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JOHN MOTLEY MOREHEAD III, DESCENDANT OF CAPT. THOMAS GRAVES OF VA

Stephen Neal Dennis, Apt. 509, 3901 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20008 (sndesq@starpower.net), wrote that John Motley Morehead, the chemical engineer who through accidental circumstances in 1891 created calcium carbide and discovered that it was a cheap source of acetylene gas, thereby permitting the creation of Union Carbide Corporation, is a descendant of Capt. Thomas Graves of Jamestown, VA.

His line of descent is: (1) Capt. Thomas Graves, (2) John Graves, (3) Thomas Graves, (4) Thomas Graves, (5) Thomas Graves, b. 1691, (6) Thomas Graves, (7) John Graves, (8) Mary Graves, (9) John Kerr (1782-1842), a legendary evangelist, (10) Frances Kerr, (11) Mary Elizabeth Connally m. James Turner Morehead, (12) John Motley Morehead III, no descendants, named for his grandfather John

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS DUE

The next issue of the newsletter will be the last for 2001. Since all Association memberships and newsletter subscriptions are by calendar year, if you have not already joined for 2002, you should send your renewal now. Renewing now will prevent any delay in receiving your newsletter issues.

Motley Morehead, a governor of NC in the 1840s.

The following summary is from the John Motley Morehead Foundation website, printed with their permission.

Born on November 3, 1870, John Motley Morehead III was graduated from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1891. Although most widely known during his lifetime as a successful businessman, chemist, and engineer, Mr. Morehead was also an internationally known inventor, author, and scientist.

Following his graduation from the University, John Motley Morehead and his father were searching for an inexpensive method for manufacturing aluminum and instead discovered acetylene gas at their mill in Spray (now Eden), North Carolina. Mr. Morehead then developed an economical process for the manufacture of calcium carbide and laid the groundwork for the development of the Union Carbide Corporation. At the time of his death in 1965, Union Carbide had more than seventy-three thousand employees throughout the world and produced more than six hundred products.

Mr. Morehead's illustrious career also included the invention of an apparatus for analyzing gases and the publication of a book on the subject that remained the authoritative source for years. He served as mayor of Rye, New York, and was appointed by President Herbert Hoover as envoy and minister to Sweden from 1930 to 1933. As a result of his exceptional work as ambassador Mr. Morehead became the first foreigner ever honored with Sweden's gold medal for outstanding service.

In 1915, at the age of forty-four, Mr. Morehead married Genevieve Margaret Birkhoff. A few years after Genevieve Morehead's death in 1945, he married Leila Duckworth Houghton. Neither marriage produced children.

Mr. Morehead gave generously to his alma mater. In 1931, Mr. Morehead and Rufus Lenoir Patterson, a classmate and fraternity brother, donated the Morehead-Patterson Bell

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Tower to the University. In 1945, Mr. Morehead created the Morehead Foundation for the purpose of erecting the Morehead Building and establishing the Morehead Award. The Morehead Building, dedicated in 1949, houses the Morehead Planetarium, the Genevieve B. Morehead Art Gallery, the Copernican Orrery, the Morehead Observatory, scientific exhibition galleries, and the Morehead Foundation offices. The Foundation has tendered more than 2,300 Morehead Awards over the course of the last half-century.

To his hometown, Mr. Morehead gave the Morehead Stadium and Chimes to what was then known as the Tri-City High School of Leaksville, Spray, and Draper, since renamed John Motley Morehead Senior High School. He also made a significant gift to the local hospital which was later renamed John Motley Morehead Memorial Hospital.

John Motley Morehead's greatest loves were his native state of North Carolina and its university at Chapel Hill. The legacy of Mr. Morehead's dedication and devotion to the University continues to thrive today through the Morehead Program.

John Motley Morehead III died January 7, 1965.

OTHER NOTABLE GRAVES DESCENDANTS

The following Graves family members are among those on the Graves Family Association website. All suggestions for others to add will be appreciated.

JAMES ARNESS is a brother of actor Peter Graves. He is descended from John Graves of Concord, MA, via Benjamin², Benjamin³, Jonathan⁴, Elijah⁵, George T.⁶, Ann Maria⁷ Graves, Josephine⁸ Jencks, Hess Graves⁹ Duesler, etc.

He was born James Arness on 26 May 1923 in Minneapolis, MN, son of Ruth

(Duesler) Salisbury and Rolf Arness. Drafted into the U.S. Army during his freshman year (1942-43) at Beloit (Wisconsin) College, Arness was wounded in the leg at Anzio beachhead in 1944. After World War II he worked as a substitute radio announcer at station WLOL in Minneapolis for six months before drifting to Hollywood. While acting at the Bliss-Hayden Theatre in Beverly Hills he was discovered by agent Leo Lance, who introduced him to film producer Dore Schary. He had appeared in more than a score of films by 1953. When *Gunsmoke* was translated from radio to television in 1955, Arness was recommended and selected for the starring role of Matt Dillon by John Wayne. An instant hit as TV's first adult western, *Gunsmoke* ranked first in the Nielsen ratings in 1957, and remained among the top ten shows annually thereafter. It was expanded from a half-hour to a full-hour show in 1960. The show continued for at least 19 seasons on the CBS network, and made Arness a multimillionaire. He has invested his money wisely, has several homes, and has enjoyed piloting his two airplanes, as well as surfing, boating, skiing, fishing, and other outdoor diversions.

(This information is from *Current Biography Yearbook*, ed. Charles Moritz, The M.W. Wilson Co., NY, 1973, pages 15-17.)

PETER GRAVES is a brother of actor James Arness. He is descended from John Graves of Concord, MA. He starred in the television series, *Mission Impossible*, and has acted in various other television and movie roles.

GROVER CLEVELAND was born 18 March 1837 in Caldwell, NJ, and died 24 June 1908 in Princeton, NJ, son of Richard F. Cleveland, a Presbyterian minister, and Ann Neale. His parents named him Stephen Grover Cleveland, but he dropped the Stephen. He was a Democrat and president of the United States 1885-1889 and 1893-1897. According to a ruling of the State Dept., he was both the

22nd and the 24th president, because his two terms were not consecutive. He was descended from Thomas Graves of Hartford, CT and Hatfield, MA, and is listed as #3646 in the 1985 book on that family.

He clerked in Clinton and Buffalo, NY; taught at the N.Y. City Institution for the Blind; was admitted to the bar in Buffalo, 1859; became assistant district attorney, 1863; sheriff, 1871; mayor, 1881; governor of New York, 1882. He was an independent, honest administrator who hated corruption. He was nominated for president over Tammany Hall opposition, 1884, and defeated Republican James G. Blaine. He enlarged the civil service, vetoed many pension raids on the Treasury. In 1888 he was defeated by Benjamin Harrison, although his popular vote was larger. Reelected over Harrison in 1892, he faced a money crisis brought about by lowering of the gold reserve, circulation of paper and exorbitant silver purchases under the Sherman Act. He obtained a repeal of the Sherman Act and a reduced tariff. A severe depression and labor troubles racked his administration but he refused to interfere in business matters and rejected Jacob Coxey's demand for unemployment relief. He broke the Pullman strike in 1894. In 1896, the Democrats repudiated his administration and chose silverite William Jennings Bryan as their candidate. (Most of this information from *The World Almanac and Book of Facts, 1994*, Funk and Wagnalls Corp., Mahwah, NJ, 1993.)

