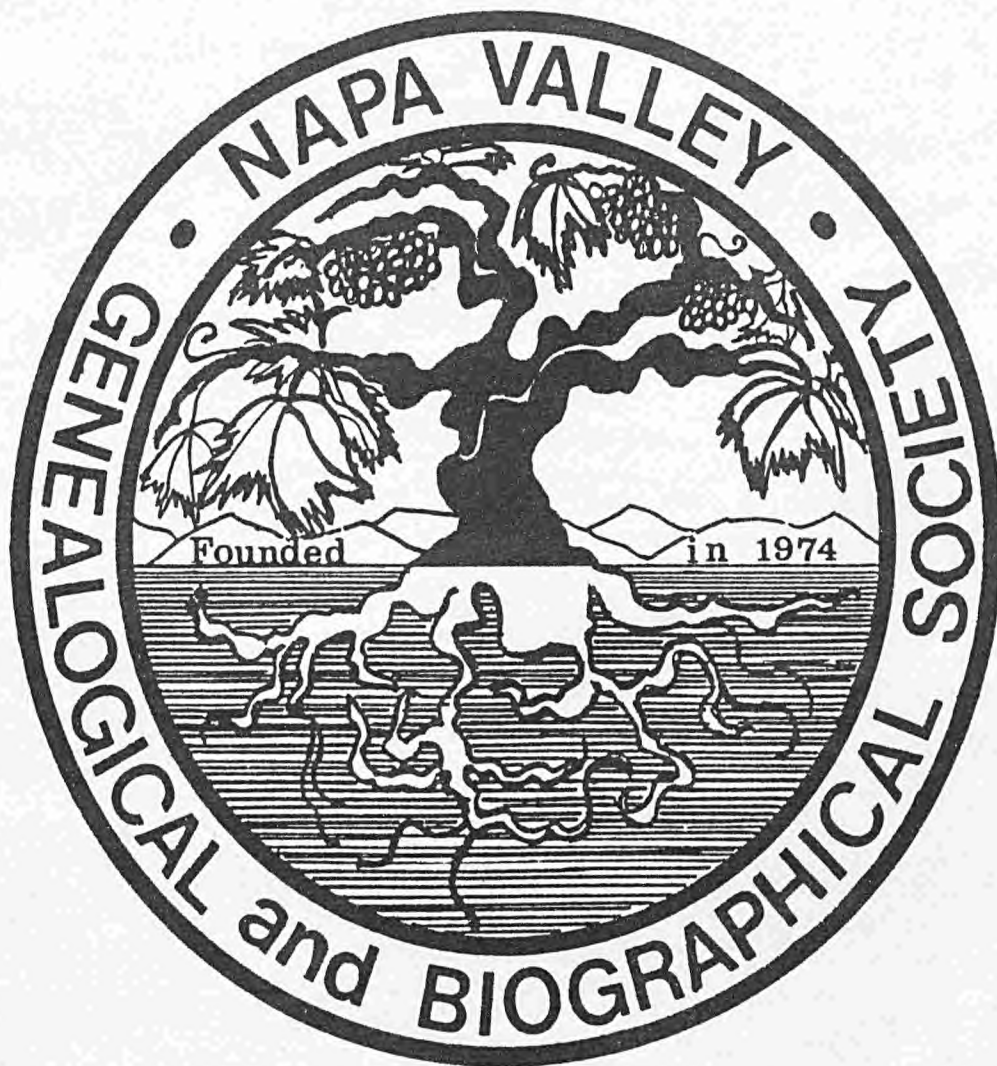


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The Society was founded by Marian E. McGuire in July of 1974 as an offshoot of the Napa County Bicentennial Commission. There were 135 charter members by the first membership meeting in January 1975 and the Society has grown rapidly to its present status of a highly respected educational organization. Incorporation as a non-profit organization was accomplished in June of that same year.

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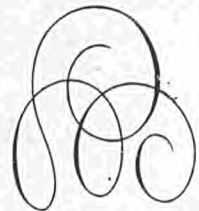
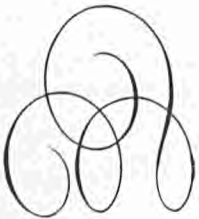
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If your ancestor ever returned to the "old country" for a visit, you may find the village of origin on the passport application. Applications through 1905 are in the Diplomatic Records Branch of the National Archives, Room 5E, Washington, D.C. 20408. Applications for 1906 and later are in the custody of the Passport Office, Dept. of State, 1425 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20520. Give name, residence, place and approximate date of application. Search and copy fee of \$6. has likely increased.

In 1918, and only in 1918, an Alien Registration was prepared by the Public Safety Commission in Minnesota. All aliens were asked to give present address, length of residence, age, place of birth and date, port of entry and date of arrival, marital information, occupation, names of children and ages, real estate ownership, and personal property and its value. The person was also asked about his/her participation in the war against the United States and were they naturalized or had filed papers. The records are open to the public and are being indexed by volunteers. The index will be an A to Z listing for the entire state. You may write to this address for more information: Minnesota Historical Society, Division of Archives and Manuscripts, 1500 Mississippi Street, St. Paul, MN 55101.

If you have Rhode Island families you will be interested to know that the Rhode Island Historical Society has started a Genealogical Hotline to help in the exchange of information. For further details write: Charles McNeil, Reference Librarian, 52 Power Street, Providence, RI 02906. (The above three articles from So. Bay Cities Gen. Soc. Newsletter May/June 1984.)

Free queries with Maine roots and links are accepted for publication in "Your Side of the Family," a genealogy column in the Rockland The Courier Gazette. Send a long SASE for date of publication and mail queries to the column (Your Side of the Family) at the newspaper, 12 Main Street, Camden, ME 04843. Please capitalize names.

For soldiers in the Civil War who wished to play cards, the American Card Company sold "Union Playing Cards." They were different from ordinary cards in that the four suits were Eagles, Shields, Stars and Flags: a colonel was a king, the Goddess of Liberty a queen and a major was a jack! (The above two articles from San Joaquin Gen. Soc. Newsletter Vol. 5 No. 3.)

Put your name and address somewhere on everything you take with you when doing research. It is heartbreaking to find notes, research material, etc., with no identification and no way to return to the owner. (Orange Co. CA Gen. Soc. Newsletter June 1984.)

