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A MEMORIAL TO "AL" LETCHER, 1909 - 1978

The members of this Society and his many friends were saddened by the death on March 28 of charter member and past president (1974-75) William Albert Letcher, Jr.

He was born Dec. 23, 1909 in Nanaimo, British Columbia, Canada, the son of W. A. Sr. (1875-1941) and Lulu May Dunn (1873-1941). Al's parents were United States citizens from Lucerne County, Pennsylvania who went to Nanaimo to work. He was registered as a U. S. citizen at birth, and as Al used to say, "I have a Canadian birth certificate to prove it!"

Al was a second generation American on his father's side. His grandparents, William Wills Letcher (Lecher) (1851-1931) and Elizabeth Ann Rosevear (1854-1886) came from Cornwall and settled in or near Nanticoke, Pa.

On the Dunn side, Al was a descendant of a long line of U.S. citizens--he never was able to find the first ones who came into this country. His mother, Lulu, was the daughter of Anson (1846-1892) and Sarah C. Brown (1845-1927); granddaughter of Joseph Alpheus (1817-1878) and Martha Hanna (1812-1892); great-granddaughter of William (1785-1842) and Mary Zotter aka Polly Yetter (b. 1794).

Sarah Brown was the daughter of William, Jr. (1797-1880) and Julia Ann Mosier; William (1770-1797) the son of William, Sr. and Sarah Lewis (b. 1778), and Wm Sr. the son of Alexander and Mary Tyler.

Al was retired from Douglas Aircraft Company in Long Beach in 1971, and came to Siskiyou County to live in 1972. His other interests included amateur radio--he held W6HWM from 1933 and had amateur call 6ADS in 1927; music (he played the organ for church in Fort Jones and when he was active in the BPC Elks #1539 in San Fernando); the Fort Jones Museum, where he served ad do-director for two years, and the Fort Jones United Methodist Church.

JOSEPHINE M. "JO" KINNEY

Josephine M. Kinney, "Jo" to all her many friends in the genealogical and historical fields, will be greatly missed by all members of the Genealogical Society of Siskiyou County, California. As our past president for the last two years, she was untiring in her efforts in our behalf, and we acknowledge it and are deeply grateful.

Jo was the wife of Norman Kinney of Yreka. She succumbed to a heart attack in the family home on May 12, suddenly and unexpectedly. A member of a pioneer Scott Valley family, Josephine Moore Parker Kinney was born Oct. 22, 1910, at the Parker Ranch in Ploughman's Valley near Callahan. She attended the East Fork Grammar School and was a graduate of Etna High School. Later she graduated from Heald's Business College in San Francisco and became a legal secretary, working in San Francisco and Yreka. She was the daughter of Clyde Morris Parker and Maude Baker Parker, and the granddaughter of Alexander Parker who founded the Parker Ranch in 1858.

She was the first woman president of the Siskiyou County Historical Society, a volunteer member of the T. B. Association for the past twenty years, a member and officer in Stella Chapter No. 39, Order of the Eastern Star, and a member of the Trail Riders and Garden Club in addition to other activities.

She leaves her husband whom she married on June 9, 1939, a daughter, Mrs. Raylin Stadler of Boise, Idaho, and a son, Richard Kinney of Fresno; a sister and brother, Mrs. Helen Richter of Yreka, and Warren Parker of Scott Valley; and four grandchildren, Julianne and Robert Stadler of Boise, and Shanna and Katy Kinney of Fresno. Cousins include Gail Baker of Beaverton, Ore., and Christine Main of Yreka. Fr. Thomas Cartwright of St. Mark's Episcopal Church officiated at her funeral with members of the Eastern Star participating. After cremation, she was interred in the Parker Family plot in the Etna Cemetery. Honorary pallbearers were Phil Weinzinger, Aubrey Sander, Earl House, Ray Keiley, Walter Broce and Bill Lange.



## NORMAN KINNEY

Members of our Society were saddened to learn of the death of Norman Kinney, husband of Josephine Parker Kinney, on June 12, 1978. Despondent since the sudden and unexpected death of his wife, Jo, on May 12, he apparently took his own life in the yard of their home.. They were married on June 9, 1939.

Norman was born Nov. 24, 1914 in Los Angeles and was raised at Bishop, Inyo County. He had lived in Yreka since 1938 and was a salesman for Maginnis Chevrolet Company at the time of his death.

His affiliations included Howard Lodge No. 37, Free and Accepted Masons of which he was the secretary, the High Noon Club, Yreka Lodge No 1980, B. P. O. Elks and the Siskiyou County Historical Society. As a member of our Genealogical Society of Siskiyou County, we appreciate the help he has given us and his support of his wife, Josephine, in all her activities which were a benefit to us.

He is survived by a daughter and son, Mrs. Raylyn Stadler of Boise, Idaho, and Richard W. Kinney of Bishop and four grandchildren, Julianne and Robert Stadler and Shanna and Kathryn Kinney.

ANDREAS CARL "ANDY" KLAR

Members of our Genealogical Society of Siskiyou County lost another good friend and fellow member at the death of Andreas Carl "Andy" Klar, husband of member Lila Grace Klar on June 1, 1978, due to a heart condition.

He was born July 13, 1915 in Elk Point, South Dakota, where he grew up. He and his wife, Lila Grace Klar, came to Siskiyou County in 1964 from Los Angeles County. He had worked in the Yreka Machine Shop for many years before his retirement last year.