BARBARA MANDRELL was born 25 Dec. 1948 in Houston, TX, and was raised in Oceanside, near Los Angeles, CA. She is descended from William Graves and Elizabeth ----- of VA, NC & KY, possibly descended from Capt. Thomas Graves of VA via the Caswell Co., NC branch of the family.

She comes from a musical family. Her father, Irby, sang and played guitar and her mother, Mary, played piano and taught music. At the age of 12, Barbara demonstrated the steel guitar at a national convention and then

worked in Las Vegas with Joe Maphis and Tex Ritter. By her teens, she also played saxophone, guitar, banjo and bass. Her parents formed the Mandrells with her and two boys, one of whom, drummer Ken dudney, became her husband in 1967. Their extensive touring schedule included military bases in Vietnam. Mandrell first recorded in 1966 for the small Mosrite label, and her sobbing "Queen For A Day", with Glen Campbell on guitar, was reissued with a revised accompaniment in 1984. She signed with Columbia in 1969, and, for a time, she concentrated on country versions of soul hits. Despite her glossy Las Vegas look, she joined the *Grand Ole Opry* in 1972, switched to ABC-Dot in 1975, and had her first Top 5 country single with "Standing Room Only". In 1977 she had her first U.S. country number 1 with "Sleepin' Single In A Double Bed". Her television series, *Barbara Mandrell And The Mandrell Sisters*, ran from 1980-82 and was also screened in the U.K. She recorded numerous other songs, some of them U.S. country number one singles.

(This information is from *The Guinness Encyclopedia of Popular Music*, ed. By Colin Larkin, vol. 4, Guinness Pub. Ltd., Enfield, England, 1995.)

LOUISE MANDRELL was born Thelma Louise Mandrell, 13 July 1954 in Corpus Christi, TX. She is descended from William Graves and Elizabeth ----- of VA, NC & KY, possibly descended from Capt. Thomas Graves of VA via the Caswell Co., NC branch of the family.

She began playing guitar, banjo and fiddle as a child and joined her sister, Barbara Mandrell, in the latter's band on bass in 1969. She had a short-lived marriage with Ronny Shaw, who opened for Barbara, and her second marriage also failed. She was a featured singer with Merle Haggard's roadshow in the mid-1970s. She signed with Epic and had U.S. country hits with "Put It On Me", "Everlasting Love" and "Reunited" (which was a duet with her third husband, R. C. Bannon). She had further success with RCA

and was the butt of her sister's jokes on the television series, *Barbara Mandrell And The Mandrell Sisters*. In 1983, she had solo country hits with "Save Me" and "Too Hot To sleep", which led to her own television series. Her 1988 single with Earle Carmen, "As Long As We Got Each Other", made the U.S. country charts despite only promotional copies being issued. (This information is from *The Guinness Encyclopedia of Popular Music*, ed. By Colin Larkin, vol. 4, Guinness Pub. Ltd., Enfield, England, 1995.)

STEVEN TERRENCE MCQUEEN, called Steve McQueen, was born 24 March 1930 (exact birth year not known with certainty) in Indianapolis, IN, and died in 1980. He married Neile Adams in 1956. She was a singer, dancer, and actress, who was born in Manila of Eurasian ancestry. They had 2 children, daughter Terry Leslie McQueen and son Chad McQueen. He was descended from Capt. Thomas Graves of VA, by at least 2 different lines. The first 8 generations of the one that is proven is: Thomas¹, John², Thomas³, John⁴, John⁵, Joseph⁶, Nancy C.⁷ m. John Coleman Goodwin (also a Graves descendant), Lloyd King⁸ Goodwin, etc.

After an unhappy childhood and an adventurous, wandering and sometimes reckless youth, Steve McQueen became a movie actor known for his portrayals of characters who were, like himself, at once rugged and sensitive. He often played the part of a young man on his own, fighting to survive in a hostile society. He was not typecast, however, as proved by his varying roles in the comedy *Love With a Proper Stranger* and the dramas *Cincinnati Kid* and *The Great Escape*. Acting, though his living, was not his life. He raced cars professionally and entered and won motorcycle races.

His father left the family soon after his birth and McQueen went with his mother to Slater, Missouri, where they lived with his uncle. Four years later his mother remarried, and they moved with his stepfather to California. At first he attended local schools, but his mother

and stepfather sent him to the California Junior Republic at Chino, a home for wayward boys, when he became too difficult to handle. McQueen made one attempt to run away from the home, but it was unsuccessful, and he stayed for almost two years, until the ninth grade. He then left to join his mother in New York, where she had lived since her second husband died.

At fifteen he ran away to join a tanker sailing to the West Indies. Life at sea proved no more to his liking than life at home, and he left the ship when it docked in Port Arthur, Texas. During the next year and a half he supported himself at a variety of jobs, including those of a grunt (laborer) in Texas oilfields, a barker in a traveling carnival, and a tree topper for a Canadian lumber company. That period ended with his enlistment in the United States Marine Corps in April 1947. Even though he went AWOL, he always looked back on his Marine days with affection.

It was in Greenwich Village, New York City, that McQueen began his acting career. After studying at the Uta Hagen-Herbert Berghof Dramatic School on the G.I. Bill and another scholarship, he was accepted by the Actors Studio for a three-year apprenticeship. He made his acting debut in 1952 in a summer stock stage production, and continued in summer stock and minor television roles until he reached Broadway in 1956 as a three-month replacement for Ben Gazzara in *A Hatful of Rain*. In the fall of 1959 he landed the starring role as an underdog bounty hunter in a new TV series called *Trackdown*, which became the pilot for a new series called *Wanted - Dead or Alive* which became a big success. Starting in 1958, he acted in many films. The McQueen movie that had the most critical acclaim was *The Great Escape* (United Artists, 1963), the factual story of the escape of 76 Royal Air Force prisoners from a German prison camp during World War II. (Portions of this discussion are from *Current Biography Yearbook*, ed. Charles Moritz, The H. W. Wilson Co., NY, 1989, pages 256-258.)

ADDRESS CHANGES

Mrs. Dorothy J. Lynde, descended from JOHN GRAVES of Concord, MA, has moved from Walpole, NH to 134 Pondview Rd., West Swanzey, NH 03469.

Mrs. Sue Ogden Bailey of Lincoln, NE, descended from Capt. THOMAS GRAVES of VA, has moved to 3900 Pine Lake Rd., Apt. 231, Lincoln, NE 68516-5492.

Mr. Elvin Ogg of Sault Ste. Marie, MI, descended from Rear Admiral THOMAS GRAVES of Charlestown, MA, has changed his address to PO Box 1405, Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783-7405.

Mrs. Elaine R. Tobias of Overland Park, KS, descended from THOMAS GRAVES of Hartford, CT & Hatfield, MA, has moved to 15299 Newton Dr., Overland Park, KS 66223-2863.

Mrs. Margaret S. Doley of Williamsburg, VA, descended from Capt. THOMAS GRAVES of VA, has moved to 550 Williamsburg Landing Dr., Williamsburg, VA 23185.