SELECTIVE SERVICE RECORDS - When the United States became involved in World War I in 1917, all males between the ages of 18 and 45 were required to register for the draft. More than 24 million of these selective service records are on file at the National Archives and Records Center in East Point, GA. They are filed by state and then by draft board. The registration form was completed by the individual himself, who may have been born as early as 1872, and it may supply important information regarding parents, spouse, date of birth and place of birth. -- In order to request a copy of one of the selective service records, you must supply the full name of the person and the city and/or county in which they were living at the time of the registration. If your relative resided in one of the following cities, you must also supply an exact street address, which is available from a 1917 city directory:

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| Albany, NY | Jersey City, NJ | New York City, NY |
| Atlanta, GA | Kansas City, MO | Philadelphia, PA |
| Baltimore, MD | Los Angeles, CA | Pittsburgh, PA |
| Boston, MA | Louisville, KY | Providence, RI |
| Buffalo, NY | Luzerne County, PA | St. Louis, MO |
| Chicago, IL | Milwaukee, WI | St. Paul, MN |
| Cincinnati, OH | Minneapolis, MN | San Francisco, CA |
| Cleveland, OH | Newark, NJ | Seattle, WA |
| Indianapolis, IN | New Orleans, LA | Syracuse, NY |
| | Washington, DC | |

(From Whittier Area Gen. Soc. Newsletter Vol. 4 No. 1.)

Check your local library for yet another obscure source of research. The Sourcebook on Death and Dying, James A. Fruehling, Editor (Marquis Professional Publications) has various address listings which may prove helpful. Among others, there is an index to memorial societies and an index to all state Bar Associations, showing name and address of Presidents, Vice Presidents or Presidents elect and Executive Directors or Executive Secretaries. The quantity of potential genealogical aids to be found in the local libraries is surprising! (From California State Genealogical Alliance member Carlton Smith.)

An unusual love story emerges from two entries in Kent Co., MD Marriage License Records. On 22 April 1797, both John Lewin and Robert Curry took out licenses to marry Jane Bird. A note by the clerk on the page on which the records were made, just under Curry's name, says, "Curry was successful." Here is a whole two-volume romance condensed in two names and dates, and a sentence of three words. Probably the shortest novel ever written. (Orange County CA Gen. Soc. - submitted by Colleen and Bill Robinson.)

Definitions - CERTIFIED COPY: An exact copy of a Bible, tombstone, baptismal or other record that has been attested by a Notary Public as being a correct copy. -- HOLOGRAPHIC WILL: A will made in the handwriting of the testator. -- NUNCUPATIVE WILL: An unwritten will has been declared or dictated by the testator in his last sickness, before a sufficient number of witnesses, and afterwards reduced to writing.



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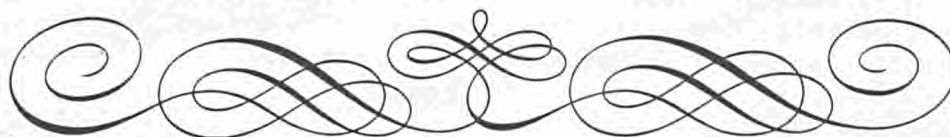
Family Reunions

If you are planning a family reunion, now is the time to start planning for it. This is a great opportunity to gather those little tidbits of information from family members, especially those who won't answer your letters for whatever reason. It's always easier to ask questions in person and get direct answers!

The following is a list of what to do to have an organized reunion. The main thing to remember is to PLAN AHEAD!

1. Choose a locality that is near as many of the relatives as possible. Select the site with all planned activities in mind and reserve early.
2. Begin a card file of family addresses. Use phone books at your local library. Get lists from other relatives, advertise in several places.
3. Duplicate a letter of invitation which gives time, place, accommodations available and activities which are planned. If you need family information, photographs, etc., this is the time to request such. Are you going to have a pot-luck or will each family contribute money for food? Send a reminder approximately one month beforehand to all who previously responded.
4. Involve people. Get as many working on projects as possible. People tend to come if they are involved.
5. Set up committees early. Have a welcoming committee--guest book, name tags, etc.; food committee; advertising committee; decoration committee; entertainment committee; display/historical material photograph committee; recording committee, etc.
6. Special project. You are apt to gather much more family data if those present, especially the younger relatives, can see where they fit into the family. It is most important to have some type of family tree available--a large piece of poster board, cork, etc.--with family information is easy to do and the lettering need not be perfect. Sheets of paper should be readily available for additions and corrections. An encore for succeeding reunions could be the addition of photographs of each family.
7. The recording committee or someone with special training could interview those especially selected or each one present for an oral history tape. Plan questions and those to be interviewed well ahead of time.
8. Plan special activities, games, mixers, dramatizations, musical selections, home movies, slides, write on blocks for family quilt, etc. Use your imagination to enhance the reunion so that all will wish to return and the hold-outs will wish that they had been there.
9. Start a family newsletter to keep in touch, to maintain interest, and to glean information.

Our thanks to the Lincoln-Lancaster County Genealogical Society, Volume 6, Number 1, January, 1982.



CLARK FAMILY REUNION IN BERRYESSA VALLEY

At the adobe ranch on January 28th, there was a reunion of the Clark family to celebrate the 80th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Electa Clark, relict of the late Abram Clark. The following are the children and grandchildren, most of whom were present, and all reside in this valley: Children -- Alonzo, Norman and Reuben Clark, Etta Harris, and Amanda Anderson; children-in-law -- the Mrs. May, Annie and Mrs. Reuben Clark, John Anderson, Joe Harris, Geo. S. McKenzie; grandchildren -- Mallie, Ora, Irma, Celia, Nellie and Winna Clark; Mabel, Cleo, Genoa, Ula and Erie Anderson; Electa Harris, Cordelia and Effie McKenzie; Roy, Clifford, Howard, Abram, Elmer and Foster Clark; Ren, Clifford and Robert Harris; Vinton Anderson and Stanley McKenzie.

Mrs. Clark's brother, "Uncle" Thomas Snider, who will be 93 years old on the 16th of February, and whose senses, with the exception of seeing, are still nearly perfect, was also present.

The father of Mrs. Clark and Thomas Snider was a Captain in the War of 1812, and two of his children were born in the 18th century and there are two of his children still surviving in what we will call the 20th century.