He was a member and Past Master of Howard Lodge No. 37, Free and Accepted Masons of Yreka, a member of the Greenhorn Grange and the Yreka Senior Citizens.

In addition to his wife, he leaves a sister, Christine Fickbohm of Alcester, South Dakota, a brother, Herman Klar of Sioux City, Iowa, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held under the auspices of Howard Lodge in Girdner's Funeral Chapel, and interment followed in the Masonic section of Evergreen Cemetery. Casketbearers were John A. Denz, Clarence Deeds, Norve Nystrom, Clarence Sanders, Don Perdue, and Jim Coleman.



TOWNSHIPS WITH CORRESPONDING POST OFFICES AND CENSUS TAKERS IN 1870

TOWNSHIPS	POST OFFICE	CENSUS TAKERS
Big Valley	Yreka	
Butte	Edgewood	A. E. Paine
"	Berryvale	"
"	Gazelle	"
"	Yreka	"
Cottonwood	Henley	"
Humbug	Yreka	"
Klamath	Seiad Valley	Calvin Edgerton
Scott River	Scott River	"
Scott Valley	Fort Jones	"
"	Oro Fino	"
South Township	Fort Jones	"
"	Callahan Ranch	"
"	Etna	"
Surprise Valley	Lake City	James Vance
Table Rock	Mt. Shasta	A. E. Paine
Yreka	Yreka	"

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Earthquake Rent Siskiyou Mountains, from The Siskiyou News, July 4, 1907.

An Ashland dispatch to the city press tells a startling story of the effects of the earthquake of April 18, 1906, as felt in the Siskiyou mountains north of here.

As the story goes, J. Hendrix of Ashland, while cruising some timber in the Siskiyou mountains in the Pilot Rock region, came across a chasm four feet across the top and in places four feet deep. He followed the chasm for half a mile across the Siskiyou ridge. Along the aperture trees had been split and there are other evidences of a terrific force, but there is not a sign of discoloration or a burn, as is caused by lightning.

Mr. Hendrix is confident the chasm was caused by the earthquake that resulted in the practical destruction of San Francisco.

FIRST FEDERAL SURVEY ESTABLISHING BASE AND MERIDIAN LINES FROM  
MOUNT DIABLO, CALIFORNIA IN 1851.

San Francisco, California  
September 20, 1851.

To Saml. D. King, Esq.  
Surveyor General of the United States,  
for the State of California.

Sir:-

Agreeably to your instructions, dated July 8, 1851, which required among other things that "an east and west base and north and south Meridian line, be run and established, passing through the most prominent peak of Mount Diablo", I have attended to the duties assigned to me, and herewith report to you the result of our survey, together with the field notes thereof.

Having made the necessary purchases of provisions, tools, and camp equipage, and hired three men, we left San Francisco July 11th on the afternoon boat, and landed in Benecia that evening.

Major Allen of the Quartermaster's Department, stationed at Benecia, having kindly offered to furnish me with such horses, mules and vehicles belonging to the United States, as we might need, and that were not in immediate requisition for the use of the troops, we made the necessary arrangements on Saturday, and on Monday having hired two additional men, making the party six in all, as soon as the tide permitted, we embarked in a small sailing vesse, crossed the bay, and passed up a creek about 8 miles, when we made a landing at a place called the "Embarcadero." From this place we conveyed our camp equipage to Bishop's Ranch, near the foot of Mount Diablo on the west side, where we encamped.

On Wednesday we moved our camp as far up the mountain as our teams could go, which was about one third the distance, having



stored the greater portion of our provisions at Mr. Bishop's, to be called for as we might need them.

The next day having <sup>provided</sup> ourselves with the necessary tools and instruments, we ascended the mountain on foot. The day being exceptionally hot, the thermometer standing at full 100 in the shade, we suffered very considerably from heat, and some from the want of water, which we were deprived of for more than seven hours, there being no water, contrary to our anticipations, further up the mountain than our camp.

Arriving at the summit of the mountain we were fortunate in finding a very prominent, narrow and precipitous "Hog-back" ridge, running up to a point at the extreme east, and then falling off rapidly several hundred feet on the sides, as well as the end. At this extreme point, which is very apparently the highest point, we found a prominence of solid rock, not unlike a small "hay-cock", in the top of which we excavated a hole nine metres deep and six metres square as the point through which to run on east and west base, and north and south meridian line. Having searched in vain, on the mountain, for a stick suitable for a flag staff, and being in a famishing condition for the want of water and our dinner, at 4 P. M. we descended the mountain to our camp.

Friday July 18th. Having provided ourselves with materials for a flag staff at Bishop's Ranch at the foot of the mountain, and with a horse and two mules we ascended the mountain again, constructed a staff and flag from the materials taken up, which we erected in the hole on the point of the rock, in the manner specified in our extended notes of survey, and also took bearings to three other prominent but lower rocky points which we marked. There can be no possible difficulty "in all time to come" in searching out and easily finding the prominence. From the top of this mountain a beautiful prospect is opened before you.