Mr. Richard C. Graves of Timpson, TX, descended from JAMES GRAVES of Randolph Co. & Surry Co., NC, hasn't moved but his address has changed to 371 Graves Lane, Timpson, TX 75975.

Mr. David J. Horton of St. Louis, MO, descended from both JAMES GRAVES and Sarah Watkins of NC & IN and Capt. THOMAS GRAVES of VA, has moved to 200 Wesley Ave., St. Louis, MO 63135-2630.

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Ancestry: Henry C. Graves of VA & Carroll Co., TN

QUESTIONS AND INFORMATION

MISCELLANEOUS GRAVES FAMILIES

Mr. John P. Graves, 1010 Round Hill Circle, Napa, CA 94558-5314, is looking for the ancestry of his grandfather, AARON ALFRED GRAVES. What he knows is summarized below.

DESCENDANTS OF AARON ALFRED GRAVES AND ADA MELISSA McMATH OF TX & CA

GENERATION 1

Aaron Alfred Graves (1) was born 9 Feb. 1832 in TX, and died 31 Oct. 1919 in Oakland, Alameda Co., CA. He may have come from Carson, Fannin Co., TX. The McMath book states that he was born in Carson Co., TX, but that seems very unlikely, since Carson Co. was not settled until long after his birth. Even Fannin Co. is said to have had no Anglo settlers until 1838, except for a few traders.

He married Ada ("Addie") Melissa McMath, daughter of Cyrus McMath and Melissa W. Hazen, on 17 March 1875 in Hullville, Gravelly Valley, Lake Co., CA. She was born 4 March 1857 in Marysville, CA, and died 6 April 1940 in Talmage, Mendocino Co., CA. He was a farmer and cattle rancher.

They were living in Hullville, CA in 1895. According to the 1880 census for Gravelly Valley, Lake Co., CA, Aaron's father was born in NY and his mother in Scotland. According to his death certificate, his father's name was Aaron, but that is questionable. One of the sources for the family information is *Memorials of the McMath Family* by Frank M. McMath, Detroit, 1898. All their children were born in Gravelly Valley, CA except for William who was born near Upper Lake, CA.

Children - Graves

- +2. Melissa Jane Graves, b. 26 April 1877, m. Walter Brown, 28 Oct. 1896, d. 25 June 1964.
- 3. Charles Henry Graves, b. 31 Aug. 1879, d. 24 Feb. 1880 (Gravelly Valley, CA).
- +4. Samuel Cyrus Graves, b. 2 Oct. 1881, m. Eva A. Purpus, 12 Oct. 1904, d. 1939.
- +5. Aaron Alfred Graves, Jr., b. 8 Jan. 1884, m. Georgina Ethel Travers, 19 Oct. 1910, d. 11 Jan. 1932.
- +6. Jessie Leona Graves, b. 26 Sept. 1885, m. Andy Bonham, d. Oct. 1987.
- +7. Effie Josephine Graves, b. 28 July 1888, m. Carl Simons, 21 Dec. 1907, d. 3 Dec. 1977.
- +8. Benjamin Franklin Graves, b. 17 Aug. 1890, m. Flora Tracy, 25 Sept. 19--.
- +9. William Grover Graves, b. 22 June 1892, m. Margaret Henderson, 15 Oct. 1927, d. 22 Aug. 1976.
- +10. Robert Arthur Graves, b. 30 Nov. 1896, m(1) Ethel Adele Rock, 14 Oct. 1928, m(2) Elizabeth Caum Moffett, 14 Feb. 1962, d. 30 Aug. 1972.

GENERATION 2

Melissa Jane ("Millie") Graves (2) was born 26 April 1877 in Gravelly Valley, Lake Co., CA, and died 25 June 1964. She married Walter Brown on 28 Oct. 1896 in Kelseyville, CA. He was of Kelseyville, CA. She was listed as Melissie J. Graves in the 1880 census.

Children - Brown

- 11. Frank Brown
- 12. Pearl Brown

Samuel Cyrus Graves (4) was born 2 Oct. 1881 in Gravelly Valley, CA, and died in 1939. He married Eva A. ("Nettie") Purpus on 12 Oct. 1904 in Lakeport, CA. She d. 1943.

Children - Graves

- 13. Clyde Graves
- 14. Eva Graves, m. ----- Foster.

Aaron Alfred Graves, Jr. (5) was born 8 Jan. 1884 in Gravelly Valley, CA, died 11 Jan. 1932 in Richmond, CA, and was buried 14 Jan. 1932 in Sunset View Cem. He married Georgina Ethel Travers on 19 Oct. 1910 in Ukiah, CA. She was born 7 July 1890 in Fairfield, IL.

Children - Graves

- 15. Roy F. Graves, b.c. 1915, d. 1936 (age 21).

Jessie Leona Graves (6) was born 26 Sept. 1885 in Gravelly Valley, Lake Co., CA, and died in Oct. 1987 at age 102 in Santa Paula, CA. She married Andy Bonham.

Children - Bonham

- 16. Patsy Bonham

Effie Josephine Graves (7) was born 28 July 1888 in Gravelly Valley, CA, and died 3 Dec. 1977. She married Carl Simons on 21 Dec. 1907 in Lake Co., CA. He was born in 1882 in MI.

Children - Simons

- 17. Charlie Simons; lived on Fuller Ranch.
- 18. Margie Simons

Benjamin Franklin Graves (8) was born 17 Aug. 1890 in Gravelly Valley, CA. He married Flora Tracy on 25 Sept. 19--.

Children - Graves

- 19. Lloyd Graves; Lieut. Col. In Army.

William Grover Graves (9) was born 22 June 1892 in Gravelly Valley, CA, died 22 Aug. 1976 in Los Angeles Co., CA, and was buried Inglewood Cem., Inglewood, CA. He married Margaret Henderson on 15 Oct. 1927

in Los Angeles, CA. She was born in Aberdeen, Scotland.

Children - Graves

20. David William Graves, b. 1 April 1935, m. Mary Ann Wilson, 7 June 1957 (Vallejo, CA).

Robert Arthur Graves (10) was born 30 Nov. 1896 in Gravelly Valley, Lake Co., CA, died 30 Aug. 1972 in Santa Rosa, Sonoma Co., CA, and was buried 5 Sept. 1972 in Golden Gate National Cem., San Bruno, CA. He first married Ethel Adele Rock, daughter of Edward Lee Rock and Effie Irene Dunn, on 14 Oct. 1928 at Mount of Olives Church, San Francisco, CA. She was born 10 June 1907 in Armona, CA, and died 18 Jan. 1961 in Berkeley, CA. He married second Elizabeth Caum Moffett on 14 Feb. 1962 in Albany, CA.

Children - Graves

21. Robert Arthur Graves, b. 12 Aug. 1929 (San Francisco Children's Hospital), m. Joyce Viola Horn, 30 March 1951 (Berkeley, CA).
22. Daniel Allen Graves, b. 1 April 1933 (Pieralta Hospital, Oakland, CA), m. Shirley Anna Hancock.
23. John Peter Graves, b. 1 Nov. 1938 (Oakland, CA), m. Ardith Eileen -----, 19 Aug. 1972 (Napa, Napa Co., CA).