NAPA DAILY JOURNAL, 8 Feb 1900; page 3, column 3. Submitted by Ida DeMay Wilson

When the above article was received for publication, it prompted a search of the "Illustrations of Napa County, California with Historical Sketch" which was published in 1878. On page 20 of that volume the following article on the Abraham Clark family appeared. cjc

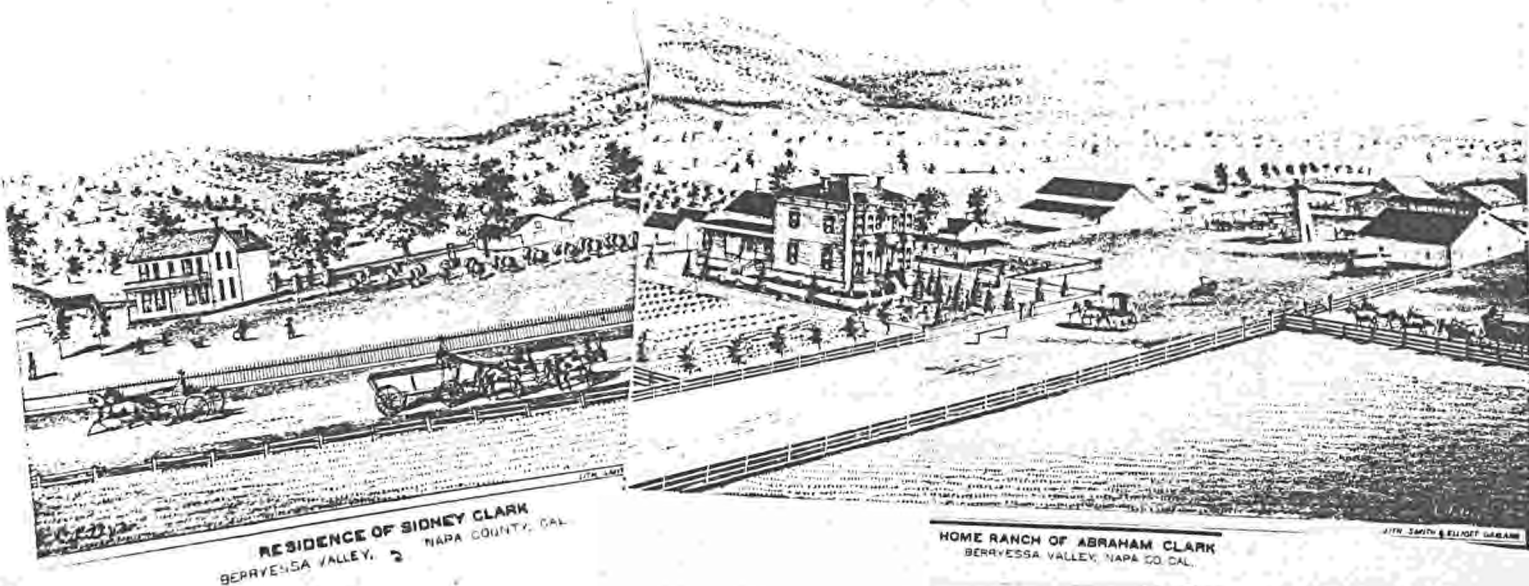
Abraham Clark now owns the largest farm in Berryessa valley, and indeed in Napa county. He owns and farms 10,000 acres in the middle and upper end of the valley. Of this tract 3,000 acres are in wheat, which generally averages twenty bushels to the acre. To successfully harvest this crop, he uses five headers of six horses each (they cut a swathe each of twelve feet wide), one straw-burning engine, and a large number of header wagons. He uses one 40-inch Pitt's Separator. To handle all this machinery and take care of the wheat will require sixty head of horses or mules and thirty men, and 30,000 sacks in which to place the grain, as in California the wheat is put into sacks or bags as it comes from the separator, where it usually remains in the field until sold.

Mr. Clark keeps about 180 head of cattle, 800 head of hogs, and 3,000 sheep. His farm is well fenced, he having put up nearly eleven miles of board fence within the last three years. The home farm is situated three miles from Monticello, and is bounded on the west by the river, affording ample water for stock use, but about the residence water is raised by wind mill for domestic purposes. There is a fine orchard of a variety of fruit on the home farm.

A first class residence is now being constructed near the original adobe house, both of which are represented in the view we have given in this work. The house will contain all modern improvements that can add to the comforts of a home, and constructed in the most substantial manner, and will cost, when finished, not less than \$10,000. Surrounding the residence are large and convenient barns, and yards laid off in systematic shape, as are all his fields on the farm. The upper farm was the one on which Mr. Clark first settled. This farm is devoted largely to stock purposes, although it has some nice wheat land.

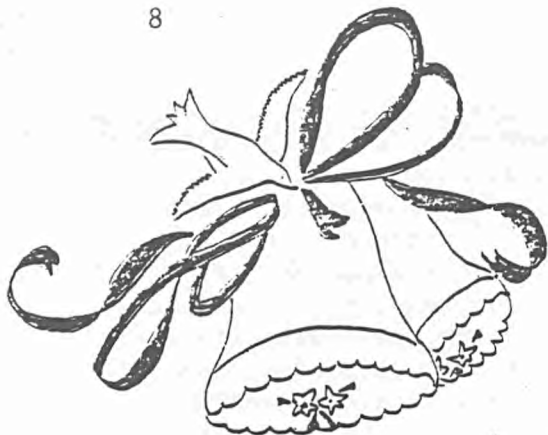
Abraham Clark was born in England in 1820, and came to New York in 1829, where his parents resided five years when they removed to Ohio, Crawford County, in 1835 and remained until 1853. In 1845 he married at Mount Morris, N.Y., Miss E.J. Snider, a resident of that place. From Ohio he removed to Chickasaw County, Iowa, where he remained ten years, and in 1864 started overland with teams and horses, being five months on the trip; Mrs. Clark drove one team the entire distance. Owing to sickness of the family on the road, Mr. Clark found himself at his destination in Napa with but \$2.50 in money, and was obliged to mortgage his horses to obtain enough to feed them with. He stopped in Napa one year, and in 1866 worked a farm in Sonoma, but lost the entire crop and was worse off than on his arrival. In 1866 he moved to Berryessa and brought his first load of lumber from Napa by way of Rockville and Suisun, that being the only practical way of reaching the valley at that time. With this lumber he built a shanty on the upper place, which at that time he was renting. Mr. Clark's untiring energy was soon destined to meet with success and it was soon demonstrated that perseverance and integrity combined with good judgment is bound to win. His career demonstrates that any of us by perseverance may advance from the poorest ranks to that of the comparatively wealthy.