Looking east and north, you trace the San Joaquin and Sacramento Rivers winding their way through extensive valleys skirted by "Tulan" swamps or marshes which are cut up in every imaginable form by "Arroyos" or inlet creeks. Passing the eye

further north and east, from 12 to 15 miles distant, you have a full view of the junctions of those rivers and the several islands interspersed, also the Suisun Bay and the lofty pointed and picturesque mountain ranges surrounding it on the north and west. Further west you have a full view of Benicia, and the military and naval depots of Martinez, and the high lands and bay adjacent to the Capital of the state. Looking west you have a distant view of the beautiful Bay of San Francisco extending to the entrance at the "Golden Gate", and a little south of west the islands and shipping in that part of the bay fronting the City, some 30 miles distant. Near the foot and spurs of the mountain you see on the east the valley called Marsh's Ranch spread out before you. On the north the plain on which New York of the Pacific, and Antioch are situate. Northwest and west the Pachaco valley extending some 15 miles from north to south and form a fine plain from east to west. Portions of this plain, and in fact nearly all of it, have the appearance of being susceptible of a high state of cultivation. At a distance of seven miles west of the mountain this valley is broken by spurs of ridges, and narrowing from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile in width, it extends in a southeast direction until it reaches Amido's Ranch, about 12 miles south of the mountain. Here the valley turns abruptly to the east and spreads out to 4 or 5 miles east from Amido's house. These valleys and the ravines and hills surrounding them are mostly covered with thick wild oats, growing from 4 inches to as many feet in height. Even Mount Diablo has a covering of wild oats extending to near its summit. These wild oats afford abundant pasturage to the extensive droves of cattle and horses that are scattered abroad over this magnificent range, and also, to herds of elk, antelope and deer that abound here. One herd of elk that we saw on the mountain numbered at least 200.

It may be proper here to remark that Mount Diablo, so called, consists of two prominences, or ridges, separated from each other at their top from 1 to 2 miles by a ravine extending two thirds of the way down from the top. The southwestern



EVERGREEN CEMETERY compiled by Caraway and Louise George,  
continued. Typed by Patricia Ann George. Section 20.

KEATON, Henry	1908	1937
KEATON, Jess Ernest	Sept. 29, 1889	Mar. 24, 1962
WOODS, Elsie Pearl	Aug. 2, 1891	May 2, 1963
MORGAN, William L.	July 15, 1906	-
RUFF, Erselle R.	Aug. 24, 1913	Oct. 4, 1964
DIXON, Walter Lee	May 5, 1884	Feb. 1, 1965
BROWN, Cecil H.	1901	1965
BROWN, Nora Catherine Marie	Oct. 4, 1894	Dec. 20, 1971
NELSON, Rose B.	1875	1928
FROST, William R.	Mar. 28, 1852	Mar. 11, 1933
FROST, Harriet Pool	Jan. 28, 1841	Mar. 7, 1930
POLLOCK, Mary	Died Feb. 22, 1927	
COOK, William L.	1868	1930
BOYDSTON, Georgia	1900	1930
TURRE, Ethyl Grace	July 12, 1896	Dec. 18, 1968
TURRE, Jerry Elwin Calif. Sgt. U. S. Marine Corps, Korea	Nov. 2, 1931	Apr. 21, 1962
TURRE, Charles J.	1872	1953
TURRE, Clara M.	1872	1915
TURRE, Clarence H.	1901	1929
TURRE, Paula	1913	1934
TAYLOR, Emily De Avila	Nov. 26, 1874	Apr. 2, 1945
DE AVILA, Antone S.	1864	1929
DE AVILLA, William F.	May 23, 1913	July 21, 1940
LEWIS, Edna Ruth	Sept. 22, 1911	Apr. 12, 1927
LEWIS, Charles R. Oregon. Pvt. 3011 Base Unit AAF. WW II.	Nov. 14, 1909	Aug. 5, 1956
AKIN, Rena J.	Sept.	
RICE, Eilien M.	Aug. 12, 1918	Mar. 17, 1969
AHLGREN Emma M.	Oct. 28, 1886	May 15, 1967
FROST, Roy	May 11, 1893	
FROST, Mabel E.	Aug. 6, 1896	
REISER, John	1862	1939

JONES, Ralph	1895	1932
DECLAINE, Fred	1863	1935
MIDDLETON, Frank	1874	1932
BROWN, Emmet D.	1898	1933
BROWN, Mary L.	1857	1934
BROWN, Emmet Dewey	Jan. 4, 1933	
Colorado. Mach. Mate	101. U.S. Navy WW I.	
GIRARD, Elizabeth G.	Feb. 20, 1909	Mar. 30, 1972
GIBESON, Patricia	1927	1929
GIBESON, Elsie D.	1886	1949
GIBESON, Josephe E.	1877	1957
GIBESON, Douglas E.	Junw 20, 1911	Feb. 21, 1972
Calif. Tec. 5, U. S. Army	WW II.	