GRAVES FAMILIES OF GERMANY

Mr. Ronald J. Leaf, 19790 Near Mountain Blvd., Shorewood, MN 55331-8102 (rleaf27@aol.com), and Mr. Thomas N. Harding, 516 West Barry Ave., Chicago, IL 60657-5417, are interested in more information on the family and ancestry of REGINA DOROTHEA GREVE discussed below.

DESCENDANTS OF REGINA DOROTHEA
GREVE AND HERMAN RENDTORFF OF
GERMANY

GENERATION 1

Regina Dorothea Greve (1) was born 16 April 1693, probably in Germany or Denmark, and died 21 Jan. 1770. She married Herman Rendtorff, son of Herman Rendtorff and Catharina Langhans, on 8 June 1717.

Children - Rendtorff

2. Johann Jacob Rendtorff, b. 1718.
3. Johann Jacob Rendtorff, b. 1719.
4. Herman Rendtorff, b. 1721.
- +5. Johann Heinrich Rendtorff, b. 14 May 1723, m. Ilsabe Catharina Busse, 15 July 1758, d. 6 May 1786.

GENERATION 2

Johann Heinrich (or Hinrich) Rendtorff (5) was born 14 May 1723 and died 6 May 1786. He married Ilsabe Catharina Busse on 15 July 1758. She was born in 1736 and died in 1793.

Children - Rendtorff

- +6. Johann Hinrich Rendtorff, III, b. 1761, m. Johanna Maria Auffm Ordt, d. 1802.
7. Regina Rendtorff, b. 25 June 1764, m. Wilhelm Doorman, 23 Feb. 1785, d. 28 Aug. 1816.
- +8. Franz Rendtorff, b. 25 April 1777, m. Elisabeth Maria Lorentzen, 24 July 1808, d. 18 July 1846.

GENERATION 3

Johann Hinrich Rendtorff, III (6) was born in 1761 and died in 1802. He married Johanna Maria Auffm Ordt. She was born in 1770 and died in 1848.

Children - Rendtorff

9. child, b. 1793, d. 1793.
10. Johann Hinrich Rendtorff, IV, b. 1794, d. 1835.
- +11. Carl Rendtorff, b. 1796, m. Clementine Auguste Auffm Ordt, d. 1877.

Franz Rendtorff (8) was born 25 April 1777 and died 18 July 1846. He married Elisabeth Maria Lorentzen, daughter of Nicholas Lorentzen and Auguste Muhlen, on 24 July 1808 in Kiel, Germany.

Children - Rendtorff

- +12. Theodor Hermann Rendtorff, b. 20 Sept. 1811, m. Julie Wilhelmine Karstens, 20 Aug. 1839, d. 21 March 1898.

GENERATION 4

Carl Rendtorff (11) was born in 1796 and died in 1877. He married Clementine Auguste Auffm Ord. She was born in 1811 and died 1871.

Children - Rendtorff

13. Auguste Marie Rendtorff, b. 1832, m. Richard Arthur Troost, d. 1891.
+14. Auguste Bertha Marie Rendtorff, b. 1838, m. Friedrich Busse, b. 1918.
+15. Amanda Johanna Rendtorff, b. 1839, m. Heinrich Wilhelm Hasperg, d. 1919.

Theodor Hermann Rendtorff (12) was born 20 Sept. 1811 and died 21 March 1898. He married Julie Wilhelmine Karstens on 20 Aug. 1839.

Children - Rendtorff

- +16. Adelheid Bertha Christiane Rendtorff, b. 25 Sept. 1848, m. Jorgen Christian Aude, 20 July 1876, d. 1 Jan. 1922.
17. Ida Agnes Johanne Rendtorff

GRAVES FAMILIES OF THE BRITISH ISLES

Ms. Joan Fisher, 185 1140 Castle Crescent, Port Coquitlam, BC V3C 5R5, Canada (je_fisher@telus.net), is descended from JOSEPH GRAVES of Devon, England, father of Henry Blumhardt Greaves. She has been looking for their ancestry.

ED. NOTE: This part of the family is descended from WILLIAM GREAVES of Greenhill, Norton, South Yorkshire, as discussed below. The Joseph Greaves mentioned above is #125 in the following summary. More information on this family would be appreciated, especially from descendants in England.

Note that this family is also the one from which John Greaves of St. Mary's Co., MD is descended.

DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM GREAVES OF GREENHILL, NORTON (NR. SHEFFIELD), SOUTH YORKSHIRE, ENGLAND

GENERATION 5

George Greaves (47) was born 6 March 1756. He married Mary Priestley of London. She died in Feb. 1833, and was buried at South End.

Children - Greaves

123. George Greaves (M.A. of Corpus Christi College, Cambridge), not married in 1830.
124. Ebenezer Greaves, m. Charlotte Jendur (?), 1824. She was dau. of Joshua Jendur, Esq., of Chigwell, but who was of right a Baronet; sister to Rev. Henry Jendur who m. Caroline Smelt of Gedling, co. Nott., niece to the Earl of Chester. They had 2 sons.
+125. Joseph Greaves, b.c. 1794, m. Maria Anne Pearson, 1826.
126. Ann Greaves
127. Charles Greaves
+128. Samuel Greaves, m. Lydia Abdy.
129. Mary Greaves, m. Rev. Richard Pearson (M.A., of St. John's College, Oxford, only son of Richard Pearson, M.D.). 8 children.
130. Edward Greaves
131. Henry Addington Greaves; he was M.A., of Corpus Christi College, not married in 1830.
132. Rebecca Greaves
133. Eliza Greaves
134. Alfred Greaves (B.A. of Trinity College, Cambridge, 1830).

GENERATION 6

Joseph Greaves (125) was born about 1794 in London, England. He married Maria Anne Pearson in 1826. She was the only daughter of

Admiral Richard Pearson, son of Sir Richard Pearson of Greenwich Hospital. She was born about 1800 in Blackheath or Greenwich, Kent, England, and died 19 April 1920. She was listed as age 50 in the 1851 census. All their children were baptized in Dartmouth, Devon, England, at least the first 5 in St. Petrox. At the 1881 census Maria was a widow and was living at 30 Portland Square, Plymouth.

Children - Greaves

- 245. Richard Pearson Greaves, bapt. 28 May 1829.
- 246. Joseph Greaves, bapt. 8 Aug. 1830.
- +247. Henry Blumhardt Greaves, bapt. 6 Oct. 1833, m. Clara -----.
- 248. Lucy Greaves, bapt. 18 June 1836.
- 249. Frederic Greaves, bapt. 18 June 1836.
- 250. Emily Greaves, b.c. 1837.
- 251. Vincent Greaves, b.c. 1842.

GENERATION 7

Henry Blumhardt Greaves (247) was baptized 6 Oct. 1833 in St. Petrox, Dartmouth, Devon, England, and died by 1881. He married Clara -----. She died 19 April 1920 in Victoria, BC, Canada. There is a Clara Greaves buried in the Ross Bay Cem., Fairfield Road, Victoria. Henry and Clara were listed as the parents of Constable Henry Blumhardt Greaves on his wedding certificate.

Children - Greaves

- 264. Clara M. Greaves, b.c. 1867.
- +265. Henry Blumhardt Greaves, b. 1871, m. Isabella Harper Anderson Mutter, 22 June 1895, d. 10 June 1935.