Large as Mr. Clark's farming operations are in Napa, he is also farming 12,000 acres in Spring valley, Colusa county, in wheat and barley. It is all under plow, but only 8,000 acres will be harvested this year. He has been farming in Colusa seven years, and generally with good success. This year he expects to harvest about 80,000 sacks, of about 130 pounds each. On this farm he uses a separate assortment of machinery, which is not used on the Napa farms. When in full harvesting rig, he will use on the Colusa farm, at one time, one Pitt's and one Russell separator and 1 straw-burner engine. Nine headers will be running at once, and each header cuts a swath from nine to twelve feet wide. Eastern readers will bear in mind that the header is pushed ahead of the five or seven horses, thus cutting down a wide strip of grain. In the harvesting scene on Mr. Clark's ranch will be seen the three full sets of headers, header wagons, men and horses, as they begin operations, with the separator and engine beginning to thresh as fast as the grain is cut. For each header will be required three header wagons, twelve horses and seven men. For each thresher, or separator, is required twelve men and six horses. Besides these, are men and horses used in hauling water for the engine and general use, and in attendance on engine, etc.; so that the total number required at one time when in full operation is 128 head of horses and mules, and ninety men. To carry on these vast farming operations requires a large amount of money, and Mr. Clark's farming operations this year will require an expenditure of about \$100,000; \$20,000 will be spent in improvements about the Berryessa farms. There is still much to be done hereafter in improvements, including five miles of board fence yet required to properly divide and lay out the farms.



RESIDENCE OF SIDNEY CLARK
BERRYESSA VALLEY, NAPA COUNTY, CAL.

HOME RANCH OF ABRAHAM CLARK
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| George R.V. McCALL--Catherine I. GRAHAM Married by: F.M. HASLETT (JP) | 8 May BK A Page | 1869 226 |
| Knud GUDMANSUN--Berte ABRAHAMSEN Married by: G.W. FORD | 1 May BK A Page | 1869 227 |
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| John McGUIRE--Catherine BELL Married by: P. DEYAERT | 4 Jun BK A Page | 1869 227 |
| William WOODWORTH--Mary L. GORHAM Married by: James WYLIE | 8 Jun BK A Page | 1869 228 |
| Isaih TAYLOR--Virginia B. GETER Married by: Rob CROUCH (Co Judge) | 8 Jul BK A Page | 1869 228 |
| Barney McGRADE--Elizabeth FINMAN Married by: P. DEYAERT | 4 Jul BK A Page | 1869 228 |
| George W. ROWLEY--Martha H. LOFTICE Married by: Rufus DEMING | 18 Jul BK A Page | 1869 229 |
| Joachim SIMONSEN--Lursene GLOPPEN Married by: J.L. TREFREN | 19 Jun BK A Page | 1869 229 |

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| James F. WHITHED--Mary A. DEAN Married by: F.M. HACKETT (JP) | 30 Jul BK A Page | 1869 229 |
| John MOLONEY--Ellen HOLLORAN Married by: P. DEYAERT | 2 Aug BK A Page | 1869 230 |
| Alva D. SCOTT--Elisabeth HABISHARD Married by: E. BRORKSHIRE (JP) | 4 Aug BK A Page | 1869 230 |
| Jacob B. TUKERSON--Mary E.G. ENGLAND Married by: H.C. TAHLMAN | 2 Aug BK A Page | 1869 230 |
| Charles MURCH--Jane HASLETT Married by: Joseph ROBERTS | 1 Aug BK A Page | 1869 231 |
| James F. BEARD--Lucy HOUGHTON Married by: R.C. GILLESPIE (JP) | 17 Aug BK A Page | 1869 231 |
| William R. WATKINS--Joanna R. WILSON Married by: F.M. HACKETT (JP) | 25 Aug BK A Page | 1869 231 |
| Migel LOPEZ--Margarita CHAVEZ Married by: P. DEYAERT | 6 Sep BK A Page | 1869 232 |
| D.H. HASKIN--Hattie SPEAR Married by: M.C. CURREY | 11 Sep BK A Page | 1869 232 |
| David W. BONHAM--Margaret E. DAVIS Married by: G.W. TOWLE (JP) | 16 Sep BK A Page | 1869 232 |
| Samuel M. COOK--Emily L. SLEEPER Married by: J.W. CLARK (JP) | 15 Sep BK A Page | 1869 232 |
| Alexander MCKENZIE--N.K. FRASER Married by: Rich WYLIE | 18 Sep BK A Page | 1869 233 |
| James MONTROSS--Lelith BORER Married by: E. BROOKSHIRE (JP) | 19 Sep BK A Page | 1869 233 |
| Alonzo B. SWARTOUT--Martha Ellen CHORD Married by: J.W. CLARK (JP) | 30 Sep BK A Page | 1869 233 |
| G.M. JOHNSON--Lucy A.M.A. FRANKLIN Married by: A.C. McDONNELL (JP) | 13 Oct BK A Page | 1869 234 |
| John T. GRIGSBY--Ellen Mathews Married by: P. DEYAERT | 3 Oct BK A Page | 1869 234 |
| Timothy MALONEY--Bridget FEALY Married by: P. DEYAERT | 4 Oct BK A Page | 1869 234 |
| Jesus SUBBILLA--Gregorica CONTRARES Married by: P. DEYAERT | 12 Oct BK A Page | 1869 235 |
| Charles KURIGER--Elizabeth McGINTY Married by: P. DEYAERT | 14 Oct BK A Page | 1869 235 |

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| Joseph M. BOSSFORD--Elizabeth McGINSEY Married by: P. DEYAERT | 13 Oct BK A Page | 1869 235 |
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| Edmond SHEEHY--Ellen FLARGHERTY Married by: P. DEYAERT | 3 Oct BK A Page | 1869 236 |
| Caleb YOUNT--Emmerilla Pamela YOUNT Married by: A.C. McDONALD (JP) | 19 Oct BK A Page | 1869 236 |
| M.D. HOPKINS--Alice GOODRICH Married by: G.L. HAMILTON | 8 Nov BK A Page | 1869 237 |
| James CARTER--Lizzie FRENCH Married by: James WYLIE (MG) | 11 Nov BK A Page | 1869 237 |
| Alston W. EVERTS--Ada F. SELVOY Married by: John E. MARTIN (MG) | 18 Nov BK A Page | 1869 237 |
| Samuel W. JACKS--Julia A. SLEEPER Married by: W.S. BRYANT | 2 Dec BK A Page | 1869 238 |
| John HALL--Harriet SEARS Married by: R.J. DAVENPORT | 5 Jan BK A Page | 1870 238 |
| Patrick MAYHER--Ann LYONS Married by: P. DEYAERT | 3 Jan BK A Page | 1870 238 |
| Manuel ROMERO--Genovera JAMORA Married by: P. DEYAERT | 6 Jan BK A Page | 1870 239 |
| Haden EIDSON--Mary Frances EDGERTON Married by: G.W. FORD (MG) | 1 Feb BK A Page | 1870 239 |
| James GALLAGHER--Norah TOBIN Married by: P. DEYAERT | 2 Feb BK A Page | 1870 239 |
| Thomas COLLINS--Ellen SHINE Married by: P. DEYAERT | 27 Feb BK A Page | 1870 240 |
| Edwin WILKINS--Caroline NASH Married by: G.W. FORD (MG) | 7 Mar BK A Page | 1870 240 |
| Moses STEWART--Olivia Sophia DYER Married by: --- | 14 Mar BK A Page | 1870 241 |
| Jacob NEWSBERGER--Eve LONG Married by: James WYLIE | 14 Mar BK A Page | 1870 241 |
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BIBLE RECORD