EVERGREEN CEMETERY Section 20 continued. The following names are all of babies or children, buried in the same plot:

KUHN, Heide E.	July 1, 1928	Sept. 16, 1930
VANFLEET, Henry N.	Died March 21, 1930	
THOMAS, Donald Kenneth	Died 1929	
SCHROEDER, Norval R.	Died July 18, 1929	
SETTER, Patricia		
FARRIS, Mary C.	1/18/1932	1/1-/1932
JONES, Baby	Died 1932	
RUISE, Baby	Died Aug. 2, 1933	
ROBERTS, Virginia	5/23/34	5/24/34
BARNEART, Baby	May 19, 1934	
STANTON, Baby	Nov. 3, 1933	
PUGH, Lee, Jr.	8/15/1929	10/30/1932
PUGH, Carl Lee	9/18/1931	10/24/1932
TERRILL, Donna Jan	7/27/1932	
WILSON, Raymond	1930	1932
SAWYER, Thomas Jacob	May 4, 1932	
BAGLEY, Baby Boy	6/19/1934	
ADAMS, Riley V.	6/23/1934	8/4/1934
LAYTON, Stanley Baby	3/25/1935	3/26/1935
VIERRA, Sharon D.	5/30/1935	6/4/1935



GLOVER, Baby Boy	8/29/1935	Born, died.
UPHAM, Edna	Sept. 6, 1936	1 yr. 6 mos. 11 days.
JACOBSEN, Robert P.	July 24, 1936	1 mo. 29 days.
KNAPP, James	May 1, 1936	
BENSON, Evelyn	March 30, 1936	
BLANCHARD, Betty	Dec. 8, 1936	
CARTER, Baby Girl	Nov. 20, 1935	

The above names are all of children, buried in the same plot.

COLVIN, Robert	8/14/1864	1/5/1933
CLARK, Richard	Nov. 8, 1865	Dec. 9, 1930
CLARK, Carl	June 23, 1897	Aug. 31, 1923
Son of Richard and Josephine Clark.		
BRUCE, Wallace	1904	1931
BRUCE, Ethel	1910	1942
TURCHEN, Zena	Feb. 18, 1886	Feb. 20, 1966
THOMAS, Fern Walker	Mar. 1, 1895	June 10, 1971
Calif. Pvt. U. S. Army WW I.		
SUPER, Joseph	Feb. 27, 1865	
SUPER, Iren A.	Apr. 19, 1868	June 28, 1943
FELTS, Myrtle May	1903	1927
SCHULER, Matilda A.	Sept. 9, 1900	Feb. 14, 1952
SCHULER, Ernest J.	Died June 29, 1957	
SCHULER, Dosia D.	Dec. 9, 1899	May 24, 1951
SCHULER Aaron	1892	1933
SCHULER, Ruth M.	8/5/1920	2/10/1921
VAGENT, Bernice Irene	Mar. 22, 1904	Dec. 14, 1922
VAGENT, John	Aug. 18, 1890	Sept. 25, 1956
Calif. P.F.C. 362 Infantry WW I.		
NUTSON, Annetta	1874	1936
NUTSON, Chris P.	1845	1924
HASTING, Anna	1879	1923
BROWN, Chester	1911 1923	1923
Son of W. D. and V. B. Brown.		
SLOVER, Clifford W.	1901	
SLOVER, Lena B.	1910	1963
SOLUS, Betty J.	Junw 29, 1932	May 19, 1961
DAVIS, Rosa L.	July 5, 1884	Feb. 25, 1966

MARRIAGE OF ANN HASSELTINE HILL AND JAMES HOWARD RUSSELL ON  
MAY 9, 1854.

The following article was written on May 9, 1915 by Ann Hasseltine Hill Russell on remembering her wedding day on May 9, 1854. It was presented to us by Ashley Howard Russell of 1708 SE Maple Street, Portland, Oregon through his niece, Blanche Doggett Heflin on June 13, 1978. Ann Hasseltine Hill and James Howard Russell are the ancestors of James Buchanan Russell and Clara Hovey Russell's children and their descendants.

Some memories of sixty one years ago: It occurred to me while in Church today, and as it is now a Red-letter day (Mother's Day) I would recall my wedding day. I can still see my father's sad look. He was going to lose his youngest girl. I do not remember so much my mother's acts or looks of that day, only her solicitude to have our log house with its 8 foot open fire place, benches (for chairs) to look their best. That means to be scoured as white as wood could be made, perhaps the County Judge coming to perform the sacred ceremony added to the extra scrubbing. Dear Judge Mc Pherson, of Jacksonville (Mr. Russell's very warm friend) my Aunt Kelley of Yreka came over to do her part of peace-making, for father was hard to reconcile to my marriage. She also was a seamstress of ability, and as to that, was master of any accomplishment when needed. My beautiful changeable light blue and salmon colored silk dress was made by her hands, in three days time, which had been sent to San Francisco for by Mr. Russell with all my wedding outfit by Mr. Davis, a friend and brother-in-law of John Gibbs. My dress was made in the very latest style, tight fitting and plain waist, point in front and back, plain tight sleeves, flowing caps in the arm-holes, trimmed with seven bias folds, the skirt had seven full straight widths, gathered at the waist with three rows of gatherings. My "gater boots" were grey, seventeen buttons high, very pretty indeed. My bonnet was grey with pink flowers, (cost \$20.00) a white chemise, richly



embroidered shawl, and white gloves were the contents of the San Francisco box, left at our door a week previous by Mr. Russell. He said, "A box from Mr. Davis to you."

Aunt Kelley superintended dressing the bride, which was in a curtained off part of the long dining room and kitchen, and served as bedroom also, the table setting and cooking and subsequent commotion was going on in the other end of the same room, while the guests kept a very merry chatter in the large front room where the ceremony was to take place. When the feast was ready and the bride dressed, all entered the front room, and the bridegroom came to admire his "little girl" as he called me. After turning me around seven times to admire and with saucier appearance said, "Now I am afraid I won't remember when to say, "I will." You prompt me if I don't. I replied, "Must I pinch you?" "Anyway," he said.

Well, I was only a child, 16 years old, but that vow I watched for and took to keep, solemn as it seemed to me as I stood before that Judge and God. I wondered how the Judge managed to make it so long and put all of a Law book in that one marriage ceremony.

Today not one of those are living who were present then except my two sisters, Lou and Mary, who are so far away I can not ask them to help me remember, but I do remember how hard it was to swallow my wedding supper and to keep tears from showing in my eyes as I saw how different my wedding was from Mary's in February before when the neighbors were all invited in. Next day (May 10, 1854) we went to a ball in Jacksonville with a hack load, Cecelia Wells (Mrs. Songer) joining us at the Well's log house built as a "Port house" as a protection against Indian outbreaks so much dreaded by all. That ball was in honor of us and Mr. and Mrs. Robertson who had lately been married. I did not dance, so was entertained by frequent invitations to learn them by introductions to the best and the select of the valley. Mr. Beckman being ever ready to assist and agreeable as a friend. #####

QUERY: Ida Maud Hurley, b 3 Sept. 1873, Yreka. CA, dau. of Silas Hurley. M. 29 Nov. 1894 to Louis Stover in Pocahontas Co. Iowa. Fam. tradition that Ida was from Indian descent. Need m. date of Silas and name of wife. Darvin L. Stover, N17 W5441 Garfield, Cedarburg, Wisconsin 53012. 14

HOMESTEAD RECORDS, SISKIYOU COUNTY, compiled by Caraway George.  
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- PARROTT, George declaration 14 Feb., 1872 Bk 2 p. 57  
Married. Lake City.
- PAXTON, J. L. declaration 2 Dec. 1873 Bk 2 p 96.  
Married. Yreka City.
- PITMAN, Martin B. declaration. 7 May 1874 Bk 2 p 103.  
Married.
- POPE Charles declaration. 28 Dec. 1876 Bk 2 p 151.  
Married.
- PATTON, Matthew declaration 2 Mar. 1877 Bk 2 p 156.  
Married. Sawyer Bar.
- PATEK, Joseph declaration 23 July 1877 Bk 2 p 164.  
Married. Scott Bar.
- PECK, George H. declaration 18 Sept. 1879 Bk 2 p 211.  
Married. Yreka City.
- PAXTON, J. L. Abandonment 4 Nov. 1879 Bk 2 p 215.  
P. Paxton wife. Fort Jones.
- PAXTON, J. L. declaration 4 Nov. 1879 Bk 2 p 217.  
Married. Fort Jones.
- PHILLIPS, Chas. E. declaration 29 Sept. 1880 Bk 2, p 230.  
Wife, 2 children. Shasta Valley.
- PECK, George H. Abandonment 26 Jan. 1881 Bk 2 p 245.  
Wife, Ella Peck. Yreka City.
- PECK, George declaration 26 Jan. 1881 Bk 2 p 246.  
Married. Yreka City.
- PRAIRA, Joseph Martinez 12 Jan. 1882 Bk 2 p 280.  
Married. Hawkinsville.
- PARRY, John T. declaration 13 July 1883 Bk 2 p 280.  
Married. Hawkinsville.
- PEREIRA, Joseph Martin declaration 10 Apr. 1886 Bk 2 p 335.  
Family. Yreka City.
- PERKINS, Minnie declaration 2 Apr. 1890 Bk 2 p 428.  
Married. City. Yreka City.
- PECK, George H. declaration 21 June 1892 Bk 2 p 485.  
Wife, four children.



PERRY, Mary declaration 21 Aug. 1893 Bk 2 p 485  
Husband Manuel Perry.

PAUL, Kalherina declaration 26 Aug 1893 p 516  
Husband Wenzel J. Paul

PAYNE, Festus declaration 8 Nov. 1893 Bk 2 p 522  
Married.

PARKINSON, Priscilla E., Mrs. declaration 25 Nov. 1895 Bk 2  
p 579. Husband.

PRESTON, James M. declaration 29 Feb. 1895 Bk 2, p 580  
Wife, six children.

PAPST, Eliza Ann declaration 29 Feb. 1896 Bk 2 p 587  
Husband F. F. Papst. Town Dunsmuir.

PARKER, J. B. declaration 29 Apr. 1896 Bk 2 p 595.  
Family.

Parker, Alex. declaration 29 Apr. 1896 Bk 2 p 596.  
Family. Plowmans Valley.

PAYNE, Festus Relinquishment 28 Sept 1896 Bk 2 p. 608  
Wife Martha M. Payne.

PAYNE, Festus declaration 28 Sept. 1896 Bk 2 p 609  
Wife Martha M. Payne.

POOL, Mrs. Harriet Leander declaration 28 Feb. 1897 Bk3 p3  
Husband Leander Pool.

PREIRA, Jim (Joseph Martin) declaration 20 Feb. 1897 Bk 3 p7  
Family.

PATTERSON, Herbert J. declaration 14 May 1897 Bk 3, p 17  
Married.

PIERFOUT, J. W., Mrs. declaration 7 Dec. 1897 Bk 3 p 33  
Husband J. W. Pierfout.

PRICE, J. M. DECLARATION 23 Feb. 1898 Bk 3 p 39  
Widower. Town Sisson.