GENERATION 8

Constable Henry Blumhardt ("Harry") Greaves (265) was born in 1871 in Plympton St. Mary, Plymouth, Devon. The 1881 census shows him born in Plymouth. He was 23 when he married in 1895. He died 10 June 1935 in BC, Canada of diabetes. Cicely Glover, a granddaughter, remembered that he died as a result of being gassed in World War I. Harry was in the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

He married Isabella Harper Anderson ("Dolly") Mutter on 22 June 1895 in Somonos, Vancouver Island, BC. She was born 15 March 1876 in Bowmore, Islay, Argyllshire, Scotland, and died 26 Oct. 1968 in Victoria, BC, Canada. Her parents were James Mitchell Mutter (8 April 1845-31 May 1920) and Isabella Allan Morrison (19 March 1849-3 Nov. 1933). Harry and Dolly separated, and Dolly may have raised several children on her own.

Children - Greaves

- 266. Harry Pearson Greaves, b. 2 April 1896 (Qualicum Dist., BC), d. 24 April 1915 (Ypres Salient, Flanders, World War I).
- +267. James Mitchell Greaves, b. 13 Aug. 1897, m. Elizabeth Maude E. Hopkins, 5 Aug. 1925, d. 3 Aug. 1980.
- 268. Agnes Molly Vera Greaves, b. 15 Sept. 1898 (Somenos Dist., BC).
- 269. Cecil Blumhardt Greaves, b. 17 April 1901, d. 18 July 1958.
- +270. Isobel Claire Madelaine Greaves, b. 16 July 1902, m. James Lawrence Cox, 9 July 1927, d. 23 Dec. 1975.
- 271. Richard Pearson ("Dick") Greaves, b. 15 Nov. 1904, d. 11 April 1974.

Mr. Christopher T. Smithson, 4219 Paddrick Rd., Darlington, MD 21034-1034 (wsmithso @erols.com), is not a Greaves descendant. He is trying to find out what happened to Sarah Ellen Zeiber who first married Calvin Epler (this is the marriage he is descended from) and married second John Greaves (#3 in the following genealogy). He found John and Sarah listed in the City Directory for Reading, PA through 1924. He then searched the PA death index from 1924 through 1934 for Sarah and found nothing.

(ED. NOTE: I would also like to learn more about the ancestry and descendants of this part of the Greaves family.)

DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM GREAVES
AND MARTHA HILL EYRE

OF NORTON, DERBYSHIRE, ENGLAND

GENERATION 1

William Greaves (1) married Martha Hill Eyre on 16 May 1825 in Norton, Derbyshire, England. She was born about 1806 in England. Martha was listed in the 1880 census for Cumru, Berks Co., PA as a widow, age 74, born in England, living next to her son, H. William Greaves and his family. Living with her was her sister Mary A. Eyre, dressmaker, single, age 60, born in England.

Children - Greaves

- +2. Henry William Greaves, b.c. 1832, m. Catherine Kohl.

GENERATION 2

Henry William Greaves (2) was born about 1832 in England, possibly in Norton, Derbyshire. He married Catherine Kohl from Cumru Twp., Berks Co., PA. According to the 1880 census for Cumru Twp., she was born about 1840 in PA, and both her parents were also born in PA. All their children were born in PA.

Children - Greaves

- 3. John Greaves, b.c. 1864, m(1) Catharine Bechtel, 1889 (Berks Co., PA), m(2) Sarah Ellen Zeiber, 27 March 1914. Sarah was first married to Calvin Epler and had at least one child by that marriage.
- 4. Sarah Greaves, b.c. 1866.
- 5. Caroline Greaves, b.c. 1867.
- 6. Ellen Greaves, b.c. 1869.
- 7. Richard Greaves, b.c. 1873.
- 8. George Greaves, b.c. 1875.
- 9. Thomas Greaves, b.c. 1878.

All additional information about the following Greaves family, the ancestry of John Greaves, and other descendants will be much appreciated.

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN GREAVES AND REBECCA STEAD

OF WEST YORKSHIRE, ENGLAND

GENERATION 1

John Greaves (1) was born in 1775. He married Rebecca Stead.

Children - Greaves

- +2. John Greaves, b. 11 Oct. 1795, m. Jane Greenwood, d. 26 Dec. 1871.
- 3. Sarah Greaves, b. 1797 (Methley, West Yorkshire, England).
- 4. Thomas Greaves, b. 2 March 1800 (Methley, West Yorkshire, England).
- 5. William Greaves, b. 1807.
- 6. Joseph Greaves, b. 1816.

GENERATION 2

John Greaves (2) was born 11 Oct. 1795 in Methley, West Yorkshire, England, and died 26 Dec. 1871 in Shepley Bridge. He married Jane Greenwood. She was born in 1795 in Littleborough, Lancashire, England, and died 2 Feb. 1857 in Shepley Bridge. They were both buried in St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.

Children - Greaves

- 7. Ann Greaves, b. 1820, d. 2 April 1839 (Quarry Place, St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
- +8. Henry Greaves, b. 1823, m. Mary Anne Pickles, 23 Sept. 1846, d. 3 Dec. 1891.
- +9. James Greaves, b. 1826, m. Mary A. -----.
- 10. Sarah Greaves, b. 29 June 1828 (Mirfield), d. 8 June 1830 (St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
- 11. Elizabeth Greaves, b. 1830 (Church Lane Mirfield), d. 15 Feb. 1830. Bur. St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
- 12. Eliza Greaves, b. 6 May 1832 (Mirfield), m. Robert Brown Ledgard, 3 April 1858 (St. Mary's Mirfield). He was b. 1831.
- 13. Hannah M. Greaves, b. 13 April 1834 (Mirfield), d. 3 April 1889.

GENERATION 3

Henry Greaves (8) was born in 1823 in Littleborough, Lancashire, England, and died 3 Dec. 1891. He married Mary Anne Pickles, daughter of John Pickles and Ann Lawton, on

23 Sept. 1846 in St. Mary's Mirfield. She was born in 1825 and died 18 July 1887.

Children - Greaves

14. Ann Greaves, b. 1848 (Mirfield), m. Joseph Swithenbank. He was b. 1847 in Mirfield.
15. Emma Greaves, b. 1850 (Mirfield).
16. Ernest Greaves, b. 7 July 1852 (Shepley Bridge, Mirfield).
- +17. James Greaves, b. 1856, m. Annie Walker, 11 Sept. 1880, d. 9 July 1890.
18. Eliza Greaves, b. 1857 (Lancashire), d. 6 April 1874 (Ravensthorpe, St. Mary's Cem., Mirfield).
- +19. Thomas Greaves, b. 1859, m. Nancy Ellis, 13 July 1878, d. 20 Dec. 1906.
- +20. John Greaves, b. 1859, m. -----, d. 28 Dec. 1903.
- +21. William Greaves, b. 1860, m. Emma Muffit, 2 June 1879, d. -----.
- +22. Walter Greaves, b. 1863, m. Emma Greaves, d. -----.
- +23. George Henry Greaves, b. 20 Jan. 1864, m. Jane -----, d. 13 July 1901.

James Greaves (9) was born in 1826 in Littleborough, Lancashire, England. He married Mary A. -----. She was born in 1833.