GRAFF

MARRIAGES

Henderson D. Graff Carrie Lavinia Darling in Chicago, Illinois November 28th 1900 at St. Pauls Episcopal Church Lake Ave. Kenwood Rev. Charles Biaby officiated Assisted by Rev. Herman Page

Robt. Richard Jacobsen and Margaret Davis Graff in Chicago, Illinois Oct. 12th 1927 at 928 East Hyde Park Blvd. Dr. Geo. H. Thomas of St. Pauls Episcopal Church officiating.

Margaret Graff Jacobsen divorced from Robert Richard Jacobsen February 1931

Harvey Reynolds Jewett and Margaret Graff Jacobsen May 16, 1931 at Rockford, Ill.

Louise Darling Jewett Jay Edwin Schultz in Rockton, Illinois June 29, 1950 at the Old Stone Church Reverend Claude Warren officiating.

Harvey Reynolds Jewett, Jr. and Christa Doris Eckhard in Clawson, Michigan, Aug. 8, 1958 at the Trinity Lutheran Church by Rev. Waldo Egbert

Elizabeth Ann Schultz to Robert Joseph Tabor, November 10, 1972 Pharr, Texas

David J. Schultz to Kathy Jo Stebleton, June 10, 1978 Napa, California

BIRTHS

Louise Darling Graff daughter of Henderson D. and Carrie Lavinia Graff born October 23rd 1901 at 4727 Lake Ave. Chicago, Ill.

Margaret Davis Graff second child of Henderson D. and Carrie Lavinia Graff born February 17th 1907 at 5636 Washington Ave. Chicago, Ill.

Louise Darling Jacobsen daughter of Richard R. Jacobsen and Margaret Graff Jacobsen born January 5th 1930 at St. Lukes Hospital, Chicago, Ill.

Louise Darling Jacobsen legally adopted by Harvey R. Jewett July 1931 Rockford, Ill. Winnebago, Co.

Harvey Reynolds Jewett Jr. Feb. 10th 1932 at Rockford Ill. son of Harvey R. Jewett and Margaret G. Jewett

Elizabeth Ann Schultz daughter of Jay E. Schultz and Louise Jewett Schultz born Rockford Memorial Hospital, Rockford, Ill. Jan. 8, 1952

David J. Schultz son of Jay Schultz and Louise Jewett Schultz; born in San Mateo, California August 6, 1954

Jayne Louise Schultz daughter of Jay Schultz and Louise Jewett Schultz born in Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, October 27, 1958

Scott Eckhard Jewett son of Harvey R. Jewett, Jr. and Christa Eckhard Jewett born in Washington, Aug. 12, 1959

Alan Harvey Jewett son of Harvey R. Jewett, Jr. and Christa Eckhard Jewett born in San Diego, California on October 27, 1961

Susan Margaret Jewett, daughter of Harvey R. Jewett, Jr. and Christa Eckhard Jewett born in San Diego, California on December 1, 1963

Ann Marie Tabor, daughter of Elizabeth Ann Schultz Tabor and Robert Joseph Tabor, born November 3, 1976 at McAllen Texas

DEATHS

Carrie D. Graff wife of Henderson D. Graff died March 19th 1926 at Chicago Kenwood Hotel 4704 Kenwood Ave.

Henderson D. Graff March 14th 1942 in Chicago, Illinois

Harvey Reynolds Jewett February 22, 1968 McAllen, Texas

This Bible is in possession of Louise Jewett Schultz (Mrs. J.E.), 4382 Cto. Del Diamante, San Diego, CA.



FOOTSTEPS THROUGH CALIFORNIA'S MOTHER LODE COUNTRY

OLD HORNITOS

THE WICKEDEST TOWN IN THE MOTHER LODE

Located 11 miles off Highway 49, or alternately 12 miles off Highway 140, Hornitos is a delightful relic of days gone by. The tall tree beauty of nearby Mariposa and Yosemite belie the sparse rolling hills burned brown by the blazing sun. The hard and rocky ground made above ground burial a necessity at first, and the graves resembled little outdoor ovens. The Mexicans referred to them as "hornitos", Spanish for little ovens.

The nearby area was rich in placer (surface) gold and miners were flowing in along with gamblers, thieves, outlaws, and "fandango" hall girls. This lesser element was kicked out of nearby Quartzburg, but while they were camped near Hornitos considering their situation, they discovered gold and a town was born.

The wealthy little town attracted a wide range of people: John Studebaker in 1853, worked as a blacksmith before returning to Indiana; Rosie Martinez had a two story Fandango Hall in 1852. By 1853 underground dance halls were popular where a pit dug in the center sometimes served as a "jail" for the more unruly of customers. The first real jail was built by 1852/53, made of adobe three feet thick.

Joaquin Murrieta frequented the town where his famous escape tunnels were well known for thwarting pursuers. And Joaquin was in fine company in town, overflowing as it was with rowdy, raucous, and totally wild citizens. Murder was frequent and seldom punished as law was non-existent.

Today, many old structures remain, including the Masonic Lodge (1856), the ruins of the Ghirardelli Building (of chocolate fame, before the company moved to San Francisco), the old church, several mines, the jail, and little in the way of modern buildings to disturb the dreamers of days of old.

submitted by Sandra K. Ogle, C.G.

Biblio: THE GOLD OF OLD HORNITOS, by Francisco Salazar as told to William B. Secrest, 1964, Saga West Publishing Company, Fresno, California.

Where are the Records of Napa County?

Birth records are kept in the County Recorder's Office. They begin in 1873, but there are a few earlier ones. To find the record you want, you must know the year, at least. You must fill out a card explaining why you want the record, and you must show relationship with the person in order to get a copy of the birth certificate.

Death records, also beginning in 1873, are in the County Recorder's Office, too. You should know the year, and records are accessible for search.

Marriage records are also in the Recorder's Office. They begin in 1850, and are indexed by year and by names of groom and bride.

Divorce records are kept at the County Clerk's Office. They are in chronological order with other civil cases, so you have to know the date.

Court records are all kept in the County Clerk's Office, but they are very complex and difficult to work with. They include probate of wills, civil, criminal, juvenile, and adoption cases.

Land records such as deeds are kept in the County Recorder's Office. They begin in 1850 and are indexed by year for both grantor and grantee.

Other records in the Recorder's Office include: old maps, old patents, and cattle brands.

Other records in the County Clerk's Office include: minutes of meetings of the Board of Supervisors, county ordinances, voter registration lists, professional licenses, articles of incorporation, partnerships, and lists of notaries public.

Taxation records are kept at the Tax Collector's Office.

Minutes of meetings of the City Council, beginning in 1872, are kept in the City Clerk's Office in the Napa City Hall. Also available there are copies of City Ordinances, beginning in 1874.

Fees are charged for searching most of the records mentioned above, and for photocopies of the documents.

Usually, these records were also published in the current local newspapers, beginning about 1862. Microfilm copies of the old newspapers are kept at the Napa City/County Public Library, and are available, free of charge, for use by the public. The library is now having these newspapers indexed by names of people and also by subjects of historical interest, such as businesses, mines, schools, organizations, specific areas in the county, old buildings, churches, Indians, Chinese, earthquakes, and animals. To locate records in the index files, ask the Reference Librarian to help you get a photocopy of the cards you are interested in. Then you can search the library's microfilms yourself and make copies of the articles you want.

Other historical records may be found in the Napa County Historical Society's files, and in archives of various businesses, organizations, churches, and cemeteries. For example, the Tulocay Cemetery's records begin about 1850 and are in good order, but the public does not have access to them. Also, Louis Ezettie, who writes a weekly column for the Napa Register, has extensive files on the history of Napa County.

Submitted by Ida DeMay Wilson

GENEALOGICAL RESOURCES IN THE BAY AREA

Libraries with significant genealogical holdings:

LDS Sacramento Branch
Genealogical Library

- * California Genealogical Society
870 Market Street, Suite 1124
San Francisco, CA
Tuesday and Thursday 9 am - 4 pm
- * California Historical Society
2099 Pacific Avenue
San Francisco, CA
Wednesday - Saturday 10 am - 4 pm
- * Society of California Pioneers
456 McAllister Street
San Francisco, CA
Monday - Friday 10 am 12, 1 pm - 4 pm
- * Sutro Library
480 Winston Drive
San Francisco, CA
Monday - Friday 10 am - 5 pm
- * Federal Records Center, Branch of the National Archives
1000 Commodore Avenue
San Bruno, CA
Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
- * Oakland Genealogical Library of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
4780 Lincoln Avenue
Oakland, CA
Tuesday - Thursday 9 am - 9 pm
Friday 9 am - 5 pm Saturday Noon - 5 pm
- * Oakland Public Library
125 14th Street
Oakland, CA
Tuesday - Thursday 9 am - 9 pm
Monday 1230 - 9pm Friday/Saturday 9am - 5:30 pm
- * Mayflower Society
405 14th Street, Terrace Level
Oakland, CA
Monday 8:30 am - Noon
Wednesday 9 am - Noon
- * Bancroft Library
University of California Campus
Berkeley, CA
Monday - Saturday 8 am - 5 pm
During school session, Sunday 1 - 5 pm
- * University of California
Main Library
Berkeley, CA
Monday - Friday 8 am - 10 pm
Saturday 8 am - 5 pm, Sunday 1 - 10 pm
- * California State Library
Library-Courts Building
9th and Capitol Mall
Sacramento, CA
For hours telephone (916)445-4149
- * Napa Valley Genealogical and Biographical Society
937 Coombs Street, second floor
Napa, CA
Hours listed on back cover.



The following poem was probably written by Jennie Shaffer, great aunt of our member Queen Cherney Berwald, as this was found in a family trunk and Jennie was always, "writing a bit of poetry."

Jennie Shaffer was born 23 August 1859 in Wisconsin and died 13 August 1947 in Iowa. She lived most of her life in Black Hawk County, Iowa.

In this county was an area called the "Big Woods", where the family lived and where, according to family tradition, the Indians were always causing some trouble. Perhaps this poem was written as a result of one of their forays-- perhaps this was actually Jennie's experience....

Oho

Minnehaha Laughing water
Cease they laughing now for aye
Savage hands are red with slaughter
Of the innocent today

Oho

Did they kill my Hans and Otto
Did they find them in the corn
Go and tell them savage monsters
Not to slay my youngest born

Oho

Minnehaha Laughing Water
Heedeth not this mournful tale
What cares Laughing Minnehaha
For the corpse lies in the vale

Oho

Oh my daughter Jennie darling
Worse than death was Jennie's fate
Nelson as the troops were leaving
Turned and closed the garden gate

Oho

Give me back my Selas tresses
Let me kiss them once again
She who blessed me with caresses
Lies unburied on the plain

Oho

Faithful fido you theyve left me
Can you tell me fido why
God at once has thus bereft me
All I ask is here to die

Oho

Soldiers bury her my darling
Place her there beneath the sod
Song was lived and loved together
Let me die with her Oh God

Oho

Did they find my new bought reaper
And the tall and ripening grain
Em my cow ask why I leave her
Wandering uncared for on the plain

Oho

See you smoke that was my dwelling
That is all I have of home
Hark I hear their fiendish yelling
As I homeless friendless roam



Family Record

KNAPP - ROMAINE

FAMILY RECORD

BIRTHS

Charles H. Knapp November 14th 1832 (Sharron, Litchfield Co., CT)
 Eliza Jane Knapp August 9th 1840 (Paterson, Passaic Co., NJ)
 Emeline P. Knapp August 1, 187 (Eighteen seven, CT, mother of Charles H.)
 Jedadiah Knapp July 2, 1797 (CT, father of Charles H.)
 Mary A. Romaine February 25, 1817 (NJ, mother of Eliza J.)
 Daniel Romaine July 21 1807 (NJ, father of Eliza J.)
 Myron Sylvz Knapp son of Charles H. & Eliza Jane Knapp born A.D. August 19th
 1857 (Fon du Lac Co., WI)
 Charles Edward Knapp son of Charles H & Eliza Jane Knapp born A.D. August 29th
 1859
 Hugh Cowan Knapp son of Charles H & Eliza Jane Knapp born A.D. July 12th 1861
 George Henry Knapp son of Chalres Henry & Eliza J. Knapp born A.D. September
 29th 1862
 Harriet Lucinda Knapp born Feb. 8th 1867 (dau of C.H. & E.J.)
 Amelia Ellen Knapp born Feb. 19th 1869 (dau of C.H. & E.J.)
 Netty Kattie Knapp born Apr. 26th 1872 (dau of C.H. & E.J.)
 Mary Eliza Knapp born Sept. 15th 1874 (dau of C.H. & E.J.)
 William Adelbert Knapp born March 23 1878 (son of C.H. & E.J.)
 Frank Tunis Knapp born August 31 1881 (son of C.H. & E.J.)
 Grace Knapp born July 2-1884 (wife of Frank)
 Glen Knapp born May 24 1906 (son of Frank & Grace)
 Millard Knapp born March 27 1908 (son of Frank & Grace)
 Donald Knapp born July 22 1911 (son of Frank & Grace)
 Inez Knapp born Aug 18 1918 (dau of Frank & Grace)
 Myrtel Marie Knapp born June 5 1921 (dau of Frank & Grace)