PRESTON, JAMES M. Abandonment 21 Mar. 1898 Bk 3 p 41  
Wife Eva Angaline Preston.

PRICE, J. M. declaration 21 May 1898 Bk 3 p 46  
Unmarried being a widower.

POLLARD, F. C. declaration 9 Nov. 1898 Bk 3 p 55  
Wife, one child. Yreka City.

PAYTON, Nora A. declaration 21 Mar. 1899 Bk 3 p 64  
Husband Henry a Payton.

POOLE, Mrs. Emma C. declaration 11Jan. 1900 Bk 3 p 82  
Husband William E. Pool.

PARR, Dr. W. H. declaration 16 Apr. 1902 Bk 3, p 105  
Wife, two children. Yreka City.

GREAT REGISTER OF SISKIYOU COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, 1866-1878 continued.

NAME	AGE	BIRTHPLACE	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
HOOD, William**	25	New Hampshire	Civil Engineer	Willow Creek
HARMON, John Anderson**	29	Indiana	Miner	Rough & Ready
HATCH, Justice Root**	32	Vermont	Teamster	Callahans
HAGAN, Patrick***	36	Ireland	Laborer	Fort Jones
HUDSON, William Lafayette**	40	Tennessee	Saloon Keeper	" "
HASKELL, Alfred Wilder**	33	Massachusetts	Insurance agent	Yreka
HUGHES, Leander Walker**	34	Kentucky	Farmer	Eagle Creek
HUMMICUTT, William Stancle**	32	Illinois	Brickmaker	Yreka
HUMPHREYS, David***	40	Wales	Miner	McAdams Creek
HORNBACK, James**	35	Ohio	Teamster	Surprise Val.
HALL, William Finley**	43	Missouri	Miller	Rough & Ready
HICE, William**	36	Pennsylvania	Miner	Quartz Valley
HANSON, Oley**	49	Norway	Farmer	Parker Creek
HACKER, George Washington**	40	Tennessee	Laborer	So. Fork Pitt River
HIGGINS, Elijah Armstrong**	51		Stockraiser	Hot Springs
HARRIS, Gamaliel Fullenwider**	26	Kentucky	Teacher	Lake City
HOWARD, Henry Clay**	21	Iowa	Laborer	Hot Spring Valley
HESSENAUER, John Nicholas*	41	Germany	Brewer	Yreka
HARRISON, John Owen**	22	Arkansas	Clerk	Butte Creek
HAYDEN, Richard Vose	77?	Maine	Lawyer	Callahans
HALL, Thomas*	27	England	Farmer	Willow Creek
HORE, James*	37	"	Miner	Greenhorn
HENRY, John Abraham	37	Iowa	Laborer	Yreka
HAAS, George*	50	Wurtemberg	"	Rough & Ready
HENRY, Thomas Benton	36	Alabama	Miner	Mountain Town
HEATH, James White**	21	Indiana	School teacher	Goose Lake

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NAME	AGE	BIRTHPLACE	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
HOLEMAN, David**	39	Pennsylvania	Farmer	Surprise Val.
HENDERSON, Luther Edwin**	31	Missouri	"	Goose Lake
HENKLE, Colbert**	28	Iowa	Saloonkeeper	" "
HILL, Harry Greene**	34	Tennessee	Teacher	Hot Spring Val
HOLMAN, Millard**	40	Maine	Physician	Yreka
HULETT, John J.**	22	Kentucky	Laborer	Rough & Ready
HOWARD, James Webster**	57	Tennessee	Stockgrower	Hot Spring
HILL, Orker Wilder**	22	Illinois	"	" "
HOBART, William	28	"	Blacksmith	Scott River
HILL, Daniel E.**	28	Ohio	Farmer	Surprise Val.
HENDERSON, David William**	28	Iowa	Butcher	Adin
HERRON, Willaim***	24	Canada	Farmer	Cedarville
HUSTON, William Thomas**	21	Oregon	Foundryman	Yreka
HORN, Adam	21	New York	Harnessmaker	Fort Jones
HOIRIGEN, Michael*	43	Ireland	Miner	Mountain Twp.
HUTCHINS, Henry Thomas	41	United States	"	Klamath Mill
HOURGAN, Austin Thomas	34	Massachusetts	Blacksmith	" "
HALVERSON, Aslack*	40	Norway	Miner	Billon
HAMMEL, George*	43	Wirtemberg	"	Salmon
HALEY, Timothy*	44	Canada	"	"
HOOKEK, Jerry Madison	49	New Jersey	"	"
HUTCHISON, John Henry	46	U. S.	"	Sawyers Bar
HICKEY, Thomas*	42	Ireland	"	" "
HICKS, John	33	U. S.	Timberman	South Fork
HUGHES, James Robert	39	U. S.	Miner	Liberty
HARRIS, William Henry	33	Michigan	Lumberman	Sawyers Bar
HOPSON, Almond Moss	45	New York	Laborer	" "
HOME, Jacob Edwin	40	N. H.	Miner	Salmon
HANSEN, Charles*	48	Holland	"	"
HUGHES, John Striker	45	U. S.	"	"
HARTZ, Anthony*	48	France	Teacher	Rough & Ready

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NOTES FROM THE OLD SAN BERNARDINO GUARDIAN (CALIFORNIA)

FEBRUARY 23, 1867:

Major Porter, of the 14th United States Infantry on his way to Philadelphia to report to General Meade. He came through with an escort of 6 soldiers, from Fort Mojave, at which place he has been stationed for some time past. The party encountered no Indians on the road, although some were seen on this side of Camp Cady--- Mr. Hoffman, who accompanied Major Porter, reports no teams on the road on the other side of Lane's, but he counted 43 this side, all bound for the river. The people on the river are in great want of provisions, having for the last 3 weeks been reduced to beans straight.

Mr. Hardy is about to put up his mill for working his mine.. situated..not far from his own premises, on the Colorado River. The mill is to be erected at Hardyville. There are about 500 tons of rock on hand ready for crushing.

MARCH 30, 1867:

TABLES OF DISTANCE: (TABLES OF DISTANCE REPEATED DAILY) FROM SAN BERNARDINO TO FORT MOJAVE:

San Bernardino to Martin's	12 $\frac{1}{4}$
Martin's to Tollgate	5
Tollgate to Canyon House	5 $\frac{5}{8}$
Summit to Cajon Pass	2 $\frac{3}{4}$
Crossing of Mojave (Lane's crossing)	17
Point of Rocks	12 $\frac{7}{8}$
Cottonwoods	5 $\frac{3}{4}$
Grapevine (also called Jacobi's)	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
Fish Pond	6
Forks of the Road	11 $\frac{1}{8}$
Camp Cady	9 $\frac{1}{2}$
The Caves	16
Soda Lake	20
Point of Mountains (17 mile point)	19
Marl Springs	17
Government Holes	18



Rock Springs	2
Piute Hills	20
Fort Mojave	25
Piute Hills to Hardyville	<u>28</u>
	264 5/8
Fort Mojave to Prescott	161

FROM HARDYVILLE----- The roads to this place are in very bad condition at present, as are all roads everywhere. The Indians have been quiet of late. The Calvary which had been stationed at Camp Cady have been removed to Fort Whipple, (Prescott), for escort duty from that place to the river (Colorado). There are about fifteen men left at Camp Cady.

TABLES OF DISTANCES: (TABLES OF DISTANCE REPEATED DAILY)

From Wilmington to Los Angeles	18
San Pedros to Los Angeles	23
Los Angeles to El Monte	12
El Monte to Mud-Springs	18
Wilmington to Temple's Ranch	30
San Pedro to Temple's Ranch	35
Temple's to Mud-Springs	15
Mud-Springs to Cucamonga	14
Cucamonga to San Bernardino	22

NOTE: San Bernardino to Fort Yuma via Warner's Ranch and Carriso Creek also are given on the same page.

TABLES OF DISTANCES (TABLES OF DISTANCE REPEATED DAILY)

SAN BERNARDINO TO LA PAZ

Old San Bernardino Mission	8
Frinks	7
Dr. Edgar's	8
Chapin's Sheep Ranch	6
Antonio Creek	4
Grant Creek	3
Indian Run	5
White River	2

Agua Caliente	10
Sand Hole	11
Old Rancharia	6
Toro's	9
Martinez	5
Palma Seca	12
Dos Palmos	7
Brown's Pass	10
Tabassaco	8
Chucolwalla	18
Slough	35
La Paz	16
La Paz to Fort Mojave	140
La Paz to Eldorado Canyon	190
La Paz tp Weaver's Diggings	115
La Paz to Tuscon	280

June 1,

TROOPS... Lieut. Eyre,,14th Infantry, arrived last week at Drum Barracks, per steamer, with recruits for posts in this County, Camp Cady, Rock Springs, El Dorado Canyon, Arizona, and Fort Mojave, Arizona. Lieut. Eyre will relieve Lieut. Drumm at Camp Cady, who will take the post at Rock Springs.

From Hardyville...Operations on the Moss Ledge has been suspended but a shaft is being sunk to strike the ledge at another point...when work will be resumed at a lower level. Meanwhile Mr. Hardy has rented the mill to work the rock of his "Michigan" lode. Business generally is very dull on the river (Colorado). There has not been a steamer up at Hardyville for the past two months...Indian troubles...soldiers fiew, etc.

JUNE 8, Fifty-six men of the 8th U. S. Cavalry arrived at Drum Barracks by the last steamer enroute to Fort Mojave.

The steamer Sierra Nevada arrived in Wilmington...60 troops for Arizona under command of General French who, we understand, is to take command at Fort Mojave.

March 2, 1867 IMPROVEMENTS ON THE FORT MOJAVE STAGE ROUTE:

It is the intention of the proprierter of the Fort Mojave stage



line to put on one more change of horses and to run clear through from Hardyville to Prescott, until the middle of March. There will always be an escort of soldiers to accompany the stage from Camp Cady to Prescott.

MARCH 9, 1867. Dispatch from Hardyville, February 24, 1867 from the San Bernardino Guardian of the first date: Arizona Massacre.--- (Massacre in Arizona Described) We are to have more troops but they do not understand the situation, for at the Canyon, Callville and at Rock Springs they allow these same Pah-Ute devils to come out and do not harm them-- when we get any troops, they but afford a depot for the Indians they should shoot on sight. (This article was unsigned.)

MARCH 16, 1867. HIGH WATER. The Mojave was very high on the return trip of the stage and two of the horses came very near being drowned in crossing that stream. The stage has returned (to San Bernardino Ed.) on Thursday, being unable to cross the river having on two successive days made the attempt and failed.

Note: In the same column we find notice that the Banning Company, (stage) had removed all stock from the newly laid out road to Fort Yuma; because it was impossible to pass for a distance of 100 miles.

STATION BURNT BY THE INDIANS, March 16, 1867: We learned the station at the Point of Rocks on the Mojave stage route was burned on the last Wednesday week. Everything was destroyed-- houses, corral and fences. It had been uninhabited for over a month, and the Indians fired it in mere wantonness. Three days before, the troops enroute for Fort Mojave, were encamped there for a day and a night.

The mail for Prescott from Hardyville is dispatched regularly twice a week, and generally makes good time, arriving nearly on schedule day. By the beginning of next month stages will run regularly, carrying passengers semi-weekly between this place (San Bernardino) Hardyville and Prescott.

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PEDERSON, Hans	51	Denmark	Miner	Callahans xx 1864
PATEK, Joseph	48	Austria	Merchant	Scott Bar -x 1856
PIERCE MORTIMER KENNETH	49	Ill.	Carpenter	Butte
PANCHAUD, Frederick	43	Switz.	Farmer	Table Rock xx 1868
PATTON, Matthew	52	Ire.	Hotel Keeper	Sawyer's Bar -x 1857
POWER, John Bennett	21	Mo.	Miner	Forks of Salmon
PARKER, Samuel Fayette	34	Ohio	Farmer	Butte
PAULA, Wenzel John	47	Bohemia	Capitalist	Yreka xx 1858
PULLAN, William	55	Ky.	Miner	Virginia Bar
PEREIRA, Manuel	34	Port.	Farmer	Rough & Ready xx 1867
PEARSON, John	42	Eng.	Miner	Buckeye Bar xx 1875
PETERS, Charles Christian	67	Bremen Rep <sup>o</sup> lic	Brewer	Yreka xx 1857
PARSONS, George	47	Canada	Carpenter	Sawyer's Bar xx 1855
PIZEY, Manuel Ignacio	22	Port.	Farmer	Hawkinsville xx 1879
PEERCE, William John	29	Eng.	Miner	Black Bear x by father
PETERS, Claus	21	Ca.	"	Sawyer's Bar
POLAND, Perer	51	Va.	Watch Maker	Yreka
PARKER, Joseph	28	Ohio	Miner	Sawyer's Bar
PATTERSON, Joseph Rusling	58	Del.	Farmer	Butte
PECK, George Herbert	32	N. Y.	Telegrapher	Yreka
PERRY, John Wm.	33	Port.	Miner	Hawkinsville xx 1869
PAPE, Charles Louis	26	Md.	Carpenter	Yreka
POWERS, Wm. Watson	51	Va.	"	"
PIPES, Morgan Andrew	42	Pa.	Carpenter	"
PETERSON, Peter Payson	54	Denmark	School Teacher	Rough & Ready -x 1851
POOL, Leander	38	Ohio	Farmer	Yreka
PRINDEVILLE, John	37	Ire.	Miner	Oro Fino x 1873



PEACOCK, James Richard	41	Pa.	Miner	Black Bear
PELLETT, John Samuel	53	Switz.	"	Yreka xx 1864
POPE, Edward	62	Mass.	Gardener	Cottonwood
PEACOCK, Allen	46	N. Y.	Cattle Deal-	Yreka
PEREIRA, Antonio Faustino	33	Azores	Farmer	Hawkinsville xx 1867
PIPER, Joseph	39	Ger.	Blacksmith	Numbug xx 1867
PRESTON, James	49	N. Y.	Farmer	Butte
PHILLIPS, Charles E.	23	Ca.	Laborer	"
PARK, William	55	Ohio	Farmer	Yreka
PAYOT, Antoine	62	France	"	" x 1862
PUGH, Hugh	43	Wales	Miner	Cottonwood xx 1864
PAYNE, Nehemiah	50	Mo.	Teamster	Yre ka
PERRY, Jpseph Wm.	24	Port.	Miner	Hawkinsville x 1869
PIMENTIL, Manuel	32	Port.	Farmer	Yreka
PORTER, Charles, Wm.	40	N. Y.	Teamster	For t Jones
PORTER, James	31	Ire.	Laborer	Rough & Ready xx 1871
PAYNE, Festus	55	N. Y. N	Milkman	Rough & Ready
PARRY, John Teixeira	48	Port.	Farmer	Hawkinsville xx 1865
PIPPIN, Wm. Leroy	50	Tenn.	Miner	Hamburg Bar
PARSONS, Allen Swift	32	Mass.	Scroll Sa-	Klamath Mill
POWELL, Philip Melanethon	23	Ill.	Miner	Yocumville
PHILLIPS, Moses Boliver	50	Mich.	Farmer	Seiad
PERAY, Alexander	44	Port.	Miner	Hawkinsville xx 1871
PAIS, Antonio Soza	42	Port.	Miner	Hawkinsville xx 1865
POWER, Richard	48	Ire.	"	Petersburg xx 1863
PETERS, Martin	51	Prussia	Packer	Sawyer's Bar x 1865
PAULINO, Frank	31	Port.	Dairyman	Fort Jones xx 1875
PYLE, Isaac Howard	42	Ohio	Farmer	Etna
PEARMAN, Samuel	72	Pa.	Cabinet Maker	Butte