Children - Greaves

24. Elizabeth Greaves, b. 1852 (Liversedge).
25. Ann Greaves, b. 1854 (Liversedge).
- +26. William Greaves, b. 1857, m. Anne Rayner, 20 April 1878, d. -----.
27. Mary Jane Greaves, d. 5 July 1858 (Shepley Bridge, St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
28. Henry Greaves, b. 1860 (Mirfield), m. Mary Caroline -----. She was b. 1867, d. 1 April 1895 in Shepley Bridge, and was buried in St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.
- +29. Joseph William Greave, b. 1862, m. Sarah -----, d. -----.
30. Jane Greaves, b. 1864 (Mirfield).
31. James Albert Greaves, b. May 1867, d. 28 July 1868 (Snake Hill Mirfield, St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
32. John A. Greaves, b. 1870 (Mirfield).
33. Fred Greaves, b. 1873 (Mirfield).

GENERATION 4

James Greaves (17) was born in 1856 in Lancashire, and died 9 July 1890 in Worsborough. He married Annie Walker, daughter of George Walker, on 11 Sept. 1880 in St. Mary's Mirfield. She was born in 1861, and died 13 Jan. 1881 in Ravensthorpe. They were both buried in St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.

Children - Greaves

34. Mary Ann Greaves, b. 26 Nov. 1880 (William St., Ravensthorpe).

Thomas Greaves (19) was born in 1859 in Darton Barnsley, and died 20 Dec. 1906 in William Street, Ravensthorpe. He married Nancy Ellis on 13 July 1878 in Mirfield. She was born 10 Dec. 1860 in Sheepridge, Huddersfield, and died 24 Dec. 1923.

Children - Greaves

35. James Arthur Greaves, b. 2 April 1881 (Duke St., Ravensthorpe), d. Dec. 1900 (William St., Ravensthorpe, St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
- +36. Ellis Greaves, b. 11 June 1882, m. Lavinia Chambers, 2 Dec. 1905, d. 1924.
- +37. Ann Greaves, b. 1 June 1884, m. Charles William Willans, 15 Sept. 1906, d. 15 Oct. 1958.
- +38. Lavinia Greaves, b. 12 Feb. 1886, m. Arthur Hampshire, d. -----.
39. Louise Greaves, b. 12 Feb. 1886 (Low Mills, Ravensthorpe), d. 2 Sept. 1890 (Ravensthorpe).
- +40. John Greaves, b. 11 May 1888, m. Sarah Brooke Ellis, d. -----.
- +41. Florence Greaves, b. 12 Sept. 1889, m. Arthur Todd, 20 July 1912, d. 26 Jan. 1934.
- +42. Walter Greaves, b. 1891, m. Maria Crowther, d. 1952.
- +43. Ada Greaves, b. 25 May 1895, m. Harry Coulson, 19 July 1923, d. 15 Oct. 1958.

John Greaves (20) was born in 1859 in Mirfield, died 28 Dec. 1903 in Shepley

Bridge, and was buried in St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.

Children - Greaves

44. William Greaves, b. 1874, d. 22 Jan. 1877 (Battyford, Mirfield).

William Greaves (21) was born in 1860 in Darton, Barnsley. He married Emma Muffit, daughter of William Muffit and Martha Muffit, on 2 June 1879 in St. Mary's Mirfield. She was born in 1861.

Children - Greaves

45. Eliza Greaves, b. 1880.
46. Martha Greaves, b. 31 July 1881 (Lee Green, Mirfield).
47. Francis Greaves, b. 6 March 1887 (George St., Ravensthorpe).
48. Ernest Greaves, b. 5 Sept. 1889 (George St., Ravensthorpe), d. 6 May 1890 (St. Mary's Mirfield).
49. Henry Greaves, b. 27 Nov. 1892 (George St., Ravensthorpe).

Walter Greaves (22) was born in 1863 in Ravensthorpe. He married Emma Greaves. She was born in 1854 in Sheffield.

Children - Greaves

50. Albert Greaves, b. 23 March 1892 (Dearnley St., Ravensthorpe).
51. Mary Ann Greaves, b. 16 April 1895 (Lady Wood Road).

George Henry Greaves (23) was born 20 Jan. 1864 in Mirfield, and died 13 July 1901 in School St., Ravensthorpe, St. Mary's Mirfield. He married Jane -----. She was born in 1863 in Barnsley.

Children - Greaves

- +52. Charles William Greaves, b. 28 July 1884, m. Gertrude Greaves, d. -----.
53. Hannah Mary Greaves, b. 16 May 1886 (Lady Wood Road).

William Greaves (26) was born in 1857 in Mirfield. He married Anne Rayner, daughter of Robert Rayner, on 20 April 1878 in St.

Mary's Mirfield. She was born in 1855. All their children were born in Ravensthorpe.

Children - Greaves

54. James Greaves, b. 1878, d. 14 Aug. 1880 (Ravensthorpe, St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
55. Mary Ann Greaves, b. 10 Oct. 1884, d. 1 May 1892 (Ravensthorpe, St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
56. Rayner Greaves, b. Jan. 1885, 6 Jan. 1886 (Ravensthorpe, St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
57. Henry Greaves, b. 16 Jan. 1893, m. Jane Beldon. She was b. 1862, dau. of William Beldon.

Joseph William Greaves (29) was born in 1862. He married Sarah -----. She was born in 1866.

Children - Greaves

58. Jane Greaves, b. 10 April 1889 (Bradbury St., Ravensthorpe), d. 29 June 1889.
59. Ellen Greaves, b. 3 March 1891 (Bradbury St., Ravensthorpe).
60. George Greaves, b. 20 May 1893 (Bradbury St., Ravensthorpe).
61. Albert Greaves, b. 14 April 1895 (Ravensthorpe), d. 12 June 1895 (St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
62. William Greaves, b. 18 Nov. 1896 (William St., Ravensthorpe).
63. Mary Anne Greaves, b. 13 Feb. 1899 (Day St., Ravensthorpe).

GENERATION 5

Ellis Greaves (36) was born 11 June 1882 in Low Mills, Ravensthorpe, and died in 1924. He married Lavinia Chambers, daughter of James Chambers, on 2 Dec. 1905 in Ravensthorpe. She was born in 1881 All their children were born in Ravensthorpe.

Children - Greaves

64. Lavinia Greaves, b. 11 Jan. 1906 (Huddersfield Road), d. 31 Jan. 1906 (St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
65. Thomas Greaves, b. 15 March 1907, d. 10 Jan. 1910 (St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).

66. James Arthur Greaves, b. April 1907, d. 25 June 1907 (William St.).
67. James Arthur Greaves, b. 15 Nov. 1907 (William St.), d. 10 Jan. 1910 (St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
68. Gladys Greaves, b. 10 Sept. 1909 (William St.), m. Clifford Humphries.
69. Ellen Greaves, b. 23 Aug. 1911 (William St.), d. 24 Nov. 1911 (St. Mary's Mirfield Cem.).
70. Walter Greaves, b. 29 Aug. 1912 (William St.).
71. Fred Greaves, b. 6 Sept. 1913 (William St.), m. Jessie Greaves.
72. Ernest Greaves, b. 17 July 1916.
73. Frank Greaves, b. 1 Dec. 1918 (William St.), m. Marie Loader. She was b. 7 June 1920.

Ann Greaves (37) was born 1 June 1884 in Low Mills, Ravensthorpe, and died 15 Oct. 1958. She married Charles William Willans, son of James Willans, on 15 Sept. 1906 in Ravensthorpe. She was born in 1881, and died 25 Feb. 1952 in Watson Avenue, Dewsbury.

Children - Willans

74. Nora Willans, b. 27 June 1907 (Ravensthorpe), m. Fred Watson, d. 12 Oct. 1986 (Bowness, Cumbria). He was b. 27 Sept. 1905 in Ossett, and d. 16 Oct. 1978 in Eastbourne Road, Blackpool.
75. Elise Willans, b. 1911 (Ossett), m. Sam Greaves (#93), d. April 2000. See #93 for descendants.
76. Ada Willans, b. 4 Jan. 1916, d. 1920.
77. Annie Willans, b. 4 Jan. 1916, m. Harold Dunhill. He was b. 1909 and d. 1985.
78. James Arthur Willans, b. 1917, m. Bessie Grinstead, d. 10 Oct. 1965. She was b. 1923.
79. Alice Willans, b. 1918, m(1) Arthur Grosvenor Wilson, m(2) William Heywood, m(3) Bill Nelson. Arthur was b. 1918 in Halifax, and d. 1941. William was b. 1917 in South of England, and d. 1958. Bill was b. 1927 in Prestwick, and died 1987.

80. Jack Willans, b. 7 Sept. 1925, m. Dorothy Stubbs, d. 1980. She was b. 1925.

Lavinia Greaves (38) was born 12 Feb. 1886 in Ravensthorpe. She married Arthur Hampshire. He was born in 1884, and died 2 April 1918 in Belgium in World War I.

Children - Hampshire

81. Harry Hampshire, b. 21 Dec. 1912 (40 William St., Ravensthorpe), m(1) Mary -----, m(2) Elsie Seagell.
82. Ethel Hampshire, m. Frank Garnet.

John Greaves (40) was born 11 May 1888 in Low Mills, Ravensthorpe. He married Sarah Brooke Ellis.

Children - Greaves

83. Nellie Greaves, b. 30 June 1913 (23 George St., Ravensthorpe).
84. Norman Greaves, b. 28 Feb. 1920 (23 George St., Ravensthorpe).

Florence Greaves (41) was born 12 Sept. 1889 Low Mills, Ravensthorpe, and died 26 Jan. 1934 in Collieridge Street, Wombwell. She married Arthur Todd on 20 July 1912. He was born 9 Jan. 1884 and died 17 July 1964.

Children - Todd

85. May Todd, b. 1913, m. George Ward, d. 1995.
- +86. Ivy Todd, b. 5 Nov. 1916, m. Patrick Wellington Young.
87. Dorothy Todd, m(1) Albert Butcher, 1938, m(2) Fred Utley. Albert d. 1956. Fred d. 1994.
88. George Todd, b. 18 Aug. 1924, m. Elsie Todd, d. 1995.
89. Joan Todd, b. 29 April 1932, m. John Hamilton, 20 March 1950. He was b. 12 Jan. 1922 and d. 20 April 1999.

Walter Greaves (42) was born in 1891 and died in 1952. He married Maria Crowther. She was born in 1892 and died in 1961.

Children - Greaves

90. Clara Greaves, m. Albert Clegg, d. 1988.
He d. 1963.

Ada Greaves (43) was born 25 May 1895 in William St., Ravensthorpe, and died 15 Oct. 1958 in 47 Armitage Street, Ravensthorpe. She married Harry Coulson, son of John William Coulson and Mary Sykes, on 19 July 1923 in Ravensthorpe. He was born 22 Feb. 1897, Dunbottle Lane, Mirfield, and died in April 1959, 47 Armitage Street.

Children - Coulson

91. Daisy Coulson, b. 8 Feb. 1924 (Armitage St., Ravensthorpe), m. Wilfred Buxton, 7 Feb. 1949 (Ravensthorpe) He was b. 1 Nov. 1918, and d. 4 Jan. 1972 in Dewsbury.
92. Kenneth Coulson, b. 8 May 1928 (47 Armitage St., Ravensthorpe), m. Joyce Cole, d. 1 Nov. 1986.

Charles William Greaves (52) was born 28 July 1884 in Shepley Bridge Marfield. He married Gertrude Greaves.

Children - Greaves

- +93. Sam Greaves, b. 1911, m. Elsie Willans (#75), d. 1995.

John Grave in the following genealogy is probably related to other Grave families of Cumberland, England, but the connection is not presently known. All additional information about this family and its ancestry will be appreciated.

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN GRAVE AND SARAH HERBERT OF CUMBERLAND ENGLAND

GENERATION 1

John Grave (1) was born about 1735 in Torpenhow, Cumberland, and died April 1814 in Prior Hall, Ireby, Cumberland. He was buried 15 April 1814 in Ireby, Cumberland. He married Sarah Herbert, daughter of John

Herbert and Ann Teasdaile, on 17 July 1760 in Ireby, Cumberland. She was born 1738 in Bolton, Cumberland, and died May 1829 in Prior Hall, Ireby, Cumberland. She was buried 30 May 1829 in Ireby, Cumberland. All of their children were born in Ireby, Cumberland.

Children – Graves

2. John Grave, b.c. 1761, d. Dec. 1791 (Prior Hall, Ireby, Cumberland).
3. Nancy Grave, b. 1763.
- +4. Joseph Grave, b. 1766, d. 29 Dec. 1813.
5. Stephen Grave, b. 1769, d. 1813.
- +6. William Grave, b. 1773, d. 4 Jan. 1845.
- +7. Samuel Grave, b. 1775, d. June 1848.
8. Sarah Grave, b. 1779, d. 1797 (Prior Hall, Ireby, Cumberland).

GENERATION 2

Joseph Grave (4) was born 1766 in Ireby, Cumberland, and died 29 Dec. 1813 in Ireby, Cumberland. He married Nancy Barwise, daughter of Joseph Barwise and Grace Cape, on 9 Nov. 1796 in Ireby, Cumberland. She was born 1764 in Ireby, Cumberland, and she was buried 2 Jan. 1831. All of their children were born in Ireby, Cumberland.

Children – Graves

9. Grace Grave
10. Sarah Grave, b. 1799, d. 9 Feb. 1800.
11. Sarah Grave, b. 1800, m. William Ewart, 4 Nov. 1824 (Ireby, Cumberland).
12. Ann Grave, b. June 1803, d. 21 Sept. 1803.
13. Mary Ann Grave, b. 1804, m. Thomas Thompson, 9 March 1828 (Ireby, Cumberland).
- +14. Joseph Barwise Grave, b. 1809, m. Mary Robinson, 5 Aug. 1832.

William Grave (6) was born 1773 in Ireby, Cumberland, and died 4 Jan. 1845 in Prior Hall, Ireby, Cumberland. He was buried 7 Jan. 1845 in Ireby, Cumberland. He married Ann Cowx on 12 May 1795 in Bolton, Cumberland. She was born about 1776 in Cumberland, and died 21 Aug. 1849 in Bothel, Torpenhow, Cumberland. She was buried 23

Aug. 1849 in Ireby, Cumberland. All of their children were born in Ireby, Cumberland.

Children – Grave

15. Sarah Grave, b. 1796, d. 1796 (Prior Hall, Ireby, Cumberland).
- +16. Sarah Grave, b. 1798, m. William Irving, 19 June 1819.
17. John Grave, b. 1800, m. Mary -----, 31 May 1834, d. 20 March 1873.
- +18. William Grave, b. 1802, m. Mary Litt, 11 March 1840, d. 1858.
- +19. Cowx Grave, b. 1804, m. Mary Hayton, 2 Jan 1836.
20. Ann Grave, b. 1811, m. Thomas Wood, 18 Aug. 1838 (Ireby, Cumberland). He was the son of Nathan Wood.
- +21. Jane Grave, b. 1814, m. Thomas Stamper, 18 Jan. 1841, d. 10 Jan. 1859.

Samuel Grave (7) was born 1775 in Ireby, Cumberland, and died June 1848 in Land How Top, Westward Co., Cumberland. He was buried 30 June 1848 in Ireby, Cumberland. He married Esther Hogg, daughter of Robert Hogg and Sarah Banks, on 25 May 1795. She was born 1774, and died Dec. 1840 in Parson Bridge, Westward Co., Cumberland. She was buried 1 Jan. 1841 in Ireby, Cumberland.

Children – Grave

- +22. Sarah Grave, b. 1796, m. Jeremiah Wilson, 12 Feb. 1820, d. after 1861.
23. Mary Ann Grave, b. 1801.
24. Robert Grave, b. before 1813.

GENERATION 3

Joseph Barwise Grave (14) was born 1798 in Ireby, Cumberland. He married Mary Robinson on 5 Aug. 1832 in Saint Cuthbert, Carlisle Co., Cumberland.

Children – Grave

25. Jane Ann Graves, b. in Saint Cuthbert, Carlisle Co., Cumberland.

Sarah Grave (16) was born 1798 in Ireby, Cumberland. She married William Irving on 19 June 1819 in Ireby, Cumberland. All of their children were born in Ireby, Cumberland.

Children – Irving

26. John Irving, b. 1819.
27. Ann Irving, b.c. 1821, d. 11 Oct. 1840 (Prior Hall, Ireby, Cumberland).
28. Sarah Irving, b. 1825.
29. William Irving, b. 1828.

William Grave (18) was born 1802 in Ireby, Cumberland, and died 1858 in Wigton, Cumberland. He was buried 4 June 1858 in Ireby, Cumberland. He married Mary Litt on 1 March 1840 in Gretna Hall, Scotland. She was born in -----, Uldale County, Cumberland. All of their children were born in Bolton, Cumberland.

Children – Grave

30. William Grave, b. 1841.
31. Thomas Grave, b. 1843.
32. John Grave, b. 1845.
33. Ann Grave, b. 1847.
34. Joseph Marshall Grave, b. 1848.

Cowx Grave (19) was born 1804 in Ireby, Cumberland. He married Mary Hayton on 2 Jan. 1836 in Westward, Cumberland. (R-1)

Children – Grave

35. Mary Ann Grave, b. 1837 (Bolton, Cumberland).
36. Sarah Grave, b.c. 1839.
37. William Grave, b.c. 1840.

Jane Grave (21) was born 1814 in Ireby, Cumberland, and died 10 Jan. 1859 in Bothel, Torpenhow County, Cumberland. She was buried 13 Jan. 1859 in Torpenhow County, Cumberland. She married Thomas Stamper, son of Joseph Stamper and Margaret Graham, on 18 Jan. 1841 in Ireby, Cumberland. He was born about 1816 in Bolton, Cumberland, and died 25 June 1860 in Bothel, Torpenhow Co., Cumberland. He was buried 28 June 1860 in Torpenhow Co., Cumberland.

Children – Stamper

- +38. Ann Stamper, b.c. 1841, m. William Scoon, 22 March 1860, d. 13 April 1901.

39. Joseph Stamper, b. Dec. 1843 (Great Clifton, Cumberland), d. March 1844 (Hole House, Bolton, Cumberland).
40. John Stamper, b. Nov. 1845 (Torpenhow County, Cumberland), d. 27 Dec. 1846 (Bothel, Torpenhow Co., Cumberland).
41. John Stamper, bapt. 23 March 1848 (Bothel, Torpenhow Co., Cumberland).
42. Thomas Stamper, bapt. 22 Dec. 1850 (Bothel, Torpenhow Co., Cumberland).

Sarah Grave (22) was born 1796 in Crosthwaite, Cumberland, and died after 1861. She married Jeremiah Wilson, son of Thomas Wilson and Sarah -----, on 12 Feb. 1820 in Caldbeck, Cumberland. He was born 1798 in Kirkbride, Cumberland, and died after 1861. Their children were all born in Caldbeck, Cumberland.

Children – Wilson

43. Jeremiah Wilson,, b. 1820.
44. Daniel Wilson, b. 1822.
- +45. Graves Wilson, b. 1823, m. Ann Percival, 8 July 1854, d. before 1881.
46. Sarah Wilson, b. 1825.
47. Mary Ann Wilson, b. before 1828.
48. Esther Wilson, b. 1828.
- +49. Thomas Wilson, b.c. 1830, m. Jane Blackburn, 9 Jan. 1858.
50. Martha Wilson, b.c. 1836, m. John Lancaster, 27 May 1858 (Caldbeck, Cumberland). He was b.c. 1828.

Ann Stamper (21) was born about 1841 in Prior Hall, Ireby, Cumberland, and died 13 April 1901 in Workington, Cumberland. She married William Scoon, son of James Scoon and Mary Rawlands, on 22 March 1860 in Torpenhow, Cumberland. He was born Sept. 1839 in Nether Row, Caldbeck County, Cumberland, and died 24 May 1887 in Workington, Cumberland.

Children – Scoon

51. Mary Jane Scoon, b. 1860 (Bothel).
52. Elizabeth Scoon, b. April 1863 (Torpenhow), m. William Lambert Rudd, 14 June 1886 (Workington, Cumberland). He was b.c. 1861.

53. John Grave Scoon, b. July 1864.
54. Mary Jane Scoon, b.c. 1866 (Blindcrake), m. William John Coulton, 6 April 1885 (Workington, Cumberland). He was b.c. 1861.
55. Selina Annie Scoon, b. 1868 (Torpenhow, Cumberland), d. 24 Feb. 1953 (Workington, Cumberland).
56. James Scoon, b.c. 1871 (Carlisle), d. 6 Oct. 1905.
57. Emma Scoon, b.c. 1873 (Workington, Cumberland), m. Arthur Guirdham.
58. Tom Stamper Scoon, b.c. 1876 (Workington, Cumberland), d. 14 Aug. 1965 (Workington, Cumberland).
59. Marion Scoon, b.c. 1878 (Workington, Cumberland).
60. William Scoon, b.c. 1881 (Workington, Cumberland).
61. Margaret Ann Scoon, b.c. 1884 (Workington, Cumberland).

Graves Wilson (45) was born 1823 in Caldbeck, Cumberland, and died before 1881 in Great Clifton, