958 in Angola, Steuben Co., Indiana. [3955]

859. **John Franklin<sup>9</sup> GARN** (David<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David GARN, person #359, and Catherine KEMMERLING) was born on 10 April 1859 in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3956] He went by the name Frank. He died on 23 June

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3945</sup> Obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, pp. 49-50.

<sup>3946 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 24003358; Obituary of Annis E. Garn, unknown newspaper, Obituary Files, Genealogy Room, Sturgis Public Library, Sturgis, Michigan, names parents, spouses and daughters by married names.

Marriage Record for Annis J. Garn and Ruth Johnson, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 2342691, Ref. No. v.5, p. 15, R.N. 5301, groom's parents as J. W. Garn and Hummel, bride's parents as C. D. Johnson and Barnum; McBride and Capener, p. 49.

<sup>3948 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Annis Garn, Burr Oak Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan, T625\_796, p. 2B, E.D. 142, indexed as Garns, daughter Erma indexed as Anna; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Annis Garn, Burr Oak Twp., St. Joseph Co., Michigan, Roll 1025, p. 2A, E.D. 2, as Annos E. Gam.

From obituary, cited below.

Obituary of Mrs. Annis Garn, The Burr Oak Acorn, Burr Oak, St. Joseph Co., Michigan, 23 June 1938, names surviving spouse, parents as Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Johnson, names daughters.

Children named in Censuses, cited above; Obituary of Mrs. Annis Garn, cited above.

From censuses, cited above.

<sup>3953</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 49.

<sup>3954</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 49.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3955</sup> Obituary of Annis E. Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 50.

From obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 52.

1937 in Savonburg, Kansas. [3957] His obituary reports that he moved to Savonburg, Kansas, about nine years before he died and that he was in the real estate business in Marshall County prior to his move. The obituary also names children, Mrs. Mable Wickizer of South Pasadena, California, Park A. Garn of Washington, DC, and Hazel Alleman of Anderson, Indiana.

John Franklin GARN married Mary Elizabeth SWINEHART (daughter of George SWINEHART and Lucinda COLEMAN) on 2 February 1882 near Akron, Ohio. [3958] The marriage place given here comes from John Franklin Garn's obituary. McBride and Capener (p. 52) place the marriage in Sheffield, Lorain Co., Ohio. In 1900 and 1910 Frank and Mary lived in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3959] Mary Elizabeth SWINEHART was born on 21 June 1855 in Ohio. [3960] She died on 15 November 1923 in Argos, Marshall Co., Indiana. [3961]

John Franklin GARN and Mary Elizabeth SWINEHART had the following children: [3962]

- i. Mabel Lodema<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 3 December 1882. She married 1330. Elmer WICKIZER on 7 April 1901 in Argos, Marshall Co., Indiana. [3963] Her marriage record does not give her first name. However, the obituary of her father indicates her surname was Wickizer at the time he died.
- ii. Park Alexander<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 20 August 1887.
- iii. Hazel Beatrice<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 11 July 1889.

860. Samuel Alexander<sup>9</sup> GARN (David<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David GARN, person #359, and Catherine KEMMERLING) was born on 9 May 1861 in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3964] He died on 11 June 1926 in South Bend, St. Joseph Co., Indiana. [3965]

Samuel Alexander GARN married Rosena Sophia BURGENER on 16 November 1882 in Marshall Co., Indiana. [3966] Samuel and Rosena appeared on the 1900 and 1910 U.S. Censuses in West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3967] In 1920 they were living in South Bend, Indiana. [3968] Samuel was probably

<sup>3959</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of John F. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_392, p. 10B, E.D. 82; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of John F. Garn, Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T624 370, p. 17A, E.D. 113.

<sup>3957 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 80813214; Obituary of John Frank Garn, Argos Reflector, Argos, Indiana, 30 June 1937, names spouse, three children, daughters by married names.

From John Franklin's obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 52.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Mary Elizabeth Garn, Marshall Co., Indiana, Deaths, 15 November 1923, gives date of birth, names parents, spouse

<sup>3962</sup> Obituary of John Franklin Garn, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 52; children also named on 1900 Census, cited above.

Marriage Record for Elmer Wickizer and Garns, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 25 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651776, her first name not given, her parents as J. F. Garns and Mary Swihart.

McBride and Capener, p. 56.

Obituary of Samuel A. Garn, Plymouth Daily Pilot, Plymouth, Indiana, 11 June 1926, p. 1, col. 5, names children, survived by

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3966</sup> Marriage Record for Samuel A. Garn and Rose S. Burgener, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 28 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651770 and 1651776; McBride and Capener, p. 56, places marriage in Mishawaka, St. Joseph Co., Indiana.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3967</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel A. Garn, West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_392, p. 11B, E.D. 85; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel A. Garn, West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T624 370, p. 2A, E.D. 118, son Vernon indexed as Tarron, daughter Esther indexed as Estes.

counted twice on the 1920 Census. A Samuel Garn appeared on the 1920 Census as a boarder in Plymouth, Indiana. His obituary reports that the family moved to South Bend to expand his real estate business. He probably had to commute between Plymouth and South Bend and maintained a place in Plymouth to keep up his business. Rosena Sophia BURGENER was born on 24 August 1863 in Bremen, Marshall Co., Indiana. She died on 4 April 1948 in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Michigan. Michigan.

Samuel Alexander GARN and Rosena Sophia BURGENER had the following children: [3972]

- i. **Herbert Roy<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 13 February 1884 in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[3973]</sup>
- 1334. ii. Vernon Earl<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 1 October 1890.
- 1335. iii. **Mark Burgener<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 2 May 1904 in West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[3974]</sup>
- 1336. iv. **Esther Louise**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 14 January 1907 in West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3975] We cannot explain why her birth record reports her father as Edward Garn. She appears as a daughter of Samuel A. and Rose Garn in the 1910 Census and as a daughter of S. A. and Rose Garn on the 1920 Census. And McBride and Capener (p. 56) place her as a daughter of Samuel Alexander Garn and Rosena Sophia Burgner. Perhaps Samuel sometimes went by the name Edward. And perhaps there was an error in entering her name. Either way, we are convinced she is correctly placed based on her relationship as daughter of Samuel and Rose on the censuses, the agreement between her birth date on her birth record and her age on those censuses, and her placement in McBride and Capener.

861. **Margaret Ellen<sup>9</sup> GARN** (David<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of David GARN, person #359, and Catherine KEMMERLING) was born on 7 June 1863 in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3976] She died on 21 March 1921. [3977]

Margaret Ellen GARN married **Peter D. BURGENER** on 12 September 1888 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. [3978] In 1900 they lived in Plymouth, Indiana. [1979] In 1910 and 1920 they appeared on the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3968</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel Garn, South Bend Ward 1, St. Joseph Co., Indiana, T625\_463, pp. 5B-6A, E.D. 224, he as S. A. Garn, wife as Rose S.

<sup>3969 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Chas. F. Cooper, Plymouth Ward 1, Marshall Co., Indiana, T625\_456, p. 3A, E.D. 168, Samuel Garn as a boarder in the household.

<sup>3970</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 56.

McBride and Capener, p. 56.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3972</sup> Children appear on one or more census, cited above; Birth information for children from McBride and Capener, p. 56.

Marshall Co., Indiana, Births, Birth Record for Herbert Roy Garn, cert. no. 113-1884-84-465, parents as Samuel A. Garn and Rosa S. Burgner.

Marshall Co., Indiana, Births, Birth Record for Mark Burgener Garn, cert. no. 113-1904-190409, father as Samuel Garn, mother transcripbed as Rose Benjose.

Marshall Co., Indiana, Births, Birth Record for Esther Louise Garn, cert. no. 113-1907-071065, father as Edward [sic] Garn, mother as Rose, maiden name Burgner, filed initially as Louisa Esther Garne (CH14, p. 84) with mother as Bergner and amended (Bk. 9, p. 10) to Esther Louise Garn, with mother as Burgner.

<sup>3976</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 59.

<sup>3977</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 59.

census in Union Twp., Elkhart Co., Indiana. [3980] Peter D. BURGENER was born on 1 February 1862 in Bremen, Marshall Co., Indiana. [3981] He died on 21 March 1936 in South Bend, St. Joseph Co., Indiana. [3982]

Margaret Ellen GARN and Peter D. BURGENER had the following child: [3983] 1337. i. **Theresa Leanore** BURGENER was born on 12 August 1895.

862. **Francis Edward<sup>9</sup> GARN** (David<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David GARN, person #359, and Catherine KEMMERLING) was born on 8 May 1865 in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[3984]</sup> He died on 24 January 1956 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[3985]</sup>

Two newspaper articles report on his purchase and sale of a sanitarium and hospital in Plymouth, Indiana. [3986] The first article reports that the facility would be run by a Dr. J. H. Boss, who was a brother of Francis Edward's wife.

Francis Edward GARN married **Mary Ellen BOSS** (daughter of **John BOSS** and **Mary**) on 3 September 1889 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. Francis and Ella appeared on the 1900 - 1920 U.S. Censuses in Plymouth, Indiana. Mary Ellen BOSS was born on 19 September 1865 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. She went by the name Ella. She died on 17 August 1957 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. Indiana.

Francis Edward GARN and Mary Ellen BOSS had the following child: [3991]

<sup>3978</sup> Marriage Record for Peter D. Burgner and Maggie E. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 28 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651770 and 1651776; Obituary of Margaret's father names her as Mrs. Peter Burgener; McBride and Capener, p. 59.

<sup>3979 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Peter Burgener, Plymouth City, Center Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_391, p. 1B, E.D. 74, he as Petter Bergner.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3980</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Peter D. Burgener, Union Twp., Elkhart Co., Indiana, T624\_348, p. 3A, E.D. 40, as Burgner; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Peter D. Burgener, Union Twp., Elkhart Co., Indiana, T625 431, p. 4B, E.D. 34.

McBride and Capener, p. 59.

McBride and Capener, p. 59.

Child appears as Theresa L on the 1900 Census and as Leonore on the 1910 Census, cited above; as Theresa Leanore in McBride and Capener, p. 59.

McBride and Capener, p. 61.

Death Record for Francis Edward Garn, Marshall Co., Indiana, Deaths, 24 January 1956, married; Obituary of F. E. Garn, Bremen Enquirer, Bremen, Indiana, 26 January 1956, p. 10; McBride and Capener, p. 61.

Newspaper article, The Republican, Plymouth, Indiana, 24 September 1914, reports purchase and opening of sanitarium and hospital; Newspaper article, The Republican, Plymouth, Indiana, 3 February 1916, reports sale of sanitarium.

<sup>3987</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 61; Her parents named in her obituary.

<sup>3988 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Francis Edward Garn, Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_391, p. 4A, E.D. 72, he as Edward F. and spouse as Ellen M; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Francis E. Garn, Plymouth Ward 1, Marshall Co., Indiana, T624\_370, p. 1A, E.D. 101, spouse as Mary E.; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Francis Edward Garn, Plymouth Ward 2, Marshall Co., Indiana, T625\_456, p. 5B, E.D. 169, he as Edward E. Garns, spouse as Mary E. Garns, son as Rulo Garns.

McBride and Capener, p. 61.

Death Record for Ella Mary [sic] Garn, Marshall Co., Indiana, Deaths, 17 August 1957, widowed; Obituary of Mrs. F. E. Garn, Bremen Enquirer, Bremen, Indiana, 22 August 1957, p. 8, names parents, son as R. E. Garn.

Rulo named on 1910 and 1920 Censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, pp. 61-62.

1338. i. **Rulo Edward<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 23 February 1902 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana [3992]

863. **Ira Monroe<sup>9</sup> GARN** (David<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of David GARN, person #359, and Catherine KEMMERLING) was born on 11 October 1871 in Union Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[3993]</sup> He died on 23 January 1957 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana.<sup>[3994]</sup>

Ira Monroe GARN married **Margaret Alma MCFARLIN** (daughter of **John A. MCFARLIN** and **Sarah E. WARNER**) on 22 September 1895 in West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3995] Ira and Margaret lived in West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, in 1900. [3996] They appeared on the 1910 - 1930 Censuses in Plymouth, Indiana. [3997] Margaret Alma MCFARLIN was born on 10 February 1872 in West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana. [3998]

Ira Monroe GARN and Margaret Alma MCFARLIN had the following child: [3999]

i. **Katherine Elizabeth**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 28 October 1905 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. [4001] She died on 21 November 2000 in Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana. [4001] She was buried in New Oak Hill Cemetery in Plymouth. She never married. Her obituary reports that she graduated from Plymouth High School in 1923, from Indiana University in 1927, and from the University of Wisconsin in 1936, where she received a masters degree and graduated cum laude. She taught history at Plymouth High School from 1927 to 1972. Katherine was instrumental in starting the first kindergarten in Plymouth and also in getting the first woman, Mrs. A. Marsh, on the school board.

867. **Hattie Ellen<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Martin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Martin GARN, person #364, and Sarah Jane HAWKINS) was born on 13 July 1875 in Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska. [4002] She died on 29 November 1900 in Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. [4003] Hattie Ellen GARN had the following child:

i. **Claud Edwin<sup>10</sup> HAWKINS** was born on 21 January 1895 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census with his natural mother and step father,

Death Record for Ira M. Garn, Marshall Co., Indiana, Deaths, 23 January 1957, married; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 94565120.

Obituary of Katherine, cited below, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 63.

Marshall Co., Indiana, Births, Birth Record for Rulo Edward Garn, cert. no. 113-1902-02-636, names parents, mother as Ella Boss; McBride and Capener, p. 61.

McBride and Capener, p. 63.

McBride and Capener, p. 63; parents named in obituary of daughter Katherine.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3996</sup> 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Ira M. Garn, West Twp., Marshall Co., Indiana, T623\_392, p. 4A, E.D. 85.

<sup>3997 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ira M. Garn, Plymouth Ward 3, Marshall Co., Indiana, T624\_370, p. 9B, E.D. 103; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Ira M. Garn, Plymouth, Ward 3, Marshall Co., Indiana, T625\_456, p. 9A, E.D. 170; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Ira M. Garn, Plymouth, Marshall Co., Indiana, roll 617, p. 7A, E.D. 5.

McBride and Capener, p. 63.

<sup>4000</sup> Marshall Co., Indiana, Births, Birth Record for Katherine Elizabeth Garn, cert. no. 113-1905-979-05, parents as Ira Garn and Margaret McFarland; Birth also in obituary, cited below.

<sup>4001</sup> Obituary of Katherine E.Garn, Plymouth Pilot News, 26 November 2000, names parents.

Birth recorded in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30; McBride and Capener, p. 66.

Death Record for Hattie Martin, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 1006449, Ref. No. v2, p. 133, names parents, mother as Sarah Hankins; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 20845754.

Frank Martin, in the home of his maternal grandfather, Martin Garn, in Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. Ten years later he appeared on the U.S. Census with John R. Hawkins, a brother of his maternal grandmother, with whom he went to live some time after his mother and grandfather had died. Claud took the surname Hawkins after living with John R. Hawkins for a time. It is not known if John R. Hawkins actually formally adopted Claud. Based on information provided by several of Claud's cousins, Claud's natural mother was Hattie Garn and his father was an American Indian whose identity is unknown. He died in January 1976. He married **Gladys May NICHOLS** (daughter of **Orlo NICHOLS** and **Mabel CHIPMAN**) about 1916. Gladys May NICHOLS was born on 6 May 1896 in Grand Ledge, Eaton Co., Michigan.

Hattie Ellen GARN next married **Frank MARTIN** on 2 May 1897 in Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. Hattie, Frank, and Hattie's surviving child appeared on the 1900 U.S. Census of her father in Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. Frank MARTIN was born on 12 December 1867 in Michigan. He died on 9 October 1951 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. Hattie Ellen GARN and Frank MARTIN had the following child:

1341. ii. **Lettie<sup>10</sup> MARTIN** was born about 1897.<sup>[4011]</sup> She died on 8 September 1898 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4012]</sup> Lettie appears as Lettie Garn, person #1960, in *The Family of Zadock Hawkins*.<sup>[4013]</sup> At the time we wrote that book, we were uncertain if Frank Martin was her father. Her death record, found after the Hawkins book was published, convinced us to place her as Frank Martin's daughter.

868. **Cora Belle<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Martin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Martin GARN, person #364, and Sarah Jane HAWKINS) was born on 16 December 1876 in Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska. [4014] She died on 5 February 1948 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4015]

Cora Belle GARN married **Clarence Marion LARR** (son of **George Francis LARR** and **Alwilda BROWN**) on 30 March 1895 in Scottville, Mason Co., Michigan. [4016] Cora was living in

<sup>4004 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of John R. Hawkins, Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, T624 666, p. 5B, E.D. 146.

<sup>4005 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 100107060; Social Security Application and Social Security Death Index for Claud Edwin Hawkins, Social Security Number 265-48-5715.

<sup>4006</sup> Private communication, Marie June (Hawkins) Wilson, daughter of Claud and Gladys, about 2003; McBride and Capener, p. 66.

<sup>400 /</sup> McBride and Capener p. 66

Marriage Record for Frank Martin and Hattie Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 1006451, she transcribed as Hallie Garn with father Martin Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 66.

From obituary, cited below.

<sup>4010</sup> Obituary, unnamed newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, dated 9 October reports death "this morning," birth date, and age of 83 years.

From death record, which reports she was one year old when she died.

Death Record for Lettie Martin, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 966064, Ref. No. v1, p. 114, names parents, mother as Hattie Martin.

<sup>4013</sup> Lynn E. Garn, Ronnie E. Hawkins, Sr., and G. Christian Larsen, *The Family of Zadock Hawkins*, (Woodbridge, VA, 2005), p. 229.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4014</sup> Birth recorded in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30: McBride and Capener, p. 68.

Obituary of Corabell Larr, 7 February, unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 30940635.

Marriage Record for Clarence Larr and Cora Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1822-1995, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 1006451, names his parents, her father.

"Eden," Michigan and Clarence was living in Custer, Michigan at the time of their marriage. Eden clearly was Eden Twp., Mason Co., Michigan. They appeared on the 1900 - 1930 U.S. Censuses in Caldwell, Missaukee Co., Michigan. [4017] Clarence Marion LARR was born on 17 October 1871 in Bridgewater Twp., Williams Co., Ohio. [4018] He died on 12 June 1952 in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. [4019] Both Clarence and Cora were buried at Fairview Cemetery in Manton, Michigan.

Cora Belle GARN and Clarence Marion LARR had the following children: [4020]

- i. Lolo Loretta<sup>10</sup> LARR was born on 16 September 1895 in Mason Co., Michigan. [4021] She died on 1 May 1987 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. [4022] She never married.
- ii. **Maude May<sup>10</sup> LARR** was born on 17 February 1897 in Mason, Ingham Co., Michigan. She died on 24 July 1937 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. She married **Hubert William SAWIN** (son of **William SAWIN** and **Ella DIBBLER**) on 29 June 1926 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. After Maude died, Hubert remarried Maude's younger sister Dorothy. Hubert William SAWIN was born on 20 April 1900 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He died in February 1985.
- 1344. iii. **George Martin<sup>10</sup> LARR** was born on 28 July 1899. He died on 11 April 1970. He married **Lucille LEGGETT** (daughter of **Wilbur LEGGETT** and **Rubie STONE**) on 6 October 1922 in Lake City, Missaukee Co., Michigan. [4025] Lucille LEGGETT was born on 30 November 1904 in Hopkins, Allegan Co., Michigan. She died after 1 May 1987.
- iv. Minnie Alwilda<sup>10</sup> LARR was born on 25 March 1902 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. She married Charles Frederick ROSOSKY (son of Wilhelm Michael ROZOSKI and Maria DORKA) on 8 August 1922 in Lake City, Missaukee Co., Michigan. They were living at Westborough, Massachusetts, about 1951 1963. Charles Frederick ROSOSKY was born on 27 January 1897 in Schoenbeck, Germany. According to family members, his surname was originally ROZOWSKI, ROZOSKI, and/or ROSOWSKI. His name at birth appears to have been Karl Friedrich Rosowski.
- v. Leo Pearl<sup>10</sup> LARR was born on 28 March 1905 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He died on 27 February 1964 in Pontiac, Oakland Co., Michigan. He married Inez Evelynia RHOBY (daughter of Paul Burk RHOBY and Martha MILLER) on 19

<sup>4017 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Clarence Larr, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T623\_732, pp. 1A and 1B, E.D. 109; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Clarence Larr, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T624\_665, p. 5A,E.D. 133, indexed as Lear and Saar; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Clarence Larr, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T625\_785, p. 8B, E.D. 104; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Clarence Larr, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, Roll 1012, p. 4A, E.D. 4.

Date from obituary, place from Larr family records provided to author; McBride and Capener, p. 68.

Obituary, unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, names eight surviving children.

Children except Maude named in obituaries of both parents; all children appear on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 68.

<sup>4021</sup> Date and place from obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 68.

<sup>4022</sup> Obituary, unknown newspaper but probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan.

<sup>4023 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83744905.

<sup>4024</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 69.

<sup>4025</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 70.

<sup>4026</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 71.

<sup>4027 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 30940802.

- March 1926 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4028] Inez Evelynia RHOBY was born on 10 July 1906 in Keystone, Wells Co., Indiana. She died on 16 March 1991.
- vi. Dee Clifford<sup>10</sup> LARR was born on 25 January 1907 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He died on 26 November 1970 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He married Minnie TREVITHICK on 14 November 1931 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4029] Minnie TREVITHICK was born on 16 March 1908 in Middletown, Middlesex Co., Connecticut. She died after 1 May 1987.
- 1348. vii. Nellie Ruth<sup>10</sup> LARR was born on 19 January 1909 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. She married Stuart China SMITH (son of Sidney SMITH) on 21 May 1932 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4030] Stuart China SMITH was born on 8 March 1902 in Lakemills, Jefferson Co., Wisconsin.
- Dorothy Gladys<sup>10</sup> LARR was born on 20 February 1911 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. She died on 29 April 1977 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4031] She married Hubert William SAWIN (son of William SAWIN and Ella DIBBLER) on 20 January 1938 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4032] Hubert had previously been married to Dorothy's older sister Maude until her death. Hubert William SAWIN was born on 20 April 1900 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He died in February 1985.
- ix. **Dale Marion** LARR was born on 30 November 1915 in Manton, Wexford Co., 1350. Michigan. He died on 13 February 1972. He married Maxine Opal FLORY (daughter of Harvey FLORY and Sarah RADCLIFF) on 13 November 1937 in Pontiac, Oakland Co., Michigan. [4033] Maxine Opal FLORY was born on 22 October 1916 in Vincennes, Knox Co., Indiana. [4034] She died on 4 September 2004 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4035]
- 869. Charles William<sup>9</sup> GARN (Martin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #364, and Sarah Jane HAWKINS) was born on 24 December 1878 in Beatrice, Gage Co., Nebraska. [4036] He died on 7 April 1953 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4037] At the time of his death, which resulted from a heart attack, he was Justice of the Peace of Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan. He had visited the Colfax Township Hall the night before an election to verify that everything was ready for the election and when he left, his car became stuck in the sand in a ditch. It was believed that his effort to free the car caused the heart attack. He had had a heart ailment for a year prior to his death.

<sup>4028</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 72.

<sup>4029</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 74.

<sup>4030</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 75.

<sup>4031 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83744900.

<sup>4032</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 76.

<sup>4033</sup> Obituary of Maxine reports marriage; McBride and Capener, p. 76.

<sup>4034</sup> From obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 76.

<sup>4035</sup> Obituary of Maxine Larr, Cadillac News, Cadillac, Michigan, 7 September 2004.

<sup>4036</sup> Birth recorded in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30; obituary incorrectly reports birth in 1879; McBride and

<sup>4037 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 100107307; Obituary of Charles W. Garn, unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, names husbands of daughters.

Charles William GARN married **Myrtle E. ANWAY** (daughter of **Francis ANWAY** and **Jennie G. HOUGHTALIN**) on 29 March 1900 in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. [4038] Charles and Myrtle appeared on the 1900 Census in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. [4039] From there they moved to Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, where they appeared on the censuses in 1910 - 1930. [4040] Their 50th Wedding Anniversary was reported in a newspaper article. [4041] Myrtle E. ANWAY was born on 29 January 1884 in Missaukee Co., Michigan. [4042] She died on 25 February 1962 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4043]

Charles William GARN and Myrtle E. ANWAY had the following children: [4044]

- i. Edith<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 11 April 1901 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4045] She died on 11 June 1964 in Lansing, Ingham Co., Michigan. [4046] She married Ray SPRAGUE (son of Jay SPRAGUE and Minnie SCOTT) on 14 August 1926. [4047] After Ray's death, Edith married Raymond House, who later married Eva, wife of Archie Edwin Garn, person #873 in this book. Ray SPRAGUE was born on 29 October 1886 in Nirvana, Lake Co., Michigan. [4048] He died in June 1962 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4049]
- ii. Sarah Maude<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 18 July 1904 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4050]</sup> She died on 27 September 1958 in Denver, Denver Co., Colorado.<sup>[4051]</sup> Sarah died while in surgery. She married Russel Thair TRUESDALE (son of Ernest TRUESDALE and Maude BARLETTE) on 1 November 1924 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4052]</sup> Russel Thair TRUESDALE was born on 13 November 1904 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4053]</sup>

<sup>4038</sup> Marriage Record for Charles W. Garn and Myrtle E. Anway, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 2342516, Ref. no. v3, p. 345, RN 700, names parents.

<sup>4039 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles W. Garn, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T623\_732; p. 1A, E.D. 109, as Garns.

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 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles W. Garn, Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, T624\_666, p. 6A, E.D. 146; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Charles W. Garn, Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, T625\_798, p. 4B, E.D. 217; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Charles W. Garn, Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, Roll 1077, p. 2A, E.D. 13.

Cadillac (Mich) Evening News, 27 March 1952.

From obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 76, reports birth in June, not January, as reported in obituary and the 1900 Census, cited above.

Obituary, unnamed newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, names deceased spouse and wedding date, surviving children and their spouses.

<sup>4044</sup> Children named on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 76.

Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas, husband of Edith's sister Bernice; McBride and Capener, p. 77.

Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas, husband of Edith's sister Bernice.

Marriage reported in obituary of Ray, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 77.

From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 77.

<sup>4049</sup> Obituary of Ray Sprague, unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, names spouses and marriage dates; McBride and Capener, p. 77.

Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas, husband of Sarah's sister Bernice; McBride and Capener, p. 77.

Obituary of Sarah Truesdale, unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, names mother, surviving sisters and children; Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas, husband of Sarah's sister Bernice; McBride and Capener, p. 77

Marriage Record for Russel Thair Truesdale and Saray Maude Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 2342765, Ref. No. v.9, R.N. 144, names parents, bride's mother as Anaway; McBride and Capener, p. 77.

McBride and Capener, p. 77.

- 1353. iii. **Blanche Dorothy<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 1 January 1911 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4054]</sup> She died on 28 December 1953 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4055]</sup> She married **William O. KINNISON** on 22 March 1933. William O. KINNISON was born on 9 May 1906 in Wolcottville, Indiana. [4057] He died about 28 November 1966 in Lansing, Ingham Co., Michigan. He was involved in a car crash on that date and died at the Ingham County Hospital as a result of the injuries he received.
- 1354. iv. **Bernice M.<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 7 January 1914 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4058]</sup> She died on 26 March 1991 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4059]</sup> She married Laverne R. NICHOLAS (son of Burt NICHOLAS and Gladys M. HILLARD) on 22 December 1937 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4060] Laverne R. NICHOLAS was born on 30 July 1914 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4061] He died on 4 April 2000 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4062] Both Laverne and Bernice were buried at the Meauwataka Cemetery in Colfax Twp., Wexford County, Laverne's grandfather, Charles Willard Hillard, has been shown to be a descendant of Mayflower Pilgrims John Alden and Priscilla Mullins. [4063]

870. Minnie Viola GARN (Martin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Martin GARN, person #364, and Sarah Jane HAWKINS) was born on 1 January 1881 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [4064] She died on 1 October 1938 in Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan. [4065]

Minnie Viola GARN married Stowell LAWTON (son of Lyman Pearly LAWTON and Sarah Ann SMITH) on 29 November 1902 in Custer, Mason Co., Michigan. [4066] They met in Custer, Mason Co., Michigan where both the Lawtons and Garns had moved. However, they moved to Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, where they appeared on the 1910 - 1930 U.S. Censuses. [4067]

 $<sup>^{4054}</sup>$  From obituary; Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas, husband of Blanche's sister Bernice; McBride and Capener, p. 80.

<sup>4055</sup> Obituary of Blanche Kennison, unknown newspaper, but probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, names spouse, children, parents as Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garn; Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas, husband of Blanche's sister Bernice; McBride and Capener, p. 80.

This date from Blanche's obituary; Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas, husband of Blanche's sister Bernice reports marriage on 1 November 1933; McBride and Capener, p. 77, reports 1 November as marriage date.

From obituary, cited below.

<sup>4058</sup> Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas; McBride and Capener, p. 80.

<sup>4059 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 26192619; Death date reported in Laverne's obituary, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4060</sup> Date reported in Laverne's obituary, gives Mesick, Michigan as the marriage location; McBride and Capener, p. 80.

From obituary, cited below; Letter postmarked 19 December 1985 from Laverne Nicholas; McBride and Capener, p. 80.

<sup>4062</sup> Obituary, Cadillac News, 6 April 2000, names parents, spouse.

Lynn E. Garn, "The Descendants of Richmond A. Hillard, A John Alden Line" in the Mayflower Descendant, 57: 125-142, at 142, Charles, third child of Benjamin F. Hillard.

Birth recorded in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30, McBride and Capener, p. 81.

<sup>4065 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 41762619; McBride and Capener, p. 81.

<sup>4066</sup> Marriage Record for Stowell E. Lawton and Minnie Viola Garn, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 2342522, Ref. No. v. 3, p. 260, R.N. 2213, names his parents.

<sup>4067 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Stowell E. Lawton, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T624\_665, p. 5A, E.D. 133; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Stowell Lawton, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, T625 785, p. 8B, E.D. 104; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Stowell E. Lawton, Caldwell Twp., Missaukee Co., Michigan, Roll 1012, p. 3B, E.D. 4, as Storvell E. Lawton.

Stowell LAWTON was born on 13 March 1879 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4068] He died on 28 April 1974 in Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Michigan. [4069]

Minnie Viola GARN and Stowell LAWTON had the following children: [4070]

- i. Floyd Earl<sup>10</sup> LAWTON was born on 23 July 1906 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He died on 25 March 1987 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. He married Pauline ROWE (daughter of William Bruce ROWE and Freda Belle CAMP) on 11 November 1933 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. Pauline ROWE was born on 12 September 1913 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan.
- 1356. ii. Leah Helen<sup>10</sup> LAWTON was born on 13 June 1909 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. She died on 20 July 1996 in Tarpon Springs, Pinellas Co., Florida. [4073] She married Charles Alvin SHUE (son of Amos SHUE and Catherine Elnora SANDERS) on 30 November 1929 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4074] Charles Alvin SHUE was born on 6 September 1907 in Ludington, Mason Co., Michigan. He died on 24 March 1991 in Holiday, Pasco Co., Florida.
- 1357. iii. **Evelyn Belle<sup>10</sup> LAWTON** was born on 18 May 1912 in Missaukee Co., Michigan. She died on 23 October 2002 in Tucson, Pima Co., Arizona. She married **Virgil NYE** (son of **Ardam NYE** and **Emma CULVER**) on 14 January 1933 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan. Virgil NYE was born on 22 August 1908 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. He died about 1990.
- iv. Verne Leroy<sup>10</sup> LAWTON was born on 10 April 1914 in Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Michigan. He died on 22 December 2000 in North Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Michigan. He married Ruth HAYWOOD (daughter of A. L. HAYWOOD and Mary MIERAS) on 22 January 1937 in Muskegon, Muskegon Co., Michigan. [4080] Ruth HAYWOOD was born on 26 October 1911 in Kalkaska, Kalkaska Co., Michigan.
- v. **Grace Velma**<sup>10</sup> **LAWTON** was born on 26 July 1920 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. She died on 18 July 1998 in Eaton Co., Michigan. She married **Paul BURKHOLDER** (son of **Vernon BURKHOLDER** and **Martha TIEJEMA**) on 24 April 1943 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. Paul BURKHOLDER was born on 28 June 1920 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan.

<sup>4068</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 81.

Email from Michelle (Smith) Caskey, great-great-granddaughter of Stowell Lawton.

<sup>4070</sup> Children except Lois appear on one or more census with parents; McBride and Capener, p. 81.

<sup>4071 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 102995223.

<sup>4072</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 81, incorrectly gives Pauline's mother's suranme as Garn; Camp surname of Pauline's mother from descendants

<sup>4073 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorials# 41761616 and 27392118.

Email from Michelle (Smith) Caskey, great-granddaughter of Leah Helen (Lawton) Shue; McBride and Capener. p. 82.

From obituary; McBride and Capener, p. 83, reports birth in Manton.

<sup>4076 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>>, Memorial# 83744817; Obituary of Evelyn Nye, Cadillac News, Cadillac, Michigan, 6 November 2002, names spouse, parents.

From obituary of Evelyn; McBride and Capener, p. 83.

<sup>4078</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 83.

<sup>4079 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 102998514.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4080</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 83.

Private communication, Evelyn (Lawton) Nye, sister of Grace, 13 May 1999; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 62104412.

<sup>4082</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 83.

1360. vi. **Lois Viola<sup>10</sup> LAWTON** was born on 19 August 1923.<sup>[4083]</sup> She died on 29 April 1925 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4084]</sup> She died of a ruptured appendix.

872. **Jesse Alvia GARN** (Martin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #364, and Sarah Jane HAWKINS) was born on 14 September 1884 in Knox, Starke Co., Indiana. He died on 10 November 1955 near Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. He was a passenger in a car driven by a neighbor when he had a heart attack and died. Jesse was a Representative on the Wexford Co., Michigan, Board of Supervisors, serving a term as its chairman. He also served as the mayor of Manton, Michigan.

Jesse Alvia GARN married **Carrie Belle STEWART** (daughter of **Charles Ewells STEWART** and **Mary Elizabeth HILLARD**) on 16 September 1909 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4087] Jesse was a farmer when they married. Carrie was a school teacher, having graduated on 30 May 1905 from Wexford Co. Normal School.

Carrie Belle STEWART was born on 15 February 1884 in Conklin, Ottawa Co., Michigan. [4088] She died on 23 January 1973 in Flint, Genesee Co., Michigan. [4089] Her older sister Viola was the mother of Ina Olney, who married Harvey Garn, person #1327 in this book. And Carrie's younger sister Eva married Jesse's younger brother Archie, person #873 in this book. Carrie's mother, Mary Elizabeth Hillard, has been shown to be a descendant of Mayflower Pilgrims John Alden and Priscilla Mullins. [4090] Jess and Carrie were buried in Fairview Cemetery in Manton, Michigan.

Jesse Alvia GARN and Carrie Belle STEWART had the following child: [4091]

i. Gertrude Grace<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 27 May 1912 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4092] She died on 17 March 1993 in Pond Creek, Grant Co., Oklahoma. [4093] She was buried at Memorial Gardens, Lakeland, Florida. Gertrude graduated from Greenville College, Greenville, Illinois, and was a teacher. She married Rev. Ralph E. SCOTT (son of Elmer SCOTT and Mary DODD) on 18 June 1941 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co.,

4085 Birth recorded in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

Birth recorded in Harriet Field Bible, Harriet maternal grandmother, Bible in possession of the author; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4083</sup> Email from Michelle (Smith) Caskey, great-great-granddaughter of Stowell Lawton; McBride and Capener, p. 81.

<sup>4084</sup> Email from Michelle (Smith) Caskey, great-great-granddaughter of Stowell Lawton.

Grand Traverse County, Michigan, Death Index, 1867-2011, <ancestry.com>, accessed 30 March 2014, Jessie A. Garn, 10 November 1955; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83750658; Obituary, unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, parents as Martin and Sarah Garn, birth in Culver, Indiana, names widow, daughter, and surviving brothers; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

Marriage Record for Jesse A. Garn and Carrie Stewart, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 24 March 2011, cites FHL# 2342688, Ref. No. v.5, p. 15, R.N. 152, names parents; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

<sup>4089</sup> Social Security Death Index record, SSN 365-68-0666; Obituary from unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, names deceased spouse and daughter.

Lynn E. Garn, "The Descendants of Richmond A. Hillard, A John Alden Line" in the *Mayflower Descendant*, 57: 125-142, at 138, Mary Elizabeth, first child of Henry J. Hillard.

Gertrude named on censuses, cited above; obituaries of both parents; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

Date recorded in scrap book of Carrie (Stewart) Garn, mother of Gertrude, scrap book in possession of the author; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

<sup>4093 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 116445900; Obituary of Gertrude (Garn) Scott in the Flash, Vol. 5, No. 12, 26 March 1993, Light and Life Park [Deeson Rd.], Lakeland FL 33809; Social Security Death Index record for Gertrude G. Scott, SSN 386-38-4095.

Michigan. [4094] Rev. Ralph E. SCOTT was born on 19 September 1915 in Boyne City, Charlevoix Co., Michigan. [4095] He died on 7 May 1994 in Pond Creek, Grant Co., Oklahoma. [4096] Ralph was a minister in the Free Methodist Church.

873. **Archie Edwin<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Martin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #364, and Sarah Jane HAWKINS) was born on 29 July 1887 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co.. Michigan. [4097] In 1910, before he married, he lived in Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, as the head of the household with his brother Chauncy living with him. [4098] He died on 21 February 1958 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. [4099] Archie delivered mail for the post office for a number of years. He also worked at the St. Johns Table Factory in Cadillac where he designed furniture including tables, chairs, and cabinets. He also designed cabinets for console radios. [4100] Later he made signs for the Michigan Highway Department, the agency from which he retired in May of 1955.



Archie Edwin Garn, person #873, and his wife Eva and their three oldest children

Archie Edwin GARN married **Eva Della STEWART** (daughter of **Charles Ewells STEWART** and **Mary Elizabeth HILLARD**) on 21 October 1911 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4101] Records provided by Eva indicate they actually were married 22 Oct. 1911, not 21 Oct. 1911 as indicated on her marriage record. In 1920 they lived in Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan. [4102] Ten years later they appeared on the census in Cadillac, Wexford County, with their three oldest children and Eva's mother in the household. [4103] By 1952 they had moved to Manton, Wexford Co., where they lived until Archie's

Social Security Death Index record for Ralph E. Scott, SSN 377-22-7997; Email from Jon Ford, husband of Ralph's daughter Ruth, 29 November 2002.

Newspaper article reporting marriage, unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, his parents as Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scott, her parents as Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

McBride and Capener, p. 84; other records place his birth in 1913 and as late as 1919.

Honor Birth recorded in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30; death record gives birth date; McBride and Capener, p. 84. In 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Archie Garn, Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, T624 666, p. 8A, E.D. 146.

Michigan Deaths, 21 February 1958, State File No. 8661, Local File No. 32, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 83750654; Obituary, unknown newspaper, probably the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, names spouse, children; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

Carl Rauch, husband of Laura Stewart, sister of Archie's wife Eva, gave the author a console radio when the author was a teenager and reported that Archie had designed the cabinet for it. The radio was an Atwater-Kent radio with a serial number that indicated it had been manufactured around 1925.

Marriage Record for Archie Edw. Garn and Eva D. Stewart, Michigan Marriages, 21 October 1911, File No. 5-715, names parents.

<sup>4102 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Archie Garn, Colfax Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan, T625 798, p. 4A, E.D. 217.

<sup>4103</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Archie Garn, Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan, Roll 1077, p.7B, E.D. 5, Mary Stewart, mother-in-law, in household.

death. Eva continued to live in Manton for several years after Archie's death. In 1965 she remarried to Raymond Leslie House, who had been married to Edith Garn, person #1351 in this book.<sup>[4104]</sup>

Eva Della STEWART was born on 8 October 1894 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4105] She died on 16 January 1993 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4106] Eva's older sister Viola was the mother of Ina Olney, who married Harvey Garn, person #1327 in this book. And Eva's sister Carrie married Archie's brother Jesse, person #872 in this book. Eva's mother, Mary Elizabeth Hillard, has been shown to be a descendant of Mayflower Pilgrims John Alden and Priscilla Mullins. [4107] Archie and Eva were buried in Fairview Cemetery in Manton, Michigan.

Archie Edwin GARN and Eva Della STEWART had the following children: [4108]

- i. Gerald Bernard<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 30 July 1912. [4109] He died on 31 December 1993 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4110] Around 1950 Gerald bought a small glass installation business which he ran alone for a while. A couple years later he invited his brother Stewart to buy half of the business. Together they ran the Garn Glass Company in Cadillac from the early 1950's until the late 1970's. Neither Gerald nor Stewart completed high school. Yet they were able to build and operate a successful business that was well respected for both its quality of service and its integrity. The company installed aluminum store fronts, aluminum and glass doors, windows and just about anything requiring glass in the construction business. He married Mary Eva COCHRANE (daughter of George Ellis COCHRANE and Lena Rose Lilly GRUCHOW) on 24 October 1934 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4111] Mary Eva COCHRANE was born on 24 April 1914 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4112] She died on 5 August 2008. [4113]
- ii. **Stewart Darrell<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 17 August 1915 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4114] He died on 14 April 1989 in Lakeland, Polk Co., Florida. [4115] Stewart was buried in Meauwataka Cemetery in Colfax Twp., Wexford Co. Michigan. He and his brother Gerald owned and operated the Garn Glass Company in Cadillac. Stewart's son Lynn Edwin<sup>11</sup> GARN, the author of this book, took the Y-DNA test to help establish

Marriage License of Raymond Leslie House and Eva Della Garn, Michigan Marriages, 1965, State File No. 23543, license granted 24 May 1965, Wexford Co., Michigan, marriage on 29 May 1965 in Corunna, Shiawassee Co., Michigan.

Harriet Field Bible, Harriet maternal grandmother, Bible in possession of the author; Michigan Births, October 1894, State File No. 6-453, multiple copies received from state report births on 17 January, 18 October, and 8 October, all in 1894, Eva insisted her birth was 8 October, incompetence at Michigan Dept. of Public Health is disconcerting!; McBride and Capener, p. 84.

<sup>4106</sup> Obituary, presumably from the Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, names spouses and children.

Lynn E. Garn, "The Descendants of Richmond A. Hillard, A John Alden Line" in the *Mayflower Descendant*, 57: 125-142, at 138, Mary Elizabeth, first child of Henry J. Hillard.

Personal knowledge of the author; children named in obituaries of both Archie and Eva; three oldest children appear on censuses, citesd above.

Family Group Sheet, provided by Jean (Garn) Preston, daughter of Gerald and Mary, 21 February, 2002, McBride and Capener, p. 85.

\*\*www.findagrave.com\*\*, Memorial# 28990527; Family Group Sheet, provided by Jean (Garn) Preston, daughter of Gerald and Mary, 21 February, 2002.

Family Group Sheet, provided by Jean (Garn) Preston, daughter of Gerald and Mary, 21 February, 2002, McBride and Capener, p. 85. Family Group Sheet, provided by Jean (Garn) Preston, daughter of Gerald and Mary, 21 February, 2002, McBride and Capener, p. 85.

Obituary of Mary (Cochrane) Garn, Cadillac News, Cadillac, Michigan, 7 August 2008, names parents, spouse, and children; Family Group Sheet, provided by Jean (Garn) Preston, daughter of Gerald and Mary, 21 February, 2002, McBride and Capener, p. 85.

<sup>4114</sup> Michigan Births, 17 August 1915, State Record No. 83-104 - Registered Number 19, Wexford Co., Michigan.

<sup>4115</sup> Florida Deaths, 14 April 1989, State File - Libr 70, Page 144; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 101587039.

relationships among members of this family. [4116] He married **Helen Frances NIXON** (daughter of **Frank Harlan NIXON** and **Chloie Adell SMITH**) on 5 September 1939 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4117] Stewart and Helen lived in several small houses in Boon, Michigan until they bought a large house at the southeast corner of the intersection of North Harrison St. and South Myrtle St. in Boon, where they lived until 1 March, 1950 when the house burned to the ground. [4118] Soon afterward Stewart and Helen bought land across the road from the White Pine School on Boon Road near Cadillac, where Stewart built the family a house. Helen Frances NIXON was born on 17 November 1914 in Cherry Grove Twp., Wexford Co., Michigan. [4119] She was a teacher for more than 40 years. Shortly before she turned 92 years old, the Citizen Patriot newspaper in Jackson, Michigan, carried a story about how she had been retired for many years but still volunteered to tutor reading at the local elementary school and was helping a fourth grader with reading. [4120] Several of her ancestors served in the Civil War and Revolutionary War. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. [4121] She died on 1 December 2012 in Jackson, Jackson Co., Michigan. [4122]

- 1364. iii. Amber June<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 25 June 1923 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4123] She died on 1 September 1992 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4124] She married Robert Garvin COWIN (son of William Guy COWIN and Pearl Ann GARVIN) on 7 January 1944 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4125] Robert Garvin COWIN was born on 9 September 1922 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. [4126] He died on 25 March 1988. [4127] Bob owned and operated the Cadillac Printing Company in Cadillac, Michigan.
- 1365. iv. Shirley Ann<sup>10</sup> GARN was born in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4128]</sup> She married Delbert Eugene HAMBLEY (son of George V. HAMBLEY and Ruth Irene SHARP) on 20 December 1952 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4129]</sup> Delbert Eugene HAMBLEY was born on 28 July 1933 in Allegan Co., Michigan.<sup>[4130]</sup> He died on 24

See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them.

Michigan Marriages, 5 September, 1939, State Record No. 83-1823, Wexford Co., Michigan No. 7, names parents.

Cadillac Evening News, Cadillac, Michigan, 2 March 1950, pp. 1 and 2.

Birth Record of Helen Frances Nixon, 17 Novembe 1914, Rec. No. 83-99, Wexford Co., Michigan.

 $<sup>^{4120}</sup>$  Forever a teacher, story in The Jackson Citizen Patriot, 21 October 2006.

DAR membership number 644308, as a descendant of Seth Howland, Ancestor Number A058835.

Michigan Deaths, Helen Frances Garn, 1 December 2012, State File No. 220619, CF 1397, incorrectly reports ancestry as part German; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 101587078; Obituary of Helen F. Garn, Jackson Citizen Patriot, Jackson, Michigan, 4 December 2012, page A6; Personal knowledge of the author who is her son.

From obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 85.

Obituary of Amber June Cowin, Cadillac News, Cadillac, Michigan, 3 September 1992, p. A2; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 37579851

<sup>4125</sup> Obituary of Amber June Cowin, cited above, reports marriage; McBride and Capener, p. 85.

McBride and Capener, p. 85.

Robert's death reported in Amber's obituary, cited above.

<sup>4128</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 86.

Emails from Del and Shirley (Garn) Hambley, 25 June 2000; marriage also reported in Del's obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 86.

Emails from Del and Shirley (Garn) Hambley, 25 June 2000; birth also reported in obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 86; He was born in the family home in Allegan County - the family's postal address was Grand Junction, Michigan, which was in Van Buren County, has caused confusion over his birth place.

February 2007 in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo Co., Michigan. [4131] Del was a teacher and historian. He authored *Presidential Footprints*, a book about the presidents, the major issues they faced, and how they handled them. [4132]

874. **Chauncy Earl<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Martin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Martin GARN, person #364, and Sarah Jane HAWKINS) was born on 23 September 1890 in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan.<sup>[4133]</sup> He died on 17 August 1964 in Grand Traverse Co., Michigan.<sup>[4134]</sup>

Chauncy Earl GARN married **Mae Ethel PARKE** (daughter of **Milan Henry PARKE** and **Mercy Jane ALLEN**) on 26 July 1911 in Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan. They appeared on the 1920 and 1930 censuses in Cadillac, Michigan. Mae Ethel PARKE was born on 23 May 1889 in Vermontville, Eaton Co., Michigan. She died on 1 November 1965 in Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. She was buried at Grand Traverse Memorial Gardens, Traverse City, Michigan.

Chauncy Earl GARN and Mae Ethel PARKE had the following children: [4139]

- i. Donna Margaret<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 27 February 1912 in Boyne City, Charlevoix Co., Michigan. [4140] She died on 27 January 1982 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. [4141] She was a nurse and retired as supervisor of nurses at Traverse City Regional Psychiatric Hospital in Traverse City, Michigan. She married Homer William PILLARS (son of Henry PILLARS and LaMyra ABBOTT) on 30 October 1953 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. [4142] Homer William PILLARS was born on 17 April 1908 in Pellston, Emmet Co., Michigan. [4143] He died on 12 December 1987, probably in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. [4144]
- 1367. ii. **Earl Chauncy<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 28 September 1913 in Boyne City, Charlevoix Co., Michigan. [4145] He died on 12 August 1997 in Branch Co., Michigan. [4146] He was an

<sup>4131 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 81416684; Obituary, Kalamazoo Gazette, Kalamazoo, Michigan, 26 Februiary 2007; McBride and Capener, p. 86.

Del Hambley, *Presidential Footprints*, (Indianapolis, 2008), ISBN: 978-159858-815-6.

Birth recorded in portrait album of Martin Garn family, see Appendix 30; McBride and Capener, p. 86.

Grand Traverse County, Michigan, Death Index, 1867-2011, <ancestry.com>, accessed 2 April 2014, Chauncy E. Garn, 17 August 1964; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com"></a>, Memorial# 114307680.

Marriage Record for Chauncey Earl Garn and Mae Ethel Parke, <familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 25 March 2011, cites FHL# 2342695, Ref. No. v.5, p. 710, R.N. 136, names his parents and her father, gives date and place shown here; McBride and Capener, p. 86 give marriage two days earlier in Boyne City, Charlevoix Co., Michigan.

<sup>4136 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Chauncey Garn, Cadillac Ward 1, Wexford Co., Michigan, T625\_798, p. 15A, E.D. 207, Jane Parke, mother-in-law in home; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Chauncy Garn, Cadillac, Wexford Co., Michigan, Roll 1077, pp. 16A-16B, E.D. 5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4137</sup> Date from the Remembrance Card at her funeral; McBride and Capener, p. 86, places birth one month earlier.

Date from Remembrance Card at her funeral.

<sup>4139</sup> Children appear on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 96.

Date and place reported in Donna's obituary, cited below; McBride and Capener, p. 87.

Obituary of Donna M. Pillars, North Michigan Herald, Vol. 26, No. 8, April 1982, Published by the North Michigan Conference, Free Methodist Church, p. 3.

Date of marriage reported in Donna's obituary, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 87.

<sup>4143</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 87.

<sup>4144</sup> Social Security Death Index record of Homer W. Pillars, SSN 371-10-1300.

<sup>4145</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 87, consistent with censuses of parents, cited above.

excellent athlete in high school at Cadillac, Michigan, where he played on the football team and excelled in track, winning the 1932 Michigan State Championship in the shot put. He married **Helen HAYES** on 21 October 1939 in Goshen, Elkhart Co., Indiana. [4147] Helen HAYES was born on 14 July 1919 in Nessen City, Benzie Co., Michigan. [4148] She died on 2 April 2005 in Coldwater, Branch Co., Michigan. [4149] She worked as a nurse at the Traverse City State Hospital. Both Earl and Helen were buried in the family plot in Grand Traverse Memorial Gardens in Traverse City.

- 1368. iii. **Ruth M.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 7 April 1919 in Manton, Wexford Co., Michigan. She died on 30 March 2006 in Grand Traverse Co., Michigan. She never married.
- 1369. iv. **Rex Marshall<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 21 August 1921 in Missaukee, Missaukee Co., Michigan.<sup>[4152]</sup> He died on 29 January 1976 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan.<sup>[4153]</sup> He married **Phyllis BAUER** on 10 September 1945 in Traverse City, Grand Traverse Co., Michigan.<sup>[4154]</sup> Rex and Phyllis lived on Garn Road near Traverse City, Michigan. Phyllis BAUER was born about 1922 in Newport News, Warwick Co., Virginia.<sup>[4155]</sup>

876. **Lewis Edwin<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Benjamin Franklin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Benjamin Franklin GARN, person #367, and Lucinda Catherine FRIEND) was born on 24 July 1885 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. <sup>[4156]</sup> Lewis was reported to be in "Yukiuma, Washington," in his father's obituary. He undoubtedly was the "boarder" who appeared on the census there in 1910. <sup>[4157]</sup> He died on 10 January 1957. <sup>[4158]</sup>

Lewis Edwin GARN married **Florence BEARDSLEY** in 1915. [4159] Lewis and Florence appeared on the 1920 and 1930 U.S. Censuses with their son, who was named Ray and Ray B. on the censuses. [4160] Florence BEARDSLEY was born about 1892 in Washington. [4161]

Date given in obituary of Helen, his wife; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 21472963.

Date from Helen's obituary, cited below, obituary places marriage in Bristol, also in Elkhart Co., Indiana; McBride and Capener, p. 87;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4148</sup>Date from obituary, which places birth in Traverse City, Michigan; McBride and Capener, p. 87, gives birth place shown here.

Obituary of Helen (Hayes) Garn, 12 July 2005 issue of the Traverse City Record Eagle, Traverse City, Michigan, reporting her death on 2 April 2005.

McBride and Capener, p. 87, date consistent with censuses of parents, cited above.

Grand Traverse County, Michigan, Death Index, 1867-2011, <ancestry.com>, accessed 6 April 2014, Ruth M. Garn, 30 March 2006; <a href="www.findagrave.com"><a href

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4152</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 87, date consistent with censuses of parents, cited above.

<sup>4153 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>. Memorial# 114311628.

McBride and Capener, p. 87.

<sup>4155</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 87.

Marshall Co., Indiana, Births, Birth Record for Lewis Edwin Garn, cert. no. 113-1885-85-826, parents as B. F. Garn and Lucinda J. Garn; McBride and Capener, p. 94.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4157</sup> 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Lewis E. Garn, North Yakima Ward 3, Yakima Co., Washington, T624\_1675, p. 17A, E.D. 286, as Louis Garn, a boarder.

McBride and Capener, p. 94; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 78634697.

McBride and Capener, p. 94: Censuses, cited below, are consistent with first name and age of Florence.

<sup>4160 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lewis E. Garn, Yakima, Yakima Co., Washington, T625\_1946, p. 9B, E.D. 222; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Lewis E. Garn, Yakima, Yakima Co., Washington, Roll 2524, p. 2B, E.D. 29.

<sup>4161</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 94; date consistent with censuses, cited above.

Lewis Edwin GARN and Florence BEARDSLEY had the following child: [4162]

i. **Wray Benjamin<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 4 January 1916. [4163] He is undoubtedly the Wray B. Garn who worked at Los Alamos National Laboratory at one time. [4164]

878. **Grace Evelyn<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Benjamin Franklin<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Benjamin Franklin GARN, person #367, and Lucinda Catherine FRIEND) was born on 23 June 1893 in Burr Oak, Marshall Co., Indiana. [4165] She died on 26 October 1919 in Kirkersville, Licking Co., Ohio. [4166] She died as a result of infection when a blood clot in an artery in the back of her leg became infected.

Grace Evelyn GARN married **Russell W. TAGGART** (son of **Albert TAGGART** and **Ella WHITE**) on 20 February 1916 in Marshall Co., Indiana. [4167] Russell W. TAGGART was born on 25 April 1893 in Fairfield Co., Ohio. [4168]

Grace Evelyn GARN and Russell W. TAGGART had the following child: [4169]

1371. i. **Ruth Marie<sup>10</sup> TAGGART** was born on 13 September 1919 in Kirkersville, Licking Co., Ohio. [4170]

881. **Herbert M.<sup>9</sup> GARN** (George Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of George Washington GARN, person #368, and Lola E. MEDBOURN) was born on 12 January 1879 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [4171]

Herbert M. GARN married **Luclie WOODWARD** (daughter of **Almond G. WOODWARD** and **Mary E. WALKER**) on 3 September 1903 in Trumbull Co., Ohio. [4172] In 1910 and 1920 Herbert and Lucile appeared on the censuses in Canton, Lewis Co., Missouri. [4173] On one of the censuses he listed his occupation as a minister of the gospel at a college. Luclie WOODWARD was born on 7 November

The author has seen references to technical papers attributed to a Wray B. Garn who worked at Los Alamos National Laboratory.

Also, the author found a Wray B. Garn in the telephone book when the author visited the laboratory, probably in the mid 1980's. The author regrets that he did not contact Wray B. Garn when visiting the laboratory.

Marshall Co., Indiana, Births, Birth Record for Grace Evelyn Garn, cert. no. 113-1893-189314, parents as B. F. Garn and Lucinda Friend; Marriage record and death record, cited below, give birth date; McBride and Capener, p. 95.

Death Record for Grace E. Taggart, Ohio Deaths, 26 October 1919, File No. 58840, father as B. F. Garn, mother as Lucinda Friend, Russell Taggart as informant; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 47665223; McBride and Capener, p. 95.

4167 Marriage Record for Russell W. Taggart and Grace E. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 25 March 2011, cites FHL# 1651773, names parents, bride's father as B. F. Garn, bride's mother as Lucind [sic] Friend; McBride and Capener, p. 95.

From marriage record; McBride and Capener, p. 95.

Obituary of Benjamin F. Garn, Culver Citizen, Culver, Indiana, 4 March 1931, granddaughter Ruth as a daughter of Benjamin's deceased daughter Grace Taggart; McBride and Capener, p. 95.

McBride and Capener, p. 95; date agrees with 1920 Census of grandfather Benjamin F. Garn, who raised her after her mother died.

McBride and Capener, p. 99, agrees with censuses, cited below.

Marriage Record for Herbert M. Garn and Lucile Woodward, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 March 2011, cites FHL# 905553, names parents, bride's father as A. G. Woodward; McBride and Capener, p. 99.

4173 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Herbert Garn, Canton Ward 2, Lewis Co., Missouri, T624\_792, p. 24B, E.D. 53, daughter Imogene indexed as Georgene; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Herbert M. Garn, Canton Twp., Lewis Co., Missouri, T625\_932, p. 1B, E.D. 53.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4162</sup> Wray appears on 1920 and 1930 Censuses, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 94.

McBride and Capener, p. 94; date consistent with censuses, cited above.

1874 in Braceville, Trumbull Co., Ohio. [4174] She died on 16 June 1943 in Akron, Summit Co., Ohio. [4175] She was a sister of Dr. Harry Woodward, who married Herbert's sister Nellie Imogene.

Herbert M. GARN and Luclie WOODWARD had the following children: [4176]

- i. **Imogene<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 1 July 1904 in Ohio. [4177] She died on 9 August 1996 in Coshocton, Coshocton Co., Ohio. [4178] She married **Dr. Richard Frank WARREN**. [4179] Dr. Richard Frank WARREN was born on 4 May 1905. [4180] He died on 16 April 1980. [4181] His Find A Grave memorial reports him as DDS Richard Frank Warren.
- 1373. ii. **Virginia** GARN was born about 1907 in Illinois.

882. **Nellie Imogene<sup>9</sup> GARN** (George Washington<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of George Washington GARN, person #368, and Lola E. MEDBOURN) was born on 4 April 1881 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [4182] She died on 12 October 1941 in Akron, Summit Co., Ohio. [4183]

Nellie Imogene GARN married **Dr. Harry E. WOODWARD** (son of **Almond G. WOODWARD** and **Mary E. WALKER**) on 24 December 1906 in Marshall Co., Indiana. [4184] Dr. Woodward and Nell appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Summit Co., Ohio, first in Kenmore and then in Akron. [4185] Dr. Harry E. WOODWARD was born on 14 January 1876 in Braceville, Trumbull Co., Ohio. [4186] He received a Doctor of Osteopathy degree in 1916 and practiced in Akron, Ohio. He was a brother of Lucile Woodward, who married Nellie's brother Herbert.

Nellie Imogene GARN and Dr. Harry E. WOODWARD had the following child: [4187]

i. **Donovan Garn<sup>10</sup> WOODWARD** was born on 22 May 1911 in Ohio. [4188] He died on 3 July 1917 in Hiram, Portage Co., Ohio. [4189]

<sup>4174</sup> From death record, cited below; Mcbride and Capener, p. 99.

Death Record for Lucile Woodward Garn, Ohio Deaths, 16 June 1943, File No. 40429, names spouse, parents.

<sup>4176</sup> Children named as grandchildren of George Washington Garn in his obituary; Censuses of parents, cited above.

<sup>4177 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 59555264; Age 92 on death record and in obituary.

Obituary of Imogene Warren, North East Ohio Regional Library System obituary index at <ohiofamilysearch.org>, cites Coshocton Tribune, Coshocton, Ohio, Sunday, pub. 11 August 1996, Page 5, names parents, spouse as R. Frank Warren, age 92; "Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007," <familysearch.org>, accessed 21 April 2014, Imogene G. Warren, 9 August 1996, age 92, gives parents' surnames, cites <ancestry.com> online database, vol 30768, cert. 60549; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 59555264

<sup>4179</sup> Imogene's spouse as R. Frank Warren in her obituary, cited above.

<sup>4180 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 59555265.

<sup>4181 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 59555265.

From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 101.

Death Record for Nellie Imogene Woodward, Ohio Deaths, 12 October 1941, File No. 63624, names spouse, parents, Dr. Harry E. Woodward as informant; McBride and Capener, p. 101.

Marriage Record for Harry E. Woodward and Nell I. Garn, <a href="familysearch.org">familysearch.org</a>, Indiana Marriages, 1811-1959, accessed 26 March 2011, cites FHL#1651772; McBride and Capener, p. 101, marriage also reported in Harry's biography, cited below.

<sup>4185 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Harry E. Woodward, Kenmore, Summit Co., Ohio, T625\_1442, p. 35B, E.D. 285; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Harry E. Woodward, Akron, Summit Co., Ohio, Roll 1880, p. 5B, E.D. 152.

Scott Dix Kenfield, [History of] *Akron and Summit County, Ohio, 1825-1928*, (Chicago and Akron, 1928), Vols. I-III, Biography of Dr. Harry E. Woodward, pp. 620-621, names spouse, deceased son; McBride and Capener, p. 101.

Child named in Harry's biography, cited above, son as Donovan Garn Woodward; McBride and Capener, p. 101, child as unknown first name, middle name Garn.

884. Effie Estell<sup>9</sup> GARN (Mandes Edward<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Mandes Edward GARN, person #369, and Emma L. ALLEN) was born on 21 September 1883 in Marshall Co., Indiana. [4190] She died in May 1957 in Broward Co., Florida. [4191]

Effie Estell GARN married John W. LANDIS (son of John LANDIS and Rebecca BEAGLES) on 22 September 1901 in Paulding Co., Ohio. [4192] John W. LANDIS was born in 1881 in Marshall Co., Indiana.[4193]

Effie Estell GARN next married Charles William SCHAUB. [4194] We have not located a marriage record for this marriage, reported by McBride and Capener. However, they undoubtedly married since a Charles William Schaub married in August 1957 in Broward Co., Florida, three months after Effie died there.[4195]

885. Chauncey Marcus<sup>9</sup> GARN (Mandes Edward<sup>8</sup>; Susanna<sup>7</sup>; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Mandes Edward GARN, person #369, and Emma J. KAUFFMAN) was born on 7 July 1889 in Culver, Marshall Co., Indiana. [4196] We believe McBride and Capener correctly placed him as a son of Mandes and this Emma because he appeared on the 1910 U.S. Census, cited below, in the same city where Mandes died a year earlier and because of the close agreement with information on the death record, cited below. He died on 20 February 1962 in San Bernardino, California. [4197] Since the date and place of birth (Indiana) on the death record of a Charles M. Garn in California match those of this Chauncey Garn, we are convinced that there was an error in transcribing his handwritten name on his death record. We further believe that his mother's name was incorrectly transcribed as Haulman instead of Kaufman on that record.

Chauncey Marcus GARN married Frances LYSAGHT about 1909. [4198] We find her surname only in McBride and Capener. However, we believe this to be correct since a Richard Lysaght, age 59, and family were listed immediately after Chauncey and family on the 1910 U.S. Federal Census in St.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4188</sup> From death record; McBride and Capener, p. 101, with unknown first name, middle name Garn.

<sup>4189</sup> Death Record for Donovan Woodward, Ohio Deaths, 3 july 1917, File No. 47977, names parents as H. E. Woodward and Nell Garn.

Day and month from McBride and Capener, p. 103; Year from marriage record, cited below; Year of birth given by McBride and Capener places her birth nine days after her mother died.

<sup>4191 &</sup>quot;Florida, Death Index, 1877-1998," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Effie Estell Schaub, May 1957, cites vol. 1875, certificate no. 14944; McBride and Capener, p. 103, reports death in Fort Lauderdale.

<sup>4192</sup> Marriage Record for John W. Landis and Effie E. Garn, <familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 28 March 2011, cites RHL# 925302, Ref. No. v6, p. 344, cn. 687, names parents, bride's parents as M. E. Garn and Emma J. Allen; McBride and Capener, p. 103.

From marriage record.

<sup>4194</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 104

<sup>4195 &</sup>quot;Florida, Marriage Index, 1822-1875 and 1927-2001, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Charles Willam Schwab, August 1957, cites Florida Department of Health, Jacksonville, Florida and Jordan Dodd, Liahona Research.

<sup>4196</sup> Draft Registration Card, Chauncey Marcus Garn, <search.ancestry.com>, World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, accessed 28 March 2011, cites Roll 2032415, filed 5 June 1917, cites birth on 7 July 1889 in Culver, Indiana, reports he had wife and three children; McBride and Capener, p. 105, birth one year later than shown here.

Death report of Charles [sic] M. Garn, <search.ancestry.com>, California Death Index, 1940-1997, accessed 29 March 29 2011, birth on 7 July 1889 in Indiana, death on 20 February 1962, mother's maiden name as Haufman [sic].

<sup>4198</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 105.

Joseph, Berrien Co., Michigan. [4199] In 1920 Chauncey and family appeared on the census in Long Beach, Los Angeles Co., California. [4200] Both censuses report that he worked as a painter for an occupation. Frances LYSAGHT was born about 1890 in Michigan. [4201]

Chauncey Marcus GARN and Frances LYSAGHT had the following children, all born in Michigan: [4202]

- 1375. i. **Marie**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about January 1910.
- 1376. ii. Earl R. 10 GARN was born about 1914.
- 1377. iii. **Kathleen<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born about 1916.
- 1378. iv. Harold L.<sup>10</sup> GARN was born about 1918.

Chauncey Marcus GARN next married **Emily** after January 1920. [4203] Chauncey and Emily appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Los Angeles, California. [4204] His occupation was interior decorator on that census. We are convinced that Chauncey remarried after the 1920 Census because the name of his wife, her place of birth, and the places of birth of both of her parents on the 1930 U.S. Census do not match the information on his wife and her parents in the 1910 and 1920 Censuses. Emily was born about 1890 in Nebraska. [4205]

907. **Philip James**<sup>9</sup> **GARN, III** (Philip James<sup>8</sup>, Jr.; Philip James<sup>7</sup>, Sr.; John<sup>6</sup>; Johannes<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Philip James GARN, Jr., person #376, and Sarah ENGLISH) was born on 23 January 1898. [4206] He died on 20 January 1981 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. [4207]

Philip James GARN, III married **Viola GRAHAM** (daughter of **Henry James GRAHAM** and **Sarah Ann WEAVER**) on 8 December 1920 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. Viola GRAHAM was born on 14 June 1898 in Kaysville, Davis Co., Utah. Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. Salt Lake Co., Utah.

Philip James GARN, III and Viola GRAHAM had the following children: [4211]

- 1379. i. **daughter**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born in September 1926. She died in September 1926. She was stillborn
- 1380. ii. **Philip Graham**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1938 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., Utah. He authored the three volume set of books on the Garn family entitled *History and*

<sup>4199 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Chancey Garn, St. Joseph Ward 2, Berrien Co., Michigan, T624\_638, p. 5B, E.D. 89.

<sup>4200 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Chauncey M. Garn, Long Beach, Los Angeles Co., California, T625\_104, p. 13A, E.D. 80, Agnes Yore, an aunt, living in household.

From censuses, cited above.

<sup>4202</sup> Children appear on one or more census, cited above; McBride and Capener, p. 105.

From 1930 Census, cited below.

<sup>4204 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Chauncy Garn, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., California, Roll 141, p. 10B, E.D. 200.

<sup>4205</sup> From 1930 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>4206</sup> McBride and Capener, p. 431.

P. Garn, 3:125; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 49659.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4208</sup> P. Garn, 3:120.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4209</sup> P. Garn, p. 3:128.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4210</sup> P. Garn, 3:134.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4211</sup> P. Garn, 3, 130; McBride and Capener, p. 444.

biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches, which he published in 1989. He also took the Y-DNA test to help establish relationships among family members. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them.

954. Gaylord Miller<sup>9</sup> GARN (Henry Wachtel<sup>8</sup>; John<sup>7</sup>; Christopher<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry Wachtel GARN, person #400, and Alice E. MILLER) was born on 25 August 1886 in Loudonville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4212] There is a birth record for a Garland R. Garn, born to Henry W. Garn and Alice Miller on 16 December 1886 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4213] In 1942 his birth record was corrected in a case in Ashland County Probate Court to reflect the name and date shown here. [4214] He died on 9 November 1969. [4215] His obituaries report that he died at the Kettering Hospital.

Gaylord Miller GARN married **Nellie May MERCER** (daughter of **Joseph MERCER** and **Mary CAMPBELL**) on 2 August 1902 in Richland Co., Ohio. [4216] By 1910 it appears they had separated because Nellie was living in the home of her parents with their four sons. [4217] The record reports that she was still married and had been for eight years. Gaylord appears separately on the census, where his marital status is the same as Nellie's. [4218] Between 1910 and 1920 she remarried to Link Still and appeared on the census in 1920 with three of her sons. [4219] In 1930 her son Elwood appeared on the census with her in the Still household. [4220] Nellie May MERCER was born about 1886 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4221]

Gaylord Miller GARN and Nellie May MERCER had the following children: [4222]

i. Clyde R. 10 GARN was born about 1903 in Ohio. [4223]

ii. Harold M. 10 GARN was born about 1905 in Ohio. [4224] 1382.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4212</sup> From obituary.

<sup>4213</sup> Birth Record for Garland R. Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, bk 2, pp. 104-105.

<sup>4214</sup> Corrected Birth Record for Gaylord Miller Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio, Probate Court Records, Docket 2, p. 25, nl. 315, cites Journal Entry in Journal Vol. 53, p. 2, dated 24 March 1942, cites original record in bk. 2, p. 104 that gives incorrect name as Gavlord R. Garn and incorrect date as 16 December 1886, corrects name to be Gaylord Miller Garn and date to be 25 August 1886.

Obituary of Gaylord M. Garn, Loudenville [Ohio] Times, 12 November 1969, p. 7, col. 4, names parents, wife, sons, daughter as Mrs. Clarence Herrick; Obituary of Gaylord M. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 10 November 1969, p. 2, col. 2, names wife, sons, daughter as Mrs. Clarence Herrick; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 37347888.

<sup>4216</sup> Marriage Record for Gailord Miller Garns and Nellie May Mercer, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 1 November 2010, cites FHL# 388745, Ref. No. cn 1436, names parents.

<sup>4217 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Joseph B. Mercer, Mansfield Ward 2, Richland Co., Ohio, T624\_1225, p. 5B, E.D. 181, daughter Nellie [indexed as Millie] N Garn and four grandsons living in household.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Gaylord M. Garn, Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, T624 1125, p. 3B, E.D. 172.

<sup>4219 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Link S. Still, Washington Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, T625\_1430, p. 3A, E.D. 227, wife Nellie M., three

<sup>4220 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Link Still, Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, Roll 1863, pp. 10A-10B, E.D. 20, step-son Elwood Garns in household.

<sup>4222</sup> Children appear on 1910 Census of their mother, cited above; also, Herbert Charles is documented in records cited below, others appear in obituaries of their father and step-mother.

Date from census of his mother, cited above.

Date from census of his mother, cited above.

- 1383. iii. **Herbert Charles<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 30 May 1907 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4225] He died on 5 July 1929 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4226] He was fatally injured when he fell from a tree and struck his head on a curb. He was about thirty feet up the tree sawing a limb that had been damaged in a storm. His obituary names his three brothers. He married **Margaret**. [4227]
- 1384. iv. Elwood Walter<sup>10</sup> GARN was born about 1909 in Ohio. [4228]

Gaylord Miller GARN next married **Pearl Lucile GARFIELD** (daughter of **Lewis GARFIELD** and **Alice CALDWELL**) on 29 November 1909 in Franklin, Ohio. [4229] There are two marriage records for Gaylord and Pearl, one as shown here in 1909 and one on 6 January 1912 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4230] We have not examined the actual records. However, the alert reader will note that it appears that the first marriage to Pearl occurred before Gaylord had divorced Nellie, as we noted earlier that the 1910 Census reports that both Gaylord and Nellie were still married. The record for the marriage in 1909 does not identify if the marriage occurred in the town of Franklin, which is south of Dayton or in Franklin County, where Columbus is located. A newspaper article published about a week after the marriage has additional details about this marriage as well as his marriage to Nellie. [4231] Other articles in the Ashland Press also have information about his marriage.

In 1930 Gaylord and Pearl lived in Loudonville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4233] No children appeared in the household. Interestingly, Gaylord's obituary reports that he was a retired employee of the Ohio State Reformatory in Mansfield, which was the site where much of the movie Shawshank Redemption was filmed.

Pearl Lucile GARFIELD was born on 14 April 1891 in Upper Sandusky, Wayndot Co., Ohio. [4234] She died on 27 April 1980. [4235] Her obituaries report that she died in Kettering Hospital.

Gaylord Miller GARN and Pearl Lucile GARFIELD had the following child: [4236]

Death Record for Herbert Charles Garn, Ohio Deaths, 5 July 1929, File. No. 49078, names spouse, parents; obituary of Herbert Charles Garn, Loudenville [Ohio] Times, 11 July 1929, names spouse, children, siblings, parents, grandparents.

4229 Marriage Record of Gaylord W. Garn and Pearl Lucile Garfield, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 3 November 2010, cites FHL# 1854959, Ref. No. 2:3Q4GMTD, names parents, groom's mother as Miller, bride's father as L. B. Garfield and mother as Stump.

4230 Marriage Record of Gaylord M. Garn and Pearl L. Garfield, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 24 October 2010, cites FHL# 1017132, Ref. No. it 1 v10 p38, names parents, bride's father as L. B. Garfield and mother as Alice Coldwell.

Newspaper article about marriage of Gaylord Garn and Pearl Garfield, Fremont [Ohio] Messenger, 10 December 1909, p. 4, col. 8; see also the 1910 U.S. Census for Gaylord, cited earlier.

4232 Newspaper article about Gaylord Garn's support of his children, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 3 August 1910, as found in the Obituary Notebook, D-I, 1890-1915, Ashland Co. Library, Ashland Co., Ohio, cites article in Mansfield News; Newspaper article about Gaylord Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 15 December 1909, as reported by Anne Dallas Budd, Newspaper Abstracts of Ashland County, Ohio, (Port Cliinton, Ohio, 1992), v1, Abbe-Grose, found at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Belleville, Ohio.

4233 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Gaylord M. Garn, Loudonville, Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 4A, E.D. 6, as Garlord M. Garn.

Obituary of Pearl L. Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Times, 1 May 1980, names parents, step-sons, daughter as Mrs. Clarence Herrick; Obituary of Pearl L. Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Times Gazette, 28 April 1980, names parents, daughter and three step-sons.

4236 Named as daughter in obituaries of both parents.

<sup>4225</sup> From death record.

She is named in Herbert Charles' obituary.

Date from census of his mother, cited above.

<sup>4234</sup> From obituary

1385. v. **Imogene<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 19 July 1917.<sup>[4237]</sup> She died in December 1986.<sup>[4238]</sup> She married **Clarence HERRICK**.<sup>[4239]</sup>

955. **Charles Herman<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Henry Wachtel<sup>8</sup>; John<sup>7</sup>; Christopher<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry Wachtel GARN, person #400, and Alice E. MILLER) was born on 27 February 1891 in Wooster Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4240] Although his birth record does not include a first name, it does name his parents and his draft registration card for World War I reports the same birth date as the birth record cited above. [4241] The registration card is dated 5 June 1917 and reports that he was married and had three children. He is named in the obituaries of both parents, which report he lived in St. Louis, Missouri at the time. The obituary of his brother Gaylord reports that he lived in Bay Village, Ohio, in 1969. He died on 23 March 1970 in Bay Village, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. [4242]

Charles Herman GARN married **Hazel Dell BRADEN** (daughter of **Hugh BRADEN** and **Arletta M. MOWERS**) on 16 July 1910 in Essex Co., Ontario, Canada. <sup>[4243]</sup> They appeared on census in Fostoria, Ohio, in 1920, in St. Louis, Missouri, in 1930, and in Buffalo, New York, in 1940. <sup>[4244]</sup> Numerous records report that he worked for the railroads, which may explain the frequent moves. Hazel Dell BRADEN was born on 25 June 1889 in Weller Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. <sup>[4245]</sup>

Charles Herman GARN and Hazel Dell BRADEN had the following children, all born in Ohio: [4246]

- 1386. i. **Mildred I.** GARN was born about 1912.
- 1387. ii. **Dorothy P.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1914.
- 1388. iii. Margaret P.<sup>10</sup> GARN was born about 1917.

956. **Kenneth Markray** GARN (Henry Wachtel<sup>8</sup>; John<sup>7</sup>; Christopher<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry Wachtel GARN, person #400, and Alice E. MILLER) was born on 23 February 1897 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4247] The birth date

4239 Clarence named as spouse in obituaries of Imogene's parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4237</sup> Social Security Death Index for Imogene Herrick, SSN 302-01-7771, birth on 19 July 1917, death in December 1986, Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio as last residence; Private communication with Edwin Herrick, son of Imogene (Garn) Herrick, 7 November 2010, confirmed Imogene's parents."

<sup>4238</sup> Social Security Death Index, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, Births and Christenings Index, 1800-1962, <ancestry.com>, accessed 26 May 2014, unnamed male Garn child, 27 February, 1891, names parents, cites FHL# 475467...

<sup>4241 &</sup>quot;U.S. World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918," <ancestry.com>, accessed 26 May 2014, Charles Herman Garn, gives birth date, reports married with three children.

date, reports married with times stated and 1958-2007," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 26 May 2014, Charles H. Garn, 23 March 1970, cites <ancestry.com>, vol. 20002, cert. no. 17860.

<sup>4243 &</sup>quot;Ontario, Canada, Marriages, 1801-1928," <ancestry.com>, accessed 26 May 2014, Chas Herman Garn and Hazel Dell Braden, 16 July 1910, both claim to be 21 years old, names parents, her parents as Hugh Beraden and Arletta Marr, cites Archives of Ontario, MS932\_147, reel 147.

<sup>4244 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Charles H. Garn, Fostoria Ward 4, Seneca Co., Ohio, T625\_1432, Page 6B, E.D. 130; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Charles Garn, St. Louis, St. Louis [Independent City], Missouri, Roll 1241, Page 43B, E.D. 167, FHL# 2340976; 1940 U.S. Federal Census of Chas Garn, Buffalo, Erie Co., New York, T627 2836, Page 9A, E.D. 68-408.

<sup>4245 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Births, 1841-2003," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 26 May 2014, Hazel Braden, 25 June 1889, cites v. 2, p. 29, FHL# 541343, parents as H. J. Braden and Lettie M. Mowers.

Children are named on one or more census, cited above, birth dates and places are from census records.

From death record; Pedigree of Kenneth H. Garn, son of Kenneth Mark Ray Garn, son of Henry Wachtel Garn, within Garn family records at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio.

given here is the date that appears on his death record. A birth record exists for a Ray Garn, born exactly a year and one day later to Henry Garn and Dice [sic] Garn in Wooster. [4248] We believe this record applies to Kenneth Markray Garn and that there was an error in transcribing the original record or in the recollection of Kenneth's family. He died on 11 January 1979 in Clearwater, Pinellas Co., Florida. [4249]

Kenneth Markray GARN married Helen Mae SUNKEL (daughter of John Joseph SUNKEL and Stella Margaret HAVERFIELD) on 24 August 1918 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4250] They appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4251] Helen Mae SUNKEL was born on 12 February 1897 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4252] She died on 22 April 1981 in Dunedin, Pinellas Co., Florida. [4253]

Kenneth Markray GARN and Helen Mae SUNKEL had the following children: [4254]

- i. **Kenneth H.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 7 April 1920 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4255] He died on 17 March 2010 in Sarasota, Sarasota Co., Florida. [4256] He wrote the book, Storming ashore, one soldier's adventures in the First Engineer Special Brigade, 1942-1945 (University Editions, Huntington, W. VA, 1998). His son Kenneth C. 11 GARN took the Y-DNA test that establishes that John Garn, person #118 in this book, is closely related to the other Garns in this book. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them. He married Marianne FERGUSON on 23 April 1947. [4257] Marianne FERGUSON was born on 21 August 1923 in Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio. [4258]
- 1390. ii. **Miriam**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1922 in Ohio. [4259]

958. Catharine Melvina GARN (Adam A. 8; John 7; Adam 6; Conrad GERN; Johann Adam 4; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Adam A. GARN, person #412, and Susannah KAHL, person

<sup>4248</sup> Birth Record for Ray Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 16 November 2010, cites FHL# 475467, Ref. No. v. 3, p. 224, birth in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio to Henry Garn and Dice [sic] Miller on 24 [sic] February

Death Record for Kenneth Markray Garn, Florida Deaths, 11 Jan 1979, State File No. 79-007334, names spouse, parents.

<sup>4250</sup> Marriage Record for Kenneth M. Garn and Helen M. Sunkel, <br/>
Sunkel, <br/>
Seta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 1 November 2010, cites FHL# 388748, Ref. No. p. 58, rn 11747; Pedigree of Kenneth H. Garn, son of Kenneth Mark Ray Garn, son of Henry Wachtel Garn, within Garn family records at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Kenneth Garn, Mansfield Ward 4, Richland Co., Ohio, T625 1430, p. 11B, E.D. 209; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Kenneth M.Garn, Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, Roll 1863, p. 11A, E.D. 17.

Pedigree of Kenneth H. Garn, son of Kenneth Mark Ray Garn, son of Henry Wachtel Garn, within Garn family records at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio.

Pedigree of Kenneth H. Garn, son of Kenneth Mark Ray Garn, son of Henry Wachtel Garn, within Garn family records at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio.

<sup>4254</sup> Children appear on 1930 census, cited above; Kenneth's parents named on pedigree, cited above and on his death record cited below.

Pedigree of Kenneth H. Garn, son of Kenneth Mark Ray Garn, son of Henry Wachtel Garn, within Garn family records at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio; death record also gives birth information.

Death Record for Kenneth H. Garn, Florida Deaths, 18 March 2010, amended to reflect death on 17 March 2010, State File No. 2010-037562, names parents, current spouse, informant was son also named Kenneth Garn.

Pedigree of Kenneth H. Garn, son of Kenneth Mark Ray Garn, son of Henry Wachtel Garn, within Garn family records at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio.

Pedigree of Kenneth H. Garn, son of Kenneth Mark Ray Garn, son of Henry Wachtel Garn, within Garn family records at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio.

<sup>4259</sup> From 1920 U.S. Census.

#466) was born on 2 March 1872 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4260] Although she appears as Catherine Alvina on her birth record, later records, such as the listing of children in her father's Civil War pension file, the 1910 Census and death records of her children, call her Catherine M. or Melvina. She is named as Mrs. Elliott Myers in her father's obituary.

Catharine Melvina GARN married **Elliott M. MYERS** on 22 February 1892 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4261] They appeared on the 1910 Census in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4262] Elliott M. MYERS was born about 1866 in Ohio. [4263]

Catharine Melvina GARN and Elliott M. MYERS had the following children: [4264]

- i. **Guy Abraham<sup>10</sup> MYERS** was born on 4 July 1895 in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4265] He died on 19 December 1948 in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4266]
- 1392. ii. **unnamed<sup>10</sup> MYERS** was born on 21 July 1911 in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4267] She died on 21 July 1911 in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4268]

959. **Harvey Elmer<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Adam A.<sup>8</sup>; John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Adam A. GARN, person #412, and Susannah KAHL, person #466) was born on 27 December 1873 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4269] He died on 12 December 1949 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4270]

Harvey Elmer GARN married **Ada Florence JOHNSON** (daughter of **William JOHNSON** and **Fians SWAISGOOD**) on 25 August 1898 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4271] They appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4272] Ada Florence JOHNSON was born on 25 August 1877 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4273] She died on 14 January 1941 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4274]

Harvey Elmer GARN and Ada Florence JOHNSON had the following children: [4275]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4260</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 2 March 1872, bk 1, pp. 98-99, no. 2166.

<sup>4261</sup> Marriage Record of Elliot M. Myers and Catherine M. Garner [sic], <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 21 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079407, Ref. No. pg. 332, CN 9449, does not name parents; she named as Mrs. Elliott Myers in obituary of her father.

<sup>4262 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Elliott Myers, Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624\_1239, p. 4A, E.D. 161, as Eliot Myers.

<sup>4263</sup> From 1910 Census cited above.

<sup>4264</sup> Son Guy named on 1910 Census, parents of both children named on their death records.

From death record

Death Record for Guy Abraham Myers, Ohio Deaths, 19 December 1948, File No. 79679, married, names parents, mother as Melvina.

From death record.

<sup>4268</sup> Death record for unnamed Myers, Ohio Deaths, 21 July 1911, File No. 40739, parents as Elliott M. Myers and Catherine M. Garn.

<sup>4269</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 27 December 1873, bk. 1, pp. 148-149, no. 50.

Obituary of Harvey E. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 13 December 1949, p. 8, col. 2, names son, daughter, sisters and brothers.

<sup>4271</sup> Marriage Record for Harvey E. Garn and Florence Johnson, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 21 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079407, Ref. No. p. 157, CN 10644.

<sup>4272 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Cenuss of Harvey E. Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1247, p. 8B, E.D. 16.

From death record

<sup>4274</sup> Death Record for Ada Florene Garn, Ohio Deaths, 14 January 1941, File No. 162, names spouse, parents.

<sup>4275</sup> Children are named on the 1920 U.S. Census and in Harvey's obituary.

- i. George Elliott<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 26 October 1908 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4276] He died on 13 February 1999 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4277] He married Arlene Helen MUNSON (daughter of Harry MUNSON and Edna CRILE) on 22 April 1934 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4278] Arlene Helen MUNSON was born on 22 April 1912 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [4279] She died on 7 November 1938 in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4280] Her death record reports that she died of post partum hemorrhage.
- 1394. ii. Oda M<sup>10</sup> GARN was born about 1912 in Ohio. [4281] She married unknown GOARD. [4282]

961. **Marquis Leroy GARN** (Adam A.<sup>8</sup>; John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Adam A. GARN, person #412, and Susannah KAHL, person #466) was born on 9 August 1882 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4283] He died on 11 November 1972 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4284]

Marquis Leroy GARN married **Jennie Cole DEPLER** (daughter of **William DEPLER** and **Mary COLE**) on 14 February 1912 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4285] Jennie Cole DEPLER was born on 23 August 1888 in Rowsburg, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4286] She died on 9 August 1961 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4287]

Marquis Leroy GARN and Jennie Cole DEPLER had the following child: [4288] 1395. i. **Mildred** GARN. She married **Herbert L. SMITH**. [4289]

971. **Jeanette L.<sup>9</sup> HOUSER** (Rebecca<sup>8</sup> GARN; John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Alexander HOUSER, and Rebecca GARN, person #416) was born on 24 October 1875 in Ohio. [4290] She died on 26 August 1943 in Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. [4291]

<sup>4276</sup> From obituary

<sup>4277</sup> Obituary of George Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 15 Feb 1999, sec. C, p. 7, col. 2, names deceased spouse, parents, and a son and daughter.

Marriage Record of George Elliott Garn and Arlene Helen Munson, <br/>
Veta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 21 November 2010, cites FHL# 425763, Ref. No. 623, names parents.

<sup>4279</sup> From death record

<sup>4280</sup> Death Record for Arlene Helen Garn, Ohio Deaths, 7 November 1938, File No. 67368, names spouse, parents.

From 1920 U.S. Census of parents, cited above.

<sup>4282</sup> Obituary of Harvey E. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 13 December 1949, p. 8, col. 2, names son, daughter, sisters and brothers.

Ashland County, Ohio Births, 9 August 1882, v. 2, p. 100.

<sup>4284 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 43317802; Obituary of Marquis L. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 11 November 1972, p. 2, col. 1, daughter as Mrs. Herbert (Mildred) Smith.

<sup>4286</sup> From obituary

<sup>4287</sup> Obituary of Jennie C. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 10 August 1961, p. 2, col. 1, names spouse, parents, daughter as Mrs. Herbert L. Smith of Cleveland.

<sup>4288</sup> Daughter as Mrs. Herbert Smith in obituaries of both parents and as Mildred in mother's obituary.

<sup>4289</sup> Son-in-law of both Marquis and Jennie named as Herbert Smith in their obituaries

From death record.

Death Record for Jeanette Lantz, Ohio Deaths, 26 August 1943, File No. 52394, names spouse parents.

Jeanette L. HOUSER married **William FLECK** (son of **Eli FLECK**) on 31 March 1893 in Richland Co., Ohio. [4292] In 1900 they lived in Mansfield, Ohio, with two children. [4293] William FLECK was born in 1868 in Ohio. [4294] He died on 14 March 1906 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4295]

Jeanette L. HOUSER next married **Artimas H. LANTZ** (son of **John LANTZ** and **Lydia HOOVER**) on 9 November 1910 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4296] Artimas H. LANTZ was born in 1885 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4297]

973. **Sylvanus L.<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John L.<sup>8</sup>; John<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John L. GARN, person #417, and Rosa E. CARVER) was born on 22 October 1887 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4298] He died on 5 February 1952 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio [4299]

Sylvanus L. GARN married **Alta G. BOWER** (daughter of **Martin BOWER** and **Hattie HOCKS**) on 19 September 1908 in Ashland Co., Ohio. The surname of Alta's mother appears as shown here on her marriage record but as Fishburn in her obituary. Sylvanus and Alta appeared on the U.S. Census in 1910 - 1930 in Ashland County. In 1910 they lived with Alta's parents in Perry Twp. In 1920 and 1930 they lived in Mohican Twp. Alta G. BOWER was born on 29 August 1891 in Wayne Co., Ohio. She died on 17 November 1972 in Hayesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4303]

Sylvanus L. GARN and Alta G. BOWER had the following children, all born in Ohio: [4304] 1396. i. **Dorothy M.** GARN was born about 1912. She married **John TURNER**. [4305]

<sup>4292</sup> Marriage Record for Wm. Fleck and Jennie Houser, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 18 November 2010, cites FHL# 338743, File No. 1888-1894 p482 n1447.

<sup>1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Fleck, Mansfield Ward 8, Richland Co., Ohio, T623\_1316, p. 5B, E.D. 125.

From death record

Death Record for Wm. Fleck, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 18 November 2010, cites FHL# 397773, Ref. No. v. 1, p. 94, married, names father.

<sup>4296</sup> Marriage Record for Artimas H. Lantz and Jennetta L. Flick, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 18 November 2010, cites FHL# 388746, Ref. No. v21 p173, names parents, bride's mother mistakenly as Rebecca Rider; spouse as A. H. Lantz on Jeanette's death record.

From marriage record.

<sup>4298</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 24 May 1887, bk.3, p. 70.

Obituary of Sylvanus L. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 6 February 1952, p. 2, col. 3, names wife, two daughters as Mrs.

Dorothy Turner and Marjorie Garn, and three sons; Death Notice for Sylvanus Garn, Wooser [Ohio] Daily Record, 5 February 1952, p. 2, col. 2; Obituary of Sylvanus L. Garn, Loudonville [Ohio] Times, 8 February 1952, names surviving children and sister Maude Householder

<sup>4300</sup> Marriage Record of Sylvanus L. Garn and Alta G. Bower, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, accessed 30 September 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg. 445, cites parents of both.

<sup>4301 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Sylvanus Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 2A, E.D. 16, living with Alta's parents; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Sylvanus L. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 6A, E.D. 9, he as Sylvanis L. Garn; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Sylvanus L. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 1A, E.D. 15, indexed as Glvonis L. and Alla G. Gam.

From obituary.

<sup>4303</sup> Obituary of Alta Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 17 November 1972, p. 2, col. 2, names deceased spouse, parents, mother as Hattie Fishburn, names children.

From census records unless otherwise noted.

Dorothy named as Mrs. John (Dorothy) Turner in her mother's obituary.

- ii. **Floyd E.<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 7 December 1913 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4306] He died on 18 March 1977 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4307] He married **Dorothy KAYLOR** (daughter of **William KAYLOR** and **Pearl KRATHWOHL**) on 16 June 1939 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [4308] Floyd's son Dale GARN took the Y-DNA test to help prove that Adam Garn, person #59, belongs in the same Garn family as the others. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them. Dorothy KAYLOR was born about 1920. [4309]
- 1398. iii. Walter W. 10 GARN was born in 1918 in Ohio. [4310] He died on 25 January 1985 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4311] He married Mary Ann KESLAR. [4312]
- 1399. iv. Jason E. 10 GARN was born about 1922 in Ohio.
- 1400. v. **James Paul<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 9 May 1924 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[4313]</sup> He died on 10 May 1924 in Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[4314]</sup>
- 1401. vi. **Marjorie<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born after 8 April 1930.<sup>[4315]</sup> She married **Richard BOWERIZE**. <sup>[4316]</sup>

981. **Rolandus M.** <sup>9</sup> **GARN** (Henry J. <sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry J. GARN, person #419, and Sarah EWING) was born on 7 October 1863 in Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[4317]</sup> He died on 25 October 1944 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[4318]</sup> An obituary reports his deceased spouse, parents, living children and siblings. <sup>[4319]</sup>

Rolandus M. GARN married **Viola Mae WERTZ** (daughter of **Jacob WERTZ** and **Charlotte AUSTIN**) on 14 May 1885 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4320] They lived in Wayne Co., Ohio when the 1900-1930 Censuses were recorded. [4321] We believe that Bessie, who appears as a

Obituary for Floyd E. Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Times Gazette, 19 March 1977, names six children two sisters and two brothers, same issue of newspaper has separate item about his death, obituary and news item found in the obituary files of the Ashland Co., Library, Ashland, Ohio; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 118477383.

Obituary of Walter W. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 26 January 1985, sec. C, p. 1, col. 3, names parents, spouse, three sons, two daughters, two sisters and brother Jason.

Ashland Co., Ohio Deaths, 10 May 1924, File No. 25940, filed with death date of 9 May 1924 with correction filed reporting death on 10 May 1924.

Ohio Deaths, 25 October 1944, File. no. 65017, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 44502220.

<sup>4306</sup> From obituary.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 May 2014, Floyd Garn and Dorothy Kaylor, 16 June 1939, names parents, his father as Vanus Garn, cites Wayne County, FHL# 1940652; Floyd's spouse is named in his obituary.

From age, 19, on marriage record.

<sup>4310</sup> From obituary.

<sup>4312</sup> Mary Ann Keslar named as spouse in Walter's obituary.

From death record

Named in obituaries of her father and brother Walter; not named on a census including 1930 U.S. Census taken 8 April 1930.

<sup>4316</sup> Marjorie as Mrs. Richard (Marjory) Bowerize in her mother's obituary.

<sup>4317</sup> From death record

<sup>4319</sup> Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 25 October 1944, p. 10, col. 6.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 10, p. 331, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898*, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 87; <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 18 November 2010, cites FHL# 425757, Ref. No. 331 and Ref. No. 2:3Q69X95, she as Viola May Wertz; her parents named on her death record.

<sup>4321 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Rolandis [sic] Garns, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T623\_1332, p. 4B, E.D. 156; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Rolandrus [sic] M. Garn, East Union Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624\_1239, p. 11A, E.D. 168; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of

granddaughter on the 1930 Census is the daughter of Jay Garn, whose wife died in 1923. Viola Mae WERTZ was born on 21 May 1864 in Funk, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4322] She died on 20 July 1937 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4323]

Rolandus M. GARN and Viola Mae WERTZ had the following children: [4324]

- i. Ralph Roscoe<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 15 March 1888 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4325] We do not see the name Roscoe on later documents such as the 1900 and 1910 Censuses of his parents where he appears as Ralph R. However, Roscoe is the only name that appears on his birth record, which reports a birth exactly one year earlier than the date on his marriage record, on which he is named as only Ralph. He married Mayme HUNTSBERGER (daughter of Abram HUNTSBERGER and Mary BRENNEMAN) on 18 November 1915 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [4326] Mayme HUNTSBERGER was born on 8 March 1894 in Orrville, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4327]
- ii. **Blanche<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 2 February 1891 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4328] A birth record for Naoma B. Garn appears to be for Blanche since the year matches the birth year reported on her second marriage record. She married **Frank E. SHELLEY** (son of **Joseph C. SHELLEY** and **Rebecca EVARTS**) on 19 June 1909 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [4329] Frank E. SHELLEY was born on 1 April 1884 in Ohio. [4330] He died on 16 September 1919 in Akron, Summit Co., Ohio. [4331] He was a milkman and was killed when struck by a car. After Frank's death Blanche and two children lived with in-laws for a while. [4332] Blanch remarried to Benjamin F. McCann in 1924. [4333]
- 1404. iii. **Jay H.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1894 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [4334] He died on 9 May 1971 in Cuyahoga Falls, Summit Co., Ohio. [4335] He married **Bessie CARSON** (daughter of **Levi CARSON** and **Grace MCAFEE**) on 24 December 1918 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [4336]

Rolandus M. Garn, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T625\_1448, p. 1A, E.D. 208; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Rolandus Garn, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1888, p. 11B, E.D. 27.

From death record.

Death Record for Viola Mae Garn, Ohio Deaths, 20 July 1937, File No. 47753, names spouse, parents.

Children named on one or more census cited above, in their father's obituary, and in individual records cited below.

Birth Record for Roscoe Garn, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 18 November 2010, cites FHL# 475467, Ref. No. v. 3, p. 56.

<sup>4326</sup> Marriage Record for Ralph Garn and Mayme Huntsberger, <a href="https://beta.familysearch.org">beta.familysearch.org</a>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 18 November 2010, cites FHL# 425761.

From marriage record.

Birth record for Naoma B. Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 18 November 2010, cites FHL# 475467, Ref. No. v. 3, p. 104.

Marriage Record for Frank E. Shelley and Blanche O. Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 18 November 2010, cites FHL# 425760, Ref. No. vol. 17, p. 222, cn. 444, names parents, groom's mother as Rebecca Evarts.

from death record.

Death Record for Frank E. Shelley, Ohio Deaths, 16 Sept 1919, File No. 55355, names parents, mother as Rebecca Easts, spouse as Blanche.

<sup>4332 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of James C. Fowler, Wooster Ward 3, Wayne Co., Ohio, T625\_1448, p. 4B, E.D. 219, widowed sister-in-law Blanch M. Shelly and two children living in household.

Marriage Record for Benjamin F. McCann and Blanche N. Shelly, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages 1800-1958, accessed 19 November 2010, cites FHL# 425762, Ref. No. 441, both widowed, names parents, bride's mother as Vida Wertz.

From marriage and census records.

Obituary of Jay Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 14 May 1971, p. 2, col. 1.

<sup>4336 &</sup>lt;br/> <br/> <

Bessie CARSON was born on 19 March 1889 in Wayne Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4337] She died on 26 May 1923 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4338] Her death record reports that she died from an intestinal obstruction preceding childbirth. We believe the infant daughter Bessie Naomi who is named in her obituary was the Bessie who appeared with Jay's parents when the 1930 Census was recorded. After Bessie's death, Jay remarried to Daisy May First in West Virginia. [4339]

1405. iv. **Park**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1898 in Ohio. [4340] We have not found any record of a marriage for him.

983. **Alva B.<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Henry J.<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry J. GARN, person #419, and Sarah EWING) was born on 3 November 1866 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4341] He died on 31 December 1945 in West Salem, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4342]

Alva B. GARN married **Mettie June MCMASTER** (daughter of **Wesley MCMASTER** and **Sarah GILL**) on 13 January 1887 in Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[4343]</sup> They made their home in Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, where they appeared on the 1900-1930 U.S. Censuses. <sup>[4344]</sup> In 1930 three grandchildren with surname Tidball were living in the home. Mettie June MCMASTER was born on 24 June 1870 in Reedsburg, Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[4345]</sup> She died on 3 July 1953 in West Salem, Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[4346]</sup>

Alva B. GARN and Mettie June MCMASTER had the following children: [4347]

i. **Clyde<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 31 July 1887 in Reedsburg, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4348] He died on 10 August 1970 in Wellington, Lorain Co., Ohio. [4349] He was a contractor and carpenter in the Akron-West Salem, Ohio areas. He married **Mary PARKS** (daughter of

Death Record for Mrs. Bessie Garn, Ohio Deaths, 26 May 1923, file no. 35965, as Garns, names parents, spouse as Jay Garns; Death announcement for Mrs. Jay Garnes [sic], Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 26 May, 1923, p. 2, col. 3; Obituary for Bessie Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 26 June 1923, p. 8, col. 4.

Marriage Record for Jay H. Garn and Daisy Garn, <br/>
Seta familysearch.org>, West Virginia Marriages, 1853-1970, accessed 19 November 2010, cites FHL# 871002, References source as county records; Obituary of Daisy May Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 2 January 1974, p. 2, col. 2.

Appears on the 1900-1930 Censuses with parents; although later censuses suggest a birth after 1900, he appears on the 1900 Census as a 2-year-old.

4342 Ohio Deaths, 31 December 1945, File no. 77476, names parents.

4344 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Alva B. Garn, Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T623\_1331, p. 10B, E.D. 148, as Albert B. Garns; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Alva B. Garn, Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624\_1239, p. 4B, E.D. 167; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of A. B. Garn, Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T625\_1448, p. 12A, E.D. 198; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Alva B. Garn, Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, roll 1888, p. 12A, E.D. 16, three grandchildren, surname Tidball, living in household.

4346 Ohio Deaths, 3 July 1953, File no. 56792; Obituary of Mettie June Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 3 July 1953, p. 3, col. 1..

Children are named on censuses cited above, parents are named in individual records cited below.

Obituary of Clyde Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 10 August 1970, p. 2, col. 1, names deceased spouse, parents, three sons and a daughter.

<sup>4337</sup> From obituary.

From death record.

From death record.

From obituary.

**Harry PARKS** and **Mary**) on 21 May 1968.<sup>[4350]</sup> Mary PARKS was born on 4 September 1892 in Redhaw, Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[4351]</sup> She died on 17 July 1970 in Wellington, Lorain Co., Ohio.<sup>[4352]</sup>

- 1407. ii. Sarah<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 12 September 1889 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4353]
- 1408. iii. Lila Dell<sup>10</sup> GARN was born on 5 June 1892 in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4354]
- 1409. iv. **Guy R.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1895 in Ohio. [4355] He died on 24 June 1936 in Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio. [4356] He was a veteran of World War I and died in the Federal Soldiers Home. He married **Ida Mae YERGIN**. Ida Mae YERGIN was born about 1896 in Crawford Corners, Medina Co., Ohio. [4357] She died on 4 March 1973 in West Salem, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4358]
- v. **Mary M.<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born in 1899 in Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio.<sup>[4359]</sup> She married **Marion D. KLINE** (son of **Charles KLINE** and **Alice M. BOWMAN**) on 14 August 1919 in Wayne Co., Ohio.<sup>[4360]</sup> Marion D. KLINE was born in 1899 in Congress Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio.<sup>[4361]</sup>

984. **Sylvester<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Henry J.<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry J. GARN, person #419, and Sarah EWING) was born on 29 January 1868 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4362] He died on 30 December 1947 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4363] An obituary reports his death. [4364]

Sylvester GARN married **Amanda Belle BAKER** (daughter of **Peter S. BAKER** and **Amanda SIDLE**). [4365] Sylvester and Amanda Belle appeared on the 1910 and 1920 Censuses in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4366] In 1930 they were in Wooster, Ohio. [4367] Amanda Belle

 $<sup>^{4350}</sup>$  Each is cited in the obituary of the other.

From obituary

<sup>4352</sup> Obituary of Mary Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 18 July 1970, p. 2, col. 1, names spouse, three sons and a daughter, parents as Harry and Mary Parks.

<sup>4353</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 12 September 1889, bk. 3, p. 71.

<sup>4354</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 5 June 1892, bk. 3, p. 72.

<sup>4355</sup> From censuses and obituary.

<sup>4356</sup> Obituary of Guy Garns, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 25 June 1936, p. 7, col. 3, names wife and five children, parents as Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Garn and brother Clyde.

From obituary

<sup>4358</sup> Obituary of Ida Mae Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 5 March 1973, p. 2, col. 2, names deceased spouse, three daughters and two sons.

From marriage record

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From marriage record.

<sup>4362</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 29 [sic] January 1868, bk. 1, pp. 20-21.

Ohio Deaths, 30 December 1947, File no. 80961, names parents; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40178340.

<sup>4364</sup> Obituary of Sylvester Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 30 December 1947, p. 4, col. 4, names two brothers and one sister, son Charles and grandson Charles Jeffery.

Sylvester named as spouse on Amanda's death record; parents named on birth record of son Harold, mother as Belle Baker.

<sup>4366 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Sylvester Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 7A, E.D. 9; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Sylvester Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625 1347, p. 13A, E.D. 9.

<sup>4367 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Sylvester Garn, Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1888, p. 13B, E.D. 36.

BAKER was born on 2 February 1878 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [4368] She died on 13 October 1947 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4369] A newspaper article reports her illness from an attack of neuralgia: [4370] Mrs. Sylvester Garn had a severe attack of neuralgia of the blood vessels around the heart one day last week. She is unable to attend to her household duties and is now staying with her husband's parents at Reedsburg until she regains her strength.

Sylvester GARN and Amanda Belle BAKER had the following children: [4371]

- i. **Harold M.<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 16 November 1906 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4372] He died on 5 May 1914 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4373] A newspaper article reports the sad death of this child. [4374] He was playing at the home of a neighbor when he grabbed hold of a heavy urn at the side of the walk in front of the residence, possibly to climb on top of it. The urn toppled over and he fell backward to the sidewalk with the urn falling on his head and fracturing his skull. He died within a half hour of the accident. The article reports that he was the only child of Sylvester Garn and wife at the time.
- 1412. ii. **Charles<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born about 1921 in Ohio. [4375]

986. **Eli<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Henry J.<sup>8</sup>; Jacob<sup>7</sup>; Adam<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Henry J. GARN, person #419, and Sarah EWING) was born on 23 December 1871 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4376] He died on 1 June 1955 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4377]

Eli GARN married **Margaret ASH** (daughter of **John ASH** and **Lucinda**) on 28 December 1892 in Wayne Co., Ohio. [4378] Margaret ASH was born on 14 September 1876 in Chester Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4380] She died on 25 October 1935 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4380]

Eli GARN and Margaret ASH had the following child: [4381]

i. **Raymond<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 8 August 1899 in Wayne Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio.<sup>[4382]</sup> He died on 21 April 1963 in Burbank, Wayne Co., Ohio.<sup>[4383]</sup> He married

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<sup>4368</sup> From death record.

<sup>4369</sup> Ohio Deaths, 13 October 1947, File no. 66865.

Newspaper article about illness of Mrs. Sylvester Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 4 May, 1910, as reported in the Obituary Notebook, D-I, 1890-1915, Ashland Co. Library, Ashland, Ohio.

Birth record of Harold names parents, Charles named on 1930 Census and in Sylvester's obituary.

<sup>4372</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 16 November 1906, bk. 3, p. 77.

<sup>4373</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Deaths, 5 May 1914, File no. 26025, names parents.

News of death of Harold Garn, Louderville [Ohio] Times, 7 May 1914, p. 1 col. 2 and p. 8, col. 2, names father.

<sup>4375</sup> From 1930 U.S. Census of parents, cited above.

<sup>4376</sup> Ashland County, Ohio Births, 23 December 1871, bk. 1, pp. 108-109.

<sup>4377</sup> Obituary of Eli Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 2 June 1955, p. 5, col. 1.

Wayne Co., Ohio, Marriages, vol. 11, p. 560, as reported in *Wayne County, Ohio Marriage Index, 1813-1898*, pub. by Wayne County Genealogical Society (Wooster, Ohio, 1997), p. 87; Obituary of Margaret Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 4 November 1935, p. 12, col.6, places marriage a year later.

From her obituary

<sup>4380</sup> Obituary of Margaret Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 4 November 1935, p. 12, col.6; Notice of death of Margaret Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 25 October 1935, p. 7, col. 5.

Raymond named in obituaries of both parents.

<sup>4382</sup> From obituary.

**Mary Lou CLINKER** (daughter of **Charles E. CLINKER** and **Mary E. GRINDLESBERGER**). [4384] Mary Lou CLINKER was born on 22 September 1928 in Lodi, Medina Co., Ohio. [4385] She died on 23 December 2003 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4386]

1006. **Timothy Ross<sup>9</sup> GARN** (George W. <sup>8</sup>; Henry S. <sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad <sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of George W. GARN, person #489, and Catherine AUSTIN) was born on 30 July 1880 in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[4387]</sup> He died on 27 June 1972 in Wooster, Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[4388]</sup> In early life he was a farmer. Later he worked as a house painter.

Timothy Ross GARN married **Pearl M. ELEY** (daughter of **Daniel ELEY** and **Stella RIFFEE**) on 8 October 1901 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4389] Pearl M. ELEY was born on 21 September 1883. [4390] She died on 30 July 1902 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4391] Although her death record suggests she died in Ashland, a newspaper article suggests she may have died in Colorado Springs, Colorado. [4392] She had contracted tuberculosis and, according to the article, her husband and father took her to Colorado Springs where she, "Died after 4 weeks there."

Timothy Ross GARN next married **Fern W. GARST** (daughter of **George W. GARST** and **Catherine BUTLER**) on 13 October 1904 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4393] Timothy and Fern appeared on the 1920 U.S. Census in Montville Twp., Medina Co., Ohio and on the 1930 U.S. Census in Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio. [4394] No children were named in either census. Fern W. GARST was born on 5 January 1887 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4395] She died on 25 December 1977 in Dalton, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4396]

<sup>4383</sup> Obituary or Raymond Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 22 April 1963, p. 2, col. 1.

Marriage reported in obituaries of both Raymond and Mary Lou.

From obituary.

<sup>4386</sup> Obituary of Mary L. Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 26 December 2003, sec. C, p. 3, cols. 1-2.

Birth Record of Timothy Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 475466, Ref. No. v2, p262-263, #12, names parents.

Obituary of Timothy Ross Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 28 June 1972, p. 2, cols. 1-2, names parents, spouse, foster son, deceased brother and sister; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 39418352; Funeral Service News for Timothy Ross Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 30 June 1972, p. 2, col. 1.

Marriage Record of Timothy R. Garn and Pearl M. Eley, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, pg 261, names parents.

<sup>4390</sup> From Wayne Co., Ohio Burial Records, cited with death information.

Death Record for Pearl Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079446, Ref. No. 3; *Wayne Co., Ohio Burial Records*, compiled and published by the Genealogical Section of the Wayne County Historical Society, (Evansville, IN, 1975), pp. 168-169, Fairview Cemetery, Timothy R. Garn, b. 1880, Pearl M. Eley, b. 9-21-1883, d. 7-30-1902, Fern W., born 1887.

Newspaper article about Pearl Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Press, 6 August 1902, as reported by Anne Dallas Budd, *Newspaper Abstracts of Ashland County, Ohio*, (Port Cliinton, Ohio, 1992), v1, Abbe-Grose, found at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Belleville, Ohio.

<sup>4393</sup> Marriage Record of Timothy Ross Garn and Fern W. Garst, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, pg. 36, names parents, groom's father as C.W. Garn and mother as Catherine Austien, bride's mother as Kate Buller.

<sup>4394 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Timothy R. Garn, Mountville Twp., Medina Co., Ohio, T625\_1417, p. 14A, E.D. 74; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Timothy R. Garn, Plain Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, T624 1239, p. 1B, E.D. 177.

 <sup>4395 &</sup>lt; beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079446, Ref. No. v2, p. 104, names parents, mother as Catherine Buttler.

Obituary of Fern W. Garn, Ashland [Ohio] Times Gazette, 28 December 1977, names parents.

1007. **Carrie<sup>9</sup> GARN** (George W.<sup>8</sup>; Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of George W. GARN, person #489, and Catherine AUSTIN) was born on 14 February 1884 in Medina Co., Ohio. [4397] She died in 1962. [4398]

Carrie GARN married **Paul H. GARST** (son of **George W. GARST** and **Catherine BUTLER**) on 11 October 1905 in Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[4399]</sup> They appeared on the 1920 Census in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[4400]</sup> In 1930 they appeared on the census in Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. <sup>[4401]</sup> Paul H. GARST was born on 23 October 1884 in Ohio. <sup>[4402]</sup> He died on 1 June 1950 in Montgomery Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. <sup>[4403]</sup>

Carrie GARN and Paul H. GARST had the following children: [4404]

- 1414. i. **G. W.** <sup>10</sup> **GARST** was born about 1907 in Ohio.
- 1415. ii. **Kathryn V.<sup>10</sup> GARST** was born in 1908 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio.<sup>[4405]</sup> She married **Ray L. MCCARTHY** (son of **John MCCARTHY** and **Lydia HAMMOND**) on 7 March 1929 in Richland Co., Ohio.<sup>[4406]</sup> Ray L. MCCARTHY was born in 1906 in Jerry City, Wood Co., Ohio.<sup>[4407]</sup>
- 1416. iii. Ruby F. 10 GARST was born about 1914 in Ohio.

1008. **Forest Bryan<sup>9</sup> GARN** (George W. <sup>8</sup>; Henry S. <sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of George W. GARN, person #489, and Catherine AUSTIN) was born on 19 August 1896 in Wayne Co., Ohio. <sup>[4408]</sup> He died on 6 June 1972 in Barberton, Summit Co., Ohio. <sup>[4409]</sup>

Forest Bryan GARN married **Della B. HOSLER** (daughter of **Daniel HOSLER** and **Laura REMLEY**) on 4 March 1916 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4410] In 1920 they lived in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4411] Ten years later they were in Portage Twp., Summit Co., Ohio. [4412] Della B. HOSLER was

4403 Ohio Deaths, 1 June 1950, File No. 34662, names parents, informant was Mrs. Carrie Garst.

World War I Draft Registration Card for Forest Bryan Garn, <search.ancestry.com>, World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, accessed 9 November 2010, birth 19 August 1896, names Mrs. Della Garn.

Birth record of Carrie Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 423828, Ref. No. 2:GPJJG6, father as G.W. Garn, mother as Catharine Austen.

<sup>4398 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40178353; Named as deceased sister in obituary of brother Timothy Ross Garn.

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<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Paul H. Garst, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625 1347, p. 7A, E.D. 9.

<sup>4401 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of PaulH. Garst, Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, Toll 1864, pp. 4B-5A, E.D. 27.

<sup>4402</sup> From death record.

<sup>4404</sup> Children appear on the censuses of parents cited above and on individual records as cited below.

From marriage record.

<sup>4406 &</sup>lt;beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 388750, Ref. No. 388750, names parents.

From marriage record.

Obituary of Forest Garn, Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 7 June 1972, p. 2, col. 2, names parents, children, and spouse; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 40178344.

<sup>4410</sup> Marriage Record for Forest B. Garn and Della B. Hosler, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 2079409, Ref. No. n 15125, p. 346, names parents.

<sup>4411 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Forest B. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 1A, E.D. 9.

born in 1898 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4413] She died on 17 May 1966 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4414]

Forest Bryan GARN and Della B. HOSLER had the following children: [4415]

- i. **daughter<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 30 August 1916 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4416] She died on 30 August 1916 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4417]
- 1418. ii. **Mada C.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about September 1917 in Ohio. [4418] She married **Roy SIMS**. [4419]
- 1419. iii. **Robert R.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1924 in Ohio. He was living in Sturgis, Michigan in 1972 when his father died.

1010. **Ida Faye<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Thomas Jefferson<sup>8</sup>; Henry S.<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Thomas Jefferson GARN, person #490, and Lucetta CHUBB) was born on 8 November 1891 in Ohio. [4420] She died on 10 June 1989 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [4421]

Ida Faye GARN married **Raymond U. HALL**. Raymond and Ida Faye appeared on the 1920 and 1940 Censuses in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [4422] In 1930 they were living in Rittman, Wayne Co., Ohio. [4423] Raymond U. HALL was born in 1891 in Ohio. [4424] We originally thought his name was Roy V. Hall based on the 1930 Census. However, the 1920 and 1940 censuses and his death record convince us that his name was Raymond U. Hall. He died on 13 June 1977 in Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio. [4425]

Ida Faye GARN and Raymond U. HALL had the following children, all born in Ohio: [4426]

- 1420. i. **Nelson<sup>10</sup> HALL** was born about 1912.
- 1421. ii. **Marjorie** HALL was born about 1917.
- 1422. iii. **Raymond<sup>10</sup> HALL** was born about 1919.

<sup>4412 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Forrest B. Garn, Portage Twp. Summit Co., Ohio, Roll 1882, p. 10B, E.D. 195.

<sup>4413</sup> From marriage record.

<sup>4414</sup> Wooster [Ohio] Daily Record, 18 May 1966, p. 2, col. 2, names spouse, son Robert of Michigan and daughter, Mrs. Mada Sims of Canton.

First child reported in death record, others appear in census and obituary of Della.

From death record.

Death Record of unnamed child Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, 30 Aug 1916, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 26 October 2010, cites FHL# 1983752, Cert. No. 47240, names parents.

From 1920 U.S. Federal Census, cited with parents above.

Mada's spouse is named in her father's obituary.

From death record, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 8 April 2014, Ida Faye Hall, 10 June 1989, reports birth date, father's surname as Garn, cites <ancestry.com> index and vol 27753, cert. no. 45236; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 53187559.

<sup>4422 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Raymond Hall, Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio, T625\_1417, Page1B, E.D. 78; 1940 U.S. Federal Census of Raymond Hall, Wadsworth, Medina Co., Ohio, T627\_3112, Page 3A, E.D. 52-28.

<sup>4423 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ray V. Hall, Rittman, Wayne Co., Ohio, Roll 1888, p. 4B, E.D. 23, mother-in-law as Lusnettis Garn.

Birth year reported on death record, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 8 April 2014, Raymond U. Hall, 13 June 1977, reports birth year, cites <ancestry.com> index and vol 22946, cert. no. 52510; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 53187509.

Children named on censuses, cited above.

- 1423. iv. Jack D.<sup>10</sup> HALL was born about 1928.
- 1424. v. Elnore D. 10 HALL was born about 1931.

1040. **Sarah J.<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John Otis<sup>8</sup>; Samuel<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John Otis GARN, person #510, and Reletha Jennie HARPSTER) was born on 12 October 1879 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4427] She is named as a sister, Mrs. Sadie Schmuck, in the obituaries of her brother Forest.

Sarah J. GARN married **Ryland SCHMUCK** on 30 June 1898 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4428] They lived in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio in 1900 and 1910. [4429] Between 1910 and 1920 they moved to Montgomery Twp., Ashland County, where they were living in 1920 and 1930. [4430] Ryland SCHMUCK was born about 1877 in Ohio. [4431]

Sarah J. GARN and Ryland SCHMUCK had the following children: [4432]

- i. **Gladys Mae<sup>10</sup> SCHMUCK** was born in February 1899 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4433] She married **Clarence Eugene SHARR** (son of **G. W. SHARR** and **Nellie G. NEWKIRK**) on 21 June 1919 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4434] Clarence Eugene SHARR was born about 1900 in Loudonville, Ashland Co., Ohio.
- 1426. ii. Fred C.<sup>10</sup> SCHMUCK was born about 1902 in Ohio.

1041. **Samuel Pird<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John Otis<sup>8</sup>; Samuel<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John Otis GARN, person #510, and Reletha Jennie HARPSTER) was born on 15 April 1883 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4435] He is named as a brother, Samuel, in obituaries of his brother Forest and as a brother, Pird, in an obituary of his brother Arthur. His middle name appears on his World War II Draft Registration and as his first name on his grave marker. [4436] He died on 23 August 1968 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4437]

4432 Children are named in censuses cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4427</sup> Birth Record for S. J. Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, 12 October 1879, bk. 2, pp. 98-99, father as J. O. Garn, mother as Jan Harpster.

Marriage Record for Ryland Schmuck and Sadie Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 11 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079407, Ref. No. pg. 151, CN 10628.

<sup>4429 1900</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ryland Schmuck, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T623\_1237, p. 6B, E.D. 8; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Ryland Schmuck, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 10B, E.D. 9.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ryland Schmuck, Montgomery Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 7B, E.D. 10, indexed as Rayland Schmud; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Ryland Schmuck, Montgomery Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 2B, E.D. 21.

From census records cited above.

Date of birth from 1900 U.S. Census, place from marriage record.

Marriage Record for Clarence Eugene Sharr and Gladys Mae Schmuck, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 11 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079409, Ref. No. n15778, p52, names parents, bride's mother as Sarah Garns.

<sup>4435</sup> Birth Record for Samuel P. Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, 15 April 1883, father as Otis Garn, mother as Jennie Harpster.

<sup>4436</sup> World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942, <ancestry.com>, Samuel Pird Garn, birth on 15 April 1883; Find A Grave, cited below.

<sup>4437 &</sup>quot;Ohio Deaths, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007," index, <familysearch.org>, Samuel P. Garn, 23 August 1968, Ohio Certificate# 058189, accessed 20 March 2014, widowed, reports birth year; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 106107584; *Ashland Cemetery Burial Records, Ashland, Ashland County, Ohio*, published by the Ashland Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 2007), p. 134.

Samuel Pird GARN married **Blanche H. SCOTT** (daughter of **Howard SCOTT** and **unknown OTTO**) on 29 August 1909 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4438] In 1910 they lived in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. No children appeared in the home when the census was taken. We do not know how his marriage with Blanche ended. Although it is possible that Samuel and Blanche had a child or children between the time they appeared on the 1910 U.S. Census and when he remarried to Edna, we have not found any record of any children. And we have not found Blanche in the 1920 U.S. Census to determine if there were any Garn children in her household. Blanche H. SCOTT was born in 1890 in Ohio. [4440]

Samuel Pird GARN next married **Edna Mae DESSENBERG** (daughter of **Marion DESSENBERG** and **Malinda MICHAEL**) on 4 August 1917 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4441] They appeared on the 1920 and 1930 U.S. Federal Censuses in Ashland, Ohio. [4442] No children were named on the 1920 and 1930 U.S. Censuses in Samuel and Edna's home. Edna Mae DESSENBERG was born in 1887 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4443] She was buried in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio on 20 July 1959. [4444]

1042. **Elsie Fern<sup>9</sup> GARN** (John Otis<sup>8</sup>; Samuel<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John Otis GARN, person #510, and Reletha Jennie HARPSTER) was born on 15 July 1885 in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4445] Elsie is named as a sister, Mrs. Elsie Botdorf, in obituaries of her brothers Forest and Arthur. She died on 13 February 1973 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4446]

Elsie Fern GARN married **Walter E. BOTDORF** (son of **George BOTDORF** and **Margaret HEFFELFINGER**) on 15 November 1908 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4447] They lived in Mohican Twp. in 1910 and in the city of Ashland in 1920 and 1930. [4448] Walter E. BOTDORF was born on 11 January 1887 in Rowsburg, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4449] He died on 25 December 1949 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4450] Walter and Elsie were both buried in the Ashland city cemetery. [4451]

Marriage Record for Samuel P. Garn and Blanche H. Scott, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 7 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg 543, names parents, groom's parents as Otis Garn and Jennie Harpster, bride's parents as Howard Scott and Otto.

<sup>1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel P. Garn, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624 1151, p. 4A, E.D. 9.

From marriage record and 1910 U.S. Federal Census cited above.

Marriage Record for Samuel P. Garn and Edna Mae Dessenberg, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 7
November 2010, cites FHL# 2079409, Ref. No. n 15444, p. 508, names parents, groom's father as Otis Garn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4442</sup> 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel P. Garn, Ashland Ward 4, Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 20A, E.D. 14., indexed as Samuel Darn; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Samuel P. Garn, Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 5A, E.D. 20, as Sam P. Garn.

From marriage record.

Ashland Cemetery Burial Records, Ashland, Ashland County, Ohio, published by the Ashland Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 2007), p. 134.

Birth Record for Elsie Fern Garn, Ashland Co., Ohio Births, 18 July 1885, bk.2, pp. 104-105, father as John O. Garn, mother as Jane Harpster.

<sup>4446 &</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Elsie F. Botdorf, 13 February 1973, cites vol. 21176, cerfificate no. 7340.

<sup>4447 &</sup>lt; beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 7 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079408, Ref. No. pg. 460, names parents, bride's parents as Otis Garn and Jennie Harpster.

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1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Walter E. Botdorf, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T624\_1151, p. 3B, E.D. 9; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Walter Botdorf, Ashland Ward 4, Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 19B, E.D. 14; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Walter E. Botdorf, Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 7A, E.D. 20.

From death record.

Death Record for Walter E. Botdorf, Ohio Deaths, 25 December 1949, File No. 72431, names parents, informant as Mrs. Elsie Botdorf.

Elsie Fern GARN and Walter E. BOTDORF had the following child: [4452]

i. **Homer N.**<sup>10</sup> **BOTDORF** was born on 15 May 1912 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4454] He died on 28 September 1947 in Mifflin, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4454] He died as a result of a collision between his auto and a truck. He was buried in the Ashland city cemetery. [4455] He married **Marcia**. [4456] Homer and Marcia appeared on the 1930 U.S. Federal Census in the home of Homer's parents with their son, Billie, who was 6 months old. Marcia was born about 1913 in Ohio. [4457]

1043. **Arthur L.**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (John Otis<sup>8</sup>; Samuel<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John Otis GARN, person #510, and Reletha Jennie HARPSTER) was born in May 1891 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4458] He died on 1 December 1966 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4459]

Arthur L. GARN married **Daisy Dell CHESROWN** (daughter of **Joseph CHESROWN** and **Sophia STULL**) on 24 February 1914 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4460] They appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4461] No children were named on either census. Daisy Dell CHESROWN was born about 1895 in Jeromesville, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4462] She died on 2 May 1966 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4463]

Arthur L. GARN and Daisy Dell CHESROWN had the following child: [4464] 1428. i. Lowell E. 10 GARN.

1044. **Iva Elora GARN** (John Otis<sup>8</sup>; Samuel<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of John Otis GARN, person #510, and Reletha Jennie HARPSTER) was

Ashland Cemetery Burial Records, Ashland, Ashland County, Ohio, published by the Ashland Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 2007), p. 34.

Homer named in 1920 and 1930 U.S. Censuses, cited above; parernts named on Homer's death record.

From death record

Death Record for Homer N. Botdorf, Ohio Deaths, 28 September 1947, File No. 54273, names parents, spouse as Marcia.

<sup>4455</sup> Ashland Cemetery Burial Records, Ashland, Ashland County, Ohio, published by the Ashland Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 2007), p. 34.

<sup>4456</sup> Marcia as wife on 1930 Census of Homer's parents and on Homer's death record.

From 1930 U.S. Federal Census cited above.

From 1900 U.S. Census cited with parents.

Obituary of Arthur L. Garn, Wooster Daily Record, 2 December 1966, p. 2, col. 1, names deceased spouse, son, sister Mrs. Elsie Botdorf and brother Pird of Ashland; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 40299796.

Marriage Record for Arthur L. Garn and Daisy Dell Chesrown, <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 7<br/>
November 2010, cites FHL# 2079409, Ref. No. n 14682, p. 123, names parents, groom's parents as Otis Garn and Jennie Harfster.

<sup>1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Arthur L. Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 9B, E.D. 16; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Arthur L. Garn, Perry Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 3B, E.D. 23.

Estimated from censuses cited above and obituary cited below.

Obituary of Daisy Garn, Wooster Daily Record, 3 May 1966, p. 2, col. 2, names spouse, son, parents as Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chesrown

<sup>4464</sup> Child named in obituaries of both parents.

born on 18 January 1893 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4465] She died on 29 April 1939 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio [4466]

Iva Elora GARN married Vernon James ICEMAN (son of Daniel ICEMAN and Anna L. HOUSEHOLDER) on 25 November 1915 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4467] In 1920 and 1930 they lived in Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio. [4468] Vernon James ICEMAN was born on 30 June 1894 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4469] He died on 6 December 1942 in Ashland, Ashland Co., Ohio. [4470]

Iva Elora GARN and Vernon James ICEMAN had the following children: [4471]

- i. Reletha A. 10 ICEMAN was born about 1917 in Ohio. She probably was the Reletha Haverstock who was the informant on her father's death record.
- ii. Vernon<sup>10</sup> ICEMAN was born about April 1920 in Ohio.

1048. Lulu Margaret Catharine GARN (Elza N.8; Jeremiah ; Jacob ; Conrad GERN; Johann Adam ; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (daughter of Elza N. GARN, person #522, and Emma L. HOSTLER) was born on 1 June 1896 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4472] She died on 21 October 1966 in Findlay, Hancock Co., Ohio. [4473]

Lulu Margaret Catharine GARN married Paul Augustus KROMER (son of H. W. KROMER and **Katie BENNER**). [4474] They appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Carey, Ohio. [4475] In 1940 they appeared on the census in Big Spring Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio. [4476] Paul Augustus KROMER was born on 17 March 1894 in Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4477] He died on 18 January 1960 in Findlay, Hancock Co., Ohio. [4478]

<sup>4465</sup> From death record.

Death Record for Iva Garn Iceman, Ohio Deaths, 29 April 1939, File No. 21922, names spouse, parents as Otis Garn and Reletha Jane Harpster: <www.findagrave.com>. Memorial# 40428612.

<sup>4467 &</sup>lt; beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Marriages, 1800-1958, accessed 9 November 2010, cites FHL# 2079409, Ref. No. n15047, p307,

<sup>4468 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Vernon J. Iceman, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, T625\_1347, p. 7A, E.D. 9; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Vernon Iseman, Mohican Twp., Ashaland Co., Ohio, Roll 1749, p. 1B, E.D. 15.

<sup>4470</sup> Death Record for Vernon P. Iceman, Ohio Deaths, 6 December 1942, File No. 70330, widowed, spouse as Iva Iceman, names parents, mother as Lucy Householder, Reletha Haverstock as informant.

Children appear on 1930 U.S. Census cited above.

<sup>4472</sup> Ohio, Births and Christenings Index, 1800-1962, <ancestry.com> on-line database, accessed 8 April 2014, Lulu Margaret Catharine Garn, 1 June 1896 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio, names parents, cites FHL# 926699; <beta.familysearch.org> accessed 4 October 2010, cites FHL# 926699, Ref. no. p. 69, names parents.

<sup>4473</sup> Ohio, Deaths 1908-1932, 1938-2007, <ancestry.com>, on-line database, accessed 8 April 2014, Lulu M. Kromer, 12 October 1966, cites Vol. 18626, Certificate 77582; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 64925099.

Obituary of Lulu's father names daughter as Mrs. Paul Kromer

<sup>4475 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Paul Kromer, Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio, Roll 1889, p. 7A, E.D. 4.

<sup>4476 1940</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Paul Kromer, Big Spring Twp., Seneca Co., Ohio, T627\_3144, Page 3B, E.D. 74-4B.

<sup>4477</sup> Ohio, Births and Christenings Index, 1800-1962, <ancestry.com> on-line database, accessed 8 April 2014, Paul Augustus Kromer, 17 March 1894 in Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, parents as H. W. Kromer and Katie Benner, cites FHL# 926699.

<sup>4478</sup> Ohio, Deaths 1908-1932, 1938-2007, <ancestry.com>, on-line database, accessed 8 April 2014, Paul A. Kromer, 18 January 1960, cites Vol. 16028, Certificate 04567; <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 64925020.

Lulu Margaret Catharine GARN and Paul Augustus KROMER had the following children, all born in Ohio [4479]

- 1431. i. **Robert<sup>10</sup> KROMER** was born about 1919.
- 1432. ii. Norman<sup>10</sup> KROMER was born about 1920.
- 1433. iii. **Rita<sup>10</sup> KROMER** was born about 1921.
- 1434. iv. **Duane**<sup>10</sup> **KROMER** was born about 1922.
- 1435. v. **Mildred**<sup>10</sup> **KROMER** was born about 1924.
- 1436. vi. Maxine<sup>10</sup> KROMER was born about 1926.
- 1437. vii. **Kathryn Ann<sup>10</sup> KROMER** was born about 1929.
- 1438. viii. Janet<sup>10</sup> KROMER.
- 1439. ix. Barbara<sup>10</sup> KROMER.
- 1440. x. Richard<sup>10</sup> KROMER.

1049. **Carey F. GARN** (Elza N. 8; Jeremiah 7; Jacob 6; Conrad 5 GERN; Johann Adam 4; Johannes 3; David 2; Johannes 1) (son of Elza N. GARN, person #522, and Emma L. HOSTLER) was born on 24 August 1900, probably in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4480] He died on 27 April 1979 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4481] He was a plant foreman at the National Lime and Stone company in Carey, Ohio.

Carey F. GARN married **Minnie REMLINGER** (daughter of **Lafayette REMLINGER** and **Rose FRISCH**) on 27 June 1922. [4482] Carey and Minnie appeared on the 1930 U.S. Federal Census with their three oldest children. [4483] Minnie REMLINGER was born on 8 March 1904 in Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4484] She died on 24 December 1996 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4485]

Carey F. GARN and Minnie REMLINGER had the following children: [4486]

- 1441. i. Betty Jean<sup>10</sup> GARN.
- 1442. ii. **Mae**<sup>10</sup> **GARN**.
- 1443. iii. **Joseph**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 16 May 1928 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4487] He died on 6 September 1994 in Findlay, Hancock Co., Ohio. [4488] His obituary reports that he was a Marine during World War II and worked as a mechanic for 36 years at National Lime and Stone in Carey before he retired in 1986. Joseph Garn is the father of Tom [11] GARN, who took the Y-DNA test to help establish that Jacob Garn (#61) belongs as a member of the Garn family. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them. He married **Donna R. CRAFT** on 11 November 1950. [4489]

4481 <www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 88568843; Obituary of Carey "Skeeter" Garn, Fostoria Review Times, Fostoira, Ohio, reported on 27 April 1979, p. 2, Col. 7, names parents, spouse and children.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 4479}$  Children named on 1930 and 1940 U.S. Federal Censuses cited above.

<sup>4480</sup> From obituary

From obituary cited below.

<sup>4483 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Carey Garn, Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio, Roll 1889, P. 12A, E.D. 4, indexed as Cabrie Garns.

From obituary cited below.

Obituary of Minnie Garn, Upper Sandusky Daily [Ohio] Chief Union, 24 December 1996, p. 2, col. 1, names parents, spouse and children.

<sup>4486</sup> Obituary of Minnie (Remlinger) Garn cited above.

<sup>4487</sup> From obituary cited below.

<sup>4488</sup> Obituary of Joseph Garn, Fostoria [Ohio] Review Times, 7 September 1994, names parents, spouse and children.

<sup>4489</sup> From Joseph's obituary.

1444. iv. **Jerry**<sup>10</sup> **GARN**.

1050. **Fred**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (Ora<sup>8</sup>; Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Ora GARN, person #523, and Clara B. CORFMAN) was born on 8 November 1892 in Ohio. [4490] He died on 3 March 1969 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [4491] His death record uses the name Frederic, the only place where we find that name for him. The Social Security Death Index reports his last residence was in Erie Twp., Monroe Co., Michigan, which is immediately across the Michigan border from Toledo.

Fred GARN married **Helen MERY** (daughter of **Jacob MERY** and **Phena HUFFORD**) on 16 May 1925 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan. [4492] Helen MERY was born about 1904 in Ohio. [4493]

Fred GARN next married **Helen VOLKSTADT** (daughter of **A. VOLKSTADT** and **Gusta WITT**) on 7 February 1936 in Wood Co., Ohio. [4494] She married with surname Chatham and undoubtedly had been married before. Helen VOLKSTADT was born about 1905. [4495]

Fred GARN next married **Mandy GUST** (daughter of **John GUST** and **Margaret LANE**) on 9 August 1947 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [4496] She married with surname Putnam and undoubtedly had been married before. Mandy GUST was born about 1905. [4497]

Fred GARN next married **Irene C. COOK** (daughter of **Charles COOK** and **Sarah Jane EVANS**) on 18 March 1950 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [4498] She married with surname Martin and undoubtedly had been married before. We cannot explain why a second marriage record for this couple appears in Cuyahoga Co., Ohio, on 28 July 1950, a little over four months after the record in Lucas County reports that they were married there. [4499] The two records name the same parents and clearly are for the same couple. Irene C. COOK was born about 1904. [4500]

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Date from Social Security Death Index, cited below, place from 1900 U.S. Federal Census of parents and record of marriage to Helen Mery, cited below.

Social Security Death Index, <ancestry.com>, accessed 18 May 2014, Fred Garn, SSN 292-03-2786, issued before 1951 in Ohio, birth on 8 November 1892, last residence in Erie Twp., Monroe Co., Michigan; "Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007," index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 18 May 2014, Fredric Garn, 3 March 1969, cites <ancestry.com> index, vil 19646, cert. 29988.

Marriage Record of Fred Garn and Helen Mery, <beta.familysearch.org>, Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925, accessed 16 October 2010, cites FHL#2432772, Ref. No. v. 11, p. 3338, r.n. 289629, names parents.

From marriage record cited above.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 14 May 2014, Fred Garn and Helen Chatham, 7 February 1936, names parents, cites Wood County, FHL# 2384469.

From age on marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 14 May 2014, Fred Garn and Mandy Gust Putnam, 9 August 1947, names parents, cites Lucas County, FHL# 2231652.

From age on marriage record.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 14 May 2014, Fred Garn and Irene C. Cook Martin, 18 March 1950, names parents, cites Lucas County, FHL# 2258886.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 15 May 2014, Fred Garn and Irene C. Martin, 28 July 1950, names parents, cites Cuyahoga County, FHL# 2251706.

<sup>4500</sup> From age on marriage record.

1051. **Merle C.<sup>9</sup> GARN** (Ora<sup>8</sup>; Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Ora GARN, person #523, and Clara B. CORFMAN) was born on 26 February 1895 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4501] He appeared as Murl with his parents on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census and as Merl, a servant in a boarding house in the 1910 U.S. Federal Census. [4502]

Merle C. GARN married **Anna MONIHAN** (daughter of **John MONIHAN** and **Mary BURKE**) in 1915 in Massachusetts. [4503] Merle and Anna separated before 1930 when she appeared as the wife of Robert Menz on the 1930 U.S. Federal Census in Toledo with two of her children from her marriage to Merle Garn, Helen and Merle. [4504] We cannot explain why their two other children, John and Evelyn, appear separately on the 1930 Census in the Lucas County Children's Home in Lucas County, Ohio. [4505] Anna MONIHAN was born about 1892 in Ireland. [4506]

Merle C. GARN and Anna MONIHAN had the following children: [4507]

- i. **Helen Irene**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 12 April 1913 in Boston, Suffolk Co., Massachusetts. This birth information comes from her death record. Her age at death on that record gives a birth of 6 April 1913. Her age on the 1930 Census suggests a birth around 1917. A Massachusetts marriage record for an unnamed couple whose parents are the parents of Merle Garn and Anna Monihan surely was the marriage record of Helen's parents. That record reports the marriage was in 1915. So Helen's birth may have been well after 1913, the year on her death record. She died on 30 June 1936 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [4508] She married **Louis H. ROBERTS**.
- ii. **John J.<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born about 1918 in Massachusetts.<sup>[4510]</sup> We believe he is the widowed, 54-year-old John Garn who died on 21 November 1972 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[4511]</sup> He married **Pearl JABLOUSKI** (daughter of **Walter JABLOUSKI** and **Laura SEEMAN**) on 9 February 1943 in Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[4512]</sup> Pearl married as Pearl

Birth Record of Murl [sic] Garn, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Births and Christenings, 1821-1962, accessed 16 October 2010, cites FHL#926699, Ref. No. p. 68, names parents, indexed as female.

4502 1900 U.S. Federal Census of Ora Garn, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T623\_1334, p. 10A, E.D. 123; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Merl [sic] Garn, Toledo Ward 6, Lucas Co., Ohio, T624\_1209, p. 8A, E.D. 77, appears to be living in boarding house working as servant, only Garn in household.

4503 Marriage Record of Merle Garn and Anna Monihan, <beta.familysearch.org>, Massachusetts Marriages, 1841-1915, accessed 16 October 2010, cites FHL# 2411237, Ref. No. p. 565, no. 7868, does not give names of bride and groom but gives names of parents, bride's father as John Minihan; death record of son Merle names parents.

4504 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Robert Menz, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1835, p. 8A, E.D. 49, wife as Anna, stepchildren Helen and Merle Garn, ages 13 and 10.

4505 1930 U.S. Federal Census of John Garn and Evelyn Garn, Maumee, Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1841, Page 2A, E.D. 190, FHL# 2341575, living in Lucas County Children's Home, John born in Massachusetts and Evelyn born in Ohio. With 1930 U.S. Census.

4506 From 1930 U.S. Federal Census as wife of Robert Merz, cited above.

Helen and Merle appear as step children of Robert Menz and wife Anna in 1930 U.S. Census; death record of son Merle identifies parents, marriage records of John and Evelyn name parents.

4508 <br/>beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 18 October 2010, cites FHL# 2022663, Cert. No. fn41756, father as Garn, mother as Anna Mennihan, names spouse.

From death record of Helen Irene Roberts.

<sup>4510</sup> Date from age on marriage record, place from 1930 Census, cited with his parents.

4511 "Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 15 May 2014, John Garn, 21 November 1972, widowed, age 54, cites <ancestry.com> and vol. 21123, cert. no. 96695.

4512 "Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 15 May 2014, John J. Garn and Pearl Hall, 9 February 1943, names parents, cites Lucas Co., Ohio, FHL# 2188842.

- Hall and undoubtedly had been married before. Pearl JABLOUSKI was born about 1918. [4513]
- 1447. iii. **Merle<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 8 March 1920 in Boston, Suffolk Co., Massachusetts.<sup>[4514]</sup> He died on 26 December 1930 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio.<sup>[4515]</sup>
- 1448. iv. **Evelyn Vera<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born on 10 June 1921 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [4516] She died on 9 January 2002 in Morrow Co., Ohio. [4517] She married **Keith COMPTON** (son of **George COMPTON** and **Alma EVANS**) on 16 December 1939 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [4518] Keith COMPTON was born about 1918. [4519]

Merle C. GARN next married **Cora ESCHLIMAN** (daughter of **Jonas ESCHLIMAN** and **Anna EBERLY**) on 7 December 1942 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [4520] Cora ESCHLIMAN was born about 1900. [4521]

1052. **Legarthus D.**<sup>9</sup> **GARN** (Ora<sup>8</sup>; Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Jacob<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Ora GARN, person #523, and Clara B. CORFMAN) was born on 6 November 1896 in Carey, Wyandot Co., Ohio. [4522] He appeared on the 1900 U.S. Federal Census with his parents and on the 1910 U.S. Federal Census with brother Ralph living in a boarding house. [4523] He died on 11 January 1940 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [4524]

Legarthus D. GARN married **Eleanor SCHULTZ** (daughter of **Christian SCHULTZ** and **Mary VICK**) on 9 August 1916 in Lucas Co., Ohio. [4525] In 1930 Legarthus and Eleanor and family

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4513</sup> From age on marriage record.

From death record.

Death Record of Merle Garns, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 16 October 2010, cites FHL# 1992281, cert. no. fn. 73826, age 10y, 9m, 18d, parents as Merle Garns and Anna Manahan; Death Record of Merle Garns, <beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1954-1997, accessed 16 October 2010, cites FHL# 1689667, cert. no. fn. 4057, age 10y, parents as Merle Garns and Anna Manahan.

Ohio, Birth Index, 1908-1964, <ancestry.com>, Evelyn V. Garn, 10 June 1921, mother as Minnehan, cites State File No. 1921059537; birth date also appears on death record.

<sup>4517 &</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, index, <ancestry.com>, accessed 15 May 2014, Evelyn Vera Compton, 9 January 2002, gives birth date, parents' surnames as Garn and Minniham, cites vol. 33221, cert. no. 005813.

<sup>4518 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 15 May 2014, Keith Compton and Evelyn Vera Garn, 16 December 1939, names parents, her parents as Merl C. Garn and Anna Minnihan, cites Lucas Co., Ohio, FHL# 2155866.

From age on marriage record.

<sup>4520 &</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 15 May 2014, Merl C. Garn and Cora Eschliman, 7 December 1942, names parents, his parents as Ova Garn and Clara Corsman, cites Lucas Co., Ohio, FHL# 2188841.

Age appears on marriage record.

<sup>4522</sup> From age at death, 43y, 2m, 5d.

<sup>4523</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Ora Garn, Crawford Twp., Wyandot Co., Ohio, T623\_1334, p. 10A, E.D. 123; 1910 U.S. Federal Census of Legarthus and Ralph Garn, Toledo Ward 2, Lucas Co., Ohio, T624\_1207, p. 4A, E.D. 43, appear to be brothers living in boarding house.

<sup>4524 &</sup>lt; beta.familysearch.org>, Ohio Deaths, 1908-1953, accessed 16 October 2010, cites FHL# 2023826, Cert. No. fn. 4555, names spouse as Eleanor, father as Oran Garn, age at death, 43y, 2m, 5d.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 14 May 2014, Legarthus Garn and Eleanor Schultz, 9 August 1916, names parents, his parents as Orie Garn and Clara Rurfman, cites Lucas Co., Ohio, FHL# 2132746.

lived in Washington Twp., Lucas Co., Ohio. [4526] Eleanor SCHULTZ was born about 1900 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [4527]

Legarthus D. GARN and Eleanor SCHULTZ had the following children: [4528]

- 1449. i. Arthur<sup>10</sup> GARN was born about 1920. He died before 5 December 2009. [4529]
- 1450. ii. Jean<sup>10</sup> GARN was born about 1922. She married unknown COTTERMAN.<sup>[4530]</sup>
- 1451. iii. **Legarthus**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born about 1924. He was called Lee in the obituary of his brother Kenneth. That obituary reports that "Lee" was deceased.
- 1452. iv. **Delores<sup>10</sup> GARN** was born about 1926. She married **unknown TURSKI**. [4531]
- v. **Kenneth N.**<sup>10</sup> **GARN** was born on 5 February 1928 in Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio. [4532] He died on 5 December 2009 in Maumee, Lucas Co., Ohio. [4533] He married **Phyllis JOHNSON**. [4534]
- 1454. vi. Catherine<sup>10</sup> GARN was born about January 1930. She married unknown SMITH. [4535]

1073. **Lester Jay<sup>9</sup> GARNES** (John David<sup>8</sup> GARNS; Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John David GARNS, person #539, and Margaret Lydia CRAMER) was born on 26 April 1881 in Fayetteville, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4536] Lester registered for the draft for World War II in 1942. [4537] The card reported his birth date and place, a near relative as Mrs. M. J. Garnes and his residence in Lemoyne, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. He died on 3 July 1969. [4538]

Lester Jay GARNES married **Mary Jeanettie OYLER**.<sup>[4539]</sup> Lester and wife, as Mary J., appeared with their son on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses in Lemoyne, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[4540]</sup> Mary

<sup>4526 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Legarthus Garn, Washington Twp., Lucas Co., Ohio, Roll 1840, p. 7B, E.D. 182.

<sup>4527</sup> Age from 1930 U.S. Federal Census cited above, place from marriage record.

All children named on 1930 U.S. Census cited above and in obituary of son Kenneth; birth years of children from 1930 census unless reported otherwse.

<sup>4529</sup> Obituary of brother Kenneth, cited below, reports him as already deceased.

<sup>4530</sup> Obituary of brother Kenneth, cited below.

Obituary of brother Kenneth, cited below.

<sup>4532</sup> From obituary cited below.

Obituary of Kenneth N. Garn, Sr., death on 5 December 2009, <legacy.com>, accessed 23 March 2014, cites publication in Toledo Blade on 6 December 2009; originally found at: Obituary of Kenneth N. Garn, Sr., The Mirror Newspaper, Maumee, Ohio, 10 December 2009, <themirrornewspaper.com/pagesspecial sections/obituaries/12 10 09.htm> accessed 17 October 2010.

Obituary of Kenneth, cited above.

<sup>4535</sup> Obituary of brother Kenneth, cited above.

<sup>4536</sup> Social Security Death Index record for Lester Garnes, SSN 184-05-8950, death in July 1969, last residence in Cumberland [Co.], Pennsylvania; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Draft Registration Card, Lester Jay Garnes, <search.ancestry.com>, World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942, accessed 9 April 2011, cites M1951, Roll 104, note that back side of card shown by Ancestry is for another person from Philadelphia - back side of his card is on the next record shown in the Ancestry database.

<sup>4538 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 55302664; Houpt, Garns and Garns; Social Security Death Index record for Lester Garnes, SSN 184-05-8950, death in July 1969.

M. Jeanettie Oyler named as Lester's wife on tombstone, cited below.

<sup>4540 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Lester Jay Garnes, Lemoyne, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1556, p. 3A, E.D. 19, as L. J. Garns, mother-in-law E. E. Oyler in home; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Lester Jay Garnes, Lemoyne, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2025, p. 18B, E.D. 19, mother-in-law Elizabeth Oyler in home.

Jeanettie OYLER was born in 1886 in Pennsylvania. [4541] She died in 1962. [4542] Lester and Mary Jeanettie were buried in Norland Cemetery in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4543]

Lester Jay GARNES and Mary Jeanettie OYLER had the following child: [4544]

i. **Lester Oyler<sup>10</sup> GARNES** was born on 10 August 1912 in Pennsylvania. [4545] The church register that reports his birth also reports that he was baptized in Lemoyne, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania, on 27 April 1913. He died on 1 January 1996. [4546] He married **Dorothy SHAFFER** on 6 May 1934 in Lemoyne, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania. [4547] Dorothy SHAFFER was born on 27 May 1913. [4548] She died on 13 May 2005. [4549]

1074. **Victor David<sup>9</sup> GARNS** (John David<sup>8</sup>; Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John David GARNS, person #539, and Margaret Lydia CRAMER) was born on 24 March 1883 in Pleasant Hall, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4550] He died on 23 October 1941 in Rock Island, Rock Island Co., Illinois. [4551] Victor was a foreman in the "Farmall Plant" when he died.

Victor David GARNS married **Claudia M. TRUXELL** (daughter of **Alvin TRUXELL**) about 1904. [4552] Victor and Claudia appeared on the 1910 and 1920 Censuses in Moline, Illinois. [4553] In 1930 they appeared on the census in Rock Island, Illinois. [4554] Claudia M. TRUXELL was born on 25 December 1886 in Milan, Rock Island Co., Illinois. [4555] She died on 24 September 1940 in Rock Island, Rock Island Co., Illinois. [4556]

Victor David GARNS and Claudia M. TRUXELL had the following children: [4557]

<sup>4541</sup> Tombstone inscription, cited below.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 11-12 book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Child appears on 1920 and 1930 Censuses and was buried nearby in same cemetery as parents.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Lemoyne, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, Parish Register, 1896-1936, transcript page 12, as Garns, (#227) at Cumberland County Historical Society, Carlisle, PA; place from census, cited with parents.

<sup>4546 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 55348938.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Lemoyne, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, Parish Register, 1896-1936, transcript page 37, (#227) at Cumberland County Historical Society, Carlisle, PA.

<sup>4548 &</sup>lt;a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 55348967.

<sup>4549 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 55348967.

From death record, cited below.

Death Record for Victor D. Garns, <familysearch.org>, Illinois, Deaths and Stillbirths, 1916-1947, accessed 6 April 2011, cites FHL# 1851215, CN 40495.

Claudia names Victor as spouse on her death record; Claudia appears as wife on cenuses, cited below; Alvin Truxell appears as father-in-law in the home in the 1910 Census.

<sup>4553 1910</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Victor Garns, Moline Ward 7, Rock Island Co., Illinois, T624\_320, p. 10B, E.D. 110, indexed as Wiktor Gerus, Wicktor Garns and Neiktor Garns; 1920 U.S. Federal Census of Victor Garns, East Moline Ward 1, Rock Island Co., Illinois, T625\_402, p. 6B, E.D. 157.

<sup>4554 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Victor D. Garns, Rock Island, Rock Island Co., Illinois, Roll 553, p. 4A, E.D. 83, as Gains.

Death record, cited below

Death Record for Victor D. Garns, <familysearch.org>, Illinois, Deaths and Stillbirths, 1916-1947, accessed 6 April 2011, cites FHL# 1851215, CN 40495.

<sup>4557</sup> Children appear on censuses cited above, births from census.

i. Mildred<sup>10</sup> GARNS was born about 1905 in Illinois.

ii. Irma<sup>10</sup> GARNS was born about February 1910 in Illinois. 1457.

1076. **John Widder<sup>9</sup> GARNS** (John David<sup>8</sup>; Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John David GARNS, person #539, and Elizabeth Ann WIDDER) was born on 1 September 1908. [4558] He died on 30 May 1974 in Lancaster, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. [4559]

John Widder GARNS married Helen Ruth LANDIS. [4560] Helen Ruth LANDIS was born on 10 October 1910.<sup>[4561]</sup> She died on 26 January 1997.<sup>[4562]</sup>

John Widder GARNS and Helen Ruth LANDIS had the following children: [4563]

i. Larry Neil<sup>10</sup> GARNS was born on 4 May 1934. He died on 31 July 1983. [4564] His son, John Neil<sup>11</sup> GARNS, took the Y-DNA test to help establish that Samuel Garns, person #62, belongs as a member of this family. See Appendix 2 for a discussion and results of the Y-DNA tests and the relationships among the people who took them.

ii. Rudy Lee<sup>10</sup> GARNS.

1078. Herbert Spencer<sup>9</sup> GARNES, Sr. (Rev. Samuel Andrew<sup>8</sup>; Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup> GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Rev. Samuel Andrew GARNES, person #540, and Minnie Bell SHOEMAKER) was born on 9 December 1887 in Upper Strasburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4565] He died on 3 February 1959 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4566]

Herbert Spencer GARNES, Sr. married **Hazel Ioma MCGRAW** (daughter of **Charles C. MCGRAW**) on 30 July 1912 in Armstrong Co., Pennsylvania. [4567] In 1920 they lived in Hummelstown, Dauphin Co., Pennsylvania. [4568] In 1930 they lived in Mansfield, Ohio, with Herbert's mother living in the household. [4569] When Herbert registered for the draft for World War II, they were still living in

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 4558}$  Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>4559 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 55176393; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 4560}$  Houpt, Garns and Garns.

Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>4562</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>4563</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>4564 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 55176423.

<sup>4565</sup> Draft Registration Card, cited below.

<sup>4566 &</sup>quot;Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, Index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 2 April 2014, Herbert S. Garnes, 3 February 1959, age 71, cites certificate# 13426.

<sup>4567 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 30 March 2014, Herbert S. Garnes and Hazel I. McGraw, 30 July 1912, his parents as S. A. and Minnie B. Garnes her father only as Charles C. McGraw, cites FHL# 1317297; Draft registration card, cited above.

<sup>4568 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Herbert S. Garnes, Hummelstown, Dauphin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1557, p. 6A, E.D. 112.

<sup>4569 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Herbert S. Garnes, Madison Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, Roll 1863, p. 2B, E.D. 11, indexed as Games.

Mansfield, Ohio. [4570] He was a Lutheran minister. Hazel Ioma MCGRAW was born about 1891 in Pennsylvania. [4571] She died on 4 September 1977 in Mansfield, Richland Co., Ohio. [4572]

Herbert Spencer GARNES, Sr. and Hazel Ioma MCGRAW had the following children: [4573]

- i. **Herbert Spencer<sup>10</sup> GARNES, Jr.** was born on 3 April 1920 in Pennsylvania. [4574] He died on 5 June 1999 in Alliance, Stark Co., Ohio. [4575]
- 1461. ii. **Earl R.** <sup>10</sup> **GARNES** was born about 1923 in Ohio. [4576]

1083. **Samuel Cromwell<sup>9</sup> GARNES** (Rev. William S.<sup>8</sup>; Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup> GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Rev. William S. GARNES, person #541, and Era D. CROMWELL) was born on 23 December 1888 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4578] He died on 26 August 1974 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4578] Samuel registered for the military draft in Manhattan, New York. [4579] He served in the 13th Field Artillery unit of the U.S. Army during World War I from 1 June 1918 to 5 August 1919. [4580]

Samuel Cromwell GARNES married **Ada Jewell MCNAIR** (daughter of **William H. MCNAIR** and **Gertrude**) on 31 May 1924 in Dauphin Co., Pennsylvania. [4581] Samuel and Ada appeared on the 1930 U.S. Census in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. [4582] Samuel was a machinist on that census. The William R. Higgins who appeared on that census with them was undoubtedly the Ralph W. Higgins who appeared with his widowed mother, then named Julia Higgans, in the home of her parents on the 1920 Census. [4583] In 1940 they appeared on the census in Letterkenny Twp., Franklin County, Pennsylvania. [4584]

<sup>4572</sup> "Ohio, Death Index, 1908-1932, 1938-1944, and 1958-2007, Index, <familysearch.org>, accessed 2 April 2014, Hazel M. Garnes, 4 September 1977, age 86, cites certificate# 68500.

<sup>4570</sup> Draft Registration Card, Herbert Spencer Garnes, <familysearch.org>, World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942, accessed 6 April 2011, cites FHL# 2246291, gives birth date, residence in Mansfield, Ohio, employed by Lutheran Church, Hazel Ioma Garnes as next of kin.

From censuses, cited above.

<sup>4573</sup> Children named on 1930 U.S. Census, cited above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4574</sup> Date from Social Security Death Index, cited below; place from 1930 Census of parents, cited above.

<sup>4575</sup> Social Security Death Index Record for Herbert Spencer Garnes, SSN 296-03-6463, last residence as Allliance, Stark Co., Ohio, which we presume was where he died.

From 1930 Census of parents, cited above.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year appears on tombstone inscription, cited with spouse.

<sup>43/8 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial# 22665651; Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year appears on tombstone inscription, cited with spouse.

<sup>4579</sup> U.S. World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, Samuel Cromwell Garnes<ancestry.com>, accessed 29 March 2014, reports, birth on 23 December 1888, registered in Manhattan, New York, cites FHL# 1766248, New York Draft Board 126.

Pennsylvania, Veterans Burial Cards, 1777-1999, <ancestry.com>, accessed 29 March 2014, Samuel C. Garnes, death on 26 August 1974, birth on 23 December 1888, age 85, Veteran of World War I, burial in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Chambersburg, PA.

<sup>4581 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 March 2014, Samuel C. Garnes and Ada Jewel Higgins, 31 May 1924, names parents.

<sup>4582 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel C. Garnes, Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Rolll 2042, p. 10B, E.D. 8.

<sup>4583 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William H. McNair, Chambersburg Ward 5, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll T625\_1571, page 1B, E.D. 12.

<sup>4584 1940</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Samuel C. Garns, Letterkenny Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll T627\_3509, page 2B, E.D. 28-27.

Ada Jewell MCNAIR was born on 24 February 1894 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4585] Although she had the surname Higgins when she married, we are certain that the Ada Jewel Higgins who married Samuel was Ada Jewel McNair because her father is named on her marriage record and she appears as the widowed Julia Higgans with a 10 month son Ralph W. Higgans in the home of her parents William H. and Gertrude McNair in the 1920 Census. [4586] She died in 1965. [4587] Samuel and Ada Jewell were buried in Cedar Grove Cemetery in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. [4588]

Samuel Cromwell GARNES and Ada Jewell MCNAIR had the following children, all born in Pennsylvania:[4589]

- i. Robert E. 10 GARNES was born about 1925. 1462.
- ii. H. Vivian<sup>10</sup> GARNES was born about October 1928.
- iii. Joan<sup>10</sup> GARNES was born about 1932. 1464.
- iv. Marion Gertrude<sup>10</sup> GARNES was born about 1934. She married John Richard CAMPBELL (son of Hance Doyle CAMPBELL and Mary Jane FELMLEE) on 31 August 1957 in Schuylkill Co., Pennsylvania. [4590] John Richard CAMPBELL was born about 1935.
- v. **Doris**<sup>10</sup> **GARNES** was born about 1936. 1466.

1085. **Arthur Albertus**<sup>9</sup> **GARNES** (Rev. William S. <sup>8</sup>; Samuel Andrew GARNS; Samuel ; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Rev. William S. GARNES, person #541, and Era D. CROMWELL) was born on 6 February 1893, probably in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4591] He died on 3 August 1950. [4592]

Arthur Albertus GARNES married Fannie M. SOLLENBERGER about 1913. [4593] Arthur and Fannie appeared on the 1920 and 1930 Censuses with their daughter in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. [4594]

Fannie M. SOLLENBERGER was born in 1892 in Pennsylvania. [4595] She died in 1958. [4596] Arthur and Fannie were buried in Norland Cemetery in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4597]

<sup>4585</sup> Pennsylvania and New Jersey, Church and Town Records, 1708-1985, Ada Jewel McNair, 24 February 1894, baptized at St. Paul Methodist Church, <ancestry.com>, accessed 29 March 2014, parents as William H. and Gertrude McNair, cites Historical Society of Pennsylvania's Historic Pensylvania Church and Town Records, reel 281..

<sup>4586 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William H. McNair, cited above.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 3, Cedar Grove Cemetery, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 3-357, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>4589</sup> Children named in 1940 Census, cited above.

<sup>4590 &</sup>quot;Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950," index and images, <familysearch.org>, accessed 29 March 2014, John Richard Campbell and Marion Gertrude Garnes, 31 August 1957, names parents, gives estimated birth years, cites FHL# 323921.

Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year from tombstone inscription, cited below.

<sup>4592</sup> Houpt, Garns and Garns; Year from tombstone inscription, cited below.

Fannie M. Sollenberger named as spouse in tombstone inscriptions, cited below; Year of marriage from age at first marrige on 1930

<sup>4594 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Arthur A. Garnes, Chambersburg Ward 3, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, T625\_1571, p. 2A, E.D. 9; 1930 U.S. Federal Census of Arthur Garnes, Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 2042, p. 25A, E.D. 5.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

Tombstone inscription, cited below.

John F. W. Pflueger, Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), pp. 11-53 and 11-60, book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Arthur Albertus GARNES and Fannie M. SOLLENBERGER had the following child: [4598] 1467. i. **M. Pamellia** GARNES was born in 1914 in Pennsylvania. [4599] She married **L. Kenneth ERICKSON**. [4600] L. Kenneth ERICKSON was born in 1912. [4601]

1089. **Elmer Elsworth<sup>9</sup> GARNES** (Rev. William S.<sup>8</sup>; Samuel Andrew<sup>7</sup> GARNS; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of Rev. William S. GARNES, person #541, and Era D. CROMWELL) was born on 25 March 1901. [4602] He died on 19 June 1972. [4603]

Elmer Elsworth GARNES married **Floe M. PHEIL**.<sup>[4604]</sup> Floe M. PHEIL was born on 17 November 1900 in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[4605]</sup> She died on 4 November 1988 in York, York Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[4606]</sup> Elmer and Floe were buried in Norland Cemetery in Greene Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.<sup>[4607]</sup>

Elmer Elsworth GARNES and Floe M. PHEIL had the following child: [4608] 1468. i. **E. Eugene<sup>10</sup> GARNES**.

1174. **Jere Ault<sup>9</sup> GARNS** (John William<sup>8</sup>; Jeremiah<sup>7</sup>; Samuel<sup>6</sup>; Conrad<sup>5</sup> GERN; Johann Adam<sup>4</sup>; Johannes<sup>3</sup>; David<sup>2</sup>; Johannes<sup>1</sup>) (son of John William GARNS, person #583, and Anna Frances POWELL) was born on 27 April 1914 in Marion, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4609] He died on 5 August 1971 near Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4610] His obituary reports that he, "died following a heart attack while he was driving on Rte. 665, four miles south of Chambersburg." He was buried in Maplewood Cemetery in Guilford Twp., Franklin County. [4611]

Jere Ault GARNS married Nellie M. GUYER in 1945 in Washington Co., Maryland. [4612]

Jere Ault GARNS and Nellie M. GUYER had the following children: [4613]

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<sup>4598</sup> Child appears on censuses, cited above and as M. Pamellia Garnes in same cemetery plot as her parents.

Tombstone inscription, cited above with her parents.

<sup>4600</sup> M. Pamellia Garnes named as spouse in tombstone inscriptions, cited above.

Tombstone inscription, cited above.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 4602}$  Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>4603</sup> His death listed in spouse's obituary; Houpt, Garns and Garns.

<sup>4604</sup> From obituary, cited below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4605</sup> From obituary, cited below.

<sup>4606</sup> Obituary of Floe M. Garnes, Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, p. 65.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 11, Norland Cemetery*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 11-59 book available at Franklin County Historical Society.

Child named in Flow's obituary.

Date from obituary, cited below; date also on grave marker inscription, cited below.

Obituary of Jere Ault Garns, Franklin County [Pennsylvania] Historical Society Obituary Files, Book G, p. 69; <a href="https://www.findagrave.com">www.findagrave.com</a>, Memorial# 115515421.

John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), Maplewood Cemetery, p. 12-61, available at Franklin County Historical Society.

<sup>4612 &</sup>quot;Washington County, Maryland, Marriages, 1861-1919 and 1941-1949," index, Jere Garns and Nellie Guyer, 1945, cites page 85633, <a href="https://www.washcolibrary.org">www.washcolibrary.org</a>, accessed 28 May 2014; Nellie is named as spouse in Jere's obituary, cited above.

Children named in Jere's obituary, cited above.

i. Orpha M. GARNS.
 ii. Sabrina M. GARNS.
 iii. Boris C. GARNS.

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# **Appendix 1 - Trail of Evidence**

In this appendix we summarize the evidence that led us to name the father of the John Garn who died in 1808 as Johann Adam Gern. This John Garn appears as Johannes Gern, person #23 in this book. We also provide our reasons for revising the previously accepted date of birth for this John Garn or Johannes Gern.

We also summarize evidence for replacing a man named Frederick Garn with Conrad Gern as a brother of this John Garn or Johannes Gern. The book, *Garn (Carn) family in America*, which was compiled by Don W. McBride and Ella Smith Capener and published in 1964, places a man named Frederick Garn as the father of the John Garn who appears as person #56 in this book and as a brother of the John Garn who appears as person #23 in this book. [4614] We have reached the conclusion that a man named Conrad Gern was the father of John Garn (#56) and the brother of Johannes Gern or John Garn (#23).

We did not arrive at these conclusions and revisions lightly. And the path to our conclusions was not direct. We did not find records of a Johannes and brother Conrad Gern in Germany and then force or revise information about the Garns in America to fit the evidence we found in Germany. We reached the conclusion that Frederick Garn needed to be replaced by Conrad Gern and that the birth date of John Garn needed to be revised because an overwhelming amount of evidence lined up to support the changes. In the discussion that follows we outline the path of evidence that led us to these conclusions.

We would also like to point out that sources for many of the claims made in this appendix are included in the appendix but that some may also be found in the biographies of the people we discuss.

#### **Marriage of Second Cousins**

We initially set out to determine the credibility of the claims in McBride and Capener that the author's ancestor Abraham Garn (#121), married his second cousin Susan Garn (#102) and that Abraham's sister Catherine (#122) married Susan's brother John Garn (#98). According to McBride and Capener (p. 32), Abraham and Catherine Garn were children of a John Garn (#56) who died in Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1873. McBride and Capener also report (p. 115) that John (#98) and Susan Garn (#102) were children of another John Garn (#46) who died in Bedford County, Pennsylvania, in 1833 and was the son of the John Garn (#23) who died there in 1808.

We quickly established that the surname of Abraham Garn's wife Susan Garn (#102) was indeed Garn based on the death records of several of her children including the first and last who survived to adulthood. [4615] The will of a John Gern [sic] (#56) who died in Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1873 agrees with the children named in McBride and Capener, establishes that Abraham and Catharine were his children,

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4614</sup> Don W. McBride and Ella Smith Capener, *The Garn (Carn) family in America* (Salt Lake City, Utah, 1964) [FHL #1421913 it. 15, descendant information], page 1; Index to McBride, [FHL #1421913 it. 14, index].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4615</sup> Death Record of John W. Garn, St. Joseph Co., Michigan Deaths, 1916, #2, mother as Susana Garn; Death Record of Benjamin F. Garn, Marshall Co., Indiana Deaths, 1931. State Registered #5938, Local #21, mother as Susan Garn; Death Record of Martin Garn, Mason Co., Michigan Deaths, 1901, #43, Registered No. 6, mother as Hannah Garn; Death Record of Francis Aaron Garn, St. Joseph Co., Michigan Deaths, 2 Feb 1889, Vol. 1, p. 256, Record 99, as Francis A. Garnes, mother as Susana Garnes; Death Record of Sarah Ellen Weirman, Paulding Co., Ohio Deaths, 1927, Registered Dist. #55-35, File #141, mother as Susan Garn.

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and that Catharine was the deceased wife of John Garn, Jr. [4616] This John Garn, Jr., was person #98. Although John Garn's will spelled his surname as Gern, the supporting documents and payments to descendants were delivered to people who spelled their name as Garn.

The will of John Garn (#46) who died in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, in 1833, names John, Jr., as a son and Susan as his youngest daughter. [4617] All of this John Garn's older daughters are identified in his will using their married surnames. However Susan was listed with only her first name when the will was written on 31 August 1832. When the distributions from the estate were recorded in the "Administration Account" on 19 April 1836, money was distributed to his sons and to the husbands of his married daughters who were named in the will. [4618] Although his daughter Susan is not named explicitly in the distribution papers, there is an entry which reports that \$200 was, "Paid Abraham Garn in part of his wife's legacy of the estate of John Garn, decd [deceased] per rect [receipt]." [4619] Since every other daughter that John Garn (#46) named in his will was accounted for in his estate records with either a direct payment to the daughter or a payment to the daughter's husband using similar wording, this can only mean that Susan Garn, his remaining daughter, was the wife of Abraham Garn even though she was not named explicitly in the distribution of the estate.

The will of John Gern/Garn, person #56, and the will and estate of John Garn, person #46, establish that they had children Abraham and Catherine who married Susan and John, Jr., respectively as reported by McBride and Capener.

Having established that the marriages reported by McBride and Capener actually occurred, we next addressed whether Abraham and sister Catherine were second cousins of their spouses Susan and John, Jr., respectively. We initially questioned this claim. However, a history of Sandusky Co., Ohio, reports the marriage between Catherine (#122) and John Garn (#98) and also reports that they were second cousins without naming any ancestors. [4620] If this report was correct, then Abraham Garn and his wife were also second cousins. Still questioning these relationships, we took a Y-DNA test and had descendants of two of Susan Garn's brothers take the Y-DNA test also. Robert Milton Garn, person #1260, who took the test, is a descendant of Susan's brother Daniel Garn (person #95). And Philip Graham Garn, who also took the test, is a descendant of Susan's brother Philip James Garn (person #103). We also had Maynard Ralph Garn, another descendant of John Garn (#56), take the Y-DNA test. A match of the author and Maynard Ralph Garn with Philip Graham Garn and Robert Milton Garn would establish whether or not a close relationship existed between two branches of the family and provide evidence to determine if the second cousin relationships claimed by McBride and Capener and the Sandusky County history were true.

Results of the test are discussed in Appendix 2. The company that did the testing reports a very close match resulting in a 90% chance that the men in the two different branches of the family share a

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4616</sup> Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 1900, Will of John Garn (as Gern), written 23 July 1860 and probated 16 May 1873, names all three children, will at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio; see Appendix 9 for images and a transcript of this will.

<sup>4617</sup> Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Wills, Will Book 3, [FHL #0331358], pp. 37-38; P. Garn, 1: 120-123; see Appendix 8 for images and a transcript of this will.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4618</sup> Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Estate Papers, 1833, file 37; P. Garn, 1: 124-143; see Appendix 8 for an image of the distribution to Abraham Garn of his wife's share of John Garn's estate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4619</sup> Bedford Co.. Pennsylvania Estate Papers, 1833, file 37; P. Garn, 1: 124-143, at 142.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4620</sup> History of Sandusky County, Ohio, with Portraits and Biographies of Prominent Citizens and Pioneers, published by H. Z. Williams and Bro., (Cleveland, Ohio, 1882), p. 746.

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common ancestor within the last eight generations. This convinced us that the claims about marriages between second cousins were true and that the father of John Garn (#56) was a brother of Johannes Gern or John Garn (#23).

#### Search for Frederick Garn

According to McBride and Capener (pages 2, 32), the father of John Gern/Garn, person #56, was a man named Frederick Garn. McBride and Capener also report that this Frederick was a brother of John Garn or Johannes Gern, who appears as person #23 in this book. We searched countless records for information about every Frederick that we could find with the surname Garn or similar names and were unable to find anyone that we could credibly or even remotely associate with the known Garn family. Fortunately we discovered other records, which we discuss in the following, which provided evidence that revealed that the name Frederick needed to be changed to Conrad.

#### Other Branches of the Family

In the course of our search for the elusive Frederick Garn cited above, we located a history of Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, written in 1884, which reports that a John Karns [sic] (#56) owned land along Buffalo Run in Buffalo Mills and that he sold it prior to 1836 and went to Ohio. [4621] John Carns [sic] (#56) received a patent for this land on 2 October 1830 by paying interest on the land from 1 April 1809 [4622]

This John Garn attended the nearby Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church, where his name appears as Kerns in the early records and as Garns in the later records, although a few of the later records use the Kerns spelling. [4623] The current location of the Lyberger Lutheran Church is four miles south of Buffalo Mills. The church records name the wife and three children of John Garn (#56). The church records also name a Jacob Kerns/Garns and wife Mary and their children. This Jacob clearly was not the Jacob who was the son of John Garn (#46). At some point we concluded he was probably a brother of John Garn (#56). However, we also concluded that he was much younger than the Jacob Garn that McBride and Capener (p. 2) named as a brother of John Garn (#56). The brother Jacob appearing in McBride and Capener was born in 1773, whereas this Jacob was born between 1793 and 1800 if the censuses where he appeared were correct. The birth of his first child in 1819 also supports a birth for Jacob much later than 1773 and within the 1793-1800 time interval.

It is interesting that the Lyberger Lutheran Church records give the surname as both Kerns and Garns. As noted before, the early records use the surname Kerns whereas the later records spell the name mostly as Garns. However, there can be no doubt that the two spellings refer to the same family. The index entry in the church records for Jacob gives the spelling as Kerns and points to pages 13 and 28. Page 13 lists his first six children with the Kerns spelling but page 28 lists his son Samuel with the

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<sup>4621</sup> History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884), p. 360, information from recollections of George Elder, who first settled "on the Buffalo" in 1836 at which time a Peter Brant was already living on the farm that John Karns had owned.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4622</sup> Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Land Warrants, 1830, No. 657, Patent Book H, Vol. 29, p. 204, Survey Book C 28, p. 75, to John Carns [sic].; see Appendix 10 for an image of John Garn's Patent.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4623</sup> Bedford County Historical Society Church Records, Bedford, Pennsylvania, Lyberger Lutheran Church Records, Wills Creek Congregation, 1808-1860's, pp. 10, 13, 28, 46-53 of original record and pp. 5, 6, 12, 21-25 of typed transcript; see Appendix 11 for images of Garn records in the Lyberger Church Records.

Garns spelling. And death or marriage records of the six children whose surnames were spelled as Kerns in the Lyberger records reported the surname as Garn and a birth date in agreement with the births in the Lyberger records. [4624] So there can be no doubt that the Kerns in the Lyberger Church records were later known by the name Garns or Garn.

Around 1832 both John Garn and Jacob Garn left the Lyberger Church and went to Ohio. John Garn bought land under the name Carnes in Madison and Washington Twps., Sandusky Co., Ohio. See the biography of John Garn #56 for details. Around the same time Jacob moved to the part of Wayne Co., Ohio, that became Ashland Co., Ohio when that county was formed around 1846. See the biography of Jacob Garn, #61, for details.

When we checked for records on this Jacob Garn in Ashland and Wayne Counties in Ohio, we found several other Garns living nearby. One was Adam Garn who claimed on one census that he was born in 1788 in New Jersey and appears as person #59 in this book. Adam's wife was Eve, whom we later discovered was not his first wife. We also found living in Ashland Co., Ohio, another Jacob Garn and two John Garns. We later determined that the other Jacob and one of the John Garns were sons of the Adam Garn living there. We also discovered that Adam Garn's family came from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, and in particular, from around Chambersburg or the adjacent Guilford Township. The death record of Adam and Eve's daughter Maria reported that Maria's mother had been born in Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. And we discovered that Adam Garn's son John was born in Franklin Co., without designating the state. Furthermore, the 1880 History of Ashland Co., Ohio, reported that Catherine, the daughter Adam had with a wife prior to Eve, was born in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4625]

### Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Research

The discovery of records in Ashland Co., Ohio, which established that some of the Garns there had come from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania led us to do research in Franklin County.

Records of the German Reformed Church - Zion Reformed Church, which we found at the Franklin County Historical Society in Chambersburg, reported that Adam Gern [sic], person #59, and Eve Cell were married on 10 June 1828 at that church. The church is located at the corner of South Main Street and West Liberty Street in Chambersburg.

At the Franklin County Courthouse in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, we found an orphan's court record for a Christopher Gern that was recorded in 1827. The record reported that he had died intestate some time in 1820 and that he had seven children. It didn't name any of the children or give their ages.

We found a Christopher Gern in the 1810 U. S. Federal Census in Franklin, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4627] The area known as Franklin Township later became part of the city of Chambersburg. In that census he had 5 sons under 10 years old and a daughter who was 10 to 15 years old. This accounts for six of the seven children cited in the 1827 orphan's court record. Christopher Gern was 26

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4624</sup> See biographies of Jacob's first six children.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4625</sup> George William Hill, *History of Ashland Co., Ohio, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches*, (Cleveland, Ohio, 1880), p. 332, as wife of William Maurer.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4626</sup> Orphan's Court Records, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Docket C, p. 129.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4627</sup> 1810 U.S. Federal Census, Franklin Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M252, Roll 54, page 938, as Christopher Gern.

to 44 years old in the census. Given his age in the census and the ages of his children, he clearly was too young to have been the brother Christian Garn that McBride and Capener (pages vi and 1) claimed was an original immigrant and a brother of the John Garn, person #23, who died in Bedford County in 1808.

### **Immigration Record**

Because of his age, we asked ourselves if this Christopher Gern might be a brother of the John Garn, person #56, who died in 1873 in Ohio. Two census records report where this John Garn was born, one citing Bavaria and the other citing Germany. So we began looking for immigration records. We found one for the immigration from Amsterdam to Philadelphia in 1785 by a Conrad Gern and wife Barbara who immigrated with sons Christopher and John and three other children. [4628]

### More Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records

At this point there was no reason to believe that this Conrad Gern was part of the Garn family and we initially ignored the immigration record because we had never heard of a Conrad in the family. However, additional searching of census records in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania in 1800 revealed a Conrad Karns in Guilford Township in that county. [4629] He was over 45 years old. He had a son who was 10 to 15 years old that we later determined to be Adam Garn, person #59. And he had two sons who were under ten years old. We suspected that one of the under-ten sons on that census may have been Jacob Garn, person #61, who was at the Lyberger Church with John Garn #56 and still later in Ashland Co., Ohio. At this point we had no idea who the other son might have been.

Conrad also appeared on the 1799, 1804, and 1807 tax records of Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania with either the name Kern or Kerns. [4630] We also found a tax record for Christopher Kerns in Franklin Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, in 1804. [4631] We note here that Franklin Twp. disappeared over time as the city of Chambersburg grew to take up the entire township.

While at the historical society in Chambersburg, we also found a report that a John Kern was named in an Orphan's Court record associated with a George Smith of Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., who was on a list of American Revolutionary War soldiers. [4632] One of George Smith's descendants was admitted to the Daughters of the American Revolution based on his service. [4633] The Orphans Court records dated 1804 reported that George Smith's daughter Susannah had married John Kern. [4634] Since this George

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4628</sup> Ralph Beaver Strassburger, *Pennsylvania German Pioneers, A Publication of the Original Lists of Arrivals in the Port of Philadelphia from 1727 to 1808*, Volume III, 1785-1808, (Norristown, Pennsylvania, 1934), List 333, pp. 14-15.

<sup>4629 1800</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 38, p. 854, as Conrad Karns.
4630 Guilford Township Tay Return for 1799 Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 3, 1796

Guilford Township Tax Return for 1799, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 3, 1796-1800, p. 281, as Kern; Guilford Township Tax Return for 1804, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 4, 1804-1807, p. 27, as Kerns; Guilford Township Tax Return for 1807, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 4, 1804-1807, p. 102/162 - page has both numbers, as Kerns.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4631</sup> Franklin Township Tax Return for 1804, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 4, 1804-1807, p. 37, as Christopher Kerns.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4632</sup> Virginia Shannon Fendrick, *American Revolutionary Soldiers of Franklin County, Pennsylvania*, (Chambersburg, PA, 1969), p. 245, published for the Franklin County Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Application for Membership to the Daughers of the American Revolution by Glenna Freeman McLaughlin, National Number 613370, based on service of George Smith, DAR Ancestor #A105412, in Pennsylvania during the Revolutionary War.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4634</sup> Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Orphan's Court Records, Docket A, pp. 161-162, 174; see Appendix 12 for an image of George Smith's Orphan's Court record.

Smith was from the same township as Conrad Gern, who appeared in some of the records with the name Kern, and since we found no other Kerns in the area, and since John Garn, person #56, later appeared in the Lyberger Church records with his surname spelled as Kerns, we suspected that the marriage of George's daughter Susannah Smith had to have been to John Garn, person #56.

Any remaining doubts about whether the Conrad Kern or Kerns of Guilford Township in Franklin County was the Conrad Gern who had immigrated from Germany were significantly reduced by our discovery that a Barbara Gern had died on 12 October 1827 and was buried in the Solomon's Evangelical Lutheran Church Cemetery in Guilford Township. [4635] It should be noted that this cemetery is also known as the Grindstone Hill Cemetery. Although the record does not report when this Barbara Gern was born, we believe that this Barbara was Conrad's wife. And even if one argues that this was another Barbara, it is convincing evidence that the Gern family was in Guilford Township where Grorge Smith had lived.

Other evidence that the Gern family was connected with Solomon's or the Grindstone Hill Evangelical Lutheran Church appears in Appendix 17, where a birth and baptismal record for Conrad Gern's grandson, Jonathan Kahl, person #141 (as Kehl) reports that he was baptized in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, by the minister who served that church at the time Jonathan Kahl was baptized.

We visited the Grindstone Hill Church Cemetery in hopes of locating Barbara's grave marker. Although we found many old markers that were inscribed with German script, many were badly weathered and illegible. Barbara's was undoubtedly one of those badly weathered and illegible markers. We called Solomon's Evangelical Church to ask about additional records regarding the cemetery. We were told that the records for the old markers had once been stored at a private residence and were destroyed when the residence burned. [4636]

We note here that there were also reports in the cemetery records of grave markers for an Adam Gern, who died on 21 June 1828, and an Elizabeth Gern, who died on 22 February 1828. As with the report for the death of Barbara, no birth date is provided with these reports. So it is impossible to determine where to place them in the family. We do not know how they fit into the family but believe that they probably belonged to one of Conrad's children or grandchildren who lived in Guilford Township.

Finally, we note that the Solomon's Church cemetery where Barbara Gern was buried is the same cemetery where George Smith, discussed above, was buried. [4637] This suggests that George Smith's family and Conrad Gern/Kern's family worshipped at the same church, which suggests a closer relationship between the families than is suggested by mere residence in the same township. This closer association is additional evidence that Conrad Gern/Kern's son John married George Smith's daughter Susannah.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4635</sup> John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 12-155, from Franklin County Historical Society.

 <sup>4636</sup> Conversation with Marjorie Dale, wife of Wayne Dale, a member of the Cemetery Committee, ca. October 2010.
 4637 John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 12-188, as George Schmid, from Franklin County Historical Society; GPS coordinates of grave marker are N 39deg, 51.486min, W 077deg, 37.598min, +- 17ft, inscription in German, DAR plaque and flag with marker.

#### **Y-DNA Tests**

By now it seemed like there was good circumstantial evidence to place Conrad Gern as the father of John Garn, person #56, and Christopher Garn/Gern, who appeared in the Franklin Co., Pennsylvania records. But we looked for more evidence to enhance the case for placing some of the other Garns as sons of Conrad and turned to more Y-DNA testing. We were able to locate descendants of Adam Garn, person #59, of Ashland Co., Ohio, and Jacob Garn, person #61, who agreed to take the Y-DNA test. Dale Garn, who took the test is a descendant of Adam Garn. Tom Garn, who took the test is a descendant of Jacob Garn. Results of the tests were again a close match indicating a close relationship to the other branches of the Garn family. See Appendix 2 for more details.

At this point we concluded that Conrad Gern had to be the father of the three men, John, person #56, Adam Garn, person #59, and Jacob Garn, person #61, even though the name Conrad does not appear among descendants in the family. We also concluded that the name Frederick Garn had been confused with Conrad Garn, probably because of confusion among the multiple John Garns in the family and uncertainty over which of the John Garns had brother named Frederick. This confusion was probably exacerbated by marriages between branches of the family and incorrect recollections or uncertainties regarding which branch of ancestors a person was talking about when naming ancestors and family members of ancestors.

### Search for Records on Conrad Gern in Europe

At this point we decided to search for records on Conrad Gern or Garn in Europe. Based on the 1800 U.S. Federal Census and the dates of birth of his two sons Christopher and John, we concluded that he probably was born between 1740 and 1755 and began searching for records on him.

A check of <pilot.familysearch.org> for a Conrad Gern came up with a Cunrad Gern who was baptized in the Evangelisch in Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. [4638] He was born on 4 November 1848, which agrees with the date we estimated for the birth of the Conrad who appeared in Franklin Co... Pennsylvania. His father was Hanss Adam Gern and his mother was Anna Maria. Further checking revealed that a Conrad Gern married a Christina Barbara Hauser on 24 January 1775. The name of the wife of the Conrad Gern who immigrated in 1785 was Barbara. And, because of German naming conventions, Christina Barbara Hauser would have been known by the name Barbara even though her formal name was Christina Barbara. So we concluded that this was probably the same person who immigrated in 1785 and appeared in the Franklin Co., Pennsylvania records.

### Evidence That Johannes Gern was Born on 3 March 1738 in Kürnbach

Since our earlier evidence and conclusions about second cousin marriages required that Conrad Gern have a brother Johannes Gern, person #23, we next searched the Evangelisch records in Kürnbach for evidence that Conrad actually had a brother named Johannes. This search brought up the record that a Johannes Gern had been born in Kürnbach on 3 March 1738 to Hans Adam Gern and wife Anna Maria. [4639] Except for the day of the month that he was born, this Johannes certainly looked like the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4638</sup> See Appendix 4 for images of the birth and baptism record. <sup>4639</sup> See Appendix 4 for an image of the record.

John Garn who died in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania in 1808 that McBride and Capener had in their records. McBride and Capener (pages 1 and 114) gave his birth date as 21 March 1808. And Philip Graham Garn gave his birth date as either this date or 28 February 1738 using his method for computing the birth date from the inscription. [4640]

Although McBride and Capener do not reveal where or how they arrived at the birth date that they report, Philip Graham Garn reports that he based his date on the grave marker of Johannes Gern or John Garn. He reports and we have confirmed that the second line of the grave marker reads as follows: [4641]

I·G 70·6·3·3

Note that the I in the second line had a bar through it, which is an old style font signifying the letter "J." [4642]

McBride and Capener report that this John Garn died on 24 September 1808 and that he was born on 21 March 1738. In the first edition of this book we offered the hypothesis that someone ignored the second "3" in the inscription and interpreted it to mean that he was 70 years, 6 months and 3 days old when he died. If one presumes this age, then one derives a birth date of 21 March 1738 that was reported by McBride and Capener, which could explain how they arrived at their date.

But even McBride and Capener did not always agree that John Garn was born on 21 March 1738. A letter (see Appendix 23) from Mrs. J. A. Capener to Jesse Blaine Garns, which was written in 1958, six years before their book was published, suggested that John Garn or Johannes Garn/Gern was born on 3 July 1738.

Additional evidence that someone ignored the second "3" on the second line of the inscription may be found in an old image of the grave marker that is attributed to Stanley Walter, who is named in the above mentioned letter from Mrs. J. A. Capener to Jesse Blaine Garns. [4643] This image is shown on the following page where on the left is the original image and on the right is a version in which we highlighted the letters of the original in red using a photo editor. Note that white lines to the left and below the lettering are leaves, probably from a shrub, that appear white because the contrast of the original image renders objects either black or white. It is obvious that Stanley Walter marked over the letters with something like chalk before taking the photograph. And it is also obvious that he did not mark over the second "3" in the second line.

As noted in the pictures within Johannes Gern's biography, the second line reads "4·G 70·6·3·3" and ends with two "3's," not with a single "3" as highlighted in the Stanley Walters picture on the following page.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4640</sup> Philip G. Garn, *History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches* (Tempe, Arizona, 1989, [FHL #1697279 it. 1-3], pp. 1:75-82.

Philip G. Garn, cited above; GPS coordinates of grave marker are N40 deg., 12.908 min., W078 deg., 34.039 min., +/- 14 feet.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4642</sup> See photo, page 82 of Philip G. Garn's book, cited above.

Geri Arnold, Direct Ancestors of Lonie May Carn, wife of John P. Harr, and Some of their Descendants, (Kent, OH, 1997) [hereafter Geri Arnold, also listed with references at end of book], file 2009.2150, found in the family files at Bedford County Historical Society, Bedford, PA, image of grave marker appears on page 6.



Grave marker for John Garn, as photographed by Stanley Walter on the left and highlighted on the right with a photoeditor to show letters

Philip Graham Garn interpreted the inscription on the grave marker as follows: [4644] "Johannes Gern, or John Garn, Sr., was born on March 21, 1738 and died on September 24, 1808. Using these dates and a little arithmetic I discovered that from 1738 to 1808 is 70 years, from March to September is 6 months, and from September 1st to September 21st is 3 weeks, and from September 21st to September 24th is 3 days. These figures match the four numbers on the tombstone.... Translated into present terminology the inscription on the headstone is meant to read: Iohannes Gern [German variation of John Garn] 70 years, 6 months, 3 weeks, and 3 days of age."

Although Philip Graham Garn seems to report that John Garn was born on 21 March 1728, if we use his interpretation of the numbers and subtract years, months, weeks, and days from his death date in that order, we arrive at a birth date of 28 February 1738, which is close to the date in the Kürnbach record but still is off a bit. If we subtract days, weeks, months and years in that order, we arrive at a birth date of 31 February 1738, which doesn't exist.

The person who wrote the inscripton for the second line of the grave marker may have intended it to mean that from 1738 to 1808 is 70 years, from March to September is 6 months, and from September 1st to September 21st is 3 weeks, and from September 21st to September 24th is 3 days, as Philip Graham Garn suggested. However, this does not establish a unique birth date for John Garn, as noted above. Furthermore, it is worth noting that any birth date in March 1738 will result in a death date of 24 September 1808 using P. Garn's interpretation of the numbers on the second line. That is, it is equally valid for any day in March to claim that from March to September is 6 months, and from September 1st to September 21st is 3 weeks, and from September 21st to September 24th is 3 days.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4644</sup> Philip G. Garn, p. 1:78, cited above.

After puzzling over the inscription, we concluded that the character that had been interpreted as the digit "6" should actually be the letter "b." Considering that the I.G on the inscription was in old script format with the "I" having a bar through it to signify that it was a "J," it is not out of the question that the "b" might have been in an old style character also and might have looked a bit like the digit "6." An example of a "b" that looks like the digit "6" may be found in the Monotype Corsiva set of fonts in Microsoft Word software, which is shown below. The letter "b" appears as shown in the image below when typed in this set of fonts. So it is not out of the question that an old style "b" was inscribed which looked even more like a "6" than the font below and might have been interpreted as a "6."

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### Example of the letter "b" that looks like the number "6."

When you interpret the "6" as a "b," the second line on the grave marker of the Johannes Gern or John Garn who died in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, in 1808 may be interpreted to mean that he was 70 years old when he died and he was born the third month and third day, which agrees with the birth record of Johannes Gern, who was born on 3 March 1738 at Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany.

We believe this is the only interpretation of the inscription that makes sense in light of the fact that Conrad Gern, the brother of the Johannes Gern born in Kürnbach on 3 March 1738, fits the description of the progenitor of Garns that we have named as his descendants in Pennsylvania and Ohio, that a second-cousin relationship can be proven for marriages between grandchildren of John Garn of Bedford County and grandchildren of Conrad Gern of Kürnbach, and that the Y-DNA of Conrad's descendants is a close or exact match to the Y-DNA of descendants of the John Garn who died in Bedford County on 24 September, 1808.

To conclude that the inscription should be interpreted as something other than 70 [years old] b[orn] 3[rd month] 3[rd day] would require a lot of other coincidences that would be extraordinarily hard to explain. Or it would require us to accept that the person who wrote the inscription was unaware that it did not establish a unique birth date. Therefore we believe we have discovered the correct interpretation and that our conclusions about Johannes and Conrad Gern and their families are correct.

At the time we published the first edition of this book, we believed that the first line of the grave marker inscription was "1808 Sept." However, the pictures that appear with Johannes Gern's biography clearly indicate that the first line is "1808 Sep 24," the exact date of his death. And it is apparent that Stanley Walter interpreted the inscription as "1808 Sep 24," as may be seen in the photograph presented on the previous page. Since Stanley Walter died on 11 June 1966, this picture was taken before that date. [4645] This suggests that the 3 July 1738 birth date first suggested for John Garn by Mrs. J. A. Caperner in her 1958 letter (see Appendix 23) probably was revised to 21 March 1738 to reflect the shortened second line of the inscription, "I·G 70·6·3," which appears in the Stanley Walter photograph and which we have shown is incomplete because it is missing the second "3" in the second line.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4645</sup> Bedford County Historical Society Obituary Files, bk. 53, p. W12.

#### Birth Records of Conrad Gern's Children

Having concluded that John Garn, person #56, was Conrad Gern's son, and being aware that census records for this John Garn reported that he was born in Germany or Bavaria, we searched the church records in Kürnbach for a birth record for him. McBride and Capener (pages 2 and 32) reported that he was born on 16 August 1778. This is also the birth date one derives from his age at death on his grave marker in Metzgar Cemetery in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [4646]

Upon searching the Kürnbach church records for children of Conrad and Barbara Gern, we found first the birth record for Christopher, born in September of 1775. Then we found a birth record 15 months later in 1776 for Cordula. We were expecting to find a birth record for John in 1778. However we discovered that Conrad Gern, Jr., was born in March of 1778, which it too close to 16 August 1778 to allow for John Garn to have also been born on that date. So we were concerned that we might end up with contradictory records.

Additional searching revealed a birth record for a Johannes Gern, born to Conrad and Barbara Gern on 16 August in 1780, exactly two years after the date given by McBride and Capener and the date derived from his grave marker. [4650] The two year difference between the Kürnbach birth record of Johannes Gern and the birth date of John Garn in both McBride and Capener and John's grave marker in Sandusky Co., Ohio, is easily dismissed. The two year difference is simply another case where an individual lost track of his year of birth, which occurs frequently, as can be attested by anyone who has done even a small amount of genealogical research. Further research revealed birth records of additional children born in Kürnbach.

The discovery of John Garn's birth record provided further confirmation that his father was Conrad Gern. Also, recalling the matching Y-DNA test results, it was additional confirmation that Johannes Gern, the brother of Conrad Gern in the Kürnbach records, was the same Johannes Gern or John Garn, who died in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania in 1808.

#### Samuel Garns in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania

At this point we looked again at the 1800 U.S. Federal Census of Conrad Karns [sic] in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. We were convinced that the son who was 10-15 years old was Conrad's son Adam Garn. And we were convinced that one of the sons under 10 years old was Jacob Garn. So we searched for other Garns who might have been the other son who was under 10 years old in that census.

Further searching in the Franklin Co. Pennsylvania records revealed a Samuel Garns [sic] who was born in 1795. [4651] We concluded that he probably was the other son, under 10 years old, who was listed on the 1800 Census of Conrad Karns [sic].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4646</sup> GPS coordinates of grave marker are N41 deg., 19.585 min., W083 deg., 18.083 min., +/- 19 feet.

 <sup>4647</sup> Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099; see Appendix 4.
 4648 Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL Film 1192099; see Appendix 4.

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 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4651</sup> 1850 U.S. Federal Census of Saml Karns, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M432\_781, p. 85B, Samuel, 54, born in New Jersey; 1860 U.S. Federal Census of Henry Garnes, Peters Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M653\_1112, p. 726, Saml Garnes living in Henry Garnes household, 61, born in Pennsylvania; 1870 U.S. Federal Census of Jacob

After tracking a number of descendants of this Samuel Garns, we located one who was willing to take the Y-DNA test. Results of the test taken by John N. Garns were also a close match to the basic Garn Y-DNA and confirmed to us that Samuel Garns, whom we show as person #62 in this book, was the second under-10-years-old son of Conrad Gern who appeared (as Karns) on the 1800 Census. See Appendix 2 for more details on the Y-DNA test.

### Relationship Confirmation in Letters from John Garn to Uncle Samuel Garn

Additional searching for descendants of Samuel Garns of Franklin Co., Pennsylvania led us to Milton L. Garnes, person #1122, who is a great-grandson of Samuel Garns. Milton has the family Bible that Samuel Garns purchased in 1844 in which information about the family of Samuel Garns is recorded. Although the inscriptions in the Bible about Samuel's family were quite useful in confirming Samuel's descendants, they did not reveal any information about Samuel's parents or origins. However, Samuel received and kept several letters from relatives. These letters were kept in the family Bible and were made available when Milton L. Garnes allowed us to examine the Samuel Garns Bible.

A letter from John Kahl of Ashland Co., Ohio, that was sent to Samuel Garns in 1857, started with, "Dear Brotherinlaw," and reported on a fall that Adam Garn, person #59, had taken. [4653] The letter identified Adam Garn as "your Brother Adam..." Also, two letters that were in the Samuel Garns Bible were from a John Garn to his Uncle Samuel Garn. [4654] The John Garn who wrote the letters can be easily proved to be John Garn, person #125, who was the son of Adam Garn, person #59, whom we have reported to be Samuel's brother.

These three letters clearly establish that Adam Garn, person #59, and Samuel Garns, person #62, were brothers. Furthermore, one of the letters, written 27 December 1863, mentions, "Old Uncle John and Aunt Susannah." The surname of Uncle John and Aunt Susannah is not given. However, there can be no question that they are John Garn, person #56, and his wife. A second letter, written 22 January 1876, reports that "Old Uncle John" had died three years earlier, that his son Abraham had moved to Indiana, and that young John Garn, who married Old Uncle John's daughter, had also died. This young John Garn, would have been person #98.

These letters leave no doubt that Adam Garn, person #59, and Samuel Garns, person #62, were brothers of John Garn, person #56, and therefore also sons of Conrad Gern, in agreement with other records and conclusions drawn from Y-DNA tests.

### Children of Christopher Gern/Garn of Chambersburg, Pennsylvania

We noted earlier that an orphan's court record in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania reported in 1827 that Christopher Gern of Chambersburg died there in 1820 and that he had a wife and seven children when

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Frieze, Montgomery Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M593\_1346, p. 452A, Sml Garnes living in Jacob Frieze household, 75, born in Delaware.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4652</sup> See Appendix 21 for images and a transcript of records entered in the Bible.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4653</sup> See Appendix 17 for an image and transcript of the letter.

See Appendix 16 for images and transcripts of the letters.

he died. We also noted that the 1810 Census reported that he had five sons who were ten years old or younger and a daughter who was 10 to 15 years old when that census was recorded.

Our search for children of this Christopher Garn revealed two men that we place as his children. One is Christopher Garns, who appears as person #117. We place him as a son of Christopher Garn, person #53, because of his appearance on the 1850 U.S. Federal Census in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, where Christopher Garn, person #53, lived. [4655] We also place him as Christopher's son because he would have been named after his father, and because we can easily exclude other Garns or Gerns in the area as his father based on their ages and the fact that Conrad Gern, person #26, already had a son by that name.

The other person that we have assigned as a son of Christopher Garn, person #53, is John Garn, person #118. We place this John Garn as Christopher's son because he lived among other Garns in Ashland Co., Ohio, who clearly had come from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. This led us to believe he probably had also come from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. Results of a Y-DNA test taken by Kenneth C. Garn, a descendant of this John Garn, were a perfect match to the basic Y-DNA of the other Garns. The birth of this John Garn in 1800 excluded other Garns as his father. We can also exclude Conrad as this John Garn's father since Conrad already had a son named John and Conrad's wife Barbara would have been quite old to have had a son in 1800. Finally, we know that Christopher Garn of Chambersburg had a son named John who was about the right age to be the John Garn who appeared later in Ashland Co., Ohio. This knowledge is based on the record in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania of the marriage in 1827 between a Silvia [Lidia incorrectly transcribed as Silvia] Poorman and John, son of Christopher Kerns [sic] of Chambersburg. These records convinced us that this John Garn should be placed as Christopher's son.

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 <sup>4655 1850</sup> U.S. Federal Census, Quincy Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, M432-782, page 403B, as Christopher Garns.
 4656 Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Historical Society Church Records, Marriages, German Reformed Church - Zion Reformed Church, South Main Street and West Liberty Street, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, p. 3 (typed transcript), entry 40, typed record transcribes Lydia as Silvia Poorman, he as John Kerns, son of Christopher Kerns; marriage as John Gerns [sic] and Lydia Poorman is reported in Civil War pension application of John and Lydia's son Samuel A. Gerns [sic].

## **Appendix 2 - Y-DNA Test Results and Relationships**

In this appendix we discuss Y-DNA tests that we used as part of our research and present results of those tests as well as the relationships among the people who took the test. We used the tests to establish when relationships existed and to discover if relationships might exist with a number of people who spelled their name similar to the Garn spelling and lived in places where people with the Garn spelling either lived or were known to have lived. The results of these tests served as a basis for continuing or concluding research on a particular branch. As an example, two separate families that spell the surname as Karns and lived in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, and one that spells the name Garns and Garnes in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, were tested. The Karns who were tested were huge mismatches with the Garns who took the test. All with the Garn spelling of the surname who took the test were close or exact matches as was the person in the branch that spells the surname as Garns and Garnes. Only the results of exact or close matches are presented in this appendix.

The theory behind Y-DNA testing is that fathers pass on to their sons an exact copy of their Y-chromosome when the son is conceived. Any differences that occur between the Y-chromosomes of fathers and their sons are the result of rare mutations, the frequency of which is somewhat predictable. As the number of generations since the Most Recent Common Ancestor (MRCA) of two individuals increases, the number of mutations will increase and the Y-chromosomes of male descendants will gradually diverge in a predictable manner. The number of differences between the Y-chromosomes is used to predict the number of generations that have occurred since two people shared a common ancestor or MRCA.

We used a 37-Marker Y-DNA test in this research. [4657] The chart on the following page shows the 37 Markers and their values that we will call the Basic Garn Y-DNA. We call this the Basic Garn Y-DNA because it is the Y-DNA pattern that is matched by five of the ten people who took the test. And these five are spread across multiple branches of the family. The other five who did not match this Y-DNA pattern differed from it at only one marker. And for all five of those who did not match the Basic Garn Y-DNA pattern, the marker at which they differed was a different marker. In other words, no other pattern had even two people who matched it. So it is safe to presume that the common ancestor had the Basic Garn Y-DNA pattern and those who differ from it do so because there was a mutation somewhere in their chain of descent from the common ancestor.

In the chart on the following page, Locus is another name for the number of a Y-DNA marker. DYS# is an indicator that genetic researchers use to accurately describe the particular marker. And the alleles are the values of the DNA markers.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4657</sup> DNA testing conducted by FamilyTreeDNA, 1445 North Loop West, Suite 820, Houston, TX, 77008, also found at FamilyTreeDNA.com.

# Basic Garn Y-DNA Pattern

Locus	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
DYS#	393	390	19*	391	385a	385b	426	388	439	389-1	392	389-2	
Alleles	14	25	14	11	11	14	12	12	12	13	13	30	
Locus	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
DYS#	458	459a	459b	455	454	447	437	448	449	464a**	464b**	464c**	464d**
Alleles	18	9	9	11	11	25	15	19	29	15	15	16	17
Locus	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	
DYS#	460	GATA H4	YCA II a	YCA II b	456	607	576	570	CDY a	CDY b	442	438	
Alleles	11	10	19	19	16	15	18	17	35	36	12	12	
*Also kı	nown a	s DYS 394											
**On 5/	19/2003	3, these val	lues were	e adjustec	l down b	y 1 point	becau	se of a	change i	n Lab nom	enclature.		

The people who took the DNA test and their relationships are shown on the chart on the following page. Three people who descend from the Johannes Gern (#23) branch of the family and seven people who descend from the Conrad Gern (#26) branch of the family took the test.

Results of the individual tests are as follows:

- Paul W. Garn (DNA test #179641) Matched the Basic Garn Y-DNA. He is a descendant of Johannes Gern's son Frederick (#43).
- Robert Milton Garn (DNA test #159340) Differs from that of the Basic Garn Y-DNA only in Locus 30 where his Allele value is 17 instead of the Basic Garn Y-DNA value, which is 16. He is a descendant of Johannes Gern's son John (#46).
- Philip Graham Garn (DNA test #150024) Differs from that of the Basic Garn Y-DNA only in Locus 21 where his Allele value is 30 instead of the Basic Garn Y-DNA value, which is 29. He is a descendant of Johannes Gern's son John (#46).
- Kenneth C. Garn (DNA test #177957) Matches the Basic Garn Y-DNA. He is a descendant of Conrad Gern's son Christopher (#53).
- Clarence V. Garn, Jr. (DNA test #194591) Matches the Basic Garn Y-DNA. He is a descendant of Conrad Gern's son John (#56).
- Maynard Ralph Garn (DNA test #158228) Matches the Basic Garn Y-DNA. He is a descendant of Conrad Gern's son John (#56).
- Lynn Edwin Garn (DNA test #150022) Matches the Basic Garn Y-DNA. He is a descendant of Conrad Gern's son John (#56).
- Dale Garn (DNA test #179440) Differs from the Basic Garn Y-DNA only at Locus 34 where his Allele value is 34 instead of the Basic Garn Y-DNA value, which is 35. He is a descendant of Conrad Gern's son Adam Garn (#59).

# **Relationship Chart**

The person at the bottom of each column took the Y-DNA test.

Each person is the son of the person whose name appears above him in the column.

#### Johann Adam Gern #16

Johannes Gern #23			Conrad Gern #26						
Frederick Garn #43	I John Garn #46		Christopher Garn #53	John Garn #56			Adam Garn #59	Jacob Garn #61	Samuel Garns #62
Christian Garn #64	Daniel Garn #95	Philip James Garn, I #103	John Garn #118	Abraham Garn #121		121	John Garn #125	Jeremiah Garn #154	Samuel Andrew Garns #159
George Ickes Garn #179	Jacob Moroni Garn #298	Philip James Garn, II #376	Henry Wachtel Garn #400	John Washington Garn #358		Martin Garn #364	John L. Garn #417	Elza N. Garn #522	John David Garns #539
William J. Garn #660	Daniel Milton Garn #740	Philip James Garn, III #907	Kenneth M. Garn #956	Charles Milroy Garn #848	Samuel Schylar Garn #851	Archie Garn #873	Sylvanus Garn #973	Carey Garn #1049	John Widder Garns #1076
George Frank Garn #1234	Robert Milton Garn #1260	Philip Graham Garn #1380	Kenneth H. Garn #1389	Charles Henry Garn #1312	Guy Albert Garn #1320	Stewart Garn #1363	,	Joseph Garn #1443	Larry Neil Garns #1458
Gerald Garn			Kenneth C. Garn	Clarence V. Garn, Sr.	Maynard Ralph Garn	Lynn Edwin Garn	Dale Garn	Tom Garn	John Neil Garns
Paul W. Garn				Clarence V. Garn, Jr.					

Tom Garn (DNA test #179385) – Differs from that of the Basic Garn Y-DNA only at Locus 9 where his Allele value is 11 instead of the Basic Garn Y-DNA value, which is 12. – He is a descendant of Conrad Gern's son Jacob (#61).

John Neil Garns (DNA test #182294) – Differs from the Basic Garn Y-DNA only at Locus 32 where his Allele value is 16 instead of the Basic Garn Y-DNA value, which is 18. – He is a descendant of Conrad Gern's son Samuel Garns (#62)

The chart on the following page is a matrix of all of the people who took the Y-DNA test. It shows their relationship to each other and how closely each person's Y-DNA matches every other person who took the test.

**The explanation of this chart is as follows.** If you look at the shaded column for Robert Milton Garn, you will see that it intersects with a shaded row headed by Maynard Ralph Garn. At the intersection of this row and column you will see a more shaded box with the following in it: 5C1R, 36/37. The 5C1R in this box means that Robert Milton Garn and Maynard Ralph Garn are 5<sup>th</sup> cousins, once removed. The 36/37 in the box means that they match at 36 of the 37 Y-DNA markers that were tested.

We also wish to note that the relationships (5C1R) of the author and Maynard Ralph Garn to Philip Graham Garn and Robert Milton Garn that we placed in the chart are the relationships that are meaningful in Y-DNA testing. Since Abraham Garn married Susan Garn, a daughter of John Garn, person #46, the author and Maynard Ralph Garn are actually more closely related to Philip Graham Garn and Robert Milton Garn through Daniel and Philip James Garn's sister Susan Garn than they are through Abraham Garn. Their relationship through Susan Garn is 3C1R. However, this closer relationship through Susan Garn has no bearing on the Y-DNA test results.

The DNA testing company, FamilyTreeDNA of Houston, Texas, reports that when 35 of 37 DNA markers match, there is a 90% chance that the Most Recent Common Ancestor (MRCA) was no longer ago than 12 generations. When 36 of 37 markers match, there is a 90% chance that the MRCA was no longer ago than 8 generations. And when all 37 markers match, there is a 90% chance that the MRCA was no longer ago than 5 generations.

It is important to note here that a Y-DNA match does not establish what the actual relationship is between the two people. For example, Paul W. Garn and the author match Y-DNA exactly even though they are 6C1R related. Normally two people that distantly related could expect to see a mismatch in at least one marker. Robert Milton Garn and Philip Graham Garn are third cousins (3C) and they match at 35 of the 37 markers tested. And they are 5C1R related to the author and match him at 36 of the 37 markers tested. Therefore Robert and Philip are a better match to the author than to each other even though the author is a more distant relative.

In the absence of explicit knowledge that Robert Milton Garn and Philip Graham Garn are third cousins, one might think that the test results suggest or indicate that they are more distantly related to each other than they are to the author. These examples illustrate that the random mutations are truly random and that the degree of Y-DNA match does not establish what the actual relationship is between two individuals.

## Appendix 3 - McBride and Capener - Select Pages, Unrevised

In this appendix we reproduce a number of pages from McBride and Capener's book *Garn (Carn) Family in America*, which they published in 1964.<sup>[4658]</sup> We provide this as a convenience to the reader because we quote from these pages frequently. However, we caution the reader that we have not attempted to correct dates or names and relationships that may have been revised by research done after their book was published. In particular, the reader will see that a man named Frederick Garn has been renamed Conrad Gern as a result of our research and that the John Garn who died on 24 September 1808 has been renamed as Johannes Gern and that his birth date has been changed to 3 March 1738 as a result of our research. These revisions do not appear in this appendix.

We also wish the reader to understand that most of the revisions that we make to McBride and Capener are in the first few generations, which happen to coincide with some of the pages we have included in this appendix. This does not mean that the later generations, which we excluded from the appendix, require the same level of revisions. We suspect that much of the information for the early generations came from recollections of older members of the family who may have at times mixed up which branch of ancestors they were talking about.

We have attempted to insure that the format and look of the pages from McBride and Capener's book are the same as the original. However, we used optical character recognition (OCR) software to transcribe the original to a digital format that we could include here. And some of the information we transcribed with the OCR software was initially transcribed incorrectly. We have attempted to correct all of the errors introduced by the OCR. We were especially careful to insure accuracy of the information about people that we cite in our book. However, if you find a date or relationship in this appendix that is important to you, we suggest that you consult a copy of the original McBride and Capener book.

McBride's original page numbers may be found in the upper right-hand corner of each page with the prefix "McBride – Page" inserted before the page number. Aside from the addition of McBride's page numbers, and, "(including original, uncorrected errors)" in red, we tried to keep the version presented in the appendix the same as the original.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4658</sup> Don W. McBride and Ella Smith Capener, *The Garn (Carn) family in America* (Salt Lake City, Utah, 1964) [FHL #1421913 it. 15, descendant information], page 1; Index to McBride, [FHL #1421913 it. 14, index].

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ORIGIN OF THE GARN (CARN) FAMILY IN AMERICA

The name  $\underline{\text{Garn}}$  in the Dutch and German languages means  $\underline{\text{yarn}}$  (to knit cotton). It was derived from their business in the weaving cloth trade.

In 1738 in the city of Amsterdam, Holland, there was living a Garn family who had three sons, Frederick, Christian, and John.

Frederick came to America sometime prior to 1769. He married Franie.

They were living in Pennsylvania at the time of the birth of his four children, Elizabeth, Frederick, Jacob, and John.

Christian and John left Amsterdam for the United States June 15, 1781, on a sailing vessel; John had his family with him, consisting of his wife, Margaret Lein and four children, Barbara, John, Catherine, and Frederick. They landed in Baltimore, Maryland, on August 8 after a stormy voyage of fifty-four days. They traveled to Virginia and on to Bedford County, Pennsylvania, near the "Blair Furnace," taking up land and going into farming.

The subsequent events in the life of Christian Garn are unknown. On the other hand, the happenings in the life of John Garn and his descendants are relatively well known.

The name  $\underline{Garn}$  was anglicized to  $\underline{Carn}$  by a number of the descendants of the original ancestors; consequently, there are a number of Garn relatives today who use this spelling.

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	FIRST GARN (CARN) FA	MILY IN AMERICA	
HUSBAND			COMMENTS
b.			
md.			
d.			
fa.	mo.		
WIFE_			
b.			
d.			
fa. CHILDREN	MO.	MADDIED	DEATH
1.Frederick Garn	BIRTH & PLACE about 1730	MARRIED Franie	1796
i.Fledelick Gain	Amsterdam, Holland	rianie	1790
2.Christian Garn	about 1735		
Z.CIIIISCIAII GAIII	Amsterdam, Holland		
3.John Garn	21 Mar. 1738	Margaret Lein	24 Sep. 1808
J. OOM Gain	Amsterdam, Holland	margaret bern	24 Sep. 1000
	Amsterdam, norrand		
HUSBAND FREDER	RICK GARN	1st GENERATION	COMMENTS
b.	about 1730 Amsterdam, Holla	nd	
md.	1765 Amsterdam, Holland		
d.	1796		
fa.	mo.		
WIFE FRANIE	<u> </u>		
b.			
d.			
fa.	mo.		
CHILDREN	BIRTH & PLACE	MARRIED	DEATH
1.Elizabeth Garn	20 Sep. 1769	John Mock	
	Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa		
2.Frederick Garn(Ca	rn) 1770	Fanny Mock	
	Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa	•	
3.Jacob Garn	1773		
4 7 1 6	Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa		10.14 1072
4.John Garn	16 Aug. 1778	Susan Garn	12 May 1873
	Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa	•	
HUSBAND JOHN G	ZADN	1st GENERATION	COMMENTS
b .	21 Mar. 1738 Amsterdam,	Holland	COMMENTS
md.	21 June 1767 Amsterdam,	Holland	
d .	24 Sep. 1808 Pavia , Bedford		
fa.	mo.	, 14.	
	RET LEIN		
b.			
d.			
fa.	mo.		
CHILDREN	BIRTH & PLACE	MARRIED	DEATH
1.Barbara Garn	20 Sep. 1769	Thomas Croyle	
	Amsterdam, Holland	_	
2.John Garn	1771	Susanna Pringle	27 July 1833
	Amsterdam, Holland		
3.Catherine Garn	8 June 1775	Peter Mock	4 June 1856
	Amsterdam, Holland		
4.Frederick Garn	1778	Magdalene Oster	1859
	Amsterdam, Holland		

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### PART ONE

DESCENDANTS OF FREDERICK GARN AND FRANIE

HUSBAND b.	FREDERICK GARN about 1730 Amsterdam, Holland	1st GENERATION	COMMENTS
md	1765 Amsterdam, Holland		
d.	1796		
fa.	mo.		
WIFE	FRANIE		
b.			
d.			
fa.	mo.		
CHILDREN	BIRTH & PLACE	MARRIED	DEATH
1.Elizabeth	Garn $20 \text{ Sep. } 1769$	John Mock	
	Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa.		
2.Frederick	Garn (Carn) 1770	Fanny Mock	
	Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa.	-	
3.Jacob Gar			
	Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa.		
4.John Garn		Susan Garn	12 May 1873
	Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa.		-
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	Descendants of John Moo	k and Elizabeth G	arn
HUSBAND	JOHN MOCK		COMMENTS
b.			
md.			
d .			
fa.			
<u>WIFE</u>	ELIZABETH GARN	2nd GENERATION	
b.	20 Sep.1769 Lancaster, Lan	caster,Pa.	
d .			
fa.	Frederick Garn mo. Franie		
CHILDREN	BIRTH & PLACE	MARRIED	DEATH
1.			
2			

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#### CHAPTER II

Descendents of Frederick Carn and Fanny Mock

	FREDER	RICK CARN Lancaster, Lancaster, Pa.	2nd GENERATION	COMMENTS
WIFE	FANNY	rick Garn mo. Franie MOCK Reynoldsdale, Bedford, Pa.		
fa. CHILDREN 1.George Carn		Mock, Sr. mo. BIRTH & PLACE 1797	MARRIED	<u>DEATH</u>
2.Christopher	Carn	Reynoldsdale, Bedford,		16 Feb. 1887
3.Molly Carn 4.Susan Carn		1801 Reynoldsdale, Bedford, 1805	Pa.	
5.Henry Carn		Reynoldsdale, Bedford, 1810 Reynoldsdale, Bedford,	King	1888
6.Hannah Carn		1812 Reynoldsdale, Bedford,		
		CARN 3rd GENERATION Reynoldsdale, Bedford, Pa.	1	COMMENTS
d. fa. Frederic WIFE (1) b.	1888 V	Weyant,Bedford, Pa. n mo. Fanny Mocl	ζ	
d. fa. Frederic WIFE (1) b. d. fa.	1888 W k Carr	mo. Fanny Mocl		DEAMU
d. fa. Frederic WIFE (1) b. d.	1888 W k Carr	mo. Fanny Mocl mo. BIRTH & PLACE 1831	MARRIED Jacob Dively	<u>DEATH</u> 1886
d. fa. Frederic WIFE (1) b. d. fa. CHILDREN	1888 W k Carr KING	mo. Fanny Mocl mo. BIRTH & PLACE 1831 Hollidaysburg, Blair, 1833	MARRIED Jacob Dively	
d. fa. Frederic WIFE (1) b. d. fa. CHILDREN 1.Leah Carn	1888 W k Carr KING	mo. Fanny Mocl mo. BIRTH & PLACE 1831 Hollidaysburg, Blair, 1833 Bedford, Pa. 1836	MARRIED Jacob Dively Pa.	1886
d. fa. Frederic WIFE (1) b. d. fa. CHILDREN 1.Leah Carn 2.Catherine Ca	1888 W k Carr KING arn	mo. Fanny Mocl  mo.  BIRTH & PLACE 1831  Hollidaysburg, Blair, 1833  Bedford, Pa.	MARRIED Jacob Dively Pa. Jacob Wright	1886

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### CHAPTER III Descendants of John Garn and Susan Garn

HUSBAND JOHN	GARN 2nd GENERATION		COMMENTS
b. 16 Aug. 1778	Hempileld, Penn.		
md.			
d. 12 May 1873	rick Carn mo Eranio		
WIFE SIISAN	rick Garn mo. Franie GARN		
b. 21 Jan. 1776 d. 25.Sep. 1864	OTHER STATES		
fa. mo,	מרטיים ני סוארי	MYDDIEU	רביז הם
l Ahraham Garn	BIRTH & PLACE 5 Sep. 1810	Susan Garn	29 Jan 1890
1.7101anam Gain	5 Sep. 1810 St.Clair Twp. Bedford 1811 St.Clair Twp, Bedford	Penn	25 0an. 1050
2 Catherine Garn	1811	John Garn	
z.caciiciiiic Gaiii	St.Clair Twp, Bedford	Penn.	
3.Christena Garn	1813	Elias Miller	
0.0111200114 04111	St.Clair Twp. Bedford		
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HUSBAND ABRAH		3rd GENERATION	COMMENTS
b. 5 Sep. 1810	Bedford, Penn.		
md. 1828			
d. 29 Jan. 1890	Burr Oak, Marshall , Ind.		
fa. John Garn	Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susan Garn	2 and CENTED A MILON	
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN	mo. Susan Garn GARN	3rd GENERATION	
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b 2 Dec 1815	mo. Susan Garn GARN Obio		
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b 2 Dec 1815	mo. Susan Garn GARN Obio		
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b 2 Dec 1815	mo. Susan Garn GARN Obio		DEATH
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b 2 Dec 1815	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829		DEATH Infancy
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b. 2 Dec. 1815 d. 11 Jan. 1866 fa. John Garn CHILDREN 1. Garn	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829		<u>DEATH</u> Infancy
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b. 2 Dec. 1815 d. 11 Jan. 1866 fa. John Garn CHILDREN 1. Garn	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829	ingle <u>MARRIED</u> Not Married	
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b 2 Dec 1815	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829 Sandusky,Ohio about 1831		
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b. 2 Dec. 1815 d. 11 Jan. 1866 fa. John Garn CHILDREN 1. Garn 2. Garn	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829 Sandusky,Ohio about 1831 Sandusky,Ohio	ingle <u>MARRIED</u> Not Married Not Married	Infancy
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b. 2 Dec. 1815 d. 11 Jan. 1866 fa. John Garn CHILDREN 1. Garn	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829 Sandusky,Ohio about 1831 Sandusky,Ohio	ingle <u>MARRIED</u> Not Married	Infancy
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b. 2 Dec. 1815 d. 11 Jan. 1866 fa. John Garn CHILDREN 1. Garn 2. Garn 3. Sophia Garn	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829 Sandusky,Ohio about 1831 Sandusky,Ohio 1833 Sandusky,Ohio	ingle  MARRIED Not Married  Not Married  Not Married	Infancy 1847
fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b. 2 Dec. 1815 d. 11 Jan. 1866 fa. John Garn CHILDREN 1. Garn 2. Garn 3.Sophia Garn 4.John Washington	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829 Sandusky,Ohio about 1831 Sandusky,Ohio 1833 Sandusky,Ohio Garn 8 Mar. 1835 Sandusky, Ohio	ingle  MARRIED Not Married  Not Married  Not Married	Infancy 1847
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fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b. 2 Dec. 1815 d. 11 Jan. 1866 fa. John Garn CHILDREN 1. Garn 2. Garn 3.Sophia Garn 4.John Washington 5.David Garn	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829 Sandusky,Ohio about 1831 Sandusky,Ohio 1833 Sandusky,Ohio Garn 8 Mar. 1835 Sandusky, Ohio 18 Mar, 1836 Cathe Sandusky, Ohio	ingle  MARRIED Not Married  Not Married  Not Married  Rebecca Hummel  erine Kemmerling	Infancy 1847 2 Feb. 1916 25 May 1901
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fa. John Garn WIFE(1) SUSAN b. 2 Dec. 1815 d. 11 Jan. 1866 fa. John Garn CHILDREN 1. Garn 2. Garn 3.Sophia Garn 4.John Washington 5.David Garn 6.Samuel Garn 7.Mary Garn	mo. Susan Garn GARN Ohio Burr Oak, Marshall ,Ind. mo. Susanna Pr BIRTH & PLACE about 1829 Sandusky,Ohio about 1831 Sandusky,Ohio 1833 Sandusky,Ohio 1833 Sandusky,Ohio 18435 Sandusky,Ohio 18 Mar, 1836 Sandusky, Ohio 18 Mar, 1836 Sandusky, Ohio 16 Aug. 1838 Sandusky, Ohio	ingle  MARRIED Not Married  Not Married  Not Married  Rebecca Hummel  erine Kemmerling  Lucinda Burkett  Not Married	Infancy 1847 2 Feb. 1916 25 May 1901 216 Sep. 1870 4 Oct. 1859

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CHILDREN 9.Martin	BIRTH & PLACE Garn 21 June 1845	MARRIED Sarah Jane Hawkins	14 Aug. <u>DEATH</u>
10.Joshua	Sandusky,Ohio Garn 9 June 1848 Sandusky,Ohio	Hortense McKibben	8 Jan. 1912
11.Benjamin Frankl	in Garn 1 Sep. 1849 Sandusky,Ohio	Lucinda C. Friend	25 Feb. 1931
12.George Washington	on Garn 31 Aug. 1851 Sandusky,Ohio	Lola E. Medbourn	13 Sep. 1923
13.Mandus Edward	Garn 21 Aug. 1853 Sandusky ,Ohio	Emma Allen	4 May 1909
14.Francis Aaron	Garn 16 Aug. 1855 Sandusky ,Ohio	Eliza Alma Crout	2 Feb. 1889
15.Sarah Ellen	Garn 22 Nov. 1858 Sandusky,Ohio	James E. Weirman	25 June 1927
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b. 8 Mar. 1835 md. 1863 Richl d. 2 Feb. 1916 Bu fa. Abraham Garn WIFE REBEC	rr Oak,St.Joseph,Mich mo. Susan CA HUMMEL Burr Oak,St.Joseph,N	n. Garn Mich.	<u>COMMENTS</u>
fa.	mo.	CII.	
CHILDREN 1.Minnie Ellen Gar	BIRTH & PLACE n 9 Oct. 1865	MARRIED William H. Hawkins	2 Oct. <u>DEATH</u>
2.David Franklin G	Richland Center, arn 16 Oct. 1867 Richland Center,	Mary Woodmanse	27 Jul. 1946
3.Samuel Schyler G	arn 25 Mar.1869 Richland Center,	Pheobe Shook	1 June 1943
4.James Washington	Garn 12 Aug. 1871 Richland Center,	Maggie R. Silvis	15 Apr. 1952
S.Ida May Garn		Not Married	1876
6.Annie Francina G	arn 14 Sep. 1875 Richland Center,	John Emery Maystead	10 June 1956
7.Lola Alice Garn		llliam T. Bolger,Sr.	21 Apr. 1947
8.Annis Earl Garn	•	Erma Ruth Johnson	
9.Blanche Emma Gar		Owen Mann	
10.Maiadie Belle G		Walter LeRoy Wa	gner

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JAMES C. BRADLEY
                                                           COMMENTS
b. 3 Oct. 1903 Ft. Wayne, Allen, Ind. md. 15 Aug. 1931 Ft. Wayne, Allen, Ind.
 fa. Nelson Bradlev
                          mo. Etta Hewitt
WIFE JOSEPHINE ALINE WEIRMAN 6th GENERTION
 b. 10 Aug. 1908 Monroeville, Allen, Ind.
 fa. Claude Weirman
                          mo. Reina Schaab
CHILDREN BIRTH & PLACE MARRIED

1. James Craig Bradley 3 Apr. 1940
                                                            DEATH
        Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio
_____
           ROBERT H. EHRMAN
                                                           COMMENTS
b. 5 Mar. 1927 Ft. Wayne, Allen, Ind.
md. 9 Oct. 1948 Ft. Wayne, Allen, Ind.
 fa. Edward C. Ehrman mo. Elsie Berghoff
WIFE BARBARA JEAN WEIRMAN 6th GENERATION
   9 July 1927 Ft. Wayne , Allen, Ind.
 fa. Claude Weirman
                         mo. Reina Schaab
CHILDREN BIRTH & PLACE MARRIED
                                                             DEATH
1.Michael Claude Ehrman 6 July 1950
               Ft. Wayne. Allen, Ind.
2.Christene Marie Ehrman 26 July 1953
                  Ft. Wayne, Allen, Ind.
HUSBAND JOHN GARN 3rd GENERATION

b. 5 May 1807 St. Clair, Bedford, Pa. Record is continued in Chapter V, Section d. 1838[sic] Millersville , Sandusky , Ohio eight.
HUSBAND JOHN GARN
                          mo. Susanna Pringle
 fa. John Garn
                           3rd GENERATION
WIFE (1) CATHERINE GARN
b. 1811 St.Clair, Bedford, Pa.
d. 1838 Millersville, Sandusky, Ohio
fa. John Garn mo. Susan Garn

CHILDREN BIRTH & PLACE

1. Hannah Garn 1827
                         mo. Susan Garn
                                                            <u>DE</u>ATH
                                        Daniel Harley
                  St.Clair, Bedford, Pa.
2.John Decker Garn
                                        Rosina Mitchell
                   Millersville, Sandusky, Ohio
3.Maria Garn 25 Apr. 1835 John Ickes Garn 1 May 1921
                    Millersville, Sandusky, Ohio
4.Delila Garn 29 Sep. 1836 John Brubaker 31 Oct. 1921
                    Millersville, Sandusky, Ohio
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PART TWO

#### DESCENDANTS OF JOHN GARN AND MARGARET LEIN

HUSBAND JOHN b. 21 Mar. 1738 md. 21 June 1767 d. 24 Sep. 1808 fa.	Amsterdam, Hol	land land	ION	COMMENTS
	RET LEIN			
b.	Amsterdam , Hol	land		
d.				
fa.	mo.			
CHILDREN	BIRTH & PLACE		MARRIED	DEATH
1.Barbara Garn	20 Sep. 1769		Thomas Croyle	
	Amsterdam,	Holland		
2.John Garn	1771		Susanna Pringle	27 July 1833
	Amsterdam,	Holland		
3.Catherine Garn	8 June 1775		Peter Mock	4 June 1856
	Amsterdam,	Holland		
4.Frederick Garn	1778		Magdalene Oster	1859
	Amsterdam,	Holland	-	

# CHAPTER IV Descendants of Thomas Croyle and Barbara Garn

COMMENTS
2nd GENERATION
Margaret Lein
MARRIED DEATH

- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

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#### CHAPTER V

## Descendants of John Garn And Susannah Pringle

HUSBAND b.	JOHN GARN 1771 Amst	I 2nd cerdam, Holl	GENERA and	TION		COM	MENTS
md.		•					
d.	27 July 1	.833 St.	Clair,	Bedford, Penn.			
fa. John Gar	rn	mo.	Margar	et Lein			
WIFE	SUSANNA E	PRINGLE					
b.	1773 St.	Clair, Bedf	ord, Pe	enn.			
d.	1840 Frem	nont, Sandus	kv, Ohi	.0			
fa. William CHILDREN 1.Margaret Ga	Pringle	mo.	Mary W	ertz			
CHILDREN		BIRTH & PL	ACE	MARRIED		Ī	DEATH
1.Margaret Ga	arn	1796		Joseph B. Ake			
		St. Clair,	Bedfor	d, Penn.			
2.Jacob Garn				Elizabeth Biddle	26	Sep.	1879
		St. Clair,					
3.Christena G	Jarn			David Ripley			1848
		St. Clair,					
4.Elizabeth G	Garn			David Klotz	10	Aug.	1887
		St. Clair,		•			
5.Daniel Garr	l			Margaret Moses	20	Apr.	1872
		St. Clair,		•			
6.Mary Garn				John Ickes	22	Jan.	1870
		St. Clair,			_		
7.Samuel Garr	1			Hannah	6	Aug.	1875
		St. Clair,					
8.John Garn				Catherine Garn	4	July	1868
		St. Clair,					
9.Joseph Garr	1			Lydia Ickes	24	Aug.	1896
		St. Clair,					
10.David Garr	1			Margaret Ann Ickes	2	Feb.	1848
		St. Clair,					
11.Martin Gar	n			Catherine Croyle	3	July	1890
		St. Clair,	_Bedfor	d, Penn.			
12.Susan Garr	1			Abraham Garn	11	Jan.	1866
10 1 - 1 - 1	~	St. Clair,				_	1050
I3.Phillip Ja	ames Garn	1 May 1819	_	Mary Magdalena	11	Jan.	1859
	St. Clair	r, Bedford ,	Penn.	Fought			

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#### SECTION SEVEN

	Descendants Of Samu		
HUSBAND SAMU b. 6 May 1806 md. 6 Aug. 1875 d.		3rd GENERATION	COMMENTS
	mo. Susannah H	Pringle	
fa. CHILDREN 1.	mo. BIRTH & PLACE	MARRIED	<u>DEATH</u>
<ul><li>2.</li><li>3.</li></ul>			
<ol> <li>4.</li> <li>5.</li> </ol>			
6.			
•••••	SECTION		• • • • • • • • • •
	Descendants Of John	Garn And His Wive	
HUSBAND JOHN b. 5 May 1807 m. 1825 d. 4 July 1868 fa. John Garn WIFE (1) CATHE b. 1811 d. 1838 fa. John Garn	St. Clair Twp., Bedford St. Clair Twp., Bedford St. Clair Twp., Bedford mo. Susannah Pringle RINE GARN St. Clair Twp., Bedford Millersville, Sandusky,	3rd GENERATION , Pa, 7 , Pa. also , Pa. Chapter III e 3rd GENERATION , Pa. Ohio	COMMENTS
CHILDREN 1.Hannah Garn	mo. Susan Ga  BIRTH & PLACE  1827  St. Clair Twp., Bed: 1833  Millersville, Sandus	MARRIED Daniel Harley ford, Pa. Rosina Mitchell	<u>DEATH</u>
3.Maria Garn 4.Delila Garn	25 Apr. 1835 Millersville, Sandus 29 Sep. 1836	John I. Garn 31 sky, Ohio	

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#### SECTION TWELVE

## Descendants of Abraham Garn and Susan Garn

HUSBAND	ABRA	HAM GARN	3rd GENERATION	COMMENTS
b. 5 Sep.	1810	Bedford, Pa.		See Chapter
md. 1828			III	, page 32 for
		Burr Oak, Marsha	ll, Ind. continu	
fa. John				record.
WIFE (1)		GARN	3rd GENERATION	100014.
b. 2 Dec.	1815	Ohio		
b. 2 Dec. 1815 Ohio d. 11 Jan. 1866 Burr Oak, Marshall, Ind.				
fa. John Garn mo. Susanna Pringle  CHILDREN BIRTH & PLACE MARRIED DEATH				
CHILDREN	04211	BIRTH & PLACE		DEATH
1.	Garn	about 1829	MARRIED Not Married	Infancy
	04211	Sandusky, Ohio	1.00 11011100	111241101
2.	Garn		Not Married	Infancy
<b>-</b> •	Ouli	Sandusky, Ohio	Not Halled	Imanoy
3.Sophia	Garn	± ,	Not Married	1847
0.50pma	Gulli	Sandusky, Ohio	Not Halled	1017
4 John Wash	hinaton (	Garn 8 Mar. 1835	Rebecca Hummel	2 Feb 1916
1.00mm wasi	iiiiig coii	Sandusky, Ohio	Repectu Hammer	2 100. 1310
5 David	Carn	18 Mar. 1836	Catherine Kemmerlin	or 25 Mary 1901
J.David	Gain	Sandusky, Ohio	Catherine Remmerrin	19 25 May 1901
6 Samual	Carn	16 Aug. 1838	Lucinda Burkett	16 Sen 1870
0.ballue1	Gain	Sandusky, Ohio	Lucinaa Burkett	10 Sep. 1070
7 Mars	Carn	4 Nov. 1841	Not Married	1 Oct 1859
/ · Mary	Gain	Sandusky, Ohio	NOC Malifed	4 000. 1000
8.Phillip James Garn 24 Apr. 1843 Julia N. Kimerling 12 Dec. 1901				
o.FIIIIIIp	Janies Ga.	Sandusky, Ohio	Julia N. Kimeriing	12 Dec. 1901
9.Martin	Carn		Sarah Jane Hawkins	1/ 7/10 1001
9.Martin	Galli		Salah Jahe nawkins	14 Aug. 1901
10 Toobaa	C 2 222	Sandusky, Ohio 9 June 1848	Hortense McKibben	0 Tan 1012
10.00SHua	Galli		HOLCENSE MCKIDDEN	6 Jan. 1912
11 Daniami.		Sandusky, Ohio	Turninda C. Emiand	25 Feb. 1931
II.Benjamin	n Franki.	in Garn 1 Sep. 1849	Lucinda C. Friend	25 Feb. 1931
10 Caaraa 1		Sandusky, Ohio	Tala E Madla a	13 0 1003
12.George	wasningt	on Garn 31 Aug. 1851	Lola E. Medbourn	13 Sep. 1923
10 Mandua 1	Educated C	Sandusky, Ohio	Emma 711an	4 Mars 1000
13.Mandus i	Edward G	arn 21 Aug. 1853	Emma Allen	4 May 1909
Sandusky, Ohio 14.Francis Aaron Garn 16 Aug. 1855 Eliza Alma Crout 2 Feb. 1889				
14.Francis	Aaron G		Eliza Alma Crout	2 Feb. 1889
Sandusky, Ohio				
15. Sarah Ellen Garn 22 Nov. 1858 James E. Weirman 25 June 1927				
Marshall, Ind.				

## Appendix 4 - Church Records, Kürnbach, Germany

In this appendix we provide images of the birth, christening and marriage records for a number of Gerns, which were entered into the record books of the Evangelisch or Evangelical Church of Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Images of records in this appendix were originally taken from Family History Library microfilms and were therefore in black and white when the first edition of the book was published. However, in September, 2012, we visited Kürnbach and photographed many of the records that we had originally obtained from Family History Library microfilms. Whenever possible, we replaced the black and white images from the microfilms with color images that we took. Also, we found additional records while visiting Kürnbach that did not appear in Appendix 4 of the first edition of the book. These additional records appear in Appendix 46 of this edition.

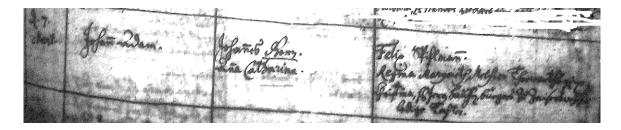
The records for the births of Johannes and brother Conrad Gern, Conrad's marriage, and Conrad and Johannes' ancestors were initially pointed to by the web site with address <pilot.familysearch.org> at the time, which also listed FHL #1272389 as the source from which the records were transcribed. We found the records in Item 4 on that film, which was labeled Baptisms, 1641-1757 and Marriages, 1653-1811. Our interpretation of the records is based on the transcripts in most cases.

The birth and christening records for the children of Conrad Gern and wife Barbara and of Georg Adam Gern and wife Ana Elisabeth may be found in FHL #1192099. We did not find transcripts of these at <pilot.familysearch.org> at the time the first edition was published. Therefore names, dates and relationships for these records were based on our transcriptions, which fortunately are consistent with the transcripts that are now available.

For each of the birth or christening records listed below the information appears in four columns. At the top of the columns were the words Tempus meaning Time, Infantis meaning Child or Infant, Parentes meaning Parents, and Patrini, meaning God Parents.

#### Records from FHL #1272389, Item 4.

The following record is the christening record of Johann Adam Gern, who appears as person #16 in the book.

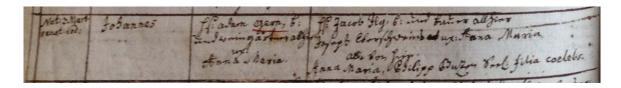


Record of Christening of Johann Adam Gern, person #16

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It is quite difficult to read and we confess that we used the transcript from the web site at <pilot.familysearch.org> to report what it means. The transcript reports that Johann Adam Gern was christened on 7 March 1714 as the son of Johannes Gern and Anna Catharina.

The following record is the birth and christening record for Johannes Gern who appears as person #23 in the book.



Record of Christening of Johannes Gern, person #23

The transcript at <pilot.familysearch.org> reports his birth and christening on 3 March 1738 and that his parents were Hans Adam Gern and Anna Maria. The word Weingartner appears below Hans Adam Gern's name suggesting he either worked in a vineyard or raised grapes for the wine business.

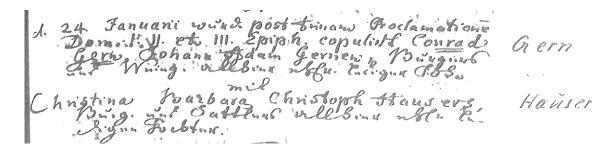
The following record is the birth record for Conrad Gern, who appears as person #26 in the book.



Record of Christening of Conrad Gern, person #26

The transcript at <pilot.familysearch.org> reports that Conrad Gern was born on 4 November 1748 and was christened the next day, that his name was spelled Cunrad, that his father was Hanss Adam Gern, and that his mother was Anna Maria. The word Weingartner appears under Hans Adma Gern's name in this record also.

The following record is the marriage record of Conrad Gern, person #26 and Christina Barbara Hauser. The section with Conrad and Christina Barbara's marriage follows immediately after the section with births of Conrad, his brother and their father.

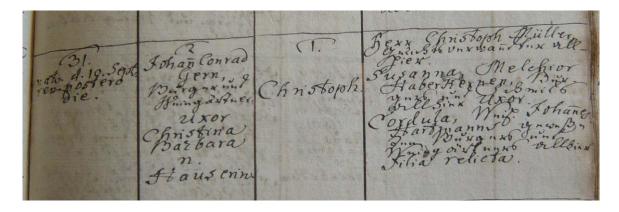


Marriage Record, Conrad Gern, person #26, and Christina Barbara Houser

The transcript at <pilot.familysearch.org> reports that Conrad Gern and Christina Barbara Hauser married on 24 January 1775. Although the transcript does not name parents, one can see Conrad's father's name as Johann Adam **Gern**en. In German the suffix "en" was sometimes added to the names of men whereas "in" is sometimes added to the names of women. It is interesting that the suffix was not added to Conrad's name and was added to his father's name. We can also see from the marriage record that Christina Barbara Hauser's father's name was Christoph Hauser.

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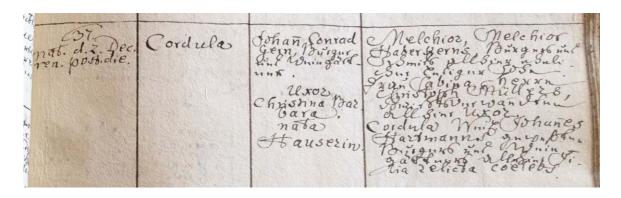
The following record is the birth and christening record for Christoph Gern, whom we show in the book as Christopher Garn, person #53. The numbers 2 and 1 above the second and third columns were probably inserted to indicate the order in which the two columns were to be read because the person who recorded the information transposed the information for the child and parents.



Record of Birth and Christening of Christopher Gern, person #53

This record comes from page 79 of a section of births and christenings from the year 1775. Our transcription of it is that Christoph Gern was born to Johann Conrad Gern and Christina Barbara **Hauser**in on 19 September 1775 and was christened the next day. Note the "in" suffix that was added to the mother's name. Note also the use of Johann Conrad as a formal name for Conrad.

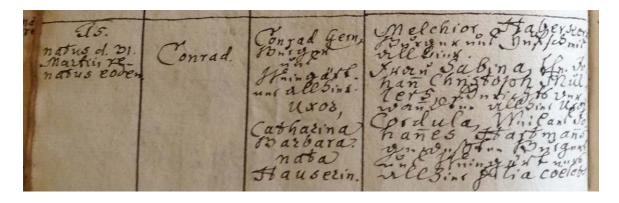
The following record is the birth and christening record for Cordula Gern, whom we show as Cordula Garn, person #54 in the book.



Record of Birth and Christening of Cordula Garn, person #54

This record comes from page 91 of a section of births and christenings for the year 1776. Our transcription is that Cordula was born on 2 December 1776 to Johann Conrad Gern and Christina Barbara **Hauser**in and that she was christened the next day. Note also the use of Johann Conrad as a formal name for Conrad.

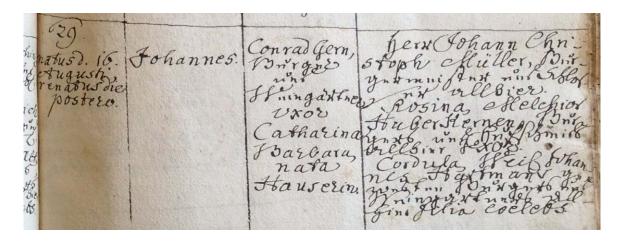
The following record is the birth and christening record for Conrad Gern, Jr., whom we show as Conrad Garn, person #55 in the book.



Record of Birth and Christening of Conrad Gern, Jr., person #55

This record comes from page 108 of a section of births and christenings for the year 1778. Our transcription is that Conrad was born on 31 March 1778 to Conrad Gern and Catharina [sic] Barbara Hauserin and that he was christened the same day. We note that his mother was named Catharina Barbara **Hauser**in or Hauser. According to German naming conventions she would have been known as Barbara. We suspect the person who recorded the information was careless in recording her formal name.

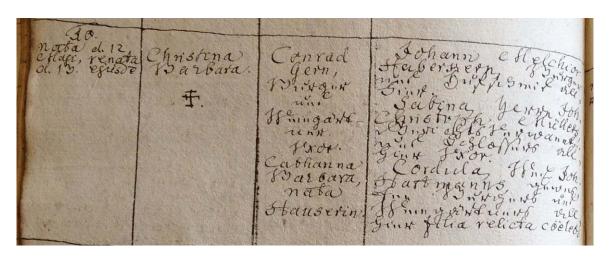
The following record is the birth and christening record for Johannes Gern, whom we show as John Garn, person #56 in the book.



Record of Birth and Christening of John Garn, person #56

This record comes from page 135 of a section of births and christenings for the year 1780. Our transcription of the record is that Johannes Gern was born on 16 August 1780 to Conrad Gern and Catharina Barbara **Hauser**in and that he was christened the next day. Note that his mother is recorded as Catharina Barbara as she was when Johannes' brother Conrad was born.

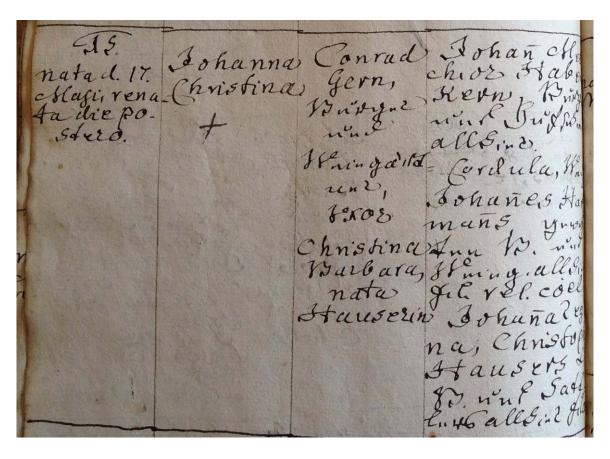
The following record is the birth and christening record for Christina Barbara Gern, whom we show as person #57 in the book.



Record of Birth and Christening of Christina Barbara Gern, person #57

This record comes from page 152 of a section of births and christenings for the year 1782. Our transcription of the record is that Christina Barbara Gern was born on 12 May 1782 to Conrad Gern and Catharina Barbara **Hauser**in and christened the same day. The cross under her name indicates that she died.

The record below is the birth and christening record for Johanna Christina Gern, whom we show as person #58 in the book.



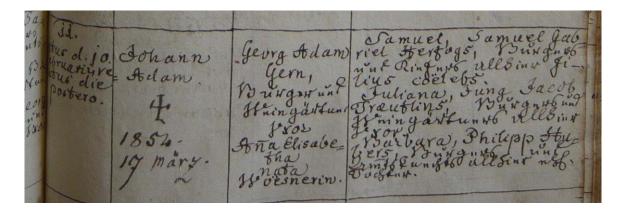
Record of Birth and Christening of Johanna Christina Garnes, person #58

This record comes from page 180 of a section of births and christenings for the year 1784. Our transcription is that Johanna Christina Gern was born on 17 May 1784 to Conrad Gern and Christina Barbara **Hauser**in and that she was christened the next day. Also, note that her mother is called Christina Barbara whereas Conrad's wife is recorded as Catharina Barbara on birth records of the three children born before Johanna Christina.

The cross below Johanna Christina's name indicates that she died. We initially believed she died in Germany. However, for reasons given in Appendix 45, we are convinced she was the child named Hanna who immigrated to America with her parents in 1785. See Appendix 45 for details.

The following record is the birth and christening record for Johann Adam Gern, whom we show as person #51 in the book.

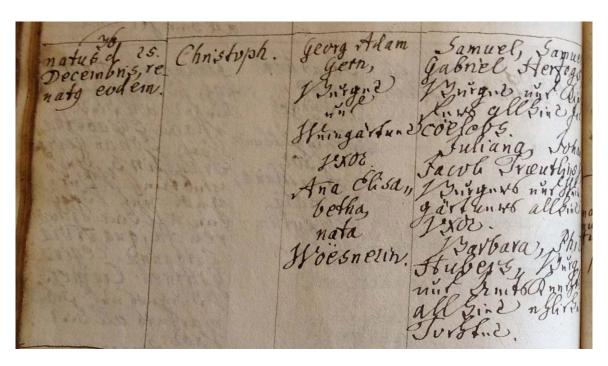
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Record of Birth, Christening, and Death of Johann Adam Gern, person #51

This record comes from page 161 of a section of births and christenings for the year 1783. Our transcription is that Johann Adam Gern was born to Georg Adam Gern and Ana Elisabetha **Woësner**in on 10 February 1783 and was christened the next day. The cross below his name indicates that he died. The date below the cross appears to be 17 March 1856.

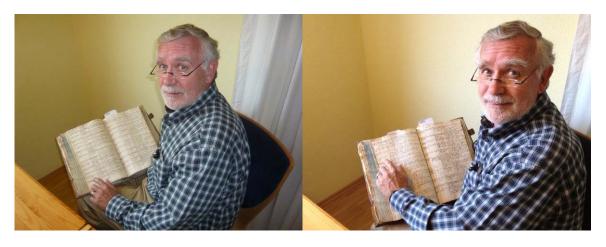
The record below is the birth and christening record for Christoph Gern, whom we show as person #52 in the book.



Record of Birth and Christening of Christoph Gern, person #52

This record for Christoph Gern comes from page 200 of a section of births and christenings for the year 1785. We interpret it to mean that Christoph Gern was born on 25 December 1785 to Georg Adam Gern and Ana Elisabetha **Woësner**in.

The pictures below show the author pointing to the page in the church records book that shows the birth record for Johannes Gern, person #23 on the left, Conrad Gern, person #26 on the right, and Johannes Gern, person #56 in the lower picture.



Pointing to Birth Records of Johannes Gern, person #23 on the left and Conrad Gern, person #26 on the right



Pointing to Birth Record for Johannes Gern, person #56

### **Appendix 5 - Land Surveys for Johannes Gern, Person #23**

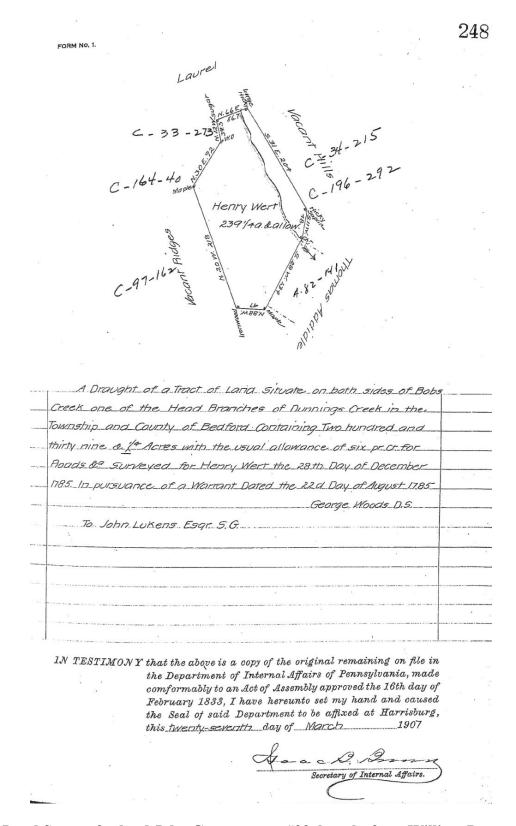
In this appendix we present the images and our transcript of the surveys of lands bought by Johannes Gern or John Garn, person #23, in Bedford County, Pennsylvania.

The first property that he bought was surveyed on 28 December 1785 based on a Warrant, or permit to survey, issued to Henry Wert on 22 August 1785. The survey showed that the property was 239 ½ acres. [4659] Henry Wert must have sold the rights to the land because on 15 May 1788 William Proctor received a Patent or first deed for the property. Either Henry Wert or William Proctor named the property Werden, as that is the name by which it is identified in the Land Patent records.

In 1796 John Garn purchased the 239 ¼ acres of land from William Proctor. [4660] A copy of the survey for this land is shown on the following page. One can easily see Bobs Creek passing through the right side of the property. Our transcript of the inscription on the survey is as follows: A Draught of a Tract of Land situate on both sides of Bobs Creek one of the Head Branches of Dunnings Creek in the Township and county of Bedford Containing Two hundred and thirty nine & ¼ Acres with the usual allowance of six pr. ct. for Roads & Surveyed for Henry Wert the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of December 1785. in pursuance of a Warrant Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 1785.

George Woods, D.S. To John Lukens, Esqr. S.G.

Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Land Warrants, 1785, No. 172, Patent Book P, Vol. 14, p. 183, Survey Book C 218, p. 248.
 Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Deeds, 1796, Deed Book D, pp. 544-546; Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Land Warrants, 1802, No. 217, to



Land Survey for land John Garn, person #23, bought from William Proctor

The second property that John Garn bought was land for which he himself received the Warrant and Patent. He received a Patent or the first deed for 113 acres and 20 perches of land that he bought along Bobs Creek in 1804 in then St. Clair Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. The land was patented on 7 March 1804 under the name John Karn and was next to the land he had purchased in 1796. The Land Patent indicates that he received a warrant or a permit to survey the land on 10 December 1802 and that the property was estimated to be 110 acres. The Patent also indicates that John or someone named the property Poland.

The image of the survey for the land appears on the following page. Our transcript of the text on the survey follows:

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Situated in St. Clair Township Bedford County on the Waters of Bobs Creek Surveyed the 22d day of April 1803 Including an Improvement In Pursuance of a Warrant dated the 10 day of December 1802

William Piper?
Other signatures

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By comparing the two surveys, one will note that the first has the notation C-97-162 on the left side. This means that the survey for the adjacent property may be found in book C-97 on page 162. And this is the second property that John bought. A look at the second survey shows the notation C-218-248 on the right, And this is the notation for the book and page where that survey was located.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4661</sup> Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Land Warrants, 1804, No. 217, Patent Book P, Vol. 54, p. 204, Survey Book C 97, p. 162, to John Karn [sic].

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Survey of Land Patent for John Garn, person #23

### **Appendix 6 - Estate of Johannes Gern, Person #23**

In this appendix we present images and our transcripts of three quit claim deeds related to the distribution of the estate of Johannes Gern, person #23 and executed by his four children and the husbands of his two married daughters. [4662] Johannes Gern died intestate on 24 September 1808 and his estate was divided between his four children. The deeds show how the land in his estate was distributed.

The images of the three quit claim deeds begin on the following page and continue on the next two pages. Our transcript of the first quit claim deed begins immediately below and finishes after the last image of the deeds. Our transcript of the second and third quit claim deeds follows the transcript of the first quit claim deed.

---- Transcript of first quit claim deed.

To all People to whom these presents shall come I Frederick Karn, of the County of Bedford and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania send greeting. Whereas John Karn died Intestate leaving two tracts of Land in St. Clair Township having in his [missing word?] divided the [sic] between his two sons to wit, Frederick & John, leaving his two Daughters Barbara Croyl & Catharin Mock the sum of two hundred dollars each. And whereas Thomas Croyl, and Barbara his wife, and Peter and Catharine his wife for the consideration of four hundred dollars to them in hand paid by Frederick & John Kern as joint tenants by their Deeds duly executed bearing date the fifth day of November one thousand eight hundred and eight, reference thereunto will appear – Now know ye that I Frederick Kern for the sum of one dollar to in hand paid by John Kern of the County and Commonwealth aforesaid the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said John Kern and his heirs and assigns two hundred and nine acres 29 pc. Land being part of the above mentioned whole two [?] tracts to wit, Beginning at a Post hence south seventy five degrees West one hundred & thirty five perches to a Ch. O. [Chestnut Oak?] North fifty degrees west thirty two & five tenth perches of a Locust, South fifty three degrees west sixty two perches [missing word] post, south ten degrees East thirty five perches to a Pine, South sixty three degrees East fifty seven perches to a hickory, south seventy seven degrees East sixty two perches to a Ch. O. [Chestnut Oak?] South twenty two degrees East thirty six perches to a white Oak, North sixty degrees East sixty four to post, South eighty eight degrees East sixty one perches post, North twenty eight degrees East one hundred and twenty three perches to a Chestnut, North eleven degrees East fifty four perches to a hickory, North thirty one degrees West sixty three perches to a post, South thirty five degrees West fifty six perches to a Sugar tree, South fifty degrees West sixty perches to the beginning containing two hundred and nine acres and twenty nine perches with the appurtenances unto the said John Karn his heirs and assigns so that neither I the said Frederick Karn, nor my heirs, nor any other Person or persons claiming or to claim

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4662</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Deeds, Book G, pp. 654-656.

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### Quit Claim Deeds for Estate of John Garn, person #23

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Sealed & delivered in Presence of – Israel Williams Wm. Clark [signatures]

Frederick Kern [signature & seal]

Bedford County [undeciphered] on the day of the date of the aforegoing Deed Pole Personally came Frederick Karn the grantor before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said County and acknowledged the same to be his act and Deed. Witness my hand & seal the same and year - Wm. Clark [signature and seal]

Recorded and compared with the original the 9<sup>th</sup> December A.D. 1808.

Jacob Bonnet, Recorder [signature, title, and seal]

---- Transcript of second quit claim deed follows.

To all People to whom these Presents shall come, I John Karn of the County of Bedford and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania send greeting. Whereas John Karn died Intestate leaving two tracts of land in St. Clair Township having in his life Divided the same between his two sons Frederick and John Karn, leaving his two daughters Barbara Croyl, and Catharine Mock two hundred dollars each, and Whereas Thomas Croyle and Barbara his wife and Peter Mock and Catharine his wife for the consideration of the sum of four hundred dollars to them in hand paid by Frederick and John Karn, (as joint tenants) by their Deed Poll duly executed bearing date this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November one thousand eight hundred and eight Reference thereunto will appear — Now Know ye that I the said John Karn for the sum of one dollar to me in hand paid by Frederick Karn, the Receipt is hereby acknowledged have bargained and sold released and confirmed and by these Presents do bargain and sell release and confirm unto the said Frederick Karn, and to his heirs and assigns the herein after bound [?] and divided piece or Parcel of land being part of the

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Sealed and delivered in the presence of Israel Williams, Wm. Clark [signatures]

John Kern [signature and seal]

Bedford County [undeciphered] on the day of the date of the aforegoing Deed Pole personally came John Karn the grantor before me the subscriber one of the Justices in and for said County and acknowledged the same to be his act and Deed. Witness my hand and seal this same day and year – Wm Clark [signature and seal]

Recorded the 9<sup>th</sup> December A.D. 1808 Jacob Bonnet, Recorder [signature, title and seal]

---- Transcript of third quit claim deed follows.

To all people to whom these Presents shall come Mr. Thomas Croyl and Barbara his wife, and Peter Mock, and Catharine his wife, now of the County of Bedford send greet[smudged – greeting] that Whereas John Karn, Dec'd [deceased] Intestate leaving a Certain Estate in lands to wit, two tracts one in the name [word missing, probably Verden] containing two hundred thirty nine [word or words missing] and the other called Poland containing one hundred and thirty acres & twenty perches with allowance of six per cent for Roads and so forth, bounded and described in the Patents lying and being St. Clair Township in the County of Bedford. Now Know ye that we the said Thomas Croyl and Barbara his wife, and Peter Mock, and Catharine his wife, heirs of the said John Karn, deceased, for the consideration of the sum of four hundred dollars lawful of the United States to us in hand paid by Frederick and John Karn of the County of Bedford the Receipt whereof we do hereby acknowledge have bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said Frederick and John Karn, and to their heirs and assigns, the above mentioned two tracts of land with the appurtenances, and also all our Estate Right title claim and demand of in to or out of the same, and by these Presents do remise Release and forever quit claim unto the said Frederick and John Karn, and their heirs and assigns. Together with all and singular the [uninterpreted] and appurtenances thereunto belonging. To have and to hold the premises hereby granted or mentioned or intended so to be with the appurtenances unto the said Frederick and John Karn, their heirs, assigns to the only proper use and behoof of them their heirs and assigns so that neither we the said Thomas Croyl and Barbara his wife, and Peter Mock and Catharine his wife, nor their heirs nor any other person or Persons whatsoever lawfully claiming or to claim by from or under us or any of us, shall or may challenge or demand any estate Right title or interest unto or out of the said two tracts of land, or any part of the Estate of the said John Karn, or any part thereof but they and any of them shall be entirely excluded and forever debarred –

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this fifth day of November one thousand eight hundred and eight.

Signed sealed and Delivered in presence of Daniel Clark

Thomas Croyl [signature and seal]
Barbara Croyle [signature, mark and seal]
Peter Mock [signature and seal]
Catharine Mock [signature, mark and seal]

Bedford County [uninterpreted] on the day of the date of the aforegoing Release Personally came Thomas Croyl one of the grantors and Barbara his wife and Peter Mock and Catharine his wife before me the subscribers one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said County and acknowledged the same to be their act and Deed. Witness my hand and seal the same day and year. Wm Clark [signature and seal]

Recorded and compared the  $10^{th}$  day of December A.D. 1808.

Jacob Bonnet, Recorder, [signature]

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It is interesting that the surname appears as both Kern and Karn in these documents, including sometimes in the same document. However, both of Johannes Gern's sons Frederick and John Garn appear to have spelled their surnames as Kern when they signed their signatures.

Another interesting thing to note is the order in which the children are presented in the documents. We believe the sons were listed in order of birth as were the daughters. The birth dates of all but Frederick have been established. And the appearance of Frederick as the first named suggests he was oldest even though he is listed as the last child in the family of Johannes Gern (John Garn) in McBride and Capener.

### Appendix 7 - Frederick Garn (#43) Orphan's Court Record

In this appendix we present the image and our transcript of one of the documents from the Orphan's Court records of Bedford County, Pennsylvania, for the estate of Frederick Garn, person #43. Although the document spells his name and the names of his children as Garn, other records from the Orphan's Court spell the surname as Carn.

Our transcript of the document is below with the image on the following page. This document was submitted in the November Term, 1825, and filed 2 December 1825. [4663] Please note that the top item on the page with the image refers to another estate. We included it because it shows the term of the court. Our transcript follows:

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To the Honorable John Tod Esq. and his associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Bedford County now composing an Orphans' Court for Bedford County November Term 1825 – The Petition of George Garn one of the children and legal representative of Frederick Garn, late of St. Clair Township in the County decd [deceased], humbly sheweth, that your petitioner's said Father lately died intestate leaving a widow to wit: Margaret [sic] Garn and issue ten children to wit: George Garn – your Petitioner, Christian Garn, Catharine Beard, late Garn, Mary Stufft late Garn, Sarah Feather late Garn, Henry, Hannah Garn, Susan Garn, Leah Garn and Andrew Garn, the last five of whom are still in their minority - and that the said intestate lately died intestate seized in his demise as of fee of and in a certain messauge or tract of land, situate in Bedford County aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit, one tract or parcel of land situate in St. Clair Township bounded by land of John Garn and others, containing one hundred and fifty two acres and one hundred and thirty two perches or thereabouts. Your Petitioner further shows and is Possessed of one other certain Certain tract of parcel of land Sutuate in the Township aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: one tract on parcel of land Situate as aforesaid containing one hundred acres more or less – Your Petitioner therefore humbly Prays Your honour to award an request to make Partition of the Premises aforesaid to and among the Children and Legal representatives of said Intestate, in said manner and in such proportions as by the laws of the Commonwealth is directed. if such partition cannot be made thereof so as aforesaid then to value and appraise the same and make report of the Proceedings herein According to Law. And he will Pray

Signed George Garn

December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1825, Read and Writ of Partition or Valuation Awarded

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The significance of this and the other Orphan's Court records is that they establish that Frederick Garn had the ten children listed. This, taken with the will of Peter Mock, the father of Frederick Garn's first wife, establishes that the first seven children were Fanny Mock's children whereas the last three children were Magdalene Oster's children. The Orphan's Court records also establish the surnames of Frederick's daughters who had married.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4663</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Orphan's Court Records, Docket 4, p. 135.

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Orphan's Court Record for Frederick Garn, person #43

### **Appendix 8 - Will of John Garn, Person #46**

In this appendix we present the image and our transcript of the will of John Garn, person #46 and an item from the distribution of his estate. [4664] We note immediately that this will was previously presented in Volume 1 of the Garn books by Philip Graham Garn. [4665] He also has an entire transcript of John Garn's estate, which immediately follows his presentation of the will and which we do not duplicate here.

The images of the will appear on the following three pages. The transcript of the will begins immediately below and continues after the second image of the will.

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# THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JOHN GARN DATED AUGUST 31, 1832

In the name of God Amen. I John Garn of St. Clair township in the county of Bedford, being in perfect health and in the full enjoyment of my mental faculties do make and publish this my last will and testament, in manner following that is to say first and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Creator, hoping for free pardon and remission (sic) of all my sins and to enjoy everlasting happiness in the Heavenly Kingdom through Jesus Christ my Saviour (sic). My body I commit to the earth at the discretion of my Executors, hereinafter named. I will that all my just debts as shall be by me owing at my death together with my funeral expences (sic) 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 thereto then my will is that all my estate both real and personal be immeatly (sic) sold after my deecase (sic) to be sold by public sale for the highest price that can be obtained. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Margarete Ake the sum of two hundred dollars. I give and bequeath unto my son Jacob the sum of two hundred dollars alreally (sic) paid as per note dated 1826 without interest. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Christina Riply, the sum of two hundred dollars, one hundred dollars already paid as per notes dated 1826, 1828, 1831 without interest. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth Glutz two hundred dollars. I give and bequeath unto my son Daniel the sum of two hundred dollars already paid as per note dated 1826 without interest. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Icks the sum of two hundred dollars, \$81 already paid as per notes dated 1828 and 1831 without interest. I give and bequeath unto my son Samuel the sum of two hundred dollars already paid as per note dated 1832 without interest. I give and bequeath unto my son John the sum of two hundred dollars already paid as per note dated 1828 without interest. I give and bequeath unto my son Joseph the sum of two hundred dollars already paid as per note dated 1831 without interest. I give and bequeath unto my son David the sum of two hundred dollars already paid as per note dated 1832 without interest. I give and bequeath unto my son Martin the sum of two hundred dollars already paid in land in Ohio State Sandusky County Jackson Township 160 acres. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Susana (sic) the sum of two

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4664</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania, Estate Papers, File 1833-37.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4665</sup> Philip G. Garn, *History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches* (Tempe, Arizona, 1989, [FHL #1697279 it. 1-3]), Vols. 1-3, at pp. 1:120-123.

833 In the name of fied amin of John Gen of Holai Township in the bing of Bedfie being in pertect health and in the full enjoyment of my mental faculties, do make and publish that my last will and totament in mane bollowing that is to day , first and principally d. commed my down into the hands of Almighty feels me weater, hoping for free parden and remission of all my dies, and to enjoy exclasting happings in the heavenly thing down through hours Chart my sarrew my body of committe the earth at the discretion of my enecutors herein after named, I will that all my just debts as shall be by me aring at my death together with my francial expenses, and all charges touching the proving of or otherwise concerning this my will, that in the first place out of my possenal estate and effects be fully paid and satisfied, and from and alle paymen things and subject there to them my will withat all my estate both real and foresonally be semmently sold after my decared to be sold by public sale for the beybest price that can be obtained gove and bequesti unto my Daugher Margaret At the sum of two hands dollars, I gue and bequeath unto my son, I acoto the sum of two hundred dollars already paid as per now dated 1826 without Interest, I give and bequeath untig Coughter Christina Riply . He sum of two hundred dollay, one Hundre dollar Abready bands as per notes dates 1826 B. 1828. 1831. Wothout Interests, I god and bequeath water my Daughter Etgabeth Stats was Hunned dollars. I go and bequeath water my son, Donal, the dum of two Humber dellars, already paid, as por Moto dates, 1826. without Interest, I gave and bequest with my my Daughten Nauy Sekes the sum of two Hundred dellars, already pour as the pow motes data . 1825. & 180 Has give and bequest unto my don domicel the Som of two Hundred dallaw. atready paids as per moter dates 1832 without the I give and bequeath unto my don dohn, the dum of two Hundred dallars aling pards as per thete dates. 1828, without Inte 1, I give and bequeath unto my din Joseph, the sum of two Humans dallows, sheady paids as pow note dated 1801 . Without Intests, I give and bequesthe unto my don Davido the sum of two thunders dollars abready purd as per Mate date 1802 without F. July 27, 1.

Will of John Garn, person #46

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hundred dollars. I give and bequeath unto my son Philip the sum of two hundred dollars already paid in land to join John's lands in Ohio State Sandusky County Jackson township 160 acres. And I hereby commit the Guardianship (sic) of my son Philip until he shall attain the age of twenty one years to his brother John. And lastly, as to all the rest of (my) estate of what kind and nature soever (sic), be equally parted and divided among them share and share alike. I hereby appoint Samuel Carn (sic) and Daniel McDonald Executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 31st day of Aug. (sic) A.D., 1832.

Signed Sealed published & (sic) declared by the above named John Carn (sic) to be his last will and testament, in the presence (sic) of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed as witnesses hereunto.

(Signatures)

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William Wertz

Bedford County: Be it remembered that on the 27th day of July A.D. 1833 personally appeared before the Subscriber, Register, for the probate of wills and granting Letters of Administration in and for said County Adam Ickes and William Wertz two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument of writing and being duly sworn according to Law depose and say that they were personally present and heard the testator John Garn publish pronounce and declare the foregoing instrument of writing as and for his last will and testatment that at the time thereof the testator was of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding according to the best of their knowledge and belief and that they subscribed their names thereto as a witness in presence of the testator and at his request.

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Signatures

Adam Ickes

William Wertz

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We also include here an image of a portion of one of the papers from the estate file, cited earlier, that show how the proceeds of the will were distributed. The will cited earlier names all of John Garn's

children and names his daughters by their married names, except possibly his last daughter, Susanna, who either had not yet married or because she married a Garn. The image below shows that portion of John Garn's estate was given to her husband Abraham Garn.

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Lines from estate of John Garn, person #46, that prove his daughter Susan, person #102, married Abraham Garn, person #121

Our transcript of this item is as follows:

Paid Abraham Garn in part of his wifes legacy of the estate of John Carn decd [deceased] per rect [receipt] 200.00 [\$200.00].

Since every other daughter that John Garn named in his will was accounted for with a payment from his estate to the daughter's husband using similar wording, this can only mean that Susan Garn, his remaining daughter, was the wife of Abraham Garn even though she was not named explicitly in the distribution of the estate.

Note in the image above that Abraham's name was spelled Garn whereas John's name was spelled Carn, a reflection of spellings that were eventually adopted by the Sandusky branch of the family where Abraham had settled and the Bedford branch where John died and where a number of Garns or Carns remained.

### **Appendix 9 - Will of John Garn, Person #56**

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will of John Garn, person #56, who died in Sandusky Co., Ohio, in 1873. [4666] It should be noted that when the will was recorded, his surname was spelled Gern. However, distributions from his estate were made to people who used the Garn spelling. The will was written 23 July 1860 and probated on 16 May 1873 in Sandusky Co., Ohio.

Our transcript of the will begins immediately below with three pages of images of the will itself following and then concludes with the remainder of our transcript.

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In the name of the benevolent Father of all I John Gern Sr. of the County of Sandusky and State of Ohio, being of sound mind and memory helped by God for the same, Do make and publish this my last will and testament, in manner and form following to wit.

Item  $1^{st}$ , It is my will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be fully paid.

- Item 2<sup>nd</sup>, I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Susanna Gern in lieu of her dower, the farm on which I now reside it being the South fourth of the North East Quarter of Section number twenty-five of township No. five 5 of Range number thirteen; Containing Eighty acres; Also all the household and Kitchen furniture that she may choose to Keep; and also all the live stock that she may choose to Keep; and also the use of all the money in my possession; and due and owing me at my decease; Said money and claims in action to go into the hands of my Executor hereinafter named in trust, that he put and Keep the sum at interest well secured, that he collect the interest thereon as often as once in Each year and pay said interest as collected over to my said wife for and during her natural live; And it is my will that after the death of my said wife, the above described farm, personal property, money, & claims in action, or so much thereof as shall remain unexpended be sold at public sale; received and collected by my said Executor, and the proceeds divided as hereinafter mentioned —
- Item 3<sup>rd</sup>, I give devise and bequeath, unto my daughter Christina Miller, her sons John Miller, William Miller, George Miller, Simon Miller, her daughters Susanna Brubaker, Hannah Miller, & Peggy Butler, late Peggy Miller, Ninety acres off the west side of the North West quarter of Section number thirty-one (31) in Township Number 5 North, of Range number fourteen (14) and situate in the county of Sandusky and state of Ohio, share and share alike and to be equally divided between them; and their heirs, and assigns forever
- Item 4<sup>th</sup>, I give and devise unto my four Grand Children, children of John Gern Jr., Hannah, Mariah, Dalia and John, children of my daughter Catharine Gern dec'd, late wife of John Gern jr., eighty three acres off the East side of the North west quarter of section number 30 Township number five (5) North Range fourteen (14) and their heirs and assigns forever.
- Item 5<sup>th</sup>, I give and devise unto my son Abraham Gern ten dollars to be paid him by my Executor after my decease.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4666</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio Estates, File #1900, 1873, will of John Gern [sic] located at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

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Will of John Garn, person #56

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Will of John Garn, person #56, continued

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Item 6<sup>th</sup>, It is my will that after the decease of my said wife and the sale of the farm herein willed to her; and the personal property and money which may remain at her decease shall be distributed as follows – Fifty Dollars to my Grand Son John Gern; and Fifty dollars to my Grand Son David Gern, both sons of my son Abraham Gern; the balance to be divided in two equal shares; one half of which I give to my daughter Christina Miller, and the other half I give and devise to my four Grand children above named as children and heirs of my daughter Catharine Gern deceased, late wife of John Gern, Jr.

And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my friend Joseph Metzger of the county of Sandusky and State of Ohio to be the Executor of this my last will and testament annulling and revoking all former wills and testaments by me made and ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty Third  $(23^{rd})$  day of July in the year One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty.

Signed and sealed by the aforesaid John Gern, Sr., as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request have signed as witnesses to the same.

Signed John S. Greene and John S. Greene, Jr.

Signed John (his mark – X) Gern

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It is worth noting that this John Garn could not sign his name and that he signed the will with his mark. This helps explain why his name may have been spelled in so many different ways in the records we have found for him.

### **Appendix 10 - Land Patent, John Garn, Person #56**

In this appendix we present an image and our transcript of the survey for the Land Patent granted to John Garn, person #56, and a satellite view in which the outline of the property is clearly discernable. John Garn received a patent or final deed for land that he bought in 1830 in Buffalo Mills, which at the time was located in Napier Township, Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. [4667] The land was patented on 2 October 1830 under the name John Carns, and was for 191 acres. The land patent indicates that he received a warrant or permit to survey the land on 27 May 1830 and that the property was estimated to be 175 acres.

It is interesting to note that highway 96 that connects Manns Choice, Pennsylvania, with Cumberland, Maryland, runs through this parcel of land. Furthermore, there currently is a U.S. Post Office in Buffalo Mills that sits on the property.

The image on the following page is the copy of survey that was taken of the property. Our transcript of the text on the survey follows:

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Situated on Buffalo Run in Napier Township Bedford County consisting adjoining William Cessna, John Rollins and Chrisley Moyer Containing Ac.[?] 191.134ps & the usual allowance of six per cent for Roads & surveyed for John Carnes [sic] the first day of September A.D. 1830 in pursuance of a warrant dated the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1830 [?] for [illegible]

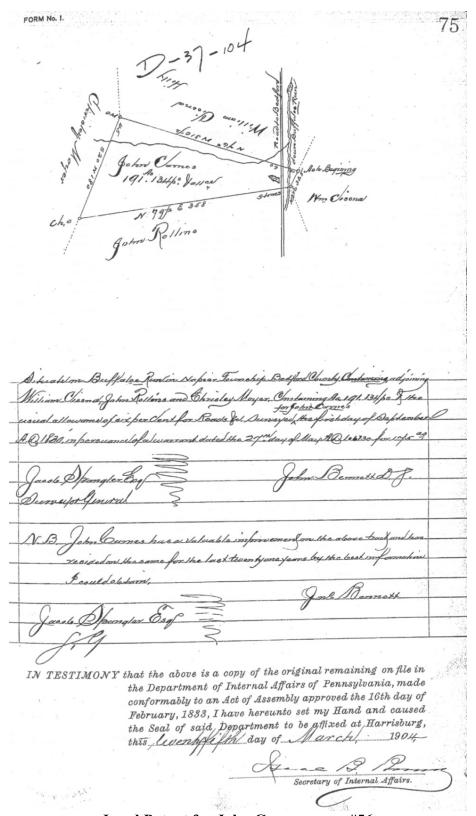
Jacob Spangler Esq Surveyor General John Bennett D.S.[?]

N.B. John Carnes has a valuable improvement on the above tract and has resided on the same for the last twenty one years by the best information I could obtain.

Jacob Spangler Esq S.G.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4667</sup> Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Land Warrants, 1830, No. 657, Patent Book H, Vol. 29, p. 204, Survey Book C 28, p. 75, to John Carns [sic].



Land Patent for John Garn, person #56

We have located a satellite view of the property, which is shown in the image below. Our guess at the boundaries of the property are designated with a "V" or "^." The northern vertices of the property are designated with a "V" and the southern vertices of the property are designated with a "^." Highway 96 is clearly visible passing from north to south across the eastern portion of the parcel.



Satellite view of Land Patent of John Garn, person #56

The outline of the property is easily found in the satellite view of either Google Maps or Bing Maps and in our opinion is most easily found using the 1000 ft resolution without any angled view. A GPS location, 39.945921,-78.655715, which should be somewhere on the property was derived from Google Maps for anyone who wishes to try to find it.

After John Garn sold the land and moved to Ohio, the property was bought and sold several times and was subdivided for some of those sales. We have spoken with the current owner of the property on the

west side of Highway 96 who reported that the property does not have any farm grave site or other item that could be associated with 1830 or before. Others in the area have also indicated that this property does not have any grave sites. However, there is a farm cemetery in the woods just across the southern boundary of the property. A grave marker for John Hardman suggests the property where the farm cemetery is located is property that was owned by John Hardman, who is mentioned as a neighbor of John Karns [sic] on page 360 of the *History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania*, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884). We have examined the grave markers and did not find anything relevant to the Garn family.

### **Appendix 11 - Lyberger Lutheran Church Records**

In this appendix we present images of some of the records about the families of John Garn, person #56 and Jacob Garn, person #61, which appear in the record book of the Wills Creek Congregation of the Lyberger Lutheran Church in then Londonderry Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania. The current location of the Lyberger Lutheran Church is in Madley, Pennsylvania, about four miles south of Buffalo Mills, where John Garn owned land. The records shown here are the ones we consider most important. However, there were others that named Garns, either John, Jacob, or a family member, who participated in communions that we do not report.

It is important to note that the surname of both John and Jacob Garn and their family members was spelled Kerns in the early records and Garns in the later records. The index of baptisms points to two different pages for baptisms of children of Jacob Garn. The first of those pages spells the names of the children as Kerns whereas the second uses the Garns spelling even though the index uses only the Kerns spelling.

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The first record is from page 10 of the church record book and gives the baptism date for John Garn's daughter Catharine.



Record of Christening of Catharine Garn, person #122

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The second record appears on the following page and is from page 13 of the church record book. It reports the births and baptisms of the first six of Jacob Garn's children. Note that the sponsors for the first two children were Elizabeth Elrick and Susana Elrick, who were undoubtedly related to Jacob's wife Mary Ann Elrick.

<sup>4668</sup> Bedford County Historical Society Church Records, Bedford, Pennsylvania, Lyberger Church Records, Wills Creek Congregation, 1808-1860's.



Records of Birth and Christening of six children of Jacob Garn, person #61

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The third record is from page 28 of the church record book and reports the birth of Samuel, the seventh and last of Jacob and Mary Ann's children who were born in Pennsylvania.



Record of Birth and Christening of Samuel Garn, person #152

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The fourth record appears on the following page and is from page 46 of the church record book. It names people who received communion or were confirmed on 8 November 1821 at a service held in the home of Henry Lyberger. John Garn's daughter Christina, as Kerns, appears as the second person in the column on the right, which lists people who were confirmed at the service. The fourteenth person confirmed in the same service was John Garn, who appears as John Kerns.

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Record of Confirmation of John Garn, person #56 and daughter Christina

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Record of Communion held in home of John Garn, person #56

Jacob Garn (Kerns) appears as the twenty-third person on the list. John Garn (Kerns) and his wife Susanna appear as the twenty-ninth and thirtieth people in the list.

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The sixth record is from page 49 of the church record book and reports the names of people who were confirmed on 26 October 1826. The third person listed in the left column is Abraham Garns [sic]. Although not shown here, the service was held in the home of Abraham's father, whose name is also spelled Garns.



Record of Confirmation of Abraham Garn, person #121

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The seventh record appears on the following page and is from page 51 of the church record book. At the top it reports that it lists those who received communion at a service held at the home of John Garns on 11 December 1828. These communicants are listed in the column on the left, where John Garns appears as the third person listed among the men, Jacob Garns appears as the eighth person listed among the men, and John Garns' wife Susanna Garns appears as the fifth person listed among the women. The column on the right is for a service held the following year.

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Record of Communion in home of John Garn, person #56

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The eighth record is from page 53 of the church record book and reports the names of people who were confirmed on 8 December 1831. The last person listed in the middle column is Mary Garns. To the right of her name is the notation that she was the wife of Jacob Garns.



Record of Confirmation of Mary, wife of Jacob Garn, person #61

### **Appendix 12 - Two Susans Who Married Two John Garns**

In this appendix we review the evidence for replacing a woman named Susanna Pringle with Susanna Cable as the wife of John Garn, person #46. We also review evidence that proves that Susan Pringle could not have been the wife of John Garn, person #56. Finally, we present evidence that a woman named Susanna Smith was the wife of John Garn, person #56.

#### Evidence that John Garn, person #46 married Susanna Cable and not Susanna Pringle

With the proof that there were two John Garns who were contemporaries in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, and were both married to women named Susan, we reexamine the claims about the surnames of the two Susans to establish that the right Susan is connected to the right John Garn. McBride and Capener reported that the wife of John Garn, person #46 was Susanna Pringle. [4669] And they reported that the wife of John Garn, person #56 was Susan Garn [sic], a surname for which we have not found evidence and which we are convinced is incorrect. [4670]

Philip Graham Garn has located a power of attorney that establishes that the wife of a John Garn of Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, was Susanna Cable, daughter of Martin Cable. [4671] However, this document alone does not establish which John Garn was the husband of the Susanna Cable associated with the power of attorney. Philip Graham Garn clarifies this with additional evidence in the form of an heirloom passed down to descendants of John Garn's (#46) son Philip. [4672] This heirloom is a picture of George Washington which has an inscription on the border that says that Philip Garn's mother was Susanna Cable, daughter of J. Cable. This inscription on the picture is evidence that John Garn, person #46 married Susanna Cable. Philip Graham Garn further makes the case that Susanna Cable's father was known by the names John Martin Cable and Martin John Cable.

We have located additional evidence that solidifies this claim. The power of attorney document cited above was signed with John Garn's signature and Susanna's mark. John Garn (#46) signed his will in 1832 with his signature (see Appendix 8) and John Garn (#56) signed his will in 1860 with his mark (see Appendix 9). Only one of the two John Garns could write his name and sign his signature and therefore could also have signed a the power of attorney document above. Therefore, John Garn (#46) was the husband of Susanna Cable as reported by Philip Graham Garn. Philip Graham Garn also makes a credible case for why Susanna Cable's surname may have been mistakenly reported as Pringle. [4673] His arguments are based on marriages of two older sisters of Susanna Cable to men with surname Pringle and the possibility that Susanna Cable may have lived with one of the Pringle families for a while as a child.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4669</sup> McBride and Capener, 1, 115.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4670</sup> McBride and Capener, 1, 32.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4671</sup> Montgomery Co., Ohio records, Power of Attorney given to John Cable by John Garn and Susana Garn to recover her inheritance from her father's estate, Deed Book "M", p. 480, 1 November 1825, as reported by Philip G. Garn, History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches (Tempe, Arizona, 1989, [FHL #1697279 it. 1-3]), Vols. 1-3, at pp. 1:110-114.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4672</sup> Philip G. Garn, History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches (Tempe, Arizona, 1989, [FHL #1697279] it. 1-3]), Vols. 1-3, at pp. 1:101 and 1:104.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4673</sup> Philip G. Garn, History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches (Tempe, Arizona, 1989, [FHL #1697279] it. 1-3]), Vols. 1-3, at p. 1:102.

#### Evidence that the wife of John Garn, person #56 was not Susanna Pringle

Having established that the wife of John Garn (#46) was Susanna Cable, we now explore the surname of Susan, wife of John Garn (#56). And one possibility we consider is Pringle, the surname mistakenly ascribed by McBride and Capener to Susanna Cable, wife of John Garn (#46). Many are reporting in databases on the Internet that the wife of John Garn (#56) was Susanna Pringle, daughter of William Pringle and Mary Wertz. Although we once believed this to be a possibility, we now present arguments that John Garn's (#56) wife's surname was not Pringle.

McBride and Capener report that Susanna Pringle's parents were William Pringle and Mary Wertz who were from Cambria Co., Pennsylvania, a county next to Bedford Co. [4674] A genealogy at the Cambria County Historical Society contains a section reportedly written on 12 March 1809 by William Pringle, Jr., youngest child of William Pringle and Mary Wertz, which names William and Mary's eleven children and gives their places and dates of birth. [4675] The next-to-last child in the family is Susana, born on 8 February 1788. While this establishes that a Susana Pringle existed who could have been the wife of John Garn (#56), her age is wrong. The birthday of John Garn's (#56) wife, as determined from her grave marker, was 21 January 1776, twelve years before the birth of Susanna Pringle. The days, months, and years of the births of the two Susans are all different. If Susanna Pringle was actually born in 1776 instead of 1788, then she should have been the fifth child in the family instead of the tenth child. It is unlikely that Susanna Pringle's brother would make a mistake of twelve years and also misplace her in the birth order in the family considering that he reported that he was two years younger than Susanna. Likewise, the birth year derived from the grave marker of Susan, wife of John Garn (#56), is consistent with the age, 84, that she reported on the 1860 U.S. Federal Census. [4676] Since she was two years older than her husband in that census, it is unlikely that she misrepresented her age and added twelve years to appear two years older than him. So Susan, wife of John Garn (#56), likely was born in or close to 1776. Therefore we must conclude that the surname of Susan or Susanna, wife of John Garn (#56), was not Pringle.

#### Evidence that John Garn, person #56, married Susanna Smith

We now present evidence that John Garn, person #56 married Susanna Smith, daughter of George Smith and wife Susanna of Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania.

The parents of John Garn, person #56, were known to have lived in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. Conrad Gern appeared on the 1799, 1804, and 1807 tax records of Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania with either the name Kern or Kerns. [4677] He also appeared on the 1800 U.S. Federal Census of Guilford Twp. with the surname Karns. [4678]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4674</sup> McBride and Capener, 1, 115.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4675</sup> Tasker Heritage, compiled by James R. Tasker, and presented to the David A. Glosser Memorial Library, Johnstown, Pennsylvania, found in the Pringle file at the Cambria Co., Historical Society, Ebensburg, Pennsylvania.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4676</sup> 1860 U.S. Federal Census, Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, M653-1032, p. 250.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4677</sup> Guilford Township Tax Return for 1799, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 3, 1796-1800, p. 281, as Kern; Guilford Township Tax Return for 1804, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 4, 1804-1807, p. 27, as Kerns; Guilford Township Tax Return for 1807, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Records of Valuations, Book 4, 1804-1807, p. 102/162 - page has both numbers, as Kerns.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4678</sup> 1800 U.S. Federal Census, Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Roll 38, p. 854, as Conrad Karns.

We also know that Conrad's son Adam Garn, person #59, was married to his wife Eve in nearby Chambersburg. [4679] And Adam Garn's daughter Catharine was reported to have been born in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. [4680] So there can be little doubt that Conrad Gern lived in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. And likewise, there should be little doubt that John Garn, person #56, also lived there as a young man prior to marrying even though we have not found any reference to him there other than the one we cite in the orphan's court record below.

Below is an image of a portion of the orphan's court record of George Smith of Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, whose daughter Susanna we assert was the wife of John Garn, person #56. [4681]

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### Orphan's Court Record for George Smith, father-in-law of John Garn, person #56

Our transcript of the orphans court record of George Smith is as follows:

The petition of John Smith oldest Son of George Smith late of Guilford Top. [Township] farmer [?] decd [deceased] was read and setting forth that the said George Smith died on the fourteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred two leaving behind him a widow named Susanna yet living, and issue living at the time of his Death, to wit, John the petitioner, Jacob, Emanuel, Simon, Elizabeth, Catharine, Susanna & Lavina, also Sarah intermarried with John Hick, who died before her father the said Geo. Smith, leaving one female child called Elizabeth now married to John Clippinger, the said Catharine being intermarried with Frederick Heck, and the said Susanna intermarried with John Kern.

Note that the record names the husband of George Smith's daughter Susanna as John Kern. Furthermore, George Smith was from Guilford Twp., where John Garn's father lived. George Smith was buried in the Solomon's Evangelical Lutheran Church Cemetery (also known as Grindstone Hill Cemetery) in Guilford Twp. [4682] It is also worth noting that there is a grave in the same cemetery for a

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4679</sup> Franklin Co., Pennsylvania Historical Society Church Records, Marriages, German Reformed Church - Zion Reformed Church, South Main Street and West Liberty Street, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, p. 6 (typed transcript), entry 75, as Adam Gern and Eve Cell.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4680</sup> George William Hill, *History of Ashland Co., Ohio, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches*, (Cleveland, Ohio, 1880), p. 332, as wife of William Maurer.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4681</sup> Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Orphan's Court Records, Docket A, pp. 161-162, 174, at 162.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4682</sup> John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 12-188, as George Schmid; GPS coordinates of grave marker are N 39deg, 51.486min, W 077deg, 37.598min, +- 17ft, inscription in German, DAR plaque and flag with marker.

Barbara Gern, who died on 12 October 1827.<sup>[4683]</sup> Although the record does not report when this Barbara Gern was born, there can be little doubt that she was the wife of Conrad Gern and the mother of John Garn, person #56. The burials of George Smith and members of the Garn or Gern family in the same cemetery also suggests that they might have attended the same church and would have been better acquainted than the mere appearance in the same township might suggest.

Although the orphan's court record gives the name of the husband of George Smith's daughter Susanna as John Kern instead of Garn or Gern, the surname at the time was regularly spelled as Kern as was reported above in connection with records of John's father Conrad. And John Garn's brother Samuel Garns listed his own children in the family Bible with both the Garns and Kerns spellings (see Appendix 21). Our first confirmed record of John Garn after this orphans court record is at the Lyberger Lutheran Church where he initially appeared as John Kerns and later as John Garns (see Appendix 11). Again it is worth noting that John Garn could not spell his name as was likely the case for his parents. So they were at the mercy of the whims of the particular scribe who recorded their names.

We have searched the records of Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, for someone with the surname Kern or Kerns other than Conrad Gern or his family and did not find any nearby at the time or at times near 1804, when the orphans court record was recorded. Therefore we believe that the family of Conrad Gern was the only one in the vicinity that might have also been known by the name Kern.

Since the orphans court record names John Kern as the husband George Smith's daughter Susanna, since John Garn and others of his family regularly had their surname spelled as Kern or Kerns, since the Smith and Gern or Garn families lived in the same township and undoubtedly quite close to each other as evidenced by burials in the same cemetery, and since we are unable to find any other Kerns in the vicinity, we feel there is little doubt that the John Kern named in the orphans court record as the husband of Susanna Smith is actually John Garn, person #56.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4683</sup> John F. W. Pflueger, *Tombstone Inscriptions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, Vol. 12, Guilford Township*, (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, 1986), p. 12-155.

## Appendix 13 - Will of Adam Garn, Person #59

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will of Adam Garn, person #59. His will was written on 25 December 1858 and proved in the Probate Court of Ashland County, Ohio, on 29 December 1869. [4684] The will was written in blue ink that had faded badly and was on pale blue paper making it almost unreadable. However, we copied it anyway in hopes of somehow deciphering it and discovered to our amazement that the spectral filtering or automatic contrast enhancement of the photocopier produced pages that were quite readable.

The images of the will begin on the next page. Our transcript follows immediately below and concludes after the images of the will.

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Last Will and Testament of Adam Garn Dec'd

The State of Ohio Ashland County

Minutes of the Probate Court of said County held at the office of said Court in Ashland on the 29 day of December A.D. 1869. Tully C. Bushnell, Judge and exofficio, Clerk of said Court.

Amongst the orders of the Court on said day was the on of which the following is the record.

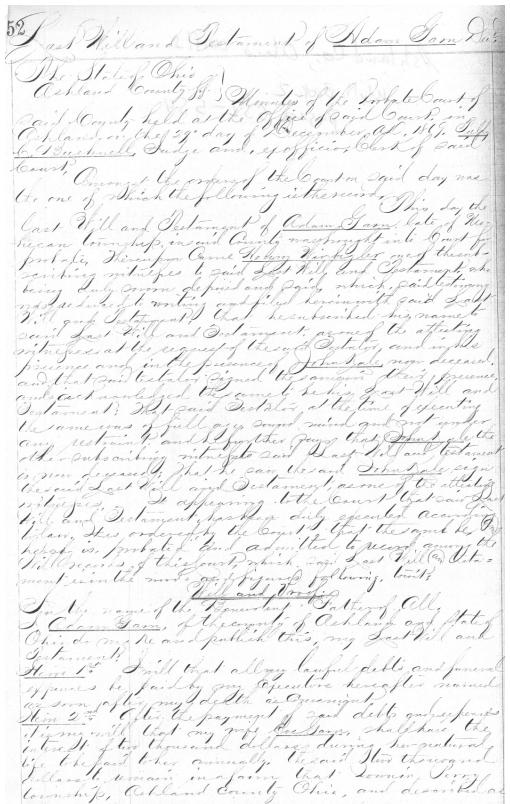
This day the last Will and Testament of Adam Garn, late of Mohican township in said County was brought into Court for probate. Thereupon Came Henry Winbigler one of the subscribing witnesses to said Last Will and Testament, who being duly sworn deposed and said, which said testimony was reduced to writing and filed herein with said Last Will and Testament, that he subscribed his name to said Last Will and Testament as one of the attesting witnesses at the request of the said Testator, and in his presence and in the presence of John Kale now deceased, and that said testator signed the same in their presence and acknowledged the same to be his Last Will and Testament; That said Testator at the time of executing the same was of full age, sound mind and not under any restraint, and he further says that John Kale the other subscribing witness to said Last Will and Testament is now deceased; That he saw the said John Kale sign the said Last Will and Testament, as one of the attesting witnesses. In appearing to the Court that said Last Will and Testament has been duly executed according to law, It is ordered by the Court that the same be and hereby is probated and admitted to record among the Will records of this Court, which, said Last Will and Testament is in the words and figures following. To wit:

#### Will and Proof:

In the name of the Benevolent Father of All, I Adam Garn of the county of Ashland and state of Ohio do make and publish this, my Last Will and Testament:

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4684</sup> Ashland Co., Ohio Wills, Book 2, pp. 552-554, as Adam Garn.



Will of Adam Garn, person #59

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#### Will of Adam Garn, person #59, continued

Item  $I^{st}$ . I will that all my lawful debts and funeral expenses be paid by my executors hereafter named as soon after my death as convenient.

Item 2<sup>nd</sup>. After the payment of said debts and expenses it is my will that my wife Eve Garn, shall have the interest of two thousand dollars during her natural life to be paid to her annually, the said two thousand dollars to remain in a farm that I own in Perry township, Ashland county Ohio, and described as follows: the south east quarter of section thirty four in township twenty two, Range fifteen, except forty acres off the North end of said quarter section heretofore sold to William Mower.

Item 3<sup>rd</sup>. It is also my will that my wife Eve Garn, shall have the room, Known as the spring house room. If said room is to small the executors shall build a room on the west end of said room, twelve feet by the length of said room, on the aforesaid farm, said room to [be] built out of money belonged to my estate not hereafter provided for.

Item 4<sup>th</sup>. It is my Will that my Wife, Eve Garn, Shall have one Cow, two bedseds [sic] and bedding, one Corner cubboard [sic] and its contents, one Drawer, said Cow to be kept on the aforesaid farm. Item 5<sup>th</sup>. It is my Will that my son John Garn shall have eleven hundred dollars out of my estate. Item 6<sup>th</sup>. It is my will that my son Jacob Garn is to have one thousand dollars out of my estate.

Item 7<sup>th</sup>. It is my will that my daughter Catharine Mower is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 8. It is my will that my daughter Hannah Ryland is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 9. It is my will that my daughter Elizabeth Harpster is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 10. I will that my daughter Maria Barkley is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 11. I will that my daughter Barbary [sic] Barkley is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 12. I will that my daughter Rebecca Garn is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents and also one bed and draw[?] and dishes that she now has.

Item 13. I will that my son Solomon Garn is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 14. I will that my daughter Christiana Garn is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 15. I will that my daughter Margaret Garn is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 16. I will that my daughter Sarah Ann Garn is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 17. I will that my son Samuel Garn is to have one dollar.

Item 18. I will that my granddaughter Oly Hosler is to have seven hundred and thirty dollars and thirty five cents.

Item 19. I will that at the death of my wife Eve Garn, the two thousand dollars heretofore mentioned and my personal property and any money that may remain not disposed of shall be equally divided among all my childred[sic], share and share alike,

Item 20. It is my will that any of my children may take any of my real estate at what it is appraised at. Item 21. It do hereby nominate and appoint my two sons John Garn and Jacob Garn, of Ashland County, Executors of this my Last will and testament and Eli Zimmerman[?], Solomon Kahl and John Ewing as appraisers of my estate.

I do hereby revoke all former wills by me made In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty fifth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight.

Signed: Adam Garn (seal)

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by the said Adam Garn as his Last Will and Testament in our presence and signed by us in his presence,

Signed: John Kale,

Signed: Henry Winbigler

#### Appendix 14 - Will of Jacob Garn, Person #61

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will of Jacob Garn, person #61, whose will was written on 18 January 1848 and probated on 20 March 1848 in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4685] The images of his will begin at the bottom of this page below and continue on the next page. Our transcript of the will begins immediately below and concludes after the last image of his will.

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Estate of Jacob Garn Dec'd.

The State of Ohio Ashland County

Pleas enrolled in the Court of Common Pleas at a term thereof begun and held at the Court House in and for said County of Ashland on Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> Day of March A.D. 1848 Present as Judges the Hon. Edward Ingmand George H. Stewart and Daniel W. Brown Associates in and for said County. Amongst the causes and Matters finally disposed of at said term was the following to wit.

On Motion the last will and testament in writing signed by the [end of first page of will]

maker thereof Jacob Garn late of said County deceased was this day brought before the Court and thereupon Henry Winbigler and Edward Roberts credible witnesses appeared in open court and were

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Will of Jacob Garn, person #61

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4685</sup> Ashland Co., Ohio, Wills, Will Book 1, page 61 [FHL#2079593 it. 3].

Last Well and destament of Jacob Gam Dec. maker thereof Said Gam late of Said County deceased was this day brought before the bont and the cupin Henry trinkyler and Edward , Robert Credible witnesses appeared in open Court, and were duly Swom and examined and whom testimony was reduced to writing and signed by them and duly filed, and it appearing to the bords. Executed that the Idid Testator at the time of Executing the Same was of full age of sound mind and memory and not under any res traint, It is by the Court ordered that Vaid Sast will and Pestamout together with the proof thereof be Recorded by the blest of This Court, in a Root by him Kept, for that perpose, and it is further ordered that setters Testamentary with a Copy of the will and pro--bate anneted issue to Sames Carothere the Lecuty therein named when his entering into Bend according to Law in the Sum of Livelve Houndred Tollar with Henry Jackson and John Carothers Bail Of adiah Serving. William Mourer and John Kahl are appointed by the Court appraises of Said Estate whereupon said Executor Ex--deuted and filed his bond accordingly. Will and Broof. In the name of the benevolent Father of all I saw Garn of ashlund County This do make and publish this my last will and Vestament-Stem 1st I give and deine to my beloved hipe in him of her diver the yarm on which we now reside situated in mohecan Tourship ashland bounty and State of this and described as follows. The East half of the north tast quarter of Section Forteen of Township Liventy one Range ifteen and about one tien and fifteen Rods of off the East Side. I the west half of the aforesaid quarter fection containing about Eight acres by the Same more or less during her natural Sife or It ling as the remains my Medow and if my beloved in for Thould again Thany then the aforesaid dawn to be told or at the death of May belived info the farm to be sold and the proceeds to be equally divided between my nine beloved Children to ent Jusan, Cathaine Sarah. Henry Mary, Sonisa. Samuel, Elizabethand deremiah. Item I'm I dirse and bequeath to my beloved wife. One House, one Buggy and Harness and also Low Cows and two Bids, Bedsleads

Will of Jacob Garn, person #61, continued

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Will of Jacob Garn, person #61, continued

duly sworn and examined and where testimony was reduced to writing and signed by them and duly filed. And it appearing to the Court from the above testimony that said Last Will and Testament was duly executed that the said Testator at the time of executing the same was of full age and sound mind and memory and not under any restraint. It is by the Court ordered that said Last Will and Testament together with the proof thereof be Recorded by the Clerk of this Court in a Book by him Kept for that purpose. And it is further ordered that Letters Testamentary with a copy of the will and probate annexed issue to James Carothers the executor therein named upon his entering into Bond according to Law in the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars with Henry Jackson and John Carothers Bail Obadiah Jennings, William Mower and John Kahl are appointed by the Court appraisers of said Estate whereupon said executor executed and filed his bond accordingly.

Will and Proof.

In the name of the benevolent Father of all I Jacob Garn of Ashland County Ohio do make and publish this my last will and Testament

Item 1<sup>st</sup>. I give and devise to my beloved wife in lieu of her dower the farm on which we now reside situated in Mohican Township, Ashland County and State of Ohio and described as follows: The East half of the North East quarter of Section Fourteen of Township Twenty One Range Fifteen and about one acre and fifteen Rods of off the East Side of the west Half of the aforesaid quarter Section continuing about Eighty Acres be the same more or less during her natural Life or so long as she remains my Widow and if my beloved wife should again Marry then the aforesaid Farm to be sold or at the death of my beloved wife the farm to be sold and the proceeds to be equally divided between my nine beloved children to wit Susan, Catharine, Sarah, Henry, Mary, Louisa, Samuel, Elizabeth and Jeremiah. Item 2<sup>nd</sup>. I devise and bequeath to my beloved wife one Horse, one Buggy and Harness and also Two Cows and two Beds, Bedsteads

[end of second page of will]

and Beding for the same and all the Cooking utensils and Cupboard ware contained therein and also six sheep & one table and Cloth that on it, and four Hogs, Half a dozen Chairs, one weaving loom and the gears that belong to the Loom, one mantle Clock, one Stove.

Item 3<sup>rd</sup>. It is my will that all my personal property that is not desposed in the foregoing will be sold at my <u>my</u> death and all my just debt <u>first</u> paid out of the proceeds, and the remainder excepting Twenty Dollars to be equally divided between my nine children before named.

Item 4<sup>th</sup>. It is my will that the aforesaid Twenty Dollars be given to my beloved wife for assisting to raise my youngest child.

Item 5<sup>th</sup>. I do hereby nominate and appoint my son-in-law, James Carothers Executor of this my last will and Testament.

I do hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this  $18^{th}$  Day of January in the year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-Eight.

Jacob Garn (SEAL)

The State of Ohio, Ashland County

Personally appeared in open court Henry Winbigler and Edward J. Roberts subscribing witnesses to the last will and Testament of Jacob Garn late of said County deceased who being duly sworn according to Law, depose and say that the foregoing is the last Will and Testament of said Jacob Garn deceased that they subscribed their names thereto as the attesting witnesses at the request of the said Testator and in

his presence and in the presence of each other and that he signed the same in [?] presence and AcKnowledged the same to be his Last Will and Testament that said Testator at the time of executing the same was of full age sount mind and memory and not under any restraint.

Signed by Henry Winbigler and Edward J. Roberts.

Sworn to and subscribed to in open court this 20<sup>th</sup> Day of March A.D. 1848

J. O. Jennings Clerk

By A. S. Curtis, Deputy

#### Appendix 15 - Will of Mary, Wife of Jacob Garn, Person #61

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will of Mary Garn, wife of Jacob Garn, person #61. Her will was written on 22 December 1883 and filed on 8 November 1890 in Wayne County, Ohio. [4686] We also present an image of an Application of Letters Testamentary, which was in Mary's will file and provides names and locations of her children.

The images of Mary's will begin on the next page. Our transcript of her will begins immediately below.

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In the name of the Benevolent Father of All I Mary Garn being of Advanced age yet of sound mind and memory and desiring that after my decease my earthly possessions shall be disposed of according to my present wishes and not being under any restraint do of my own free will and accord make and publish this my last will and testament:

1<sup>st</sup> I desire that my son in law C. C. Wile Esq. be appointed and qualified as executor of my estate.

 $2^{nd}$  I give and bequeath to my son Jeremiah a bed coverlet – the one that has some black on it.

3<sup>rd</sup>. I give and bequeath to my son Samuel a bed coverlet - .

4<sup>th</sup> I give and bequeath to my daughter Sally my bureau which is now at my daughter Marys at Jeromesville.

5<sup>th</sup> I desire that after my decease all my other personal chattles, shall be equally divided to and between my daughters then living they to divide the same with the assistance of my executor among themselves without inventory or appraisement.

6<sup>th</sup> I desire that my executor shall collect all monies and credits due me, at my decease pay my just debts-funeral expenses and put up a suitable monument, and then divide the same share and share alike to and among all my children or their heirs.

*In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this* 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1883.

her

Mary x Garn

mark

Signed by Mary Garn and by her declared to be her last Will and Testament and we hereby sign the same as witnesses at her request this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec. 1883

D. C. Martin

A. B. Lee

<sup>. . .</sup> 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4686</sup> Wayne County, Ohio Wills, File 7365, Will of Mary Garn, written 22 December 1883 and filed on 8 November 1890, Letters Testamentary at end of file names all children, daughters by married names and gives locations (cities) of children.

In the name of the Benevolet Father
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to my present wishes and not being under
accord make and publish this my last
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to and between my daughter then living
they to divide the same with the assistance
of my executor, among themselves without
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Will of Mary wife of Jacob Carn, nerson #61

Will of Mary, wife of Jacob Garn, person #61

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hand and Seal this 22 day of December 1883 Mary & Garn B
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of her request this 220 day of Dec (1883.
A.B.Lee
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Will of Mary, wife of Jacob Garn, person #61, continued

One will immediately note that the will does not name all of the children attributed to Mary. However, an Application for Letters Testamentary, which was included in the will file, names lists all of Mary's children and their locations on 18 November 1890, the date the Application was filed. An image of the Application for Letters Testamentary is provided on the following page.

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NAME.	AGE.	KINSHIP.	P. O. ADDRESS.
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Application for Letters Testamentary for Will of Mary Garn

# Appendix 16 - Letters, John Garn (#125) to Uncle Samuel Garns (#62)

In this appendix we present images and our transcriptions of two letters that were written by John Garn, person #125, to his Uncle Samuel, person #62. The first is dated 27 December 1863 while the second is dated 22 January 1876. These letters were saved in the family Bible of Samuel Garns and were in the possession of Milton L. Garnes, a great-grandson of Samuel Garns. Milton L. Garnes, person #1122, allowed the author to photograph the family Bible and letters therein.

The first of the two letters refers to the author's son Adam, who was serving in the Civil War at the time. This clearly establishes which John Garn was the author. The letter also refers to Old Uncle John And Aunt Susannah. These two are clearly John Garn, person #56, and his wife. The description of Aunt Susannah's appearance is more of a description of her health. She undoubtedly suffered from a severe case of kyphosis, which can be fatal. Her medical condition undoubtedly contributed to her death about nine months after the letter was written.

A transcript of the first letter follows with images of the letter inserted within the transcript. Circling or underlining of words in the image of the letter were on the letter when it was photographed.

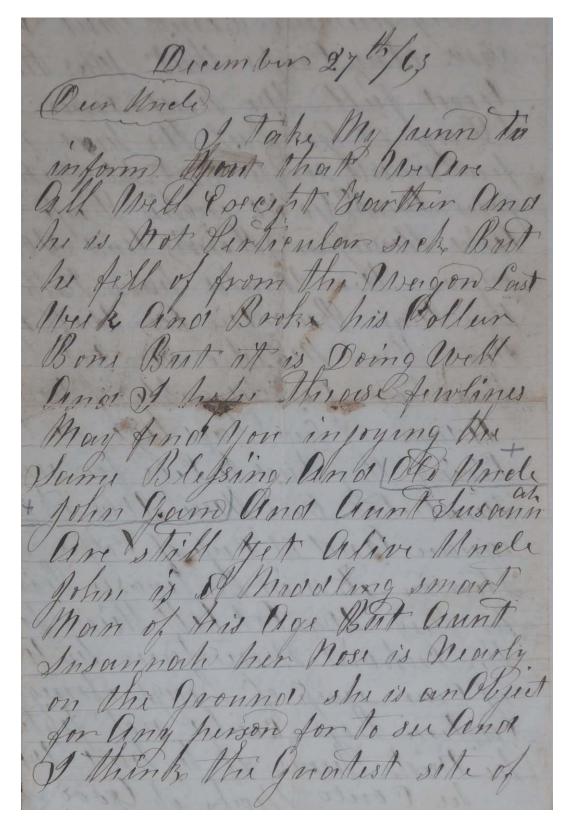
December 27th, /63 [1863]

#### Dear Uncle

I Take My penn to inform you that we Are All well except Farther [Father] And he is Not Perticular sick. But he fell of from the Wagon Last Week And Broke his Colar Bone But it is Doing Well and I hope These few lines May find you injoying the Same Blessing. And Old Uncle John Garn And Aunt Susannah Are still yet Alive Uncle John is A Moddling smart Man of his Age But Aunt Susannah her Nose is Nearly on the ground she is an Object for Any person for to see And I think the grotest site of [end of first page]

Anny human Being that I Ever saw Living Or I Never saw Any Corps that was the site of her. We had a Very good fall We had some Middling Cold Days A few Days A go But We had No snow yet of Any Account A few small scifts But 40 Miles north of us there Was A snow four Week a go 10 inches Deep there is plenty of snow in Indiana And Misagan [Michigan] Ilonois [Illinois] And Iowa these states have All Plenty of snow. We would have nothing to Complain if it was not for this War But We Are Well of here Where We Live We have Never Been Molested here yet But south of Along the Border states they have Considerable trouble I had a Letter from My son Adam A few Days Ago he writes that he is Well But hard Living they had to Live for some time on Corn he said their Meal At One Meal Was A piece of Corn Bread three inches square And A cup of Coffee they Are in Alabama Camp Steveson it is on the Tenasee River it is Near Line of Georgia for they was At All them figts At Chatannga Vally At the Look Out Mountain he wrote the Last fight they Maid A Cleir[?] swep of Brags Army he said the Rebels said they Eastern Boys could not fight With the Western Boys he wrote home if he had what my Dog gets he thought he could make a good supper [end of page 2]

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Letter from John Garn, person #125 to Samuel Garns, person #62

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Letter from John Garn, person #125 to Samuel Garns, person #62, continued

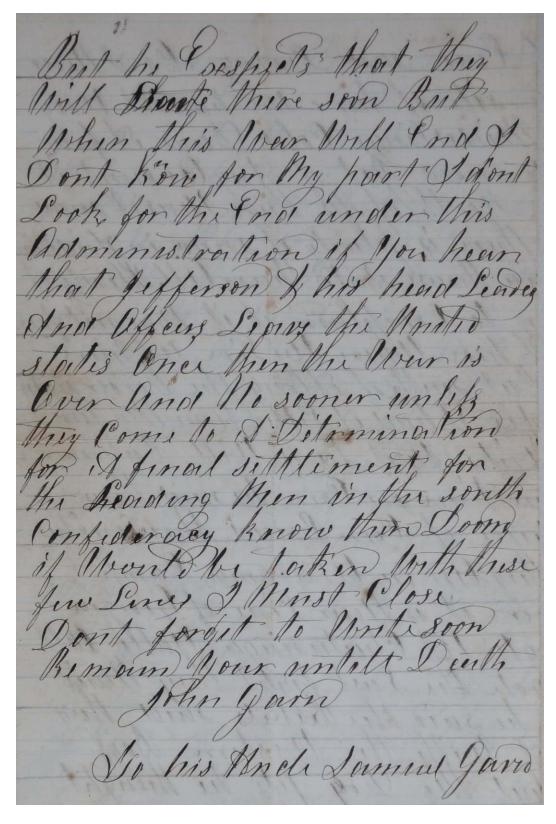
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But he Exspects that they will Leave there soon But When this War Will End I Dont know for My part I dont Look for the End under this Administration if you hear that Jefferson & his head Leaving And Officers Leaving the United States Once then the Wars is Over And No sooner until they come to A Determination for A final settlement for the Leading Men in the south Confederacy know there Doom if Would be taken with these few Lines I Must Close Dont forget to Write soon Remain your until Death

John Garn

To his Uncle Samuel Garn

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Letter from John Garn, person #125 to Samuel Garns, person #62, continued

The letter above was written on both sides of the page. It was folded in such a way that the first page was a half sheet of paper, the second page had words written across the entire sheet and the third page was written on the remaining half sheet of paper.

John Garn's mention that they had, "Never Been Molested here yet," is interesting since his Uncle Samuel, to whom he sent the letter, lived near Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, where the South had twice invaded, raided, and destroyed property in the months before the letter was written. These raids undoubtedly prompted John to comment on his relative safety in this letter that was written during the Civil War.

The second letter, written 22 January 1876, again mentions Old Uncle John and provides explicit information that establishes that this Old Uncle John was John Garn, person #56. It mentions that John had died three years before, that John's son Abraham, person #121, had moved to Indiana, and that another John Garn, person #98, who had married Old Uncle John's daughter, was also dead.

These letters taken together establish without any doubt that John Garn, person #56, and Samuel Garns, person #62, were uncles of the author and brothers of the author's father Adam Garn, person #59.

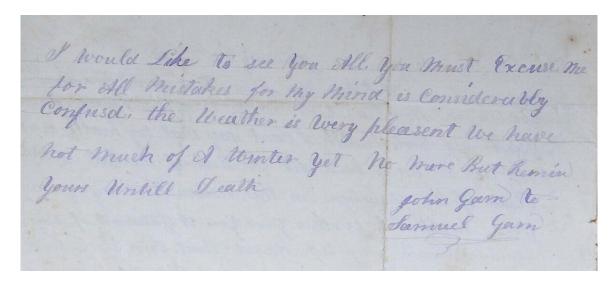
The transcript and images of the second letter follow.

Dear Uncle, January 22<sup>nd</sup> / 76 [1876]

I take my penn to inform you that we are in middling good health Excepting myself. I cant say that my helath is as good as it use to be & All the Rest of the Relations in this neibourhood injoying good health I further give you A statement of my Woman's Death my wife started About three Clock from home to go to William Mourer to help take care of old grandmother that nigt for she was very porly not Expecting to live Any time & in the night after all had laid down to sleep But my wife & young William Mourer his woman they were both Doing something for old grandmother & as they started to set Down My wife she fell Down on the floor, & thought she would not Recover But came to Life in About An Hour, & Lived until next morning she Died on the way Bringing her home she was About one mile from home her sickness was Apaplexy she went to A better world than this she was A member of the United Brethern Church. Grandmother Mourer Died on the twentieth & My wife Died on the sixteenth of December. The old woman was one hundred years, four months & seventeen days & my wife was fifty nine years, one month. & Old Uncel John Garn is Dead he Dead three years next March [sic, actually May] & young John that was Married to Old Johns Daughter is Dead & Abraham Old Uncle son is Living in Indiana I have forgod [sic] the name of the place & the Balance of them is All I don't know. & About me coming to see you I cant tell I cant Well Leave home. For I am going to Run the farm An Other year for my two youngest children are single yet & must all have a home [end of page 1]

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Letter from John Garn, person #125 to Samuel Garns, person #62



Letter from John Garn, person #125, to Samuel Garns, person #62, continued

I would like to see you All you must Excuse me for All Mistakes for my Mind is Considerably Confused. The weather is very pleasant we have not much of A Winter yet No more But Remain Yours Until Death

John Garn to Samuel Garn

The "Grandmother Mourer" mentioned in the second letter above was an old lady who lived in the community near the author. Although the author's sister Catherine married William Maurer, we have not found any evidence that there was any blood relationship between the author and "Grandmother Mourer." We believe that she was probably called "Grandmother Mourer" by people in the community because of her age. We suspect that she was the mother of William Maurer who married the author's sister but have not verified this hypothesis.

#### **Appendix 17 - Christina Gern (#60) Connection**

In this appendix we present the evidence that convinced us that Christina, the wife of John Kahl or Johannes Kehl, was actually Christina Gern, the daughter of Conrad Gern, person #26. Our evidence is based on two items. The first piece of evidence is a letter written on 12 February 1857 in which John Kahl of Ashland Co., Ohio, addresses Samuel Garns, person #62, as "Brotherinlaw." Since we have already established that Samuel Garns' wife Susanna was a Howenstine and not a Kahl, the only way that Samuel Garns could have been a brother-in-law of John Kahl is if John Kahl's wife were a Garn or a Howenstine. The second piece of evidence is a christening record for John and Christina Kahl's son Jonathan, which names his mother as Christina Gern, thus proving that Christina Kahl was a sister of Samuel Garns. We discuss the christening record later.

The letter citing the brother-in-law relationship was saved in the family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62, of Franklin County, Pennsylvania. That family Bible is now in the possession of Milton L. Garnes, a great-grandson of Samuel Garns. Milton L. Garnes appears as person #1122 in this book and generously allowed the author to photograph records in the family Bible including the letter.

We are well aware that the term brother-in-law did not always have the meaning that it has today. [4687] However, the source suggests that the usage had standardized by 1800 except possibly in rural areas. Since the letter that reports a brother-in-law relationship between John Kahl and Samuel Garns was written in 1857, the term should have carried its present meaning even though Ashland Co., Ohio, where it was written was undoubtedly a rural area. Furthermore, the birth and christening record that we discuss below supports the conclusion that the term had its present meaning when used in the letter in question.

Records in Ashland Co., Ohio, and reports from descendants establish that this John Kahl was the father of the Jonathan Kahl who married Sarah Garn, the daughter of Jacob Garn, person #61, and that John Kahl's wife was named Christina. Cemetery records place this John Kahl's death on 2 December 1862, at the age of 72 years, 7 months, which places his birth around May 1790. The same cemetery records name John Kahl's wife as Christina, who died on 8 October 1871 [sic] at the age of 81 years, 6 months, which places her birth in April 1790. Death records place her death four days earlier on 4 October 1871 [sic] at age 81 years, 6 months. [4689] We do not know which death date is correct.

The images of the letter are presented on the two pages that follow. Our transcript follows immediately after the letter.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4687</sup> Archaic Meanings, an editorial in The American Genealogist, vol. 84, no. 3, July 2010, p. 236.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4688</sup> Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4689</sup> Susan Dunlap Lee, et. al., *Ashland County, Ohio Death Records, Vol. 1, 1867 - 1879*, (Ashland, Ohio, 1999), p.50, birth, residence and death in Mohican Twp., as Cristina Kahl.

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Letter from John Kahl to Samuel Garns, person #62

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Letter from John Kahl to Samuel Garns, person #62, continued

Our transcript of the letter above is as follows:

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Ashland County Ohio February 12<sup>th</sup> 1857

Dear Brotherinlaw

I take my featr [feather?] in my hand for to answer your letter that you wrote after you Left us and Return Back home Again. And we are all glad that you had a safe Journey Returning Back to your home And We Were All Well pleased for the Answer that you sent After you got home that you have not forgotten us and that you gave us A history of the health of the Wrest [rest] of our friends. And now My? statement about the friends heare [here] in Ohio. We Are all injoying good health heare [here] in Ohio Except your Brother Adam Garn he got Middling hard fall And hurt himself Middling Bad But I suppose not to injuring very much Other Wise the friends are Well at the present time and I hope theas [these] few Lines May find injoying the same Bissang? [Blessing?]

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[bottom of first page was accidentally folded but transcript of last line is correct]

---[John Kahl letter – page 2 transcript follows]

But we Don't want you to forget us Make up your Mind if you keep your health And come Out before Long Again it takes But A short to come Don't forget [illegible] Keep us All in Rememberence And We Will Do the Same And Remember us in your prayers and We Also Remember you in Our prayers Let us All try to get to heaven Don['t] forget to write to us Excuse Me for Writing sooner for I have to get Some One always to Write for me But I suppose this Will Answer as Well as if it Would have Been Written sooner No More At present

But Remain yours until Death John Kahl to Samuel Garn

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As noted above, the letter establishes that John Kahl's wife was a sister of either Samuel Garns or of Samuel's wife Susanna Howenstine. Taken alone there was equal probability that either choice was the correct choice and therefore, there was insufficient evidence for placing Christina as Conrad Gern's daughter.

The evidence that establishes that John Kahl's wife was a Garn or Gern appears in the birth and christening record of John and Christina Kahl's son Jonathan. The original record is in the possession of Jonathan Kahl's decendants, Charlotte Kahl and her granddaughter Dusty Kahl. Charlotte Kahl is the wife of Paul Conrad Kahl, who was the son of Paul Luther Kahl, who was the son of Elmer Kahl, who was the son of Jonathan Kahl, who was the son of John and Christiana Kahl.

When the first edition of the book was published, Charlotte and Dusty Kahl could not find the original birth and christening certificate. However, after the first edition of the book was printed, they located the birth and baptismal certificate and provided us a copy. An image of the relevant part of the certificate may be seen on the following page. The entire certificate appears on the page after that. As may be seen, the certificate is in old German script. We have converted the script to modern letters, which may be seen below the image of the certificate.



Text of Birth and Christening Certificate for Jonathan Kahl, person #141

Geburt und Tauf-Schein

Diesen beyden [sic, beiden] Ehegatten als, Johannes Kehl

und seiner ehelichen Hausfrau, Christina

eine geboren Gern ist ein Sohn zur

Welt geboren, im Jahr unseres Herrn 1818

den 31 October dieser Sohn ist

geboren in Pennsylvania Nord-Amerika in Fränklin Caunty [sic, County], und

ist getauft worden mit dem

Namen Jonathan

von Hrn. Prediger Möller

den 24 Sept.

1819

The words on the lower right are as follows:

Taufzeugen waren: die eltern selber

Our translation of these is as follows: [4690] *Birth and Baptismal Certificate* 

[To] these two spouses as, John Kehl and his marital [or legitimate] housewife, Christina born as Gern[,] a son born in the year of our Lord 1818 the 31st of October, this son was born in Pennsylvania, North-America in Franklin County, and has been baptized with the name Jonathan by Mr. Preacher Möller the 24 Sept. 1819

Godparents were: the parents themselves

Below we present the entire certificate for those who may wish to see it. The writing on the top of the certificate appears to be poems which do not provide specific information about Jonathan Kahl or his birth.

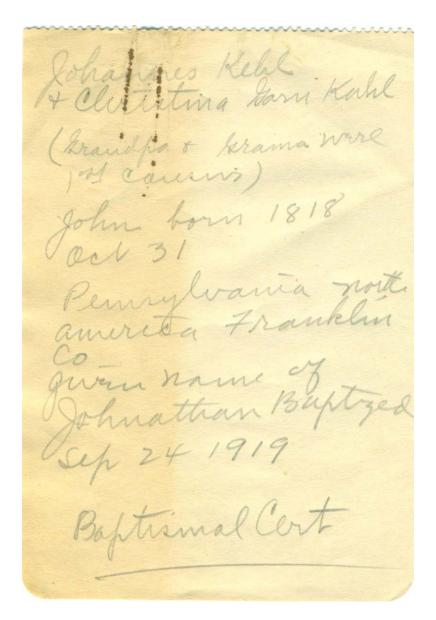


Birth and Christening Certificate of Jonathan Kahl, person #141

The second conclusion that is supported by the finding of the baptismal certificate comes from a note found with the certificate. The note provides additional evidence that Jacob Garn, person #61, was a brother of Christina Gern, person #60. Dusty Kahl, granddaughter of Charlotte Kahl mentioned above, reported that before Charlotte acquired the certificate, it had been in the possession of Jonathan Kahl's granddaughter Marjorie Kahl Lawrence, who was the daughter of Elmer Kahl, person #464. Marjorie

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4690</sup> Translation courtesy of our merging of Google and Babel Fish translation services.

Kahl Lawrence wrote the biography about Elmer Kahl, which we cited in connection with the biographies of both Jonathan Kahl, #141, and his wife Sarah Garn, person #148. [4691] Marjorie Kahl Lawrence had laminated and mounted the certificate in a frame. When Dusty Kahl and her grandmother Charlotte Kahl removed the certificate from the frame to copy it, they found a note which, according to Dusty Kahl, was in Marjorie Kahl Lawrence's handwriting. That note is reproduced below.



Note attached to Birth and Christening Certificate of Jonathan Kahl, person #141

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4691</sup> Marjorie Kahl Lawrence, *A Star In His Right Hand*, (Mulberry, IN 1986), available at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio, and the Franklin County Historical Society, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania.

Our transcript of this note is as follows:

In this note Marjorie Kahl Lawrence first reported that Jonathan's name was John and that he was given the name Jonathan when he was baptized. We believe that she misinterpreted his name as John because the German word for son is Sohn and the "S" in the word Sohn in the old German script on the baptismal certificate looks a lot like a modern "J." The vertical lines through Johannes and Christina's names on the note appear to be marks left by rust from a paperclip that may have once held the note.

The significance of this note is that Marjorie Kahl Lawrence reports that her grandparents, Jonathan Kahl (#141) and Sarah Garn (#148), were first cousins. Marjorie clearly added the first-cousin comment to explain why Christina's surname, Gern, appeared to be the same as the surname of Jonathan's wife and to insure that future readers of the certificate understood that Christina's surname on the certificate was not a mistake. This note establishes that Sarah Garn's father Jacob Garn (#61) was a brother of Jonathan's mother Christina Gern (#60). Since Christina Gern was a sister of Samuel Garns (#62), who is proven in our book to be a son of Conrad Gern (#26), this note is additional evidence that Jacob Garn, person #61, was also a son of Conrad Gern.

Another conclusion that the evidence on the baptismal certificate supports is our conclusion that Conrad Gern's family attended the Grindstone Hill or Solomon's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Guilford Twp., Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. In the biography of Conrad Gern, we postulated that his family probably attended this church based on burials of several Gerns in the church cemetery including a Barbara Gern whom we postulated was Conrad's wife.

The baptismal certificate of Jonathan Kahl, which we showed earlier, reports that a Mr. Möller was the minister who performed the baptism. The records of the Grindstone Hill Evangelical Lutheran Church report that the Reverend John Frederick Moeller [sic] was the minister of the church from 1816 until 1829, which encompasses the time when Jonathan Kahl was baptized. [4692] Therefore we believe

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4692</sup> Rev. D. H. Foght, *A Discourse Portraying the History of the Grindstone Hill Ev. Lutheran Church, in Franklin County, Pennsylvania*, Delivered on Christmas, Monday, Dec. 25th, 1854, (Gettysburg, PA, 1855), pp. 16 and 17.

Jonathan Kahl's parents John Kahl and Christina Gern attended that church. Jonathan Kahl's baptism there supports our conclusion that Christina's parents Conrad and Barbara Gern also attended that church.

Since the letter that John Kahl wrote to Samuel Garns establishes that John's wife was a sister of either Samuel Garns or Samuel's wife, and since the birth and baptismal certificate of Jonathan Kahl reports that his mother was Christina Gern, this is sufficient evidence for placing Christina as a sister of Samuel Garns and therefore as a daughter of Conrad Gern.

## Appendix 18 - Will of Christian M. Garn, Person #64

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will of Christian M. Garn, person #64. His will was written on 29 April 1871 and proved on 6 March 1882 in Bedford County, Pennsylvania. [4693]

The images of his will begin on the following page and continue for three additional pages. Our transcript of the will begins immediately below and continues after the last image of the will.

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Know all men by these presents that I Christian Garn of Union Township in the County of Bedford, and State of Pennsylvania, Yeoman, being in good health and of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time heretofore made. And first I commend my immortal being to him who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried with reasonable expense or ostentation by my executors hereinafter named, and as to my worldly estate and all the property real personal or mixed of which I shall die seized and possessed or to which I shall be entitled to at the time of my decease, I devise bequeath and dispose of in the manner following to wit: Imprimus [sic],

My will is that all my just debts and funeral charges shall by my executor hereinafter named be paid out of my estate as soon after my decease as shall by them be found convenient, first I give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Garn two Beds and two cows, all of her own selection or first choice of such beds or cows that I may have at my decease, and also she is to have the cooking stove and utintials [sic] and she is also to have a Bureau and chest of my personal property to have and to hold the same to her and to her Executors administration and assigns forever. I also give to my wife and to my daughter Hannah I. Garn the use, improvement and income of my dwelling house, lands and its appurtenances that I now reside upon, Knowen [sic] as my Mansion Farm to have and to hold the use and income of the same for one year after my decease.

I also give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife the one third of all the personal estate or rather the proceeds of the sale of the personal estate or otherwise after first deducting a sufficient amount to pay my just debts and expenses of settling my estate to have and to hold the same to her and her executors administrators and assigns forever.

I also will and devise to my daughter Hannah I. Garn the Bed and Bureau she now holds claim to and a chest and such Bed clothes as she now claims to be her owen [sic, own] to have and to hold the same to her and assigns forever. I also hereby acknowledge the note my daughter Hannah holds against me for one hundred dollars payable at or after my decease is just and rite [right]. And I desire my executors to pay the same out of my estate when it is due. It is also my will that my executors shall appraise and sell all my personal property which I may possess at my decease which is not otherwise disposed within sixty

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4693</sup> Bedford County, Pennsylvania Wills, Will of Christian M. Garn, Book 5, pp. 551-553, FHL#331359; Bedford County, Pennsylvania Estate Records, Estate of Christian M. Garn, File 1882-0015.

Thow all men by These presents that I Christian Mr Garn of Union Township in The County of bedford and state of Pennsylvania; yoman being in good health and of Sound and disposing Mind and memory; do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time heretofore made, and first of commend my immortal being to him who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried with reasonable expense or ostentation by my executors hereinafter named, and as to My worldly estate, and all the property real personal or Mixed, of which of shall sie seized and possessed or to which I shall be entitled to at the time of My decease; I devise bequeath and dispose thereof in the manner following to wit; Imprimis, My will is that all My furt debts and funeral Charges shall by my executors here inafter haned be paid out of my estate as soon after my decease as shall by them be found conve inent , first of give devise and bequeath to my Beloved wife Elizabeth Garn two Beds and two Cows all of her owen selection or first Choice of Such Beds and Cows that I may have at my docease, and also she is to have my cooking stove intentiels, and the is also to have a Bureau and Chest of they personal property, to have and to hold the same to her and her Executors administrators and assigns forever, I also give to my said wife and my Jaughter Hannah I farn the use improvement and income of my dwelling house lands and its appurtenance that I now reside upon knowen as my Mansion farm to have and to hold and have the use and income of the Same for one year after my decease,

Will of Christian M. Garn, person #64

I also give devise and bequeath to my beloved wif the one third of all they personal estate or rather the proceeds of the sale of my personal estate or otherwise. after first deducting a Sufficient amount to pay my furt dobts and expenses of Setting My Estate, to have and to hold the same to her and her executors administra tors and assigns for ever, I also will and devise to my Vaughter Hannah & Garn the Bed and Bureau the New Kold; Claim to and a Chest and Such Bed Clothes as she now Claims to be her owen, to have and to hold the same to her and assigns for ever, I also here asknowledge that the note my vaughter Hunnah holds againsts me for one hundred Tollars payable at or after my deceuse, is fust and rite and of desire my executors to pay the same out of my estate when it is due, it is also my will that my executors Shall appraise and fell all My personal property which I may have or posess at my decease which is not otherwise disposed of, within Sixty days after my Tecease, and make return of the same to court as is usually done in like Cases, it is also My will that my executor, shall divide the proceeds of my personal property which has not yet bin dissposed of as soon as it comes to there Kands share and a like betweend my said Keirs nainly, Catharine entermarried with Soloman Mosh, Susannah intermarried Edmund Conrad John I garn, George & Garn, Margaret intermarried with Adam Breigle, Hannah I Garn, and Farriel I gam, with the exception of my haughter Catha rine intermarried with Solomon Mark who is to have fifty five Vollars less then the rest on account of the same having bin by Me alredy advanced to her use to

Will of Christian M. Garn, person #64, continued

and it is my will that my executors shall sell my real estate one year after my heath by first giving due publication of the Sale of the Same as they May Vern Best, and it is my will that the one thrad of the purchase Money remain in the premises during the lifetime of my widow and she is to draw and have the interest thereof annually Thereafter each year of her life, and at her death the princapel to be divided eaguall amonght, my Said before naimed heirs share and share alike and it is my will that the proceeds of my real estate when Sold and due is also to be divided betweend My aforesaid Named Keirs to Soon as it may Come to their hands, and it is my will that my real estate be Sold upon the following Conditions, the one third in land at the Confermation of the dale thereof and the ballance in two equal anuel payments There after, and it is my will that my executors or one of them Shall retain one hundred and eighty dollars out of the last payment of the Sale of my real estate, to be paid to the surviving Keirs of My two Gaughters, nainly Rachael interior arried to Henry Lower and Mary intermarried to John Russel, to be paid to them by my executors or executor as the case my be, at the time they arive at the age of twenty one years, which heirs now number twelve, and if any of Said twelve heirs should not Survive the age of Twen ty one lieving no ishue then such share is to he equally divided amonghts Said Surviving heirs when they arive at the age of two

Will of Christian M. Garn, person #64, continued

and it is my will that my Executors shall not pay or account to Said last mentioned keiss for any interest that may account upon Said one Rundred and eighty Hollars, the same to be retained by them in liow of any further fee for Solding and paying over Said money to Said Seirs, when they gain there ages on I do nominate and appoint my fun John I farm of Sandusty County this and my fun Maniel of Jarn of Union Township Bedford County Power to be the executors of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have kereunto set my land and seal the Twenty Minth Say of Spril 201811

Will of Christian M. Garn, person #64, continued

days after my decease and make return of the same to count as is usually done in like cases. It is my will that my executors shall divide the proceeds of my personal property which has not yet been disposed of as it comes to their hands, share and share alike between my said heirs namely Catherine intermarried with Solomon Mock, Susannah intermarried with Edmund Conrad, John I. Garn, George I Garn, Margaret, intermarried with Adam Breigle [Briggle], Hannah I. Garn, and Daniel I Garn, with the exception of my daughter Catherine intermarried with Solomon Mock [sic, Mauk], who is to have fifty five dollars less than the rest on account of the same having been by me already advanced to her [illegible]. And it is my will that my executors shall sell my real estate one year after my death by first giving due publication of the sale of the same as they may deem best and it is my will that the one third of the purchase money remain in the [illegible] during the lifetime of my widow, and she is to draw and have the interest thereof annually thereafter each year of her life, and at her death the principal to be divided equally amongst my said before named heirs, share and share alike. And it is my will that the proceeds of my real estate when sold and due is also to be divided betweened[?] my above named heirs, so soon as it may come to their hands. And it is my will that my real estate be sold upon the following conditions: the one third in hand at the confirmation of the sale thereof, and the balance in two equal anuel [annual] payments thereafter; and it is my will that my executors or one of them shall retain one hundred and eighty dollars out of the last payment of the sale of the real estate to be paid to the surviving heirs of my two daughters, namely Rachel, intermarried to Henry Lower and Mary, intermarried John Russel, to be paid to them by my executors or executor as the case may be at the time they arrive at the age of twenty one years, which heirs now number twelve, and if any of said twelve heirs should not survive the age of twenty one years leaving no issue, then such share is to be equally divided amongst said surviving heirs, when they arive [sic] at the age of twenty one years. And it is my

will that my executor shall not pay or account to said last named heirs for any interest that may accrue upon said one hundred and eighty dollars, the same to be retained by them in leiu of any further fee for holding and paying said money to said heirs when they gain their ages.

I do nominate and appoint my son John I. Garn of Sandusky County, Ohio and my son Daniel I. Garn of Union Township Bedford County Penna. and Abraham H. Hull of Union Township, Bedford County, Penna. to be the executors of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the twenty ninth day of April A.D. 1871.

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## **Appendix 19 - Will of Samuel Carn, Person #97**

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will and codicils of Samuel Carn, person #97. His will and a codicil were written on 15 May 1860. [4694] A second codicil was written on 16 June 1860. The will was proved on 12 July 1860.

The images of the will appear on the two following pages. The image of the two codicils appears after the will. Our transcript of the will begins immediately below and continues after the images of the will and codicils.

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The last will of Samuel Carn of the Borough of Bedford Penn. is as follows: I give to my wife all my house hold and Kitchen furniture including stoves, and every thing use in the house of that nature, I give hir [sic] also the property wherein I now live during hir [sic] lifetime to have all the [illegible] proceeds for hir [sic] [illegible] use; and after hir [sic] death my son Adam is to have the proceeds of it during his lifetime and after his death his children shall become owners of it, if he leaves no leggle [sic, legal] issue then my daughter children shall inherit it, I give my wife the Sum of two thousand dollars to be paid to hir [sic] as she needs it.

I give to my daughter Henrietta Williamson the sum of Six thousand dollars, Said Six thousand dollars, or as much thereof as my daughter think but not les than five thousand dollars is to be laid out for a farm some place in the neighborhood where She lives in Ohio near Waynesville, but in no case shall hir [sic] husband have any of the money or posterity in his hand, or name, I give my son Adam all my interest in the Store which is the one half of all the goods books and out Standing Claim of the firm of Oster and Carn and also what is Comming [sic, coming] on the books of Oster Manspeaker & Carn to take possession immediately after my disese [sic, decease].

I also give to my son Adam two eighty acre lots of land in Benton County, Iowa, the farm I own above the mill in Bedford Township I desire to have sold at public or private sale soon after my demise, but not to be [illegible] to be sold to the best advantage, the farm in Cambria County containing 752 acres I also want sold to the best advantage that can be had, and the undivided half of 400 acres in Union Township, Bedford County [illegible] in the name of Wm. Mann I also want sold the house and lot in St. Clairsville I also want sold not at a sacrifice, two lots in North Penn Vilage [sic] in Philadelphia I also want sold, all the aforementioned property may be sold at public or private sale but not so as to be sacrificed or sold under value.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4694</sup> Estate File for Samuel Carn, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Estates, File No. 1860-27.

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Will of Samuel Carn, person #97

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Will of Samuel Carn, person #97, continued

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Will of Samuel Carn, person #97, continued

I give to the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Borough of Bedford the Sum of two hundred dollars [gap appears here] and what ever is left of my estate after the aforementioned distributions are made I wish equally divided between my two children.

May 15<sup>th</sup> 1860, Written & Signed by the testator himself.

Signed and acknowledged in the presence of [Samuel Carn signature here] [Saml Yingling signature] [O. E. Shannon signature]

May 15<sup>th</sup> 1860. As a codicil to the foregoing will, I hereby fully authorize [illegible] my Administrator whoever he may be to Sell and dispose of my real estate mentioned in said will and make title therefor. [Signatures]

June 16<sup>th</sup> 1860, I Samuel Carn Testator before mentioned hereby add this as a further codicil to this my will:

The Real Estate in the Borough of Bedford, devised to my wife for life, is hereby diverted to be sold at my wife's death by my Adm. [illegible], and the proceeds equally divided between my two children, Adam and Ettie or their heirs. That part of said proceeds which shall go to Ettie is to be hers absolutely, free from any right in or control of her husband in any manner. It is further a part of my will and a port of this codicil, that the bequest of my son Adam of the Store and accounts, effect [illegible] of the firm of Oster & Carn & Oster Manspeaker & Carn shall be taken by him subject to the debts of the firm – that is, he, Adam shall pay his portion of the firm debts out of said effects.

[Signatures]

## Appendix 20 - Will of John Garn, Person #125

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will of John Garn, person #125. His will was written on 28 February 1882 and recorded in Ashland Co., Ohio. [4695]

The images of his will appear immediately below and on the following page. Our transcript of the will begins immediately below and continues after the images of the will.

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In the name of the Benevolent Father of all I John Garn of Mohican T.p. Ashland County Ohio being in feeble health yet of sound mind and memory in view of the uncertainty of life and desiring that after my decease my earthly possion[sic] shall be disposed of in manner conformable to my present wishes and not being under any restraint do of my own free will and accord make and publish this my last will and testament:

1<sup>st</sup>. I nominate and request the Probate Court to appoint and qualify my Brother Jacob Garn as Executor of this my last will and testament who shall proceed according to Law immediately after my decease and reduce all my personal property monies and credits to cash and distribute the same as herein after provided.

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Will of John Garn, person #125

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4695</sup> Ashland Co., Ohio Wills, Book 5, pp. 245-247.

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hundred dollars pay my Son adam the sum of One Thousand dollars also pay off a mortgage which I we to said Son Adam Sam then retain for himself the seem of five thousand dollars and then pay the remainder of said seem of 60 1600 to my Executor of desire that my executor shall add
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   declarate be his last will and testament and we here
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   28 th: day of February 1862.
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Will of John Garn, person #125, continued

2<sup>nd</sup>. I give and devise to my Son John L. Garn my farm upon which I at present reside containing about 128 acres He to take same at Nine thousand and Six hundred (\$9600) dollars and account for said sum as follows: pay each of my daughters Amanda – Melinda - Elizabeth Ann[,] Rebecca and Katharine the sum of Three hundred dollars. Pay my Son Adam the sum of One Thousand dollars also pay off a mortgage which I owe to said Son Adam Garn then retain for himself the sum of five thousand dollars and then pay the remainder of said sum of (\$9600) to my Executor. I desire that my executor shall add the amount thus received from John L. Garn to the amount made out of my personal property monies and credits and after paying all my just and funeral expenses pay and distribute the amount in equal shares to my seven children Amanda-Melinda Elizabeth Ann-Rebecca Katharine Adam and John L. I give and bequeath to my said daughters Amanda Melinda Elizabeth Ann Rebecca and Katharine each the aforementioned sums of Three hundred dollars to my Son Adam said aforementioned sum of One thousand dollars and to my Son John L. the said sum of Five thousand dollars.

Should my said Son John L Garn refuse to accept said farm on said terms then and in that case I hereby authorize my said Executor Jacob Garn or any Executor that the Probate Court may appoint and qualify to sell said real estate to such person or persons in such parcels and on such terms as he may see proper for the best interest of my said estate and I hereby authorize said Executor to execute and deliver warantee[sic] deed or deeds for the same and in that event he is to distribute the proceeds of the same in the manner above stated The reason that I give my son William nothing more by this will is that I have been heretofore completed[?] to pay surety for him the sum of about two thousand dollars.

The Legacies aforementioned shall be payable as follows The \$1000 to my Son Adam One year after my decease the \$600 to my daughters Amanda and Melinda Two years after my decease the \$900 to my daughter[s] Elizabeth Ann Rebecca and Katharine three years after my decease.

As appraisers of my said estate I request the Probate Court to appoint my friends James McFadden Samuel Freidline and Soloman Kahl.

In testimony I herey subscribe my name and have requested my friends William Maurer and D. C. Martin as witnesses this  $28^{th}$  day of February 1882.

Signed: John Garn

Signed by John Garn Garn in our presence and by him declared to be his last will and testament and we here subscribe the same as witnesses at his request this 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 1882.

Signed: W.M Maurer [Signed: D. C. Martin]

## Appendix 21 - Family Bible, Samuel Garns, Person #62

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the records that were recorded in the family Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62. The Bible was in the possession of Samuel's great-grandson, Milton L. Garnes, person #1122, who kindly permitted us to photograph the relevant pages. A notation in the front of the Bible reports, "This Bible was purchest [sic] in the year 1844. Price \$4.00."

The images of the pages of the Bible begin on the following page and continue for two more pages. Our transcript of the pages begins below and continues after the third image from the Bible. Note that at some point the pages of the Bible were damaged. A notation reports that one was, "Burnt." The notations under the burned portions were in the Bible and we believe they accurately reflect the records that were destroyed when the pages were burned.

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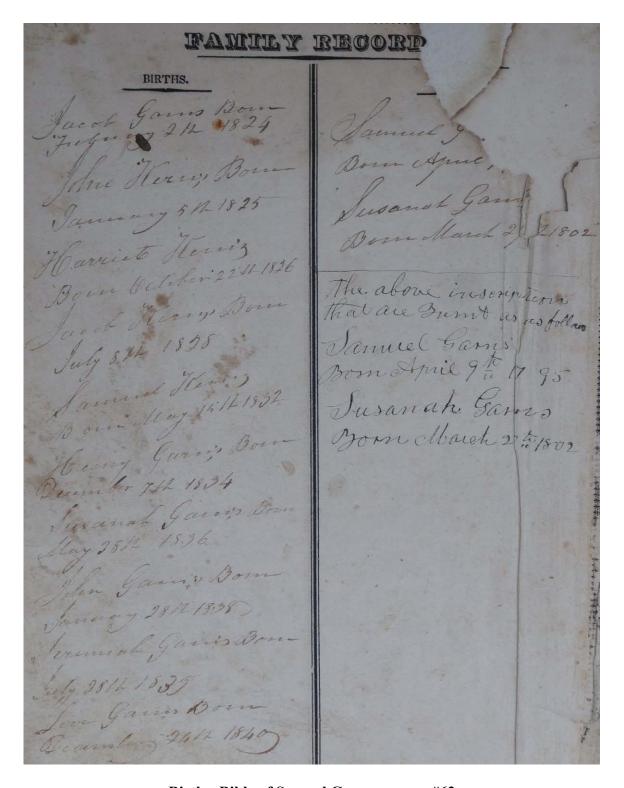
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January 5th, 1825 Harriet Kerns [sic] Born October 22nd, 1826

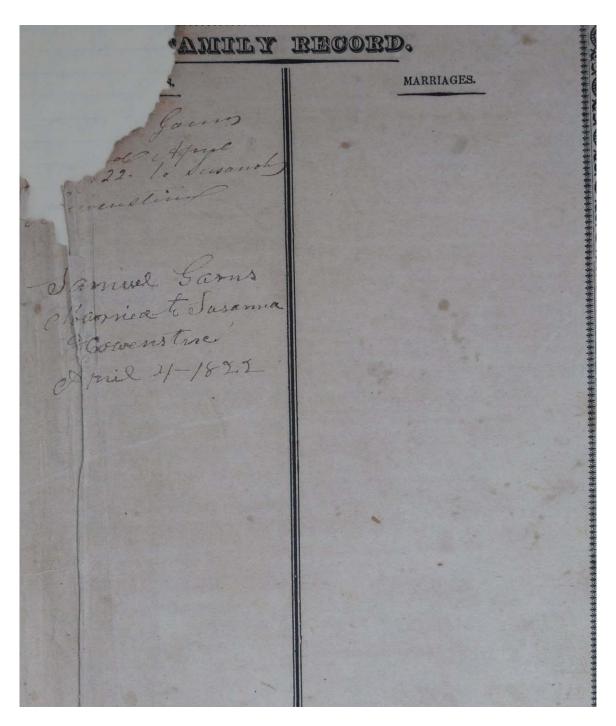
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Samuel Kerns [sic]
Born May 15th, 1832
Henry Garns, Born
December 7th, 1834
Susannah Garns, Born
May 28th 1836
John Garns, Born
January 28th, 1838
Jeremiah Garns, Born
July 28th, 1839
Levi Garns, Born
December 26th, 1840

Samuel [burned area]
Born April [burned area]
Susanah Garn [sic, burned area]
Born March 27 [burned area] 1802

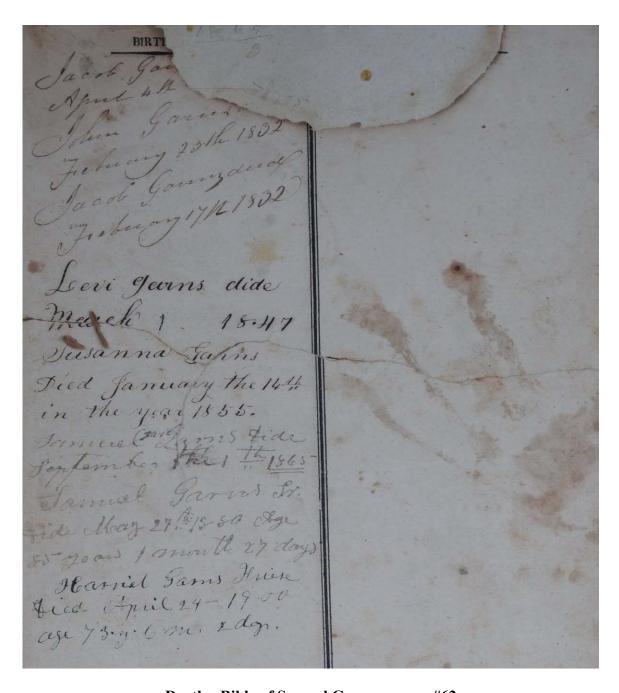
the above inscriptions that are Burnt as as [sic] follows Samuel Garns Born April 9th 1795 Susanah Garns Born March 27th 1802



Births, Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62



Marriage Record, Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62



Deaths, Bible of Samuel Garns, person #62

#### Page two transcript follows:

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Samuel Garns Married to Susana Howenstine April 4-1822

#### Page three transcript follows:

Jacob Gar [sic, burned area] April 4th [burned area] John Garns [burned area] February 25th [sic] 1832 Jacob Garns died February 17th 1832 Levi Garns dide March 1, 1847 Susanna Garns Died January the 14th in the year 1855 Samuel (2nd) Garns dide September the 1th [sic] 1865 Samuel Garns Sr. dide May 27th 1880 Age 85 years 1 month 27 days *Harriet Garns Friese* [sic] Died April 24 - 1900 Age 73 y 6 m 2 d

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One will note that the spelling of the surname for four people in the early records was Kerns. We cannot explain this, especially since the first record spells the name Garns and then the four Kerns follow. However, we know that spelling at the time was not as standardized as it is today. And since the Bible was purchased in 1844, after all of the children had been born, the records were clearly copied from

some other record. They may have been given baptismal records at the time the children were baptized, which spelled the names as they appear in this record.

Although the spelling of the surname is not uniform, there can be no doubt that the children whose names are spelled Kerns are Samuel Garns' children. The death report for Harriet Garns Friese [sic] on the last page clearly indicates that she was a Garns and gives her age at death. If one computes her date of birth from her age at death, the birth date coincides exactly with the birth date for Harriet Kerns in the birth records on the first page. Therefore, this is one more indication of the variability of the spelling of the name at the time.

## **Appendix 22 - Abraham Garn's Will and Obituary**

In this appendix we present the will and obituary of Abraham Garn, person #121, in the book. The originals of both items were either typewritten or printed instead of being handwritten. Therefore we present only the transcripts without any images of the originals.

The will of Abraham Garn was written on 5 March 1869 and probated in Marshall Co., Indiana. [4696]

----Transcript of will follows

Last Will and Testament of Abraham Garn, Dec'd.:

In the name of the Benevolent Father of all.

I, Abraham Garn of Marshall County, State of Indiana, do make and publish this my last will and testament.

Item 1st. - I direct that all my just debts and charges against my estate be first paid.

Item 2nd. - I do hereby will and direct that after my wife Lydia Garn has taken the Five Hundred Dollars due her as my widow under the law, that all the remainder of my personal property and real estate be sold as soon as practicable by my Executor hereinafter by me appointed and the proceeds of the sale of my personal and real estate shall be divided as follows: One third of the entire proceeds received from the sale of my real and personal property shall be held by my executor as Trustee and loaned out and all the interest received on same shall be paid annually to my said wife during her natural life, and the remaining two-thirds (2-3) shall be paid as follows: Five Dollars (\$5.00) to my grand-daughter Evana Working, daughter of my son Samuel Garn, Dec'd, which sum shall be in full of her entire interst in my estate. After said Five Dollars has been paid my said grand-daughter all remaining shall be paid and I will and devise same to my children John W. - David, - James P., -Martin, - Joshua, - Mandus E., - Benjamin F., - George W. and my daughter Sarah E. Weirman and grand-daughter Jessie Garn daughter of my son Aaron Garn, deceased, my said children and my granddaughter Jessie Garn sharing each alike, that is they shall be paid the same amounts, except that my said grand-daughter shall receive \$94.00 less than my said children I having made an advancement of said Ninety four dollars, and on the death of my said wife the one third (1-3) held in trust for her benefit shall be paid by my executor to my said nine children now living and my said grand-daughter Jessie Garn equally, share and share alike. The reason I only will Evana Working Five Dollars is that during her father's life time I paid him in advance his full interest in my estate.

Item 3rd. - I do hereby nominate and appoint my son Benjamin Garn, Executor of this my last will and testament, granting, authorizing and empowering him with full and ample power to sell all my personal property and all my real estate which is all in Marshall County, State of Indiana. My Executor is authorized to sell all my real estate at private sale, or in such a manner, upon such terms of credit or otherwise as he may deem best and execute and deliver to the purchaser deeds in fee simple and he is further empowered to hold all my real estate in trust for the benefit of my said wife and said (9) nine living children and grand-child Jessie Garn until he can effect the sale fo said real estate and all the rents received therefrom after paying taxes, repairs and Trustee's services shall be sold and one third paid my wife and the remaining two thirds divided equally between my nine living children above named and my grand-daughter Jessie Garn and on the sale of my real estate my Executor shall divide the proceeds as directed in Item 2nd.

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<sup>4696</sup> Marshall Co., Indiana, Wills, Book C, Page 103, No. 1043, Box 11.

I do hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In the testimony hereof I have hereonto set my hand and seal this 5th day of March 1889, at Plymouth, Indiana.

Abraham Garn (seal)

Signed and acknowledged by Abraham as his last will and testament in our presence and signed by us in his presence and at his request.

Washington Kelley. Amasa Johnson.

----End of will of Abraham Garn

The obituary of Abraham Garn under the name Abram Garn in The Republican, a newspaper in Marshall Co., Indiana. [4697] The transcript of the obituary follows.

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Abram Garn for over 31 years a resident of Burr Oak Flats, died Wednesday night of last week, January 29th, aged 80 years, 4 months and 24 days.

Deceased was born in Bedford County, Pa., Sept. 10, 1810, went to Ohio from Pennsylvania and came from there to Marshall county in 1858, settled on the farm where he died and where he had ever since lived, near the village of Burr Oak, in Union Township. He was the father of 15 children, nine of whom are now living; John in Fulton county, David, in West township, George, Mandas, P. J. and B. F. in Union township, Martin, in Michigan, Joshua in Nebraska and Mrs. Sarah E. Weirman, in Paulding county, Ohio. All of these children are prominent citizens in the communities in which they reside.

Abram Garn was an honest, industrious, quiet citizen, respected by all who knew him. He was twice married; his first wife died in 1866, his second is still living, aged 72 years. His death was caused by rheumatism and softening of the brain. The remains were interred at the Voreis cemetery [Burr Oak cemetery], Friday, Rev. Mr. Tracy and Rev. Mr. Dustin conducting the funeral services, which were largely attended. Deceased was a member of the Evangelical church. All of his children except Joshua and Martin were at his bedside when he died.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4697</sup> The Republican, Friday, Feb. 7, 1890 issue, obtained at the Marshall County Historical Society, Plymouth, Indiana.

## Appendix 23 - Mrs. J. A. Capener Letter

In this appendix we present the image and our transcript of a letter written by Mrs. J. A. Capener to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Blaine Garns of Auburn, Indiana. Jesse Blaine Garns appears as person #718 in this book. The author of the letter is Ella Smith Capener, one of the authors of the book *The Garn (Carn) Family in America*. [4698] Although the letter was signed by Mrs. J. A. Capener, she includes the name of Don W. McBride at the top of the page as an indication that it was from both authors of the book.

Our sole purpose for including this letter in our book is to offer evidence that in 1958, when the letter was written, there was confusion in the minds of McBride and Capener over the exact date of birth of Johannes Gern, who appears as person #23 in this book. This letter reports that Johannes Gern was born on 3 July 1738, whereas six years later when their book was published, they reported that he was born on 21 March 1738. This evidence of uncertainty over his birth date gives us additional confidence that our interpretation of the inscription on the grave stone of Johannes Gern is acceptable and correct.

This letter was given to us by John Neil Garns, who has done extensive research on the descendants of Samuel Garns, person #62. John Neil Garns is a grandson of John Widder Garns, who appears as person #1076 in this book. John Neil Garns undoubtedly acquired the letter as part of his research to connect Samuel Garns with other Garns. And the use of the Garns spelling by Jesse Blaine Garns and his branch of the family probably prompted the acquisition. We do not know who had possession of the letter between when it was received by Jesse Blaine Garns and when John Neil Garns acquired it. However, we have no reason to doubt its authenticity.

The image of the letter appears on the following page. Our transcript of the letter follows the image of the letter.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4698</sup> Don W. McBride and Ella Smith Capener, *The Garn (Carn) family in America* (Salt Lake City, Utah, 1964), [FHL #1421913 it. 15, descendant information]; Index to McBride, [FHL #1421913 it. 14, index].

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Letter from Mrs. J. A. Capener to Jesse Blaine Garns, person #718

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The upper left of the letter has the names of the sender and her co-author, which are: *Mr. Don W. Mcbride Mrs. J. A. Capener*635[?]-3<sup>rd</sup> Ave
Salt Lake City, Utah

The upper right has the names of the recipients of the letter followed by a notation in another handwriting style indicating that Jesse Blain Garns was the grandfather of the person who then held the letter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Blain [sic] Garns 818 Midway Dr. Auburn Indiana 3 May 1958

[different handwriting follows] My Grand Father - Correspondence with Authors of Genealogy Book

#### Dear Relatives

It is always a pleasure to hear from you dear ones.

If you should go to Pennsylvania at any time, we suggest that you go to Claysburg Blair County, and inquire for a Mr. Stanley Walter, he is an unmarried man, who keeps a barber shop. He is very well acquainted with the people in the locality. Enclosed you will find a photograph taken from the hill where the Garn's were buried. Also a tombstone photograph which gives the information of our first John Garn born 3 July 1738 Amsterdam Holland [sic]. These two photographs were taken by Stanley Walter.

You will find enclosed the family sheet of Jacob Garn who married Elizabeth Biddle this sheet should answer the question which Mr. Garns desired, also the photograph of Jacob Garn.

The other sheet is for John Garn who married Susanna Pringle [sic]; two small photographs are enclosed for this famly. It is enough to show how the Garn people resemble each other.

We were sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Garn's brother. That is the way of life. So each day we should do the very best we possibly can.

Sincerely Mrs. J. A. Capener

## Appendix 24 - Will of John Garns, Person #162

In this appendix we present the image and our transcript of the will of John Garns, person #162. [4699] The will was written on 8 September 1885 and probated on 17 July 1902 in Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. We did not search for the associated estate file.

The image of the will appears below. Our transcript of the will follows the image of the will.

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Will of John Garns, person #162

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4699</sup> Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, Wills, book Q, p. 29.

Recording of will information appears on the left as:

No. 16489

Last will and testament of John Garns late of Montgomery Twp. deceased. Probated July 17, 1902, A. B. Zarger, Register

Will transcript follows:

#### *In the name of God Amen*

I, John Garns of the Township of Montgomery in the County of Franklin & State of Pennsylvania being in good health and Body and sound and disposing mind memory & understanding considering the Certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world where it shall please god to call me hence I do hereby make & publish this my last will and testament in manner and form as follows that is to say.. First and principally I commit my soul unto the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried according to my situation in life and at my death next it is my desire that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid first.

Second I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Belle all my real and personal property during her widowhood by her paying off all my debt and expenses after my death but if there is not money enough to do so after selling such personal property as she can do without then she can sell the Brick house together with one acre of land attached to the same. And at her death or if she should marry again then the real & personal property to be sold and to be equally divided amongst my children or their legal representatives.

In testimony hereof i have set my hand & seal. this 29 day of September AD 1885. signed and sealed in presence of us who are witnesses to the above.

John Garns [signature and seal]

Jonas Gsell

D. E. Hayes

# Appendix 25 - Philip G. Garn's Analysis of the Origin of the Garn Name

In this appendix we present an analysis of the origin of the Garn name that was done by Philip Graham Garn in 1986 and published in 1989 as part of his three volumes of research, mainly on the Utah branches of the Garn family and their ancestors. [4700] We liked his analysis and believed his conclusions even before our research proved that his claims that the name was originally spelled Gern and before we had proven that the family came from Kürnbach, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Philip Graham Garn kindly gave us permission to reproduce his analysis, which follows.

ORIGIN AND BACKGROUND OF THE GARN NAME BY PHILIP G. GARN 1986

Much has been written about the origin of the name Garn. In the Dutch, German, Danish, and Norwegian languages it means yarn. In Old English, Old Norse, and Old High German, the word garn also means yarn. From this information it was felt that the name Garn was occupational in origin and that the Garn people were workers with, or spinners of, yarn.

Associated with the name Garn is a coat of arms. However, to be of true armorial ancestory a person, or family, must be a decendent of the individual who received the coat of arms. Our Garn family cannot claim such lineage, in fact, the evidence now seems to indicate that the name Garn is an anglicization of the German word, or name, Gern.

In many of the documents concerning our immigrant ancestor, John Garn, and his descendants, we find the name spelled Garn, Gern, Carn, Karn, and Kern. It is not unusual to find two or three spelling variations within the same document. These multiple spellings have not only slowed research, but they have raised questions regarding the validity of documents. Do these documents refer to several different people or to one man? By comparing information found in these questionable documents to known facts about our ancestors we can arrive at the answer. For example, there is the possibility that two men with similar sounding names both lived in Bedford County, Pennsylvania at the same time. However, the probability that both these men had wives named Margaret, had two sons named John and Frederick, and two daughters named Barbara and Catherine is very unlikely. The odds against it being two different men are further compounded when the same tract of land is described in two seperate documents that spell the owner's surname two different ways. Also, our ancestor--John Garn--and the man in one questionable document--John Kern--both died in 1808. The odds against so many perfect matches being a chance occurrence favor the logic that we are dealing with one man whose name was spelled differently on separate documents.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4700</sup> Philip G. Garn, *History and biographical profiles of the Garn family and some of its branches* (Tempe, Arizona, 1989, [FHL #1697279 it. 1-3], Vols. 1-3, at pp 1:6-9; see also Vernean Perry, Index to P. Garn (Boise, Idaho, 199?), FHL #1425049, it. 2.

One variation in spelling seems to stand out and that is Gern. We have two documents that bear our ancestor's signature as Johannes Gern. One document is signed in the characteristic German script. The spelling Gern also appears on records of marriages, christenings, wills, deeds, and on other legal documents kept by German churches and German scribes. This spelling seems to be the true ancestral name of the Garn family. The spelling Gern was still used by our ancestors in Utah as late as 1893.

In Germany the word gern means willingly or with pleasure. When taxation and other events in Europe made it necessary to distinguish one man with the given name of John from another, surnames, or family names, made their appearance. Apparently our original Garn ancestor had a pleasant or kind disposition and it was this characteristic that marked him and his descendants as Gern rather than having them assume a patronymic, occupational, geographic, or other type of name.

In the German language Gern is pronounced much like Garn. The "E" in Gern is pronounced like the "E" in Evan. This "E" that sounds like an "A" was recorded as an "A" by English scribes in North America who made valiant attempts to phonetically reproduce the foreign sounds of the German language.

Education was not a strong feature of Colonial America. Although the scribes were able to read, write, and cypher, they were, for the most part, sparrows and not bluebirds by today's standards of education, spelling included. Education was important to the colonists of North America, however, their efferts to provide the necessities of life occupied the majority of day to day toil, and to be functionally literate was all their lifestyle required. In most small villages and rural towns the clerk was primarily a farmer and secondarily a recorder. The consequence was that records were as brief as possible, time consuming reports and lesser events were not recorded, colloquialism rather than formality prevailed, and phonetic spelling was acceptable. In this regard, the Mormons were no exception; Sidney Rigdon pointed out that Brigham Young sometimes misspelled his own name.

Variations in the spelling of our family name continued with the Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Mormon branch of the family in Utah all expressing their preference. One branch of the family in Pennsylvania settled on Carn while the Ohio branch of the family preferred Garn. Regarding the Mormon branch of the family, John D. Lee spells Daniel Garn's name as Carns, Carnes, and Kearns in his diary. In his entry for March 23, 1847 John D. Lee spelled it both Carns and Kearns. In Hosea Stout's diary he refers to Daniel as Carn and Carns. Other spellings discovered in Utah are Garns, Garnes, Gern, and Gerns. I found Philip James Garn, the husband of Mary Magdalene Fought Garn, interred in the Salt lake City Cemetery under the name Germ, an error I had the sexton correct! In Utah, the most common spelling of Philip James Garn's name was Gern while Carn was almost universally used to spell his brother Daniel's name. In the late 1800's there seems to have been an organized effort made to unify the spelling of our surname and conform to the Ohio spelling of Garn. The evidence for this is that on December 11, 1893, Mary M. Gerns, for the sum of \$1.00, sold all her land in Centerville, Davis County, Utah back to herself under the name Mary M. Garnes, in so doing she made Garnes the legal spelling of her surname, and the name she would be recognized by. The "es" at the end of the name was quickly dropped and subsequent documents all used the spelling Garn. Records that pertain to Daniel Garn's descendents also reflect a change from Carn to Garn near this date. Subsequent generations of both families in Utah adopted Garn as the preferred spelling.

The fact that the name Garn has had so many variations in spelling should not be alarming. The names of our other ancestors have undergone similar transitions due to both penmanship and spelling. Martin Cable's name has been spelled Cabel, Gabel, and Kebble; Kline is often spelled Klein and Cline; Vogt has been anglicized to Voght, Voigt, Fogt, Focht, Foight, and Fought. These inconsistencies have been time consuming to sort out, and have caused no end of frustration in genealogical research, however, such variations are not unusual.

It is not surprising that a more demanding need for consistency and accuracy regarding church records and legal matters was contemporary with the emergence of higher educational standards. These two facts, I am sure, played an important role in the finalization process of the spelling we now use. Although we were once Gern, now we are Garn.

Philip G. Garn 1986

## **Appendix 26 - Samuel Garn Discussion**

In this appendix we present a discussion of which Samuel Garn married Sarah Jane Cooper and was the father of John Otis Garn, person #510. Deciding which Samuel Garn married Sarah Jane Cooper was not obvious and is still not certain. Records show that there were two Samuel Garns in the area who could have been the Samuel who married Sarah Jane and fathered John Otis Garn. One Samuel was person #152, who was the son of Jacob Garn and Mary Ann. The other Samuel was person #130 who was the son of Adam Garn.

We did not find records for another Samuel Garn that could be considered for this marriage to Sarah Jane Cooper. There is always the possibility that a Samuel Garn from outside the area arrived, married, fathered a child, and then disappeared after Sarah Jane died in childbirth without leaving another record. However, this is quite unlikely. And we are convinced that one of the two Samuel Garns listed above was the one who married Sarah Jane Cooper.

We know from the death record of John Otis Garn, person #510, that his father was Samuel Garn and that his mother was Sarah Jane Cooper. We also know that Sarah Jane Cooper died in childbirth because John Otis Garn was born on the day that his mother died. We also know from the will of John Cooper that he was the father of Sarah Jane Cooper because he mentions his daughter Sarah Jane and his grandson John Otis Garn in his will.<sup>[4701]</sup> And we know that John Otis Garn appeared in the John Cooper household in the 1860 U.S. Federal Census.<sup>[4702]</sup>

The will of Adam Garn, person #59 names a son Samuel Garn and gives him \$1.00 whereas all of Adam Garn's other children received over \$700.00 in the will (see Appendix 13). Furthermore, the will also gives over \$700.00 to Adam Garn's granddaughter Oly [Leora] Hosler, the daughter of Adam Garn's deceased daughter Susannah. In our experience this sort of mismatch in amounts granted to children is accompanied with an explanation that one child has already received his or her share of the estate. The absence of such an explanation suggests a strained relationship between the two. To us it seems inconceivable that Adam Garn would not put Samuel's share of the estate in some sort of trust for John Otis Garn to have when he grew up if John Otis Garn were Adam Garn's grandson, especially since Adam Garn provided for another grandchild whose parent did not receive her share of the estate. Therefore we believe John Otis Garn was not the grandson of Adam Garn.

We also know that the wills of both Jacob Garn, person #61, and his wife Mary name a son Samuel (see Appendices 14 and 15). And we know that this Samuel married Nancy Scott and settled in Indiana because Mary's will lists residences of her children. This Samuel Garn was the right age to have married Sarah Jane Cooper more than three years before his marriage to Nancy Scott and almost three years after Sarah Jane Cooper died in childbirth. We have searched for records that might reveal evidence of two marriages by the same Samuel and have not found any evidence. In later life this Samuel lived in Steuben Co., Indiana, and was buried in Salem Twp., there. We did not find any will for him, which we hoped to find because it would have named children.

<sup>4702</sup> 1960 U.S. Federal Census of John Cooper, Mohican Twp., Ashland Co., Ohio, M653\_930, p. 253, John O. Garn, age 6, living in household

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4701</sup> Estate file of John Cooper, Ashland County Probate Court (storage), Ashland, Ohio, filed 27 November 1874, file no. 2057.

We suspect that after Samuel's wife Sarah Jane Cooper died, he was unable to care for his son John Otis Garn. We know that John Otis Garn was living with his grandparents John and Nancy Cooper in 1860 when the census was recorded. By 1870 Samuel Cooper and Nancy Scott had moved to Indiana because they appear in LaGrange Co. when the 1870 U.S. Federal Census was taken. It seems unusual that John Otis Garn would not have gone to Indiana with his father. However, he may have become quite comfortable living with his grandparents and may have chosen or been allowed to stay with them when the rest of the family moved, especially if John Otis Garn did not get along with his step mother.

There is no clear answer here. It seems strange that we have not found records for Samuel, the son of Adam Garn. And Adam Garn should have named John Otis Garn in his will if John Otis Garn were his grandson. However, it also seems unusual that we do not find records linking John Otis Garn with the family of Samuel Garn and Nancy Scott. But it seems more likely to us that John Otis Garn was the son of a Samuel Garn who married Sarah Jane Cooper and later married Nancy Scott. And it seems likely to us that John Otis Garn felt attached to his extended family that helped raise him and stayed in Ohio when his father moved to Indiana. Therefore we place John Otis Garn as the son of Samuel Garn who in turn was the son of Jacob and Mary Ann Garn.

## **Appendix 27 - Consanguineous Marriages**

In this appendix we present a discussion of consanguineous marriages, particularly the views held about them in 1908, which is much closer to the time when such marriages in this family occurred. We also provide a simple method for computing the percent or fraction of genes that two people in a consanguineous marriage would have had in common.

A scholarly work written in 1908 by George B. Louis Arner entitled, Consanguineous Marriages in the American Population, attempted to analyze the frequency of such marriages in America and the consequences of such marriages. [4703] The author points out that in 1908 at least sixteen states had laws that prohibited marriages between people as closely related as first cousins. This includes Pennsylvania and Ohio. However, he notes that at the time the enforcement of the prohibition was often based on information supplied voluntarily by the people getting married, as was the case in Ohio.

In an attempt to analyze the frequency of first cousin marriages, the author applied a process developed in Britain that used the frequency of occurrence of a particular name to determine how often a marriage between two people with that name might be the result of "pure chance." By subtracting the "pure chance" frequency from the frequency of marriages between people with that name as determined from official records, he determined that the difference was the frequency of consanguineous marriages for people with that name. For example, if one of every twenty people has the name Smith, then a "pure chance" marriage between two people with the name Smith would occur (1/20) squared or 0.25%. By subtracting this from the percent of Smith-Smith marriages in the official records of the same region, he determined the number of consanguineous marriages for Smiths in the region.

One region where he applied this methodology was for Ashtabula Co., Ohio, where he reviewed records during the seventy-five years from 1811 to 1886. The conclusion was that around 1% of marriages were first-cousin marriages.

The author also examined genealogical works to record the frequency of consanguineous marriages reported in them. This second approach resulted in a similar percentage of first-cousin marriages.

One of the claims about consanguineous marriages is that it can result in an increased frequency of various birth defects or illnesses. Although the author in no way dismisses the possibility of problems in children of consanguineous marriages, he does cite one example where the results were contrary to opinion. The author studied the population of Smith's Island in the Chesapeake Bay, which at the time was an isolated community of about seven hundred people who, along with their ancestors, had lived on the island all their lives, had married there and raised their families there. The author reviewed records of the physician on the island, Dr. P. H. Tawes, during the period from September 1904 to October 1907. During that time there was not a single case of idiocy, insanity, epilepsy, deaf-mutism or even typhoid fever on the island. The author also attributed a high percentage of deaf-mutism on Martha's Vinyard to two deaf-mutes who were among the first settlers of the island.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4703</sup> George B. Louis Arner, *Consanguineous Marriages in the American Population*, <a href="http://www.fullbooks.com/Consanguineous-Marriages-in-the-American1.html">http://www.fullbooks.com/Consanguineous-Marriages-in-the-American1.html</a>, accessed on 12 February 2011, undoubtedly from the book by the same title published in New York in 1908.

The author argues that in the years before he published his research, the frequency of consanguineous marriages had decreased and that it was more likely due to changing views and increased communication of those views among the population at large than to any laws prohibiting consanguineous marriages.

We have developed a simple (we think) process for determining the percent of common genes that two people would share if they had a common ancestor.

We first assume that people with no common ancestors do not share any common genes. For example, in determining the common genes of two first cousins, we know that they share one set of grandparents and that each cousin has another set of grandparents who are not related to the other cousin. We assume that the "other" grandparents have unique genes. Of course, this assumption is incorrect for small communities where people and their ancestors have lived for many years. It is more true for marriages between people coming from or tracing their ancestry to different regions. Since we are unable to establish now many common genes the unrelated ancestors bring to the mix, our formula sets a lower bound on the percent of genes two people have in common.

Our formula is as follows:

$$Z = 100 \cdot x \cdot (1/4)^{n}$$

Where:

n = number of generations since the Most Recent Common Ancestor

x = number of common ancestors at distance n

Z = percent of common genes

To use this formula, first start at a first, second, or third, etc. cousin relationship. For example, second cousins would be three generations removed from their common great grandparents. So n in the formula would be 3. If the second cousins descended from the same great grandfather and the same great grandmother, then x in the formula would be 2. If we raise the ½ in the formula to the power of n, which is 3, then we get 1/64. Multiplying this by x, which is 2, we get 1/32, or 0.03125. When we multiply this by 100, we get 3.125% common genes.

If the cousins are something like first cousins once or more removed, compute first for the first cousin relationship and then divide by 2 for each generation they are "removed" from each other. So two people who are second cousins twice removed would have 3.125% divided by 4, or about 0.775% common genes, where the division by 4 is because they are twice removed.

Now take the case of brothers with a common father but different mothers. In this case, n in the formula would be 1 and x would also be 1. So they would have  $100 \cdot \frac{1}{4}$  percent common genes, or 25%.

The following are some of the people appearing in this book who married a relative. We believe we have reported all of them but admit that we may have missed one.

Daniel Garn, person #95 married niece Mahala Garn, daughter of Philip James Garn, person #103. They shared 25% common genes.

John Garn, person #98, married second cousin Catharine Garn, person #122. They shared 3.125% common genes.

Susanna Garn, person #102, married second cousin Abraham Garn, person #121. They shared 3.125% common genes.

Jonathan Kahl, person #141, married first cousin Sarah Garn, person #148. They shared 12.5% common genes.

John Ickes Garn, person #177, married second cousin Maria Garn, person #314. They shared 3.125% common genes.

Sarah Dively, person #233, married second cousin, once removed, David Watson Mauk, person #633. They shared 1.56% common genes.

Sarah Ellen Garn, person #320, married second cousin, once removed, George Washington Mauk, person #629. They shared 1.56% common genes.

Titus Garn, person #353, married first cousin, once removed, Leah V. Ickes, person #743. They shared 6.25% common genes.

Adam A. Garn, person #412, married second cousin Susannah Kahl, person #466. They shared 3.125% common genes.

Clyde Harrison Smith, person #793, married second cousin Mildred Alice Garn, person #840. They shared 3.125% common genes.

## **Appendix 28 - Naming Conventions**

In this appendix we discuss the naming conventions that were used in Germany in the 1700s that would have influenced the names that were given to the Gerns who were born there and even some of the American-born children of the immigrants. These naming conventions are discussed various places including books on German genealogy by Baxter and by Humphrey. [4704]

People born in Germany in the 1700s would typically have been given two names. The first name given was either a parent or grandparent or possibly a saint. The second name was the actual name by which the person was known and the name he or she used in every day life. Thus in the records we present in this book we find several instances where people had two names and only used the middle name. For example, we find Johann Adam Gern, person #16 and his grandson, Adam Garn, person #59, whose formal name was John Adam Garn. They would both have been known by the name Adam. In the case of the latter, we may have found Adam Garn in the census as John Garn. However, he almost always appears as Adam Garn and even wrote his will as Adam Garn without mentioning a first name John. The one clear case where the name John was used in association with him was his tomb stone, which gives his name as John A. Garn. A death record for Adam Garn, however, assures us that the tomb stone for John A. Garn is for Adam Garn.

David Greene, the editor of The American Genealogist reported the following to the author: [4705] Usually the masculine first name was Johann (not Johannes), and the feminine was either Maria or Anna (I have even seen one person called Anna Catharine in one record and Maria Catharine in another). But one of my own Pennsylvania German ancestors was named Christian Gottlieb Dornblaster. He was called Gottlieb (or various misspellings) in every record in his life except that of his baptism and his signature on his will.

As David Green's report reveals, some people almost never used their full name.

<sup>4705</sup> David Greene, Editor, The American Genealogist, private communication in email dated 13 May 2008.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4704</sup> Angus Baxter, *In Search of Your German Roots*, (Baltimore, MD, 2001), pp. 76-77; John T. Humphrey, Finding Your German Ancestors: A Practical Guide for Genealogists, (Washington, DC, 2009), pp. 19-21.

# Appendix 29 - Will of Jacob Garn, Person #166

In this appendix we present a transcript of the will of Jacob Garn, person #166, which he signed on 28 June 1879 and filed in Probate Court, Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 6 September 1879. [4706] His name appears as both Garn and Garns in the will. The original will was hand written. Our transcript follows:

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In the Name of the Benevolent Father of all I Jacob Garns of the Township Scott County of Sandusky and State of Ohio do make and publish this my last will and Testament.

Item 1<sup>st</sup> I give and devise to my beloved wife Catharine Garns in lieu of her Dower the Farm on which we now live or Reside Situate in the Township of Scott County of Sandusky and State of Ohio and Known as the North West Quarter of the South West Quarter of Section Eleven (11) in Township four (4) Range thirteen Containing forty Acres more or less also the West half of the North East Quarter of Section ten (10) in Township four Range thirteen Containing Eighty Acres of land more or less Also the North half of the South East Quarter of Section ten (10) in Township four Range thirteen Containing Eighty acres of land more or less and all the house hold furniture beds and bedding of Every Description one horse and one Buggy and harness belonging to the same and Cooking utensils now owned by us also two (2) Milch [milk] Cows such as she may Choose during her natural life but my said wife Catharine Garns is to allow my Daughter Susanna Holcomb and her son George to Remain and live on the farm as she now does and treat her the same as I have always treated her and her son George.

Item 2<sup>nd</sup> It is my will that after my death all the Ready money on hand shall be given to my wife as her own saving and Excepting Enough to pay my funeral Expenses and tomb stones and the Residue or balance of my personal property to be sold at public sale and the proceeds hereof to Equally Divided amongst my three heirs Harrison Garn [sic] Susanna Holcomb and Mary J. Smith they Each of them having already Received the sum of Twelve hundred dollars Each.

Item 3<sup>rd</sup> It is my will that after the death of my said wife Cathrine [sic] Garn [sic] all my Real Estate and personal property if any be sold and Equally divided amongst my three heirs Harrison Garn Susanna Holcomb and Mary J. Smith.

Item 4<sup>th</sup> I do hereby nominate and appoint Harrison Garn Executor of this my last will and Testament hereby authorizing and Empowering him to Compromise adjust release and discharge in such manner as he may deem proper the debts and Claims due me. I do also authorize and Empower him after the death of my said wife to sell to the highest Bidder all my Real Estate and pay out the proceeds thereof according to the above Specified Items and deeds to make to purchases [sic] to Execute acknowledge and deliver in fee Simple.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4706</sup> Sandusky Co., OH Estates, File #2563, 1879, has copy of will, estate file of Jacob Garns [sic] located at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

*In testimony hereof I have hereunto set my hand Seal this 28<sup>th</sup> day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Seventy nine (1879)* 

Signed – Jacob Garns

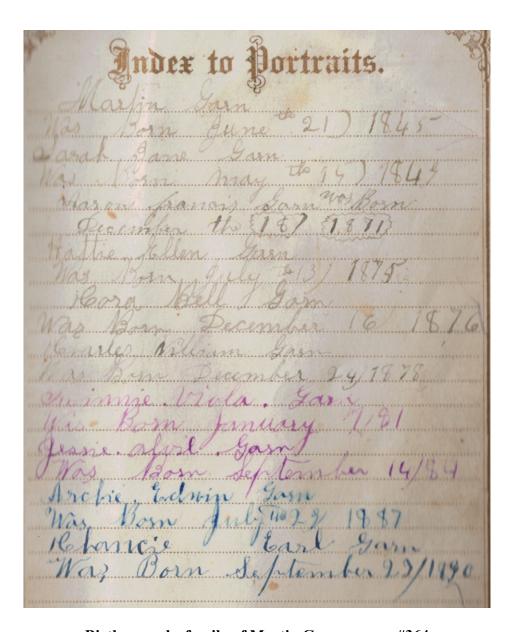
Signed and acknowledged by said Jacob Garn [sic] as his last will and Testament in our presence and Signed by us in his presence.

Signed – Daniel Smith Signed – William Peck

## Appendix 30 - Records of Martin Garn (#364) Family

In this appendix we present an image and our transcript of the page of a portrait album where the family of Martin Garn, person #364, recorded births of the family members. The portrait album has many pictures of people who undoubtedly are members of the family. Regrettably the pictures were never labeled. The portrait album is in possession of the author, who got it from his father Stewart Garn, person #1363.

Below is an image of the births recorded in the album.



Birth records, family of Martin Garn, person #364

Our transcript is as follows:

Martin Garn ---- Was Born June 21 1845

Sarah Jane Garn ---- Was Born May 15 1849

Aaron francis Garn ---- was Born December the 18 1871

Hattie Ellen Garn ---- Was Born July 13 1875

Cora Bell Garn ---- Was Born December 16 1876

Charles William Garn ---- Was Born December 24 1878

Minnie Viola Garn ---- Was Born January 1 / 81

Jesse Alvil [sic] Garn ---- Was Born September 14 / 84

Archie Edwin Garn ---- Was Born July 29 1887

Chancie Earl Garn ---- Was Born September 23 / 1890

Below is an image of some members of Martin Garn's family. The picture was taken in front of the log house that Martin Garn built in Meauwataka, Wexford Co., Michigan. Stewart Garn, person #1363 reported that it was located on the north side of the road that borders the north side of the Meauwataka Cemetery and then about 100 yards west. That property was later owned by Martin Garn's son Charlie. Note the logging saw hanging over the door of the house.



Members of the family of Martin Garn, person #364

People in the picture are - Standing from left to right: Millie Brown (wife of Aaron Garn), Aaron Garn, Viola Willet (foster child of Aaron and Millie), Jesse Garn, Edith Garn (child standing beside her seated mother), Carrie Stewart (wife of Jesse Garn), John R. Hawkins (brother of Martin Garn's wife Sarah

Jane Hawkins), Dale Hanson (foster child of John Hawkins and wife), Lucinda Hill (wife of John R. Hawkins), Archie Garn, Sarah Garn (child standing beside her father and baby sister), Eva Stewart (wife of Archie Garn). Seated: Myrtle Anway (wife of Charles W. Garn), Charles W. Garn, Blanche Garn (baby being held by her father).

## Appendix 31 - Will of Jacob Garn, Person #92

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will and the associated codicil of Jacob Garn, person #92. His was written on 8 March 1879, the codicil on 24 March 1879, and both were proved in Sandusky Co., Ohio, on both 2 and 15 October 1879. [4707]

The images of his will begin on the following page and continue for another page. Our transcript begins here and continues after the images of the will. The codicil follows.

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In the name of the Benevolent Father of all, I Jacob Garn of Madison township Sandusky County Ohio do make and publish this my last will and testament.

Item 1<sup>st</sup>. I give and devise to my beloved wife Elizabeth Garn in lieu of her dower the farm on which we now reside Situate in Madison township Sandusky County Ohio described as follows to wit the South West Ouarter of Section twenty two 22 Township five (5) Range thirteen (13) also the South East Ouarter of the South West Quarter of the Said Section twenty two (22) Township five (5) Range thirteen (13) containing in all two hundred acres more or less during her natural life and all the house hold goods furniture provisions therein and two cows, two horses to be be [sic] Selected by her. At the death of my Said wife the land is to be Sold by my Executor at public Sale or otherwise as he may deem best and on Such terms as he may think best and that my Executor pay the following legacies to my children or their legal heirs to wit to my Son Andrew Garn two hundred and forty six (246) dollars John Garn my son two hundred and forty six (246) dollars to my daughter Mrs Elizabeth Turley one hundred and ninety six (196) dollars to my son Milton Garn ninety six (96) dollars to my son Elijah Garn five hundred and forty six (546) to my daughter Margaret Parker to have three hundred and seventy six (376) dollars to my son Adam Garn one hundred fifty two (152) and to my Son Tobias Garn two hundred (200) dollars to my son Peter Garn two hundred & Sixteen (216) dollars to my daughter Susanna Warner two hundred sixteen dollars to my Son Samuel Garn two hundred forty six (246) dollars to m Son Daniel Garn two hundred and forty six (246) & to my Son David Garn two hundred and forty Six (246) dollars, which will make them all Equal with what I had paid my Son Levi Garn and after the above legacies are paid and the other costs are all paid to be devided [sic] Equaly [sic] with my sons and my daughters or their heirs (that is the price of the (200) two hundred acres are app paid

Item 2d. I do hereby nominate and appoint Dr Jno C. Thomson Executor of this my last will and testament. I also do authorize and empower him to sell by private Sale or otherwise as he may think best all of the two hundred acres of land herein described to comply with and to carry out the spirit and intention of this my last will and testament and to make deed or deeds to purchasers to Execute

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<sup>4707</sup> Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 2572, Will of Jacob Garn, written 8 March 1879 with codicil written 24 March 1879 and filed 2 October 1879, names all children except Jacob, Jr., and Sheriotty. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Case # 2572 In the name of the Benevolent Father of all, I facob. Garn of Madis on town ships an dusk County olio do make and publish this my last will, and testamen! tem 12. I give and devise to my beloved bife Elija beth Gasw in lieu of ner done the farm on which ne now reside Situate in Madison town whip San dusk, county olive des one led as follows to mit the South head In artes of Section twenty two 22 Jour ship five 15 Kange this teen 13 also the South Cart Quartes of the South west Quarter of the Said Section Inventy troo (22) Hownship fire (5) thange thisteen (3) conta in ing in all two hour hed a cels more or leg during her natural cife and all the house hold goods furnita se movis cous therin and two cows, two harses to be be Selected by her. At the death of my said mife the land is to be sold by my Executor at public sale or otherwise as in mor deem best- and on 8 a oh terms as he may think Vert and that my Geoutor pay the following legacies to my children or their legal heirs to mit-to my Son A doen Garn two bundled and forty Six 646 dollars John yam my son in thun shed and forty Dif (246) doll and to my daughter Mr. Elizabeth Tersley on from the d and ninety Lif (196) dollars To my son Millow Garn ninety Lix (96) doll ars to my Son Eligah Garn five hunched and forty Dif (546) doll ars my daughter Marca et Parker to have three To we one han chell and fifty to forderes on dito

Will of Jacob Garn, person #92

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Will of Jacob Garn, person #92, continued

acknowledge and deliver in fee simple for the Same after the death of my said wife. I do hereby revoke all former wills made by me. In testimony hereof I have herein set my hand & seal this  $8^{th}$  day of March 1879

Signed & acknowledged by said Jacob Garn as his last will & testament in our presence & Signed by us in his presence

Signatures James W. Underhill William H. Fausey

Jacob Garn

The image of the codicil to the will is shown below. Our transcript of the codicil follows.

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Codicil to will of Jacob Garn, person #92

Whereas I Jacob Garn of Madison Township Sandusky County Ohio on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of March in the year AD 1879 made my last will and testament of that day do hereby make and declare the following as a codicil to the same. I do hereby give and bequeath to my son Levi Garn two hundred (200) dollars of a legacy to be paid when the two hundered (200) acres of land in Section twenty two Township five (5) Range thirteen (13) mentioned in Said will & testament is sold at the same time the other sons and daughters get theirs and then to come in Equally with my sons & daughters to what is left after all Said legacies are paid & cost of administration.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March AD 1879.

John C. Thomson John Thomson Jacob Garn (seal)

Signed and acknowledged by Said Jacob Garn as his Codicil to his last will and testament made March 8 1879 in our presence & by us in his presence.

### Appendix 32 - Will of Milton Garn, Person #249

In this appendix we present the images and our transcript of the will of Milton Garn, person #249. He wrote his will on 24 February 1913, which was proved on 17 February 1914 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [4708] His will uses the Garns spelling for his surname. However, the surname appears as Garn on many records including the last censuses and his death record. Since most of the Garn family who remained in Sandusky County settled on the Garn spelling, we use it for him even though the will uses the Garns spelling.

The images of his will begin on the following page and continue on the next page. Our transcript begins here and includes the entire will and attestation of witnesses.

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Know all men by these presents that I Milton Garns a resident of Madison Tp. Sandusky Co. Ohio, being 82 years of age, of sound [mind and] memory do make this my last will and testament.

Firstly – It is my will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my death as convenient.

Secondly – I give and bequeath the income from all the residue of my estate both real and personal to my wife Rosa Garns and at her death the estate is to be equally divided among my three daughters as follows Emma Smith, Laura Randolph and Ida Turley.

Thirdly – I nominate and appoint my wife Rosa Garns to be the administrator of this my last will.

Before witnesses on this day February 24-1913 I have signed this will Milton Garns – signature

The foregoing was signed by Milton Garns in our presence and we heard him acknowledge the same as his last will and testament and at his request and in his presence we signed our names as attesting witnesses

Luther L.[?] Gill Fanny M. Garns Daniel Garns

<sup>4708</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 7890, Probate file for Milton Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

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	last will
	Before witnesses on this day
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Will of Milton Garn, person #249

Will of Milton Garn, person #249, continued

### Appendix 33 - Will of Daniel Garn, Person #258

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will of Daniel Garn, person #258. He wrote his will on 11 February 1918, which was proved in May 1918. [4709] His will uses the Garns spelling of the surname. However, other records from late in his life used the Garn spelling as did most of the rest of the family in the area at the time. Therefore we use the Garn spelling for him.

The images of his will begin on the following page and continue on the next page. Our transcript begins here.

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Know all men by these presents that I, Daniel Garns a resident of Sandusky Co., Ohio, being age 73, of sound mind and memory and of disposing intention do make and publish this my last will and testament. **Firstly** – It is my will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as may be found convenient to my executrix.

**Secondly** – I give and bequeath to my wife Fanny M. Garns the income only from all my real estate during her life and at her death the real estate is to be sold and the proceeds divided among my sons and daughters whose names are as follows John Franklin Garns, Clarence Dekirk Garns, Eugene Garns, Maud Garns, Ethel May Garns, Esther Garns, F. I. Garns and Ruby Garns.

**Thirdly** – I further give and bequeath to my wife Fanny M. Garns all my personal property and the residue of my estate to be hers to have to own and to dispose off as she sees fit.

**Fourthly** – I nominate and appoint my wife Fanny M. Garns to be the executrix without bond, of this my last will.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this day. Feb. 11-1918 Signed Daniel Garns – signature

The foregoing was signed at the end thereof by the said Daniel Garns in our presence and we heard him acknowledge the same as his last will and testament, and at his request and in his presence we hereunto signed our names as witnesses, this, Feb. 11-1918.

Witness W. S. Bair Luther L.[?] Gill

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4709</sup> Sandusky County Ohio Estates, File 8849, Estate of Daniel Garns, wife as Fanny, names all children. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

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Will of Daniel Garn, person #258, continued

#### Appendix 34 - Will of Joseph Garn, Person #99

In this appendix we present the images and our transcript of the will of Joseph Garn, person #99. He wrote his will on 20 June 1890, which was proved on 11 September 1896 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [4710] The will names children living at the time and distinguishes which were born to his first wife and which were born to his second wife. His second wife is named.

The images of his will begin on the following page and continue on the three succeeding pages. Our transcript begins here and continues after the images of the will.

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In the name of God, Amen. I Joseph Garn, of Helena, Sandusky County Ohio, being of sound mind and memory, do hereby make and publish and declare this my last will and testament, in manner following, that is to say.

First. I order and direct my executors hereinafter named, as soon after my decease as practicable, to take possession of my personal and real estate, and to convert as much of the personal property into money as may be necessary to pay off and discharge all debts, dues, and liabilities that may be existing against me at the time of my decease.

Second. I give and bequeath to my wife, Sarah, the house and lot, numbered Fourteen 14 in Joseph Garn's addition to the village of Helena, Sandusky Co., Ohio, and also direct my executors to pay her the sum of three hundred \$300.00 yearly for her support, out of the rents and profits of my real estate, during her natural life, and also to have all the household goods for her own use and benefit.

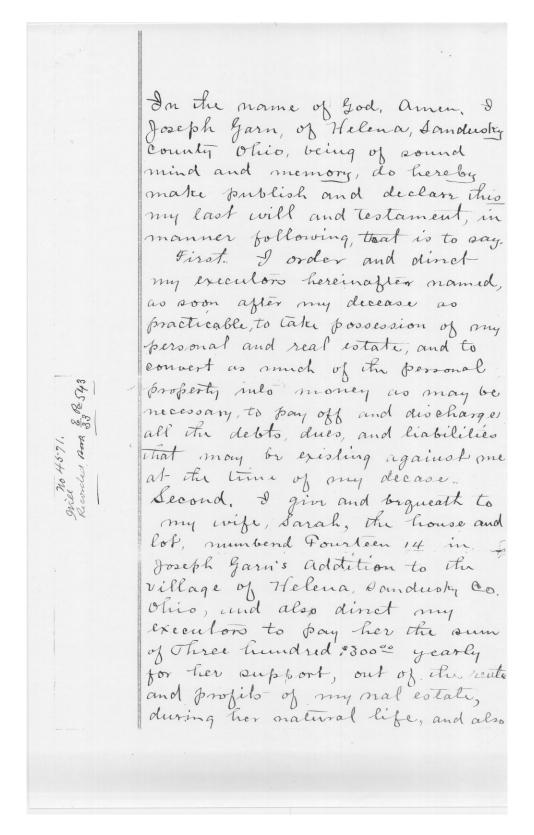
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Fourth. Should the oil operations now on my real estate, fail hereafter to be profitable the executors may elect to sell the real estate to the best interest of my heirs.

Fifth. Providing my real estate is sold by the executors, it is my desire and request that the amount of Four Thousand \$4000.00 be set aside for the benefit of my wife Sarah, she to have the interest on that amount, in lieu of the yearly amount to be paid out of rents and profits.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4710</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 4571, Probate file for Joseph Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.



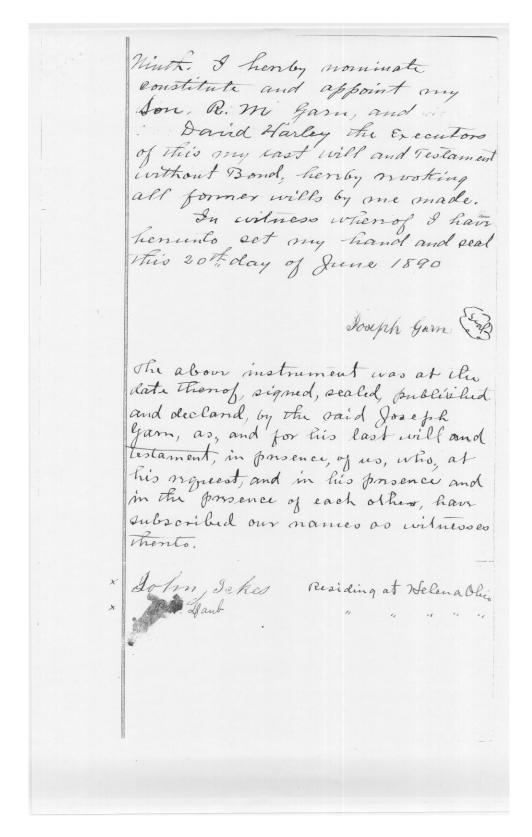
Will of Joseph Garn, person #99

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Will of Joseph Garn, person #99, continued



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Sixth. After all my children have received equal shares, should any surplus be remaining, then they are to share the balance equal again.

Seventh. My executors are requested to pay annually for Religins [sic] and Benevolent purposes the sum of one hundred Dollars \$100.00.

Eighth. My executors are to continue the operation of the oil business on my real estate as long as profitable and to render monthly statements in writing of rents and profits and expenses.

Ninth. I hereby nominate constitute and appoint my Son, R. M. Garn, and David Hartley the executors of this my last will and testament without Bond, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

*In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this* 20<sup>th</sup> day of June 1890

Joseph Garn [seal]

The above instrument was at the date thereof, signed, sealed, published and declared, by the said Joseph Garn, as, and for his last will and testament, in presence, of us, who, at his request, and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

John J. Ickes Residing at Helena Ohio R. H. Daub

#### Appendix 35 - Will of Riley Monroe Garn, Person #336

In this appendix we present the images and our transcript of the will of Riley Monroe Garn or R.M. Garn, person #336. He wrote his will on 11 January 1907, which was submitted for Probate on 27 August 1908 in Sandusky Co., Ohio. [4711] The will names his three children and names his wife, Alfleda I. Garn as executrix.

Our transcript of the will begins below with images stating on the next page and continuing on the following page, after which the transcript of the will is completed.

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In the Name of the Beloved Father of All: Amen.

I, R. M. Garn, of the township of Madison, County of Sandusky and State of Ohio, being about ---- years of age, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, Do Make, Publish and Declare this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and making null and void all other Last Wills and Testaments by me made heretofore:

**First:** My Will is, that all my just Debts and Funeral Expenses shall be paid out of my Estate, as soon after my decease as shall be found convenient.

**Second:** I Give, Devise and Bequeath to my beloved wife Alfleda I. Garn in lieu of dower in and to my real Estate my farm of one hundred and fourteen acres in Sec. 36, Madison Tp. Sandusky Co., Ohio, and being the farm on which we now reside; the same to be hers for and during the term of her natural life or so long as she remains my widow.

**Third:** In case of the death or remarriage of my said wife, I do hereby give devise and bequeath said farm to my three sons to wit: Harold Garn, Francis Garn and Bruce Garn share and share alike. **Fourth:** I give and devise to my said wife all household goods including musical instruments that I may own at the time of my death, to be hers absolutely, except I give my library to my three sons above mentioned.

**Fifth:** It is my will that all farm machinery horses and stock of every kind that I may have at the time of my death and used in connection with said farm, remain thereon, and be the property of my said wife for and during the term of her natural life or so long as she remains my widow, she to have control of same and the right to sell and dispose of the same in the ordinary course of such business and to have all income derived therefrom for the term above mentioned.

**Sixth:** I hereby direct my executrix hereinafter named to sell my Electric Light Plant in the Village of Helena, Ohio and my one half interest in and to the Helena [illegible but probably Telephone Cos. followed by more illegible writing] Village to the best advantage possible; either at Private or Public sale, and to execute deeds or other instruments of conveyances therefore, as she deems most advisable. **Seventh:** I desire my executrix hereinafter named, out of the proceeds derived from my said Electric Light plant and my said interest in said telephone plant to pay my just debts and expenses, and should such proceeds be insufficient to pay said debts, then desire my said wife to pay the deficiency out of the proceeds derived or to be derived from the sale of products from my said farm.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4711</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 6726, Probate file for R.M. Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

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**Eighth:** All the balance of my property I do hereby give to my said wife to be by her used for the support of our family.

**Ninth:** I desire that my said wife shall have any and all royalty from oil wells that may be on my farm above mentioned, for and during the term of her natural life, or so long as she remains my widow.

**Tenth:** I hereby nominate my said wife Alfleda I Garn to be the executrix of this my last will and testament.

In Testimony Whereof, I have set my hand to this my Last Will and Testament, at Fremont, Ohio, this  $11^{th}$  day of January, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and seven.

#### [Signed] R M Garn

The foregoing Instrument was signed by the said R M Garn in our presence, and by him Published and Declared as his Last Will and Testament, and at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, we hereunto subscribe our Names as Attesting Witnesses, at Fremont O, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of January, A,D. 1907

[signed] A. E. Culbert, resides at Fremont, Ohio [signed] Joseph Binsack, resides at Fremont, Ohio

### Appendix 36 - Will of David Garn, Person #100

In this appendix we present the image and our transcript of the will of David Garn, person #100, who wrote his will on 17 January 1848. [4712] The will was filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 27 March 1848.

Our transcript of the will follows on this page. The image of the will appears on the next page.

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I David Garn of the Township of Washington in the County of Sandusky & state of Ohio do make & ordain this my last will & testiment [sic] in manner & form following — I give & bequeath the whole of my personal estate to my beloved wife Margaret & the use of & occupancy of all my real estate to her likewise on this express condition that she shall continue to live on the same & bring up & provide for all of my children until the youngest child shall be of lawful age if the same shall live so long. And after the youngest child shall become of age My said wife shall still retain the use & occupancy of one equal third of all my real estate during her natural life — And I do hereby will that at such time as my youngest child shall be of age as aforesaid that all my real estate shall decend [sic] to my living children in equal shares without distinction of age or sex except the one third before bequeathed to my wife & after her decease the said one third of said real estate shall decend [sic] to all my living children in equal shares. And I do hereby further will & appoint that my Brother Joseph Garn & my dear Beloved wife shall be the executors of this my last will & testiment [sic].

Witness my hand & seal this 17<sup>th</sup> day of January A.D. 1848.

Executed in presence of Marcus Steward Joseph Mapes

[signed] David Garn [seal]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4712</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 476, Probate file for David Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

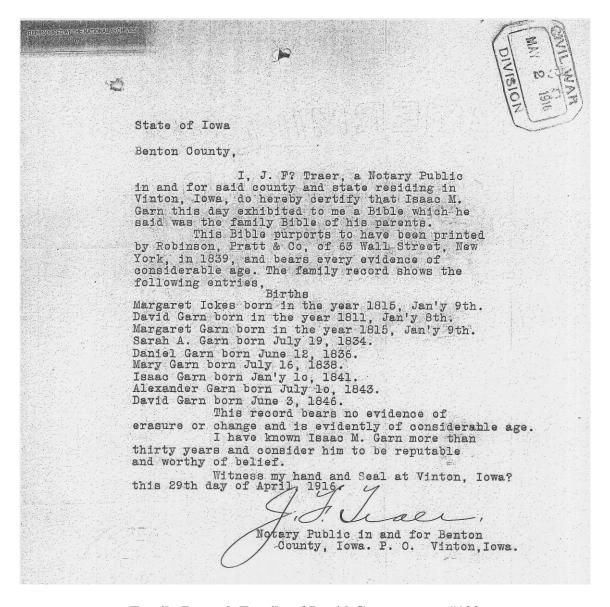
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#### Appendix 37 - Family Record, David Garn, Person #100

In this appendix we present the record of births of family members in the family of David Garn, person #100. The record comes from the Civil War Pension File of David's son Isaac M. Garn, person #347 [4713]

An image of the transcript of the family record of births is shown below. Note that David's wife Margaret appears twice, first as Margaret Ickes, before David, and again as Margaret Garn, after David.



Family Record, Family of David Garn, person #100

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4713</sup> Civil War Pension file, Isaac M. Garn, Co. G, 111<sup>th</sup> Regiment, Ohio Infantry, App. #340126, Cert. #240843, Widow's App. #1168616, Widow's Cert. #908543.

Isaac M. Garn served in the Union army during the Civil War and afterward applied for a pension. Soldiers applying for pensions were frequently asked to provide proof of their age or date of birth. When asked to provide evidence of his age and birth date, he had a transcript produced of the births recorded in the family Bible that had belonged to his parents, David Garn and Margaret Ickes. The transcript was produced by and notarized by J. F. Traer, a Notary Public for Benton County, Iowa.

#### Appendix 38 - Will of Martin Garn, Person #101

In this appendix we present the images and our transcript of the will of Martin Garn, person #101. He wrote his will on 28 September 1889, which was admitted to probate in Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 10 June 1890 [4714]

Our transcript of the will follows on this page. The images of the will appear on the next two pages.

I Martin Garn of Jackson Township Sandusky County Ohio being of Sound mind do make and publish this my last will and Testament.

Item  $1^{st}$  – I give and devise to my beloved wife Catharine Garn in Lieu of her dower the farm on which we now reside Situated in Jackson Township Sandusky Ohio Containing about one hundred and twenty acres of land during her natural life also all the household goods that are in the home at my decease also two cows also one Brood sow also one thousand dollars in cash money after all my legal debts are all paid then my following named Children shall have Equal shares of all moneys or notes that may be held by me at my decease the following is the names of m[y] Children being Thomas Garn Ephraim Garn Edmund Garn Titus Garn Chancy Garn Jessey Garn Zachariah Garn shall as aforesaid have Equal shares.

After my wife death the farm will be for sale if the heirs can all agree on a price to sell to one of the heirs they can so do if not It is to be put up at public sale and all my afore said heirs are to have Equal shares again in the final division of the proceeds of the land.

I do also hereby nominate and appoint John I. Garn Executor of this my last will and Testament. *In testimony hereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28 day of September in the year AD 1889.* [signed] Martin Garn [seal]

Signed and acknowledged by said Martin Garn as his last will and Testament in our presence and signed by us in his presence.

Witness

J. M. Crismore, M.D.

John I. Garn

Note that witness J. M. Crismore appears to be the husband of Hattie Isabelle Garn, the daughter of Martin's son Chauncey.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4714</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 3675, Probate file for Martin Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

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Will of Martin Garn, person #101

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Will of Martin Garn, person #101, continued

# Appendix 39 - Will of Zachariah Garn, Person #356

In this appendix we present the images and our transcript of the will of Zachariah Garn, person #356, who wrote his will on 23 November 1916. [4715] The will was filed in Probate Court in Sandusky Co., Ohio, in January 1919.

The images of the will follow below and on the next page after which we present our transcript.

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Will of Zachariah C. Garn, person #356

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4715</sup> Sandusky Co., Ohio, Estates, File 9032, Probate file for Zachariah C. Garn. Original now stored at the Rutherford B. Hayes Library, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio.

Tetstly, I hereby appoint my wife Jenni L. Game
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the testater above named, subscribed his name to this instrument in our presence and in the presence of each of us, and at the same time, in our presence and hearing, declared the same to be his last Will and Cestament, and requested, us and each of us, to sign our names thereto as witnesses to the execution thereof, which we hereby do in the presence of the testater and of each other, on the day of the date of the said Will, and write opposite our names our respective places of residence.
Gohn J. Swander residing at Fiftin, Ohio.  Fixed Peach residing at Helena, O.  *Two witnesses required.

Will of Zachariah C. Garn, person #356, continued

Our transcript of the will follows on the next page.

Last Will and Testament

I, Zachariah C. Garn of the village of Helena, in the County of Sandusky and State of Ohio, being of sound mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

*First:* I will and bequeath all my property, both real and personal, to my beloved wife Jennie L. Garn to be absolutely hers during her life.

**Second:** It is further my will that after the death of my wife, the Estate, or what may remain thereof, be divided in manner following, that is to say,

<u>Two Thirds</u> of the Estate as above bequeathed, to my son Orville J. Garn now of Toledo, Ohio, and <u>One Third</u> to my grand-daughter, Opal K. Garn, daughter of my deceased son, Royal M. Garn.

Lastly, I hereby appoint my wife Jennie L. Garn executrix of this, my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name the 23d day of November, in the year Nineteen Hundred and sixteen.

[Signed] Zachariah C. Garn [seal]

We, whose names are hereto subscribed, Do Certify that on the 23d day of November 1916 the testator above named, subscribed his name to this instrument in our presence and in the presence of each of us, and at the same time, in our presence and hearing, declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and requested, us and each of us, to sign our names thereto as witnesses to the execution thereof, which we hereby do in the presence of the testator and of each other, on the day of the date of the said Will, and write opposite our names our respective places of residence.

[Signed] John I. Swander residing at Tiffin, Ohio [Signed] Fred Peach residing at Helena O.

### Appendix 40 - Will of Jonathan Kahl, Person #141

In this appendix we present images and our transcript of the will of Jonathan Kahl, person #141. [4716] He wrote his will on 13 February 1892, which was probated in Ashland Co., Ohio, on 10 December 1904.

The images of the will appear on the two pages that follow. Our transcript begins below.

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I Jonathan Kahl of the County of Ashland in the State of Ohio do make and publish this my last will and testimony in manner and form following that is to say

**Item 1**<sup>st</sup> – It is my will that my funeral expenses and all my just debts be fully paid.

*Item* 2<sup>nd</sup> – I give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Sarah Kahl all of my Real and personal property of every description during her natural life.

**Item**  $3^{rd}$  – I give devise and bequeath to Elmer Kahl my Son Five hundred dollars.

Item 4<sup>th</sup> – I give devise and bequeath to Catharine Kahl[,] Ellen Kahl, intermarried with Emanuel Roseberry, Delpha Kahl intermarried with Alferd Witmer[,] Martha J. Kahl, intermarried with Samuel Witmer[,] Maranda Kahl intermarried with John F??ney [Feeney written in margin] and Elmer Kahl the ballance[sic], after my wife's death; after the first three bequests are paid, to be divided equally as specified in Item 4<sup>th</sup>.

And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint Elmer Kahl to be the Executor for this my last will and testatment revoking and annulling all former wills by me made and ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament

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[End of first page of will]

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*In testimony whereof I hereunto Set my hand and Seal this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February AD 1892.* 

Jonathan Kahl [signature and seal]

Signed published and declaired by the above named Jonathan Kahl as and for his last will and testimony in presence of us who at his request have Signed as witnesses to the Same

John Wilson [signature]

R C Wilson [signature]

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Images of the will appear on the two pages that follow.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4716</sup> Ashland Co., Ohio, Wills, Will of Jonathan Kahl, vol. 8, pp. 583-587, also found in his estate file, file no. 7415.

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Will of Jonathan Kahl, person #141

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Will of Jonathan Kahl, person #141, continued

### **Appendix 41 - Civil War Soldiers**

Several Garn men and the husbands or sons of several Garn women served as soldiers in he Civil War. In this appendix we have listed those for whom we have found records reporting their service. We do not believe that the list is exhaustive. Undoubtedly there are others whose service we missed. However, we wanted to present this list for the interested reader.

All of the men except one served in the Union army. Adam Garn served in the Confederate army under interesting circumstances. His story is one of several that are worth reading.

#### Garn, Carn, Garns, Gern and Gerns men who were in the army in the Civil War

Adam Garn, person #324, was conscripted into the Confederate army early in the war. He served as a 1<sup>st</sup> Sergeant in Co. K, 26th Arkansas Infantry Regiment and managed to escape near the end of the war [4717]

Adam A. Garn, person #412, enlisted as a Corporal in Co. F. 10<sup>th</sup> Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, at Mansfield, Ohio, on 9 October 1862 and was discharged on 24 July 1865 at Lexington, North Carolina. [4718]

**Adam B. Carn**, person #312, enlisted as a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant in Co. A, 184<sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry on 13 May 1864 and was discharged on 1 October 1864 at Annapolis, Maryland. [4719]

Alexander Garn, #348, enlisted as a Private in Co. I, 72<sup>nd</sup> Ohio Infantry on 15 October 1861 and died in the General Hospital in Memphis Tennessee on 23 or 24 October 1862. [4720]

**Daniel I. Garn**, person #181, enlisted as a Private in Co. G, 91<sup>st</sup> Pennsylvania Infantry, in Union Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, on 21 September 1864 and was discharged on 12 July 1865 at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. [4721]

**Daniel W. Garn**, person #345, enlisted as a Private in Co. K, 169<sup>th</sup> Ohio Infantry on 2 May 1864 at Fremont, Ohio, and was discharged on 4 September 1864 at Camp Cleveland, Ohio. [4722]

**David W. Garn**, person #349, enlisted as a Musician or Fifer in Co. G, 169<sup>th</sup> Ohio Infantry on 2 May 1864 and was discharged on 4 September 1864 at Camp Cleveland, Ohio. [4723]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4717</sup> See his obituary for details; Civil War service of Adam Garn, <ancestry.com>, U.S. War Soldier Records and Profiles, accessed 23 July

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4718</sup> Civil War Pension file, Adam A. Garn, Co. F,10 Ohio Cavalry, App. #401844, Cert. #353304.

<sup>4719</sup> Civil War Pension file, Adam B. Carn, Co. A, 184<sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania Infantry, App. #441214, Cert. #392077.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4720</sup> Richard L. Manion and Nan Card, Sandusky County, Ohio, Civil War Soldiers, pub. by Sandusky County Kin Hunters, (Fremont, Ohio, 1992) [hereafter in this appendix Sandusky Soldiers], pp. 117-118.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4721</sup> Civil War Pension file, Daniel I. Garn, Co. G, 91st Pennsylvania Infantry, App. #653743, Cert. #932095. <sup>4722</sup> Civil War Pension file, Daniel Garn, Co. K, 169th Regiment, Ohio Infantry, App. #301833, Cert. #224573.

<sup>4723</sup> Civil War Pension file, David Garn, Co. G, 169th Regiment, Ohio Infantry, App. #342279, Cert. #745370, Widow's App. #1025355, Widow's Cert. #774952; Sandusky Soldiers, pp. 117-118, as Davis W. Garns.

**Demas Garn**, #319, enlisted as a Private in Co. D, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Cavalry, on 24 February 1864 at Clyde, Ohio, and was discharged on 4 August 1865 at Nashville, Tennessee.<sup>[4724]</sup>

**Isaac M. Garn**, #347, enlisted as a Corporal in Co. G, 111<sup>th</sup> Ohio Infantry, in Fremont, Ohio, on 18 August 1862 and was discharged in Cleveland, Ohio, on 17 June 1865. [4725]

**Jeremiah Garn**, person #154, enlisted as a Private in Co. F., 10<sup>th</sup> Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, at Mansfield, Ohio, on 9 October 1863 and was discharged on 4 September 1864 at Louisville, Kentucky. [4726]

**John Garns**, person #162, enlisted as a Private on 25 July 1863 in Co., K, 21<sup>st</sup> Pennsylvania Cavalry, and was discharged at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, on 20 February 1864. [4727]

**John Wesley Garn**, person #328, served in the 45<sup>th</sup> Ohio Volunteer Infantry. [4728]

**Joseph Ickes Garn**, person #326, enlisted as a Private in Co. G, 169<sup>th</sup> Ohio Infantry, at Madison Twp., Sandusky Co., Ohio, on 2 May 1864 and mustered out with his company at Camp Cleveland, Ohio, on 4 September 1864.<sup>[4729]</sup>

**Martin VanBuren Garn**, person #327, enlisted as a Private in Co., I, 72<sup>nd</sup> Ohio Infantry, on 14 November at Greensburg, Ohio, and was discharged on 5 August 1862 at Columbus, Ohio. [4730]

**Milton Garn or Garns**, person #249, enlisted as a Private on 26 September 1864 in Co., K, 43<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Infantry, and was discharged on 4 June 1865 at Washington, DC. [4731]

**Samuel Garns**, person #257, enlisted as a Private in Co. D, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Cavalry on 25 February 1864 and was discharged on 4 August 1865 at Edgefield, Tennessee. [4732]

**Samuel A. Gerns**, #396, enlisted as a Private in Co. B of Purnell's Legion of the Maryland Volunteer Infantry on 18 September 1861 in Baltimore, Maryland, got typhoid fever and died at Catlett's Station, near Warrenton, Virginia, on 22 August 1862. [4733]

**Samuel Andrew Garns**, person #159, enlisted as a Private in Co. C, 126<sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania Infantry Regiment on 2 August 1862 at Mercersburg, Pennsylvania and was mustered out at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, on 20 May 1863.<sup>[4734]</sup>

4729 Civil War Pension file, Joseph I. Garn, Co. G, 169th Ohio Infantry, Wid. App. #3508549, Wid. Cert. #273596, indexed by <ancestry.com> as Joseph J. Garn; Sandusky Soldiers, pp. 117-118.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4724</sup> Sandusky Soldiers, pp. 121-122, as Gern.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4725</sup> Civil War Pension file, Isaac M. Garn, Co. G, 111th Regiment, Ohio Infantry, App. #340126, Cert. #240843, Widow's App. #1168616, Widow's Cert. #908543; Sandusky Soldiers, pp. 117-118.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4726</sup> Civil War Pension file, Jeremiah Garn, Co. F,10 Ohio Cavalry, App. #352214, Cert. #283887.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4727</sup> Civil War Pension file, John Garns, Co. K, 21st Pennsylvania Volunteer Cavalry, App. #805367, Cert. #565467, Widow's App. #765972, Widow's Cert. #543775.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4728</sup> Metzger Cemetery Records.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4730</sup> Sandusky Soldiers, pp. 117-118, as Martin V. Garne.

<sup>4731</sup> Civil War Pension file, Milton Garns, Co. K, 43<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Infantry and Co. G, 169<sup>th</sup> Ohio National Guards, App. #974889, Cert. #975459, Wid. App. #1022949, Wid. Cert. #780653.

<sup>4732</sup> Civil War Pension file, Samuel Garnes [sic], Co. D, 3 Ohio Cavalry, App. #645377, Cert. #505390, Widow's App. #1015672.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4733</sup> Civil War Pension, Samuel A. Gerns, Pvt., Co. B, Purnell's Legion, Maryland, Civil War, Mother's Application #47577, Mother's Certificate #21374.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4734</sup> Service Record, Samuel Garns, Co. C, 126<sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania Infantry.

**Solomon Garn**, person #136, was a Private in Co. I, 16<sup>th</sup> Ohio Volunteer Infantry, according to his grave marker. [4735]

**Tobias Garn**, person #254, enlisted as a Private in Co. G, 169<sup>th</sup> Ohio Infantry on 2 May 1864 and was discharged on 4 September 1864 at Cleveland, Ohio. [4736]

William Garn, person #318, enlisted as a Musician in Co. G, 111<sup>th</sup> Ohio Infantry on 21 August 1862 at Fremont, Ohio, and was discharged on 27 August 1865 at Cincinnati, Ohio. [4737]

#### Civil War soldiers who married Garn women or had mothers who were Garns

Caselton Ake, person #236, served in Co. E, 5<sup>th</sup> U.S. Artillery. [4738]

Samuel Ake, person #238, served in in Co. H, 1st Iowa Infantry from 14 May 1861 to 20 August 1861, and also served in Co. H, 22nd Pennsylvania Cavalry, from 23 February 1863 to 14 August 1865. [4739]

Samuel W. Ake, person #669, was reported in the Civil War pension file of his father, Caselton Ake, to have served with Caselton in Co. E, 5<sup>th</sup> U.S. Artillery. [4740].

Winfield Scott Ake, person #243, enlisted in Co. I, 72nd Ohio Infantry in Fremont, Ohio, on 13 December 1861 and was transferred to Co. M, 1st U.S. Cavalry on 12 February 1864. He remained in the cavalry after the Civil War and saw action in the Indian Wars until his discharge on 12 February 1867 <sup>[4741]</sup>

Henry G. Barkley, husband of Maria Garn, person #132, enlisted as a Private in Co. I, 163<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Volunteer Infantry on 2 May 1864 in Jeromesville, Ohio, and was discharged at Camp Chase, Ohio, on 10 September 1864. [4742]

**Peter Barkley**, husband of **Barbara Ann Garn**, person #133, enlisted in Co. I, 163<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Volunteer Infantry on 2 May 1864 in Columbus [sic], Ohio, and was discharged in Columbus on 10 September 1864.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4735</sup> Marv E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 194.

<sup>4736</sup> Civil War Pension file, Tobias Garn, Co. G, 169th Ohio National Guard, App. #427853, Cert. #262532, Wid. App. #1063587, Wid. Cert. #808294.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4737</sup> Sandusky Soldiers, pp. 117-118.

<sup>4738</sup> Civil War Pension File of Caselton Ake, Widow's Application# 351,050; Widow's Certificate# 336,296, Minor's Application# 732,223; Minor's Certificate# 515,190.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4739</sup> History of Bedford, Somerset and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, published by Waterman, Wilkins & Co., (Chicago, 1884), pp. 214-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4740</sup> Civil War Pension File of Caselton Ake, Widow's Application# 351,050; Widow's Certificate# 336,296, Minor's Application# 732,223; Minor's Certificate# 515,190.

Winfield S. Ake Civil War Pension Application, Co. I, 72 Ohio Infantry, Application #372225, Certificate #274406, Widow's Application #1198280, Widow's Certificate #928018.

<sup>4742</sup> Civil War Pension file for Henry G. Barkley, Co. I, 163<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Volunteer Infantry, App. #603659, Cert. #379838, Wid. App. 591205, Wid. Cert. 400332.

**James Alexander Hosler**, husband of **Susannah Garn**, person #134, enlisted as a Private in Co. I, 16<sup>th</sup> Ohio Volunteer Infantry on 16 August 1862 and died in the service on 27 March 1863 at Millikens Bend, Louisiana, as a result of a non-combat injury received on 25 December 1862.<sup>[4743]</sup>

**Henry Sealer**, husband of **Christiana Garn**, person #137, served in Co. A, 209<sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry according to his grave marker.<sup>[4744]</sup>

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<sup>4743</sup> Civil War Pension file, James A. Hosler, Co. I, 16<sup>th</sup> Ohio Infantry, Wid. App. #19659, Wid. Cert. #38551, Minor App. # 191242, Minor Cert. # 149233.

<sup>4744</sup> Mary E. Hovorka Beebe, et. al., Ashland County, Ohio, Research Aid, #6, Mohican Township, published by the Ashland County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society, (Ashland, Ohio, 1988), p. 145.

# **Appendix 42 - What's New In This Book?**

In this book we believe we have reported a number of things that have not been reported in earlier works on this family. Some of these things are listed explicitly below.

We believe we are the first to report that Conrad Gern, person #26, was the name of the brother of Johannes Gern, person #23. The work by McBride and Capener reported that his name was Frederick Garn.

When the first edition of the book was published, we believed and claimed that we were the first to report that Johann Adam Gern, person #16, and Anna Maria Arnold were the parents of Johannes Gern, person #23, and his brother Conrad Gern, person #26. After the book was published, we came across evidence that clearly establishes that Daryl Garn of Mesa, Arizona, had reported names for parents of Johannes Gern, person #23, which came from research that he funded on the Garn family.

This evidence was clearly available and possibly reviewed by us prior to the publication of the first edition of the book. Although we have no recollection of seeing the information or why we would have discarded it and forgot the claim, we suspect it was because the report required one to change the birth date of Johannes Gern, person #23, from the then accepted date of 21 March 1738 to a new date, 3 March 1738. And we did not see any explanation for why one should replace the then accepted date with a new date.

We had seen other claims for a name for the father of Johannes Gern, person #23, which did not include evidence for accepting the name. As long ago as about fifteen years ago there were claims on the Internet that Johannes' father was a man named Hans Garner, who dropped the "er" in his name when he came to America. Many attempts to chase down the origin of this claim were unsuccessful. Everyone who responded to inquiries seemed to have copied it from an undocumented claim that they found on the Internet without bothering to check the veracity of the claim. Around five years ago people started claiming that a man named Hans Jerg Garner or even Garn was the father of Johannes Gern. Again, no one provided evidence to support the claims. And even today one may see claims that men by these names were the father of Johannes Gern or John Garn as many refer to him. The absence of an explanation for why 3 March 1738 should be accepted as Johannes Gern's birth date instead of 21 March 1738 as claimed in McBride and Capener may have been the reason we discarded Daryl Garn's claim.

Once we concluded that Conrad Gern was a son of Johann Adam Gern, person #16, and that his brother Johannes fit the description of John Garn in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, in all ways except for his accepted birth date, we revisited his birth date. Our explanation for accepting the new birth date appears in Appendix 1 and in the Johannes' biography.

Be that as it may, we would not have intentionally claimed a discovery that rightfully belongs to Daryl Garn. And we freely admit that his interest in research on the Garn family and his funding of some of the research may have been instrumental in getting <www.familysearch.org> to add indexes of records from Kürnbach, Germany, to their databases. We also recognize that without those databases we would not have uncovered evidence of the connection between the branch of the family that descends from

Conrad Gern and the branch that descends from Johannes Gern, which was reported by McBride and Capener.

We believe we are the first to report the name of a fifth child, Elizabeth, of Johannes Gern, person #23 and his wife Margaret.

We believe we are the first to identify records for the family of the Jacob Garn, person #61, who was reported by McBride and Capener to have been a brother of John Garn, person #56. And we believe we are the first to show that he could not have been born as early as 1773 when McBride and Capener reported he was born.

We are also the first to document that Christopher Garn, person #53, Adam Garn, person #59, Christina Gern, person #60, and Samuel Garns, person #62, were siblings of John Garn, person #56 and Jacob Garn, person #61, and also children of Conrad Gern, person #26.

We are the first to provide the name and associated documentation for naming the wife of John Garn, person #56, as Susannah Smith. We believe we are also are the first to provide evidence that she could not have been Susanna Pringle. A Susanna Pringle had been cited by some as the wife of John Garn, person #46. However, P. Garn provided documentation proving that his wife was actually Susanna Cable. After P. Garn proved that Susanna Pringle was not the wife of John Garn, person #46, many people, without supporting documentation, started reporting that Susanna Pringle was the wife of the other John Garn, person #56. We believe our research corrects this misplaced association.

We believe we are the first to have Y-DNA tests performed on numerous branches of the family in order to establish the most likely Y-DNA pattern of our common ancestor and to use these results in conducting research on the family.

Finally, we do not claim to be the first to report that the same Frederick Garn, person #43, married both Fanny Mock and Magdalene Oster. McBride and Capener reported that two different men married the two women. And many still report that the two women married two different men. We are not sure who was the first person to document the correct relationship. We suspect it was Geri Arnold. And we explicitly note here the correct relationship since many are still reporting the incorrect relationship.

Lastly, we believe we are the first to provide documentation for many of the relationships previously claimed in this family.

# **Appendix 43 - How The Book Was Written**

We used a combination of resources to write this book. The names, dates, places and textual information about people listed in this book were stored in a genealogical program or database called RootsMagic. The parts of the book that make up the chapters labeled First Generation through Ninth Generation were generated from this database. The introduction and appendices were done separately.

A GEDCOM file, which converts the RootsMagic database into a rigorously formatted and organized text file was exported from RootsMagic. We wrote a computer program in the PERL language to read the GEDCOM file, sort out the relationships among people, assign each descendant with a unique number, and keep track when two people who were both descendants of Johannes Gern married. During the course of the writing, we inserted numerous cross-references to others appearing in the book using the unique numbers that each individual had been assigned by our PERL program. As new people were added to the book, the numbering of people changed automatically. When a new person was added near the beginning of the book, everyone after that person received a new number. The PERL program automatically tracked the numbering of people including those that had been named when we cross-referenced people.

The PERL program also allowed us to keep track of places where major events happened so that indexes of both people and places could be created. The PERL program automatically numbered the people, created cross references among people, generated the associated text for biographies of individuals and created the code from which indexes were generated.

As we were entering our data and biographical information about people into the RootsMagic database, we also embedded footnotes using a system we created to flag the beginning and ending of footnotes in the text. Our PERL program automatically attached the footnote information for the individuals to the specific sentence of the fact in their biography that the footnote applied to instead of attaching it to the entire fact in general as genealogical programs seem to treat sources.

The introduction and appendices to the book were done separately since they changed relatively little when new people were added to the database. Once the sections of the book dealing with the separate generations of the family were completed, the introduction and appendices were copied from the separate files where they were created and pasted into the final document.

All of the text generated by our program was formatted by the PERL program as a Rich Text Format (RTF) document. Final editing was done using Microsoft Word to actually generate the indexes and table of contents using the codes we had embedded into the RTF document.

The final document was then converted into an Adobe Portable Document Format (PDF) document with embedded fonts to insure that text and photos did not flow from one page to the previous or next page when read or viewed by a different computer that would automatically substitute closely matched, but different fonts if the computer did not have the identical font set that we used in creating the document. Our PDF document was used to generate both the first and second editions of the book.

# **Appendix 44 - Future Research**

In the course of our research we came across a number of records that at the time we felt might be relevant but which turned out did not connect to the family, at least not yet. We also had a few instances when we made associations based on the most logical interpretation of the evidence. Some areas where additional research might reveal new information are listed below.

We located a Civil War pension file for a Charles Gern, whom we thought was a part of the family. [4745] He was living in Blair Co., Pennsylvania, immediately north of Bedford County, where many of the Garns resided. And we suspected that he might be a grandson of Christopher Garn, person #53. However, close examination of his records indicated that he was born in Baden, Germany, long after the rest of the family immigrated to America. Since he ended up living close to some of the other Garns, he could well be a distant relative who came later. We did not attempt to locate descendants to take a Y-DNA test to determine if he might have been related.

We noted that we did not find a document that named which Samuel Garn was the father of John Otis Garn, person #510. We believe the logical arguments we gave support naming Samuel Garn, person #152, as his father. We hope that additional documents can be found to confirm or correct this association.

The 1810 U.S. Census of Christopher Garn, person #53, reports that he had five sons under ten years old. We have identified two of them in our research. We suspect that additional research will reveal that at least one of the others survived to adulthood.

We hope that future research will provide evidence to support the assignment of Eliza Garn, person #119, as a daughter of Christopher Garn, person #53, or provide evidence that she was not his daughter.

McBride and Capener (pp. 3-9) name a number of children and grandchildren for Henry Carn, person #68. Our initial attempts to locate his descendants were unsuccessful. We have not seen any documentation to support these descendants. We did not do an exhaustive search and believe that there are records to be found on them.

While doing research at the Lancaster County Historical Society in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, we came across a four-page report on the Karns family. Since we had seen our name spelled this way on a number of occasions, we copied the report for future reference. The report lists the family of one Thomas Karns, who was reported to have come to America from Holland or Germany in 1800. The report does not give a birth date for this Thomas Karns and leaves enough doubt in our mind to make it possible that he might have been born as late as 1800. The thing about this report that caught our attention was the following sentence fragment, "Family story of lost estate fortune in Holland or Germany." This brings to mind the tradition in the Garn family reported by P. Garn (vol. 1, p. 66) that the Garn family lost over one million guilders in Holland when they left it there before coming to America and waited too long before returning to claim it. The similarity of the two stories could result from a policy on the part of Europeans to seize money from as many of those who emigrated as possible. Or it could be that the tradition in the Garn family can be traced back to the same incident as that of the Thomas Karns family.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4745</sup> Civil War Pension file for Charles Gern, Co. A, 84<sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania Infantry, App. #141762, Cert. #98410, Wid. App. #251240, Minors App. #288893, Minors Cert. #205486, born in Baden Germany, age 39 on 24 Sept 1862.

A possible explanation for this "money left in Europe" story that is a tradition in the Garn family and appears to have also been a tradition in the Thomas Karns family noted above has been suggested by Geri Arnold, whom we cite in connection with decendants of Frederick Garn, person #43. She reports that she heard that a common scam that was presented to early immigrants was to claim that money had been left in a bank in Europe for them and that they could retrieve it by paying the people who claimed the money had been left for them. We do not know if this is true. However, it appears to be the 18<sup>th</sup> century version of today's attempts by some "Rich Prince" or "Rich Lawyer" in Nigeria who sends out emails to people asking for help getting his money into America.

Although the Thomas Karns paper cited above appears to trace men from eastern Pennsylvania through Ohio and into mainly Indiana, at least one from Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, was cited. A Y-DNA test by one of the Karns descendants would be very helpful in resolving this question. We confess that we did not make a serious attempt to trace a descendant for a test. However, independent of the Thomas Karns paper we did have two Karns men from Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, from two different Karns lines tested. Neither was a match to the basic Garn Y-DNA discussed in Appendix 2. And neither was believed to descend from Thomas Karns. If Y-DNA of a descendant of this Thomas Karns were shown to match the Y-DNA of the Garns, and if he were shown to be born in 1800 or shortly afterward, then the most likely person to assign as a father to him would probably be Christopher Garn, person #53, who had five sons under 10 in the 1810 Census. In the absence of any such evidence, this must be treated as another unproved hypothesis.

Naturalization records for men with surname Garn or similar who were reported to have immigrated to Wayne Co., Ohio, are likely for men who are unrelated even though they have a similar name. [4746] William Gern, age 29, came from Prussia in 1837 (p. 16). Abraham Louis Guerne, age 43, came from Switzerland in 1843 (p. 19). Charles Garns, age 34, came from Prussia in 1843 (p. 20) Another Charles Garns, age 38, also came from Prussia in 1843 (p. 25). Emil Guerne, age 41, of Switzerland arrived in the United States in 1868 (p. 59). And Constant Guerne, age 34, of Switzerland arrived in the United States in 1869 (p. 59). The origins of these people are geographically quite distant from Kürnbach, Germany, where the Garns were from. So it is quite unlikely that any of them were related. We did not attempt to trace any descendants for Y-DNA tests but would welcome the opportunity if we were able to find and confirm that someone were a descendant. It appears as though William Gern, cited above, attended the St. Michael's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Baughman Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio [4747] A Jacob Gern who was buried at the church cemetery in 1925 was his son. [4748]

A Frederick Gern, whose estate was settled in Wayne Co., Ohio, in 1899, probably was the son of William Gern, mentioned above. [4749] The 1860 Census of William Gern in Chippawa Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, lists a son Frederick, who was 23 years old as well as another son, Jacob, mentioned above. [4750] Although that census was badly faded and the surname was indexed as Guins, the census ten years later uses the surname Gern and clearly is the same family since younger children appearing in the 1860

<sup>4746</sup> Wayne County, Ohio, Abstracts of Naturalization Records, 1812-1903, pub. by Wayne County Historical Society, (Wooster, Ohio, 1985), found at Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4747</sup> Esther Weygandt Powell, The St. Michael's Evangelical Lutheran Church History, 1830-1930, (Akron, Ohio, 1967), found at the Ohio Genealogical Society, Bellville, Ohio.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4748</sup> Death Record for Jacob Gern, Ohio Deaths, 25 January 1925, file no. 5886, names parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4749</sup> Wayne Co., Ohio Estates, Estate file for Frederick Gern, 1899, file no. 10031.

<sup>4750 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Census of William Gern, Chippawa Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, M653\_1051, p. 374, indexed as Guins.

Census including Jacob appear in the household ten years later. [4751] Therefore we believe this Frederick is also not closely related if he is related at all.

We found a Frederick Garn on the 1860 Mortality Schedule in Washington Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, which is between Mansfield and Bellville. [4752] The Schedule reports that he was 69 years old and born in Germany and that he died in December, 1859. If this census is correct, he was born too late to be a son of either Johannes Gern, person #23 or his brother Conrad Gern, person #26, who were already in America when he was born. Also, Johannes Gern already had a son named Frederick and Conrad's 1800 Census does not support another son born in 1791. Furthermore, we are unable to find any other reference to this Frederick Gern in earlier censuses or documents related to the area, which convinces us that he probably immigrated near the end of his life. In that Mortality Schedule his marital status was "married." Immediately after his name on that Schedule was a Catharine Garn, also age 69, who died in May 1860, was born in Germany and was a widow. [4753] She undoubtedly was his wife.

We note for other researchers that a Stanley Marion Garn, who was a professor at the University of Michigan, appears to be unrelated. He was born on 27 October 1922 in New London, Connecticut, and died on 31 August 2007, in Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Co., Michigan. [4754] His death record reports that he was of Polish/Russian ancestry. He appeared with his parents on the 1930 U.S. Census in Providence, Providence Co., Rhode Island. [4755] That census reports that his father immigrated in 1901 and that his native tongue was Hebrew before immigration. Ten years earlier, before Stanley Marion Garn was born, his parents appeared on the census in New London, Connecticut, where Stanley Marion Garn was born. [4756] That census reports that his father's native language was Jewish. Since the father of Stanley Marion Garn was born in Europe and was of Polish/Russian ancestry and appears to have been Jewish, we are convinced he is not part of the family.

A Sergeant Garn and his Captain, Edward Schenk, of the 955th Field Artillery Batallion were the first to arrive at the Malmédy Massacre at Baugnez Crossroads near Malmédy, Belgium, on 17 December 1944, during World War II and discover the remains of 84 U.S. Soldiers that had been massacred as prisoners by the a portion of the Nazi SS 1<sup>st</sup> Panzer Division during the Battle of the Bulge. [4757] We would love to discover the first name of this Sergeant Garn. The author's uncle, Howard E. Nixon, narrowly escaped being captured with those U.S. soldiers who were massacred and lost a number of men from his 575<sup>th</sup> Ambulance Company.

We recall seeing records at the Lancaster County Historical Society in Lancaster Pennsylvania for the estate of a John Lein and recall that he had a wife named Elizabeth and a daughter named Margaret. At that time we checked the record to determine if the name might have been anglicized as was the surname of Margaret Seyn on the record of her marriage to Johannes Gern. When we examined the record, it clearly was Lein and not Seyn. We believed we were examining the original. However, Kevin Shue, genealogist at the Historical Society, told us that the original had been lost or destroyed and the record I examined, though quite old, was still a transcript. This suggested the possibility that the original may

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4751</sup> 1870 U.S. Federal Census of William Gern, Chippawa Twp., Wayne Co., Ohio, M593\_1280, p. 88B.

<sup>4752 1860</sup> U.S. Federal Mortality Schedule, Washington Twp., Richland Co., Ohio, T1159, line 9. Mortality Schedule for Frederick Garn. With 1860 Census.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4753</sup> Catharine indexed as Sam by <ancestry.com> even though the surname looks the same to us as that of Frederick.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4754</sup> Death Record of Stanley Marion Garn, Michigan Deaths, 31 August 2007, Washtenaw Co., Michigan, state file no. 2700041.

<sup>4755 1930</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Harry Garn, Providence, Providence Co., Rhode Island, Roll 2175, p. 11A, E.D. 146.

<sup>4756 1920</sup> U.S. Federal Census of Harry Garn, New London Ward 3, New London Co., Connecticut, T625\_197, p. 6B, E.D. 264.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4757</sup> John M. Bausserman, *The Malmédy Massacre*, (Shippensburg, PA, 1995), pp. 74-75.

have spelled the surname as Seyn and the transcript anglicized the spelling to Lein. We have not done any additional searching for records regarding this hypothesis and suspect few if any exist. And there certainly is insufficient evidence at this point to report a first name for Margaret Seyn's father.

We located a will for a Mark Kerns of Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, which was registered in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania on 12 February 1863, undoubtedly because he owned land in Bedford County. [4758] When the will was written, the spelling of the surname may not have been fully standardized and could have been Garns, as used later by other family members from Franklin County, where Mark Kerns was from. This will caught our attention because Mark Kerns was from Franklin Co., Pennsylvania, and also mentions land owned in Missouri. We earlier discussed in this appendix records for a Thomas Karns. Those Thomas Karns records also mention that some of his descendants lived in Missouri. This suggests the possibility that Mark Kerns who wrote the will recorded in Bedford Co., Pennsylvania, may have been related to Thomas Karns mentioned earlier and again possibly related to Christopher Garn, person #53. We have not done additional research to establish or eliminate a connection to the Garns and merely mention this in case others find records that may be relevant.

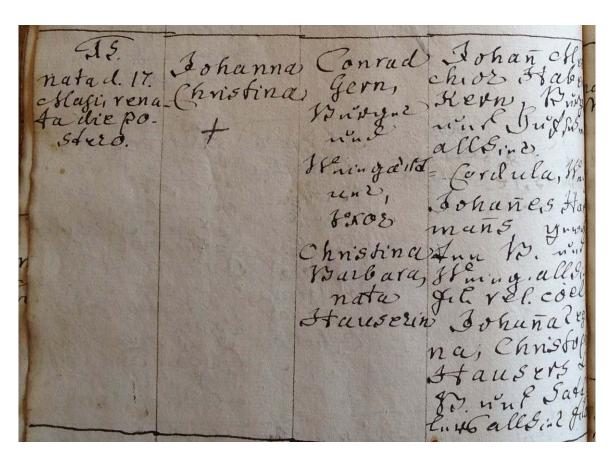
4758 Bedford Co., Pennsylvania Wills, book 5, p. 263.

# **Appendix 45 - Johanna Christiana Garnes, Person #58**

This appendix provides evidence that Johanna Christina Garnes, person #58 did not die in Germany as we previously claimed and that she immigrated with her parents to America where she was known as Johanna Christiana Garnes or Hannah Garnes by her descendants.

In the first edition of our book we reported that Conrad Gern and his wife Christina Barbara had a daughter Johanna Christina Gern, who was born on 17 May 1784 in Kürnbach, Germany. [4759] We also reported that she died there soon after she was born.

Our incorrect conclusions about her death were based on her birth and christening record, immigration records of her parents and on German naming conventions. The image below shows Johanna Christina's birth and christening record. [4760]



Birth and Christening Record for Johanna Christiana Garnes, person #58

The column on the left gives the day and month of her birth and christening. It reports that she was born on 17 May and that she was christened the next day. This record appears in the section of records for 1784. Therefore she was born on 17 May 1784.

Johanna Christina Gern was person #23 in the first edition of the book.
 Kürnbach, Germany, Church Records, Baptisms, 1758-1790, FHL #1192099, also found in Appendix 4.

The cross or + below her name in the next column indicates that she died. No date of death was recorded with the cross. Some of the others with crosses under their names in the records had death dates recorded. But many did not have death dates recorded. So it was not unusual that no death date was recorded for Johanna Christina. Also, we have been told by others that they have found deaths recorded in German church books for people who died in America, which suggests that our initial conclusion that she died in Germany may have been premature.

Johanna Christina's parents immigrated to America in 1785 when Johanna Christina would have been 17 months old. [4761] We did not find a Johanna Christina listed among the children of Conrad and Barbara Gern in the immigration record. We presumed their last child listed, Hannah, was a different child than Johanna Christina because she would normally have been called by her middle name under German naming conventions. And the cross below Johanna Christina's name in the birth and christening record indicated that she had died. As a result, we concluded that Johanna Christina died in Germany and that another child, Hannah, was born after the family left Kürnbach and before they arrived in America.

After the first edition of the book was published and a Garn family tree was placed on <ancestry.com>, we were contacted by Marilyn Peters of Fort Collins, Colorado, who wanted to know how certain we were that Johanna Christina Gern had died in Germany. She said that she believed Johanna Christina may not have died in Germany and pointed out the grave marker of Johanna Christiana *Garnes* Mills on <a href="www.findagrave.com">(4762)</a> That grave marker is located in the Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery in Reynoldsburg, near Jefferson Twp., Franklin Co., Ohio. Although her grave marker does not give her maiden name, the Find A Grave memorial reported that her maiden name was Garnes. An image of the grave marker appears on the following page. [4763]

The inscription on the grave marker reports that she died on 14 September 1846 and that she was the wife of M. L. Mills. The inscription also reports that she was 62 years, 3 months, and 28 days old when she died. This age-at-death places Johanna Christina's or Johanna Christiana's birth on 17 May 1784, exactly the date that Johanna Christina Gern was born in Kürnbach. Unfortunately the information about the grave marker did not include evidence for claiming Johanna Christiana's surname was Garnes. And Marilyn Peters did not have that information.

The record by itself appears to be sufficient to claim the two were the same person since the surname, Garnes, appearing with the image of the grave marker is one that has been used interchangeably with Gern at times. Anyone who was already aware of the birth of a Johanna Christina Gern in Kürnbach would likely have used the Gern surname and probably would have included the names of her parents when recording the information for the grave marker. Therefore we believed the people who recorded her surname with the grave marker information based her surname on a different record than the Kürnbach church records.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4761</sup> Ralph Beaver Strassburger, *Pennsylvania German Pioneers*, *A Publication of the Original Lists of Arrivals in the Port of Philadelphia from 1727 to 1808*, Volume III, 1785-1808, (Norristown, Pennsylvania, 1934), List 333, pp. 14-15.

<sup>4762 &</sup>lt;www.findagrave.com>, Memorial #32518264.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4763</sup> Thanks to Ruth (Scott) Ford and her husband Jon for taking the picture. Ruth is the daughter of Gertrude Grace (Garn) Scott, person #1361.



Grave Marker for Johanna Christiana Garnes, person #58

Even though we were convinced that Johanna's surname, Garnes, in the Find A Grave record came from a different record than the Kürnbach church records, we wanted confirmation of the surname. Upon contacting Mari Gaydos Smith of Eden Prairie, Minnesota, who then maintained the grave marker information for the grave of Johanna Christiana *Garnes* Mills on <www.findagrave.com>, we were informed of the biographical information for Eccles Nay, whose wife, Elizabeth Mills, was reported to be the daughter of Michael and Hannah (Garnes) Mills. [4764] The full biography of Eccles Nay follows:

ECCLES NAY was born in Bristol, Vermont, September 11, 1807. He is a son of Jeremiah and Mary (Dunshe) Nay, of New Hampshire. He was married in Franklin, Jefferson County, Ohio [sic, clearly Jefferson Twp., Franklin Co., Ohio], January 8, 1831 to Elizabeth Mills, born in Sussex County, New Jersey, March 5, 1812. Her parents were Michael and Hannah (Garnes) Mills, the former born in New York, in 1782, the latter in Germany in 1782 [sic]. Mr. Nay settled in Fulton County in 1834. After paying for his land, he had no money left. The other settlers in the township were: David Williams, William Meeker, and Sidney Hawley. They had to go with ox teams to Maumee for provisions, a journey of three days. Wolves were abundant, and the early settlers used to build fires to scare them away from their cabins at night. Mr. Nay was at 27 log

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4764</sup> Historical Atlas of the World Illustrated, Fulton County, Ohio, H. H. Hardesty & Co., Publishers, (Chicago, 1875), p. 9, found at <a href="http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohfulton/AtlasBioPg9.html">http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohfulton/AtlasBioINDEX.html</a>.

house raisings the first summer. James Nay, grandfather of Eccles Nay, was one of the "Tea Party" at Boston and carried away some of the tea in his shoes which was in the possession of his friends at his death. He was also in the Revolutionary war and took part in the battle of Bunker Hill. [His] Post-office, Delta. [His] Business, farmer, [in] section 9.

The record clearly reports that Hannah's or Johanna Christiana's surname was Garnes. The chances of two Johanna Christiana or Christianas being born the same day in Germany are slim. The chances of two different Johanna Christianas being born the same day and also sharing the names Gern and Garnes, which were used interchangeably by others at the time of her death, are improbably small.

Therefore we are now convinced that Johanna Christina Gern did not die in Germany, that she immigrated to America with her parents in 1785, and that she was known as Johanna Christiana Garnes or Hannah Garnes by her family and descendants in America. The only logical explanation is that:

- 1. Johanna Christina's family disregarded German naming conventions and called her Hannah instead of Christina as she would have been called according to German naming conventions in use by many at the time of her birth.
- 2. Johanna Christiana was the Hannah who immigrated with her parents in 1785, which means that there never was a Hannah, who appeared as person #24 in the first edition of in our book. Johanna Christina, #23 in the first edition of our book, and Hannah, #24 in the first edition of our book, were the same person, Johanna Christiana Garnes, who appears as person #58 in this second edition of the book.
- 3. Our explanation of the cross or + below Johanna Christina's name in the Kürnbach church records is that German immigrants in America corresponded with people in the fatherland. Someone in America undoubtedly reported Johanna Christina's death, possibly well afterward, to a resident of Kürnbach, who passed the news to the church officials, who in turn recorded the cross below her birth and christening record. Absence of a death date with the cross likely means the report of Johanna Christiana's death that was received by the officials at the Kürnbach church did not include the actual date of her death.

# Appendix 46 - Kürnbach Book of Families

This appendix has images, partial transcripts, and partial translations of records from the Kürnbach Familien Buch as it is written in German or the Kürnbach Book of Families as it would appear in

English. The image below shows the spine of the book.

The families whose records appear in the Kürnbach Familien Buch and are reported in this appendix are the families of:

David Gern, person #7

Johannes Gern, person #8

Hans Michael Thorwarth and wife Margareth Gern, person #10

Johann Adam Gern, person #16

Hans Adam Arnold, father of Anna Maria Arnold, who was the wife of Johann Adam Gern, person #16

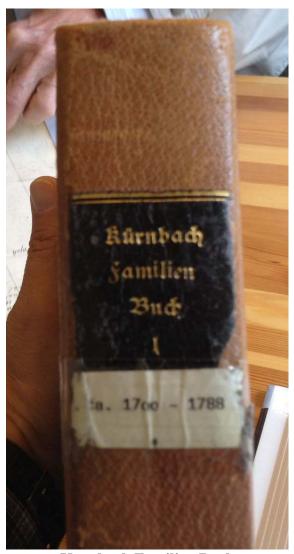
Hanns Jerg Laessle and wife Maria Elizabeth Gern, person #17

Georg Adam Gern, person #25

Conrad Gern, person #26

Christoph Hauser, father of Christina Barbara Hauser who married Conrad Gern, person #26

We were not aware of the existence of this Kürnbach Book of Families when the first edition our book was published. We first became aware of it when we visited Kürnbach in September, 2012. At that time it did not occur to the author that there might be additional records in Kürnbach that showed other Gern families besides those of Johann Adam Gern and Conrad Gern that we had already known were reported in Family History Library microfilms. And we presumed that the Family History Library had microfilms with images of all of the books that make up the church records even though we were aware that the online indexes available



Kürnbach Familien Buch

at the time did not include indexes for all of the records in the microfilms. Therefore we were quite surprised when we were shown the pages of this "new" old book with the records of Johann Adam Gern and Conrad Gern. We also were unprepared to do additional research. We were so pleased to see these new records that corroborated the family relationships we had claimed in the first edition of our book that we did not think to examine the index of the book for more families whose records could be photographed other than the two families that we already knew about before we arrived in Kürnbach. Upon returning home we inquired about records for other Gern families in the book and discovered that they existed.

Most of the images of records from the book which appear in this appendix were photographed by Karlheinz Bers, a friend of the author who lives in Leimersheim, Germany, near Kürnbach. Records of the families of Johann Adam Gern, his son Conrad, and of Christoph Hauser were photographed by the author and his brother during their September 2012 visit to Kürnbach.

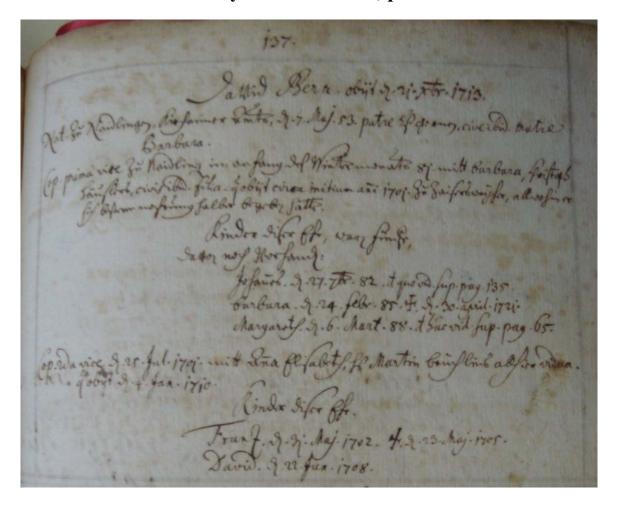
Within the images of the records of different families one will frequently see a "plus sign" or "Cross of Jerusalem" symbol. This is a standard symbol that was used in vital records of the time to indicate that someone has died. The records are a combination of old German, Latin, and abbreviations of terms in both languages.

The transcripts that appear with these records are primarily the work of Herr Richard Treutle of Kürnbach and Frau Ulrike Trautz, the minister at the church in Kürnbach where the records are kept today. In a few cases we believe the transcripts of the handwritten records have been supplemented with additional information that the transcribers were aware of. For example, we do not find anything in the record of Johann Adam Gern that indicates his son Johannes immigrated to America or in the records of the families of Johann Adam Gern's sons Conrad and Georg Adam Gern that indicates that their brother Johannes emigrated to America. This information in the transcripts about Johannes' immigration could very well have been recorded elsewhere in the church records. Or it may have been taken from a copy of the first edition or our book that was available to Herr Treutle and Frau Trautz. However, some of the extra information definitely came from a source other than the first edition of our book. We also believe that there may be a few minor errors and typographical errors in the transcripts. In a few cases we provide corrections to what we believe were incorrect transcriptions of the original, handwritten records. These appear in [square brackets].

The English translations of the German transcripts are the author's best attempt at translating them. In a few cases we have images of records of families in which the wife of the head of the family was a Gern or the family of a couple whose daughter married a Gern. Herr Treutle and Frau Trautz did not provide transcripts of these records. Therefore, we provide our best attempts at transcribing and translating them.

As may be easily seen in the images of the records, some of them are much clearer than others and are therefore easier to transcribe. We do not claim that our transcripts and translations are accurate in every case and are happy to be able to provide images of the original handwritten records that allow researchers who are more skilled than the author at reading and translating the old German and Latin to draw their own conclusions. And we would welcome corrections to errors in the transcripts and translations.

## The family of David Gern, person #7



The Family of David Gern, person #7

The record shown above comes from page 137 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. The transcript below was provided by Herr Richard Treutle and Frau Ulrike Trautz of Kürnbach.

# Auszug aus dem Familienbuch I Seite 137

### David Gern

Bürger und Weingärtner

geboren den 07.05.1653, zu Nördlingen [Neidlingen] Kirchheimer Amts gestorben am 21.12.1713 in Kürnbach

Vater: Johann Gern, Bürger

Mutter: Barbara

Cop. erste Ehe zu Nördlingen [Neidlingen] im Anfang des Wintermonats 1681 mit Barbara [Houser] Chistoph

Hausers Tochter, Bürgerin dahier [possibly dahiem], starb etwa Anfang des Jahres 1701 zu Zaisersweyher [Zaisersweiher], allwohin er sich besserer Nahrung halber, begeben hatte.

# Kinder aus dieser Ehe waren fünf; davon noch vorhanden:

1.) Johannes, geb.: 27.09.1682, siehe F-B. I. S. 135 2.) Barbara, geb.: 24.02.1685, gest.: 30.04.1721 3.) Margareth, geb.: 06.03.1688, siehe F.B. I. S. 65

#### II.Ehe:

Cop. den 25.07.1701, mit **Anna Elisabeth**, Hannß Martin **Reuchlin** (oder **Beuchlin**) allhiesiger Tochter, gest.: 4.1.1710.

#### Kinder aus dieser Ehe:

4.) Franz, geb.: 31,05.1702, gest.: 23.05 1705

5.) David, geb.: 22.06.1708, weitere Eintragungen in den Kirchenbüchern fehlen, vermutlich [vermutlich] ist David Gern von Kürnbach weggezogen.

Our translation of the transcript above follows:

# Excerpt from the Family Book I page 137

#### David Gern

Citizen and winegartner

Born on 7 May 1653, at Neidlingen, recorded in the church office records Died on 21 December 1713 in Kürnbach

Father: Johann Gern [Johannes Gern], citizen

Mother: Barbara

#### First Marriage:

The transcript reports that he married first at Neidlingen in the early winter months of 1681 to **Barbara Hauser**, Christoph Hauser's daughter, citizen [dahier/dahiem?], died around the beginning of the year 1701 at Zaisersweyher [currently spelled Zaisersweiher], [We believe the rest of the transcript means he went to Zaisersweiher for better opportunities to make a living and feed his family.]

### Five children in all, children from his first marriage:

- 1.) Johannes, born 27 September 1682, See page 135 for his family.
- 2.) Barbara, born 24 February 1685, died on 30 April 1721

3.) Margareth, born on 6 March 1688, See page 65 for her family.

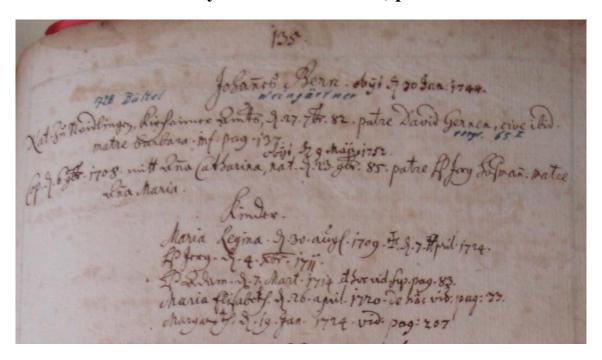
## Second Marriage:

Married on 25 July 1701 to **Anna Elisabeth [Reuchlin** or **Beuchlin**], Hannß [Hanns] Martin Reuchlin's (or Beuchlin) daughter, all from here. She died on 1 April 1710.

### Children from his second marriage:

- 4.) Franz, born on 31 May 1702, died on 23 May 1705.
- 5.) David, born on 22 June 1708, No other entries in the church books about this David. Presumably he moved away from Kürnbach.

# The family of Johannes Gern, person #8



The Family of Johannes Gern, Person #8

The record shown above comes from page 135 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. The transcript below was provided by Herr Richard Treutle and Frau Ulrike Trautz of Kürnbach.

# Auszug aus dem Familienbuch I. Seite 135

#### Johannes Gern

Weingärtner

geboren den 27.09.1682 zu Nördlingen [Neidlingen], Kircheimer Amts gestorben am 30.01.1744

Vater: David Gern, F.B. I. S. 137

Mutter: Barbara

Cop.: den 06.11.1708, mit

Anna Catharina, Hofmann

geboren den 23.11.1685 gestorben am 09.05.1752

Vater: Hannß Jerg Hofmann

Mutter: Anna Maria

#### Kinder:

- 1.) Maria Regina, geb.: 30.08.1709, gest.: 07.04.1724
- 2.) Hannß Jerg geb.: 04.12.1711, ausser dem Geburtsdatum sind im Kirchenbuch keine weiteren Einträge vorhanden
- 3.) Hannß Adam, geb.: 07.03.1714, siehe F.B I. S. 83
- 4.) Maria Elisabeth, geb.: 26.04.1720, siehe F.B.I. S..33
- 5.) Margaret, geb.: 19.01.1724, siehe F.B.I. S.201

Our translation of the transcript above follows:

# Excerpt from the Family Book I page 135

### Johannes Gern

Winegartner

Born on 27 September 1682 at Neidlingen, recorded in the church office records Died on 30 January 1744

Father: David Gern, His family appears on page 137.

Mother: Barbara

Marriage on 6 November 1708 to:

#### Anna Catharina Hofmann

Born on 23 November 1685 Died on 9 May 1752

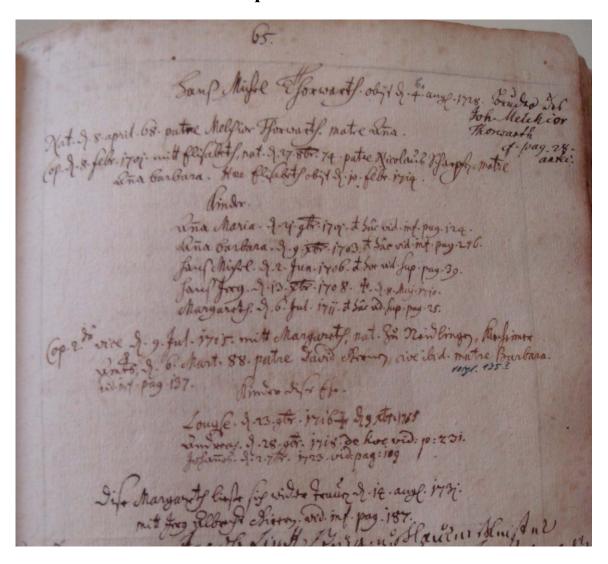
Father: Hannß [Hans] Jerg Hofmann

Mother: Anna Maria

#### Children:

- 1.) Maria Regina, born on 30 August 1709, died on 7 April 1724
- 2.) Hannß [Hans] Jerg, born on 4 December 1711, besides the date of birth there are no further entries in the parish register.
- 3.) Hannß [Hans] Adam, born 7 March 1714, See page 83 for his family.
- 4.) Maria Elisabeth, born on 26 April 1720, See page 33 for her family.
- 5.) Margaret, born on 19 January 1724, See page 201 for her family. [We believe the page number was transcribed incorrectly and should be page 207.]

# The family of Hans Michael Thorwarth and his wife, Margaret Gern, person #10



The Family of Hans Michael Thorwarth and wife Margaret Gern, person, #10

The record shown above comes from page 65 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. The partial transcript and translation below is our best attempt at transcribing and translating the parts of the record that are relevant to the Gern family.

Excerpt from the Family Book I page 65

### Hans Michael Thorwarth

Born on 8 April 1668 Died on 4 August 1728

Father: Melchior Thorwarth, see page 28 for more details.

Mother: Anna

Marriage: First marriage on 8 February 1701 to Elizabeth Sharpf, daughter of Nicholas Sharpf and Anna Barbara.

Elizabeth died in February of 1714. The date in February appears to be 10 February.

Children: Five children were born to this marriage. They are not named in this transcript and translation because

they were not Gerns.

### Marriage to Margareth Gern:

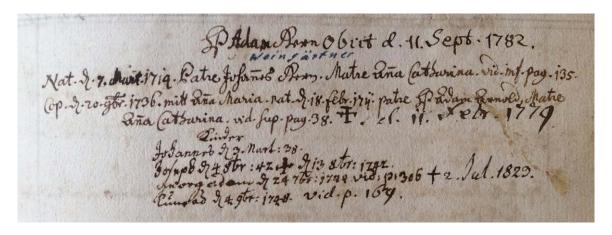
Hans Michael Thorwarth next married on 9 July 1715 to Margareth Gern, born in Neidlingen on 6 March 1688, daughter of David Gern and Barbara. See page 137 for David Gern's family.

#### Children born to Hans Michael Thorwarth and Margaret Gern in Kürnbach:

- 1.) Louyse, born 23 November 1716, died 3 December 1765 (year of death is uncertain)
- 2.) Andreas, born 28 November 1718, see page 231 for his family
- 3.) Johannes, born 2 September 1723, see page 109 for his family

Second marriage of Margaret Gern: The record reports that after Hans Michael Thorwarth died, Margaret remarried on 14 August 1731 to Jerg Albrecht Girrer (probably Geier) and that their family may be found on page 187 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch.

# The family of Johann Adam Gern, person #16



The Family of Johann Adam Gern, person #16

The record shown above is from page 83 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. The transcript below was provided by Herr Richard Treutle and Frau Ulrike Trautz of Kürnbach.

# Auszug aus dem Familienbuch I. S. 83

### Hannß Adam Gern

Weingärtner

geboren den 07.03.1714 gestorben am 11.09.1782

Vater: Johannes Gern

Mutter: Anna Catharina, geb. Hofmann

Cop. den 20.11.1736 mit

### Anna Maria geb. Arnold, F.B.I. S. 38

geboren den 18.02.1711 gestorben am 11.02.1779

Vater: Hannß Adam Arnold

Mutter: Anna Catharina geb..Butzer

#### Kinder:

- 1.) Johannes, geb.: 03.03.1738, nach Amerika ausgewandert
- 2.) Joseph, geb.: 04.10.1742, gest.:13.10.1742
- 3.) Georg Adam, geb.: 24.09.1744, F.B.I. S. 306
- 4.) Conrad, geb.: 04.11.1748, F.B.I. S. 169

Our translation of the transcript above follows:

# **Excerpt from Family Book I, page 83**

Hans Adam Gern, [Text in the image directs readers to page 135 for his father's family.]

Winegartner

Born on 7 March 1714 Died on 11 September 1782

Father: Johannes Gern

Mother: Anna Catharina, born with surname Hofmann

Marriage on 20 November 1736 to:

**Anna Maria Arnold**, see page 38 for her father's family.

Born on 18 February 1711 Died on 11 February 1779

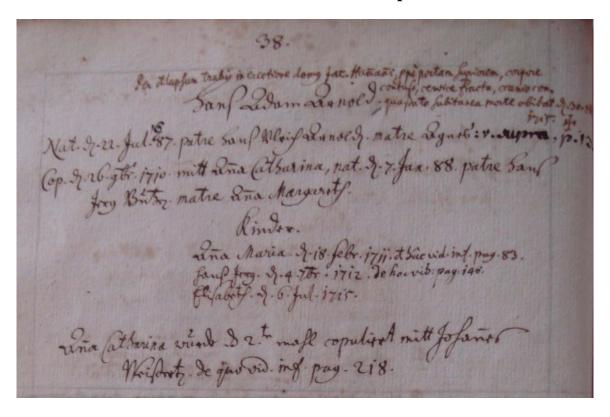
Father: Hans Adam Arnold

Mother: Anna Catharina, born with surname Butzer

#### Children:

- 1.) Johannes, born 3 March 1738, emigrated to America [We believe the report of his emigration comes from some record other than the church book.]
- 2.) Joseph, born on 4 October 1742, died on 13 October 1742
- 3.) Georg Adam, born on 24 September 1744, see page 306 for his family.
- 4.) Conrad, born on 4 November 1748, see page 169 for his family.

# The family of Hans Adam Arnold, father of Anna Maria Arnold who married Johann Adam Gern, person 16



The Family of Hans Adam Arnold, father of Anna Maria Arnold who married Johann Adam Gern, person #16

The record shown above comes from page 38 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. The partial transcript and translation below is our best attempt at transcribing and translating the parts of the record that are relevant to the Gern family.

# Excerpt from the Family Book I page 38

#### Hans Adam Arnold

Born on 22 July 1687

Died – there is a Cross of Jerusalem in the text after his name to indicate that he died. The date of death is difficult to read. However, it appears as though the record indicates he died on 30 October 1715.

Father: Hans Ulrich Arnold, see page 12 for details about his family.

Mother: Agnes

Marriage on 26 November 1710 to:

#### **Anna Catharina Butzer**

Born on 7 January 1688

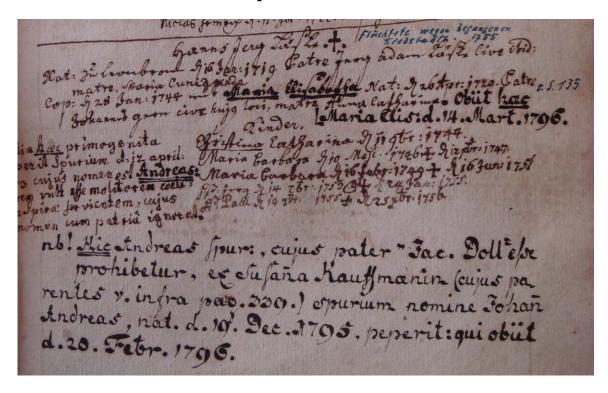
Father: Hans Jerg Butzer Mother: Anna Margareth

#### Children born to Hans Adam Arnold and Anna Catharina Butzer in Kürnbach:

- 1.) Anna Maria, born 18 February 1711, see page 83 for details on her family
- 2.) Hans Jerg, born 4 September 1712, see page 148 for his family
- 3.) Elisabeth, born 6 July 1715

After Hans Adam Arnold died, his wife Anna Catharina remarried to Johannes Weissert. [This marriage occurred on 25 July 1719 in Kürnbach.] Their family may be found on page 218 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch.

# The family of Hans Jerg Laessle who married Maria Elisabeth Gern, person #17



The Family of Hans Jerg Laessle who married Maria Elisabeth Gern, person #17

The record shown above comes from page 33 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. The partial transcript and translation below is our best attempt at transcribing and translating the parts of the record that are relevant to the Gern family.

# Excerpt from the Family Book I page 33

# **Hans Jerg Laessle**

Born in 1719 – we are unable to decipher the day and month.

Died – 1755 there is a Cross of Jerusalem after his name. However, we do not see a day and month of his death.

Father: Georg Adam Laessle.

Mother: Maria [we are unable to decipher her middle/formal name.]

Marriage on 28 January 1744 to:

#### Maria Elisabetha Gern

Born on 26 April 1720 Died on 14 March 1796

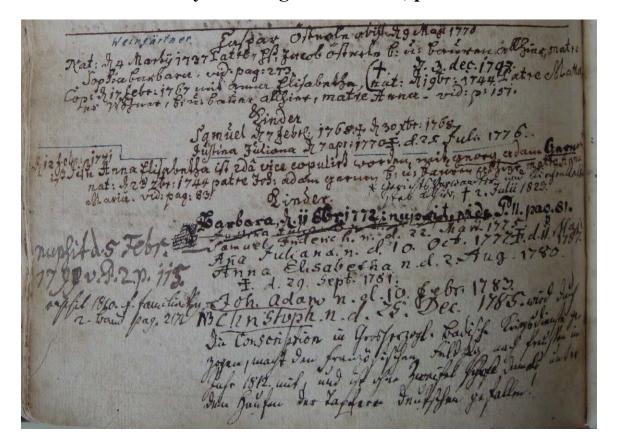
Father: Johannes Gern Mother: Anna Catharina

### Children born to Hans Jerg Laessle and Maria Elisabetha Gern in Kürnbach:

- 1.) Christina Catharina, born 12 November 1744
- 2.) Maria Barbara, born 10 May 1746, died 12 September 1747
- 3.) Maria Barbara, born 16 February 1749, died 16 June 1751
- 4.) Hans Jerg, born 14 September 1753, died on 24 January 1755
- 5.) Hans Paul, born 14 September 1755, died on 25 December 1756

There is also text that suggests that a child Andreas is connected to the family. We are unable to decipher this and are therefore uncertain if an Andreas was born to the family.

## The family of Georg Adam Gern, person #25



The Family of Georg Adam Gern, Person #25

The image above comes from page 306 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. It shows two families, that of Caspar Osterle and that of Georg Adam Gern, the two husbands of Anna Elisabeth Wösner. The two families are separated by a line across the image. The transcript below is for only the family of Georg Adam Gern and was provided by Herr Richard Treutle and Frau Ulrike Trautz of Kürnbach.

# Auszug aus dem Familienbuch I. Seite 306

Georg Adam Gern, (Bruder des nach Amerika ausgewanderten Johannes Gern)

Weingärtner, Gerichtsverwandter und Kirchenältester

geboren den 23.09.1744 gestorben am 02.07.1823

Vater: Johannea [sic, Johann] Adam Gern, Bürger u. Bauer

Mutter: Anna Maria geb. Arnold

Cop.: den 12.02.1771 mit

### Anna Elisabetha geb. Wößner, verwitw.. Österle

geboren den 02.11.1744 gestorben am 03.12.1797

Vater: Mathias Wösner

Mutter:

#### Kinder:

1.) Barbara, geb.: 11.10.1772

2.) Samuel Friederich, geb.: 22.05.1775

3.) Anna Juliana, geb.: 11.10 1777, gest.: 11.05.1787 4.) Anna Elisabetha, geb.: 02.08.1780, gest.: 29.09.1781

5.) Johann Adam, geb.: 10.02.1783

6.) Christoph, geb.: 20.12.1785, Die Consoristion in Großherzoglichen Kriegsdienst gezogen, macht Französischen Feldzug nach Preussen im Jahr 1812 mit, und ist ohne Zweifel damals unter dem Haufen der tapferen Deuteschen gefallen!

Our translation of the transcript above follows:

# **Excerpt from the Family Book I page 306**

**Georg Adam Gern** (Brother of the emigrant to America Johannes Gern) [We believe the information in the transcript about the emigration of Johannes Gern comes from elsewhere, either from other church records or possibly the first edition of our book, which was available to the transcribers.]

Weingartner, court member/representative and church elder

Born on 23 September 1744 Died on 2 July 1823

Father: Johann Adam Gern, citizen and peasant/countryman

Mother: Anna Maria Arnold

Marriage: on 12 February 1771, to:

# Anna Elizabeth Wößner (Wössner or Wösner), and married as Österle

Born on 2 November 1744 Died on 3 December 1797

Father: Mathias Wösner

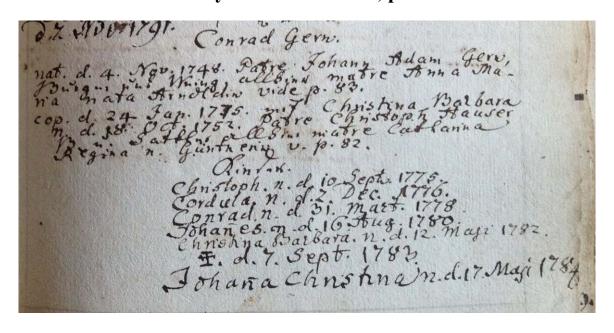
Mother: Anna [This name did not appear in the transcript but does appear in the record.]

#### Children:

- 1.) Barbara, born on 11 October 1772
- 2.) Samuel Friederich, born on 22 May 1775

- 3.) Anna Juliana, born on 11 October 1777, died on 11 May 1787
- 4.) Anna Elisabetha, born on 2 August 1780, died on 29 September 1781
- 5.) Johann Adam, born on 10 February 1783
- 6.) Christoph, born on 20 December 1785. He was conscripted into the French campaign with Prussia in 1812 and no doubt died at that time with other brave Germans.

## The family of Conrad Gern, person #26



The Family of Conrad Gern, Person #26

The record shown above comes from page 169 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. The transcript below was provided by Herr Richard Treutle and Frau Ulrike Trautz of Kürnbach.

# Auszug aus dem Familienbuch I. Seite 169

 $\pmb{Conrad \; Gern}, (Bruder \; des \; nach \; Amerika \; ausgewanderten \; Johannes \; Gern \; )$ 

Bürger und Weingärtner

geboren den 04.11.1748

gestorben am: Sterbedatum in den Kirchenbüchern nicht auffindbar!

Vater: Johann Adam Gern, citizen and Weingartner

Mutter: Anna Maria geb. Arnold

Cop.: den 24. 01.1775, mit

# Christina Barbara geb. Hauser

geboren den: 18.10.1752

gestorben am: Sterbedatum in den Kirchenbüchern nicht auffindbar!

Vater: Christoph Hauser, Bürger und Zimmermann [sic, this should be sattler]

Mutter: Maria Barbara [sic, should be Catharina Regina Gunther]

#### Kinder:

Christoph, geb.: 10..09.1775
 Cordula, geb.: 02.12.1776
 Conrad, geb.: 31.03.1778
 Johannes, geb.: 16.08.1780

5.) Christina Barbara, geb.: 12.05.1782, gest.: 07.09.1783

6.) Johanna Christina, geb.: 17.05.1784

Our translation of the transcript above follows:

# Excerpt from the Family Book I page 169

**Conrad Gern** (Brother of the emigrant to America, Johannes Gern) [We believe the information about Johannes Gern's emigration comes from elsewhere in the church records or possibly from the first edition of our book, which was available to the transcribers at the time the record was transcribed.]

Citizen and Winegartner

Born on 4 November 1748

Died on – Date of death cannot be found in the church books

Father: Johann Adam Gern, see page 83 for details on his family.

Mother: Anna Maria Arnold

Marriage on 24 January 1775, to:

#### Christina Barbara Houser

Born on 18 October 1752

Died on – Date of death cannot be found in the church books

Father: Christoph Hauser, citizen and saddler, see page 82 for details on his family. [The transcript mistakenly reports that he was a zimmermann or carpenter, the occupation of Christoph Houser's father Hans Christoph Hauser, as may be seen from the family record for Christina Barbara Houser's parents on page 82 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch.]

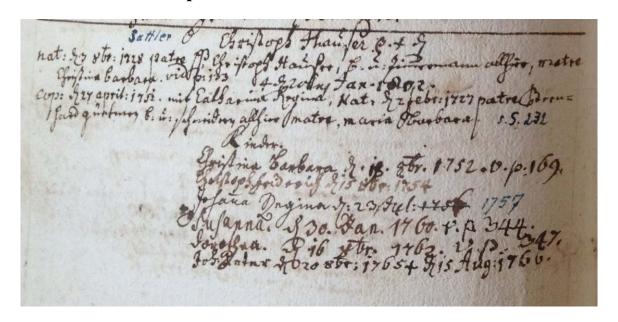
Mother: Catharina Regina Gunther [Transcript reports name as Maria Barbara, which is not the name recorded in the image.]

#### Children:

- 1.) Christoph, born on 10 September 1775
- 2.) Cordula, born on 2 December 1776
- 3.) Conrad, born on 31 March 1778
- 4.) Johannes, born on 16 August 1780
- 5.) Christina Barbara, born on 12 May 1782, died on 7 September 1783
- 6.) Johanna Christina, born on 17 May 1784 [Note The birth record recorded for her in the church book that has

births and christenings has a "plus sign" or Cross of Jerusalem symbol to indicate that she died. However, no death date was entered with this record in the Kürnbach Book of Families. This record is consistent with the Johanna Christiana Garnes, person #58, whom we report as Conrad Gern's daughter in this book and in Appendix 45.]

# The family of Christoph Houser, father of Christina Barbara Houser who married Conrad Gern, person #26



The Family of Christoph Houser, father of Christina Barbara Houser, who married Conrad Gern, person #26

The record shown above comes from page 82 of the Kürnbach Familien Buch. The partial transcript and translation below is our best attempt at transcribing and translating the parts of the record that are relevant to the Gern family.

# Excerpt from the Family Book I page 82

# **Christoph Houser**

Citizen and saddler

Born on 3 October 1728

Died on – The record appears to say he died on 20 January 1802.

Father: Christoph Houser, citizen and carpenter (Zimmermann). Mother: Christina Barbara, see page 133 for details on her family.

Marriage on 27 April 1752 to:

### Catharina Regina Gunther

Born on 2 February 1727

Died on – We do not see a death date for her in the record.

Father: Bernhard Gunther, citizen and tailor (schneider in the German).

Mother: Maria Barbara, see page 232 for details on her family.

### Children born in Kürnbach:

- 1.) Christina Barbara, born 18 October 1752, see page 169 for details on her family.
- 2.) Christoph Friderich, born on 15 October 1754
- 3.) Johanna Regina, born on 23 July 1757
- 4.) Susanna, born on 30 January 1760, see page 344 for details on her family.
- 5.) Dorothea, born on 17 October 1762, see page 347 for details on her family.
- 6.) Johann Peter, born on 20 October 1765, died on 15 August 1766

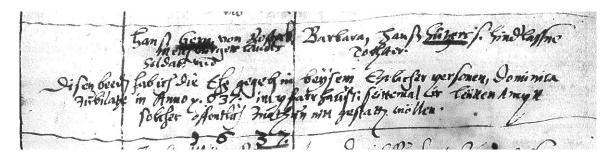
# **Appendix 47 - Neidlingen Church Records**

In this appendix we provide images of the birth and marriage records that are entered in the church books at Neidlingen, Germany. The birth records come from Family History Library microfilm #1055821. The marriage records come from Family History Library microfilm #1055823.

We did not attempt to transcribe them and translate them. Instead we extracted names of relatives and the dates associated with the individuals and events from the indexes of databases at <www.familysearch.org>, where others who are more skilled at reading the handwritten old German records have provided the information.

One will quickly notice that the way certain letters look is not the same from record to record. This is especially noticeable if one compares letters in these records with letters in the more recent church records in Kürnbach, which appear in Appendix 4. Over time the handwriting changed. Therefore the appearance of some letters changed over time. This is one reason we relied on the information from the Familysearch web site for transcripts and translations of some of the information.

The record below is for the marriage of Johannes Gern, who appears as person #1 in this book.



Marriage Record for Johannes Gern, person #1 and Barbara Heutzer

The record is quite difficult to read. However, Johannes Gern appears as Hanß Gern, which most today would write as Hanss Gern. His wife, Barbara appears as the daughter of Hanß Heutzer, which probably was Hans Hauser. <www.familysearch.org> reports that the marriage occurred on 30 April 1637.

The record that follows is for the birth of David Gern, who appears as person #7 in this book.

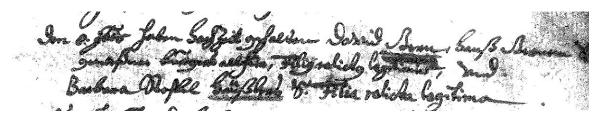
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Birth Record for David Gern, person #7

This record is also difficult to read. However, one can clearly see the year, 1653, at the top left. And the day and month, 7 May, is visible below the year. David's name appears as Davidt in this record. And his father's name appears as Hanß Gern. His mother's name, Barbara, appears below his father's name. The names on the right are undoubtedly sponsors. We are unable to decipher them. The information above is consistent with the information found in indexes at <www.familysearch.org>.

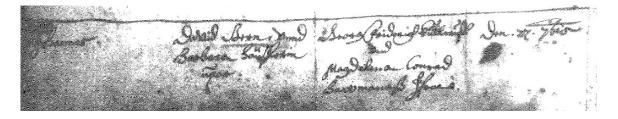
The record below is for the marriage of David Gern, person #7 and his wife Barbara Haussler.



Marriage Record for David Gern, person #7 and Barbara Haeussler

This record is also difficult to read. The indexes at <www.familysearch.org> report that the marriage occurred on 8 November 1681, that the father of David Gern was Hanß Gern and that the father of Barbara Haeussler was Stophel Haeussler, which probably is Christophel Haeussler.

The record below is for the birth of Johannes Gern, person #8.



Birth Record for Johannes Gern, person #8

This record is also difficult to read. Johannes' name may be seen on the left. In the next column one may see the names of his parents, David Gern and Barbara Hauesler, as reported in the index of marriages at <www.familysearch.org>. The next column has names of people who undoubtedly were Johannes' sponsors. In the last column one may see the words Den. 27 7ber, which means he was born on 27

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September. Since this comes from the section of records for 1682, he was born in 27 September 1682, which is consistent with the information reported by <www.familysearch.org>.

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