MARRIAGES

Charles H. Knapp - Eliza J. Romaine were joined in holy matrimony AD August 26th
 1856 (Auburn, Fon du Lac Co., WI)
 Myron S. Knapp - Sarah Kline were joined in holy matrimony AD December 5 1880
 (Castle Grove, Jones Co., IA)
 Charles E. Knapp - Lydia M. Hough were joined in holy matrimony A.D. August 26
 1882
 George H. Knapp - Calia A. Kline were joined in holy matrimony AD March 4 1889
 Joseph J. Allhouse Hattie L. Knapp was joined in holy matrimony May 22 1884
 Netty Kattie Knapp Edward C. Chapman December 19 1889
 Jess Longfield Mary E Knapp was joined in holy matrimony (no date)

DEATHS

Hugh Cowan Knapp died A.D. Sept 12th 1861
 Amelia Ellen Knapp died August 10th 1877
 Jedadiah Knapp died March 14 1883 (Fayette Co., IA)
 Emeline P. Knapp died November 15 1889 (Fayette Co., IA)
 Mary Ann Romaine died April 9 1896 (Fayette Co., IA)

Daniel Romaine died August 7 1906 (Fayette Co., IA)
 C.H. Knapp died Jan 27th 1911 (Martelle, Jones Co., IA)
 Harriet Lucindia Knapp died Oct 3th 1911
 Eliza Jane dide Feb 17 1918
 George H. Knapp died Aug 24 1928 (Linn Co., IA)
 Myrtel Marie Knapp dead March 21 1936

(The original pages of this record are in the possession of Madge L. King, great granddaughter of Charles H. Knapp and Eliza Jane Romaine; they were removed from the Bible some time ago. They were given to Mrs. King by a daughter-in-law of Frank Tunis Knapp. The record was apparently started by Eliza Jane and then added to by Charles Henry and several others. This conclusion was made based on handwriting comparisons with samples taken from Charles Henry's CivWar pension records. Submitted by Carol J. Carsner, member NVGBS.)

IN MEMORIAM

GERALDINE ELIZABETH BRUMAGE

B. 6 January 1909 in Parkersburg, W.Va.
 D. 7 May, 1984, Napa, CA

Daughter of Ira Edwin Lowther and Mary Delphia Straley Lowther. Wife of Harold Jacob Brumage (deceased). Sister to Mrs. Greek Barnhart, Belpre, Ohio, and Mrs. Clara O'Dell (deceased), William Lowther, and Ira Lowther of Parkersburg, W.Va. Five grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Mother to:

Virginia Wakeman of Napa, CA
 Dolores Holden of Parker, CO



CLARA LOUENA O'DELL

B. 26 December 1920 in Parkersburg, W.Va.
 D. 21 May, 1984, in Parkersburg, W.Va.

Daughter of Ira Edwin Lowther and Mary Delphia Straley Lowther. Wife of Orville Harrison O'Dell. Mother of four children and numerous grandchildren.
 Aunt of Virginia Wakeman.

DEATH RECORDS of Napa County 1873-1905

Most entries have additional information which lack of space prevents us from publishing. A complete copy of the entry may be obtained from the Napa County Recorder's Office, 1195 Third Street, Napa, CA 94559. Current fee is \$4.00.

| NAME OF DECEASED | SEX | AGE | NATIVITY | DEATH DATE | BOOK | PAGE |
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| BRINKLEY, H.G. | M | 30 | U.S. | 12 Jun 1875 | 1 | 13 |
| BRINKLEY, Jennie | F | 19 | CA | 14 Feb 1894 | 1 | 13 |
| BRION, Annie C. | F | 42 | Ireland | 7 May 1876 | 1 | 13 |
| BROCCA, Edward J. | M | 3mo | CA | 30 Nov 1901 | 1 | 33 |
| BROCCO, Joseph | M | 2 | CA | 30 Dec 1900 | 1 | 31 |
| BROCK, Thos. A. | M | 58 | MA | 10 Apr 1885 | 1 | 19 |
| BROER, Robert | M | 28 | Germany | 3 Jan 1880 | 1 | 17 |
| BROHMANN, August H. | M | 6 | CA | 24 Sep 1878 | 1 | 15 |
| BROOKS, Elizabeth | F | 92 | VA | 25 Aug 1894 | 1 | 27 |
| BROOKS, Florence K. | F | 9mo | CA | 2 Feb 1885 | 1 | 19 |
| BROOKS, Mary W. | F | 73 | NY | 3 Aug 1900 | 1 | 31 |
| BROOKS, Rolland E. | M | 5da | CA | 14 Nov 1892 | 1 | 15 |
| BROOKS, William | M | 66 | VA | 20 Jan 1879 | 1 | 15 |
| BROSKY, Florence | F | 71 | Prussia | 29 Sep 1891 | 1 | 23 |
| BROW, Louis | M | 40 | South Am. | 21 Nov 1874 | 1 | 13 |
| BROWER, H.H. | M | 65 | NY | 15 Oct 1873 | 1 | 13 |
| BROWN, August | M | 43 | Sweden | 3 Oct 1879 | 1 | 15 |
| BROWN, Ausdin A. | - | 1mo | CA | 1 Dec 1891 | 1 | 23 |
| BROWN, Catherine | F | 76 | Shelesswick | 16 Nov 1901 | 1 | 33 |
| BROWN, Cora A. | F | 14 | VT | 11 Apr 1873 | 1 | 13 |
| BROWN, Edward | M | 82 | Ireland | 12 Dec 1903 | 1 | 33 |
| BROWN, Fred | M | 26 | CA | 22 Aug 1897 | 1 | 29 |
| BROWN, Geo. | M | 65 | NY | 23 Aug 1884 | 1 | 19 |
| BROWN, Gertrude | F | 13 | CA | 17 Nov 1900 | 1 | 31 |
| BROWN, Isabella | F | 59 | France | 15 Apr 1892 | 1 | 23 |
| BROWN, J. Mrs. | F | 74 | unknown | 1 Feb 1898 | 1 | 29 |
| BROWN, J.E. | M | 42 | NY | 19 Nov 1899 | 1 | 31 |
| BROWN, Jacob B. | M | 65 | New Brunswick | 9 Oct 1890 | 1 | 23 |
| BROWN, Jennie E. | F | 30 | CT | 25 Feb 1894 | 1 | 25 |
| BROWN, John P. | - | 73 | New Brunswick | 15 Dec 1885 | 1 | 19 |
| BROWN, Julia | F | 62 | Ireland | 27 Jul 1874 | 1 | 13 |
| BROWN, Laurence | M | 55 | Ireland | 11 Dec 1888 | 1 | 21 |
| BROWN, Mary | F | 56 | VA | 19 May 1883 | 1 | 19 |
| BROWN, Mary | F | -- | -- | 21 May 1892 | 1 | 27 |
| BROWN, Mary | F | 49 | Ireland | 26 Sep 1899 | 1 | 31 |
| BROWN, Mary | F | -- | -- | 21 May 1892 | - | -- |
| BROWN, Smith | M | 83 | RI | 20 Nov 1901 | 1 | 33 |
| BROWN, Sophia | F | 54 | VT | 26 Sep 1876 | 1 | 13 |
| BROWN, Susan P. | F | 59 | Scotland | 24 Aug 1899 | 1 | 31 |
| BROWN, Thomas | M | 76 | Sweden | 12 Jul 1896 | 1 | 27 |
| BROWNE, Mrs. C.J. | F | 26 | IL | 1 May 1902 | 1 | 33 |
| BROWNLEE, Robert | M | 84 | Scotland | 19 Nov 1897 | 1 | 29 |
| BROWNLEE, Mrs. Robert | F | 67 | Scotland | 23 Jun 1901 | 1 | 31 |
| BRUCK, Theodore Bismark | - | 2 | CA | 23 Oct 1898 | 1 | 29 |
| BRUN, J.A. | M | 48 | France | 24 Feb 1894 | 1 | 25 |

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| BRUNNERS, Jacob | M | 1 | CA | 2 Oct 1899 | 1 | 31 |
| BRYAN, A.L. | M | 53 | IL | 30 Nov 1900 | 1 | 31 |
| BUCHLE, Chriss | M | 81 | Switzerland | 1 Mar 1895 | 1 | 27 |
| BUCHLI, Annie | F | 83 | Switzerland | 2 Feb 1902 | 1 | 33 |
| BUCK, Chris | M | 84 | Germany | 21 Feb 1902 | 1 | 33 |
| BUCKNER, Edyth | F | 19 | KS | 28 Jul 1900 | 1 | 31 |
| BUFORD, Angelina Ray | F | 53 | US | 25 Oct 1896 | 1 | 27 |
| BUHMAN, Nora T. | F | 31 | Ireland | 29 Mar 1902 | 1 | 33 |
| BUNCE, George R. | M | 27 | CA | 7 Dec 1895 | 1 | 27 |
| BURNHAM, Mrs. A.S. | F | 67 | MA | 7 Jan 1896 | 1 | 27 |
| BURRELL, Mrs. Thos | F | 77 | TN | 1 Jun 1901 | 1 | 31 |
| BURRILL, Thomas | M | 75 | York State | 25 Oct 1893 | 1 | 25 |
| BURRILL, Geo. W. | M | 57 | WI | 30 Dec 1893 | 1 | 25 |
| BUSH, Nellie | F | 15 | CA | 20 Feb 2895 | 1 | 27 |
| BUTLER, Ira D. | M | 11 | CA | 18 Oct 1900 | 1 | 31 |
| BUTLER, Joseph P. | M | 38 | NY | 3 Feb 1895 | 1 | 27 |
| BUTLER, Julia Ann | F | 67 | IN | 12 Feb 1897 | 1 | 29 |
| BUTLER, Oscar H. | M | 65 | MI | 24 Apr 1895 | 1 | 27 |
| BUTTNER, John | M | 58 | Canada | 27 Jun 1898 | 1 | 29 |
| BYINGTON, Mrs. Anna | F | 38 | OH | 14 May 1900 | 1 | 31 |
| BROZYODA, Lewese | F | 27 | Italy | 8 Feb 1889 | 1 | 21 |
| BRUCE, Mary E. | F | 65 | KY | 11 Feb 1903 | 1 | 33 |
| BRUCK, Edwin L. | M | 25 | CA | 7 Dec 1886 | 1 | 19 |
| BRUCK, Louis | M | 54 | Germany | 13 Jan 1881 | 1 | 17 |
| BRUCK, Willie | M | 21da | CA | 13 Jan 1876 | 1 | 13 |
| BRUENS, Fred | M | 37 | Germany | 25 Jul 1882 | 1 | 17 |
| BRUGHELLI, Claude | M | 24 | Switzerland | 14 Jul 1888 | 1 | 21 |
| BRUGHELLI, Raphael | M | 25da | CA | 1 Jul 1878 | 1 | 15 |
| BRUHN, Barnhart | M | 54 | Germany | 29 Jun 1889 | 1 | 21 |
| BRUHN, Emil | M | 17 | Germany | 6 Oct 1879 | 1 | 15 |
| BRUHN, Mrs. E. | F | 56 | Germany | 12 Oct 1892 | 1 | 25 |
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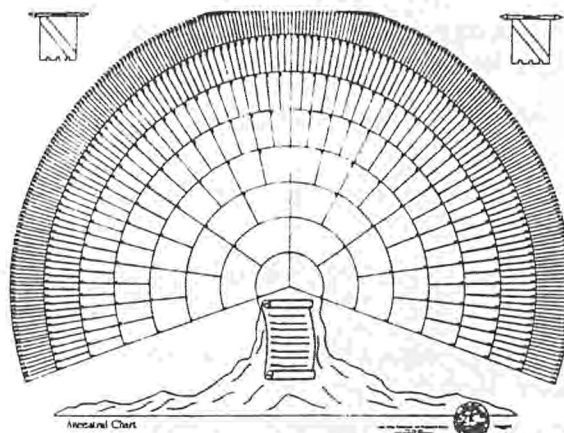
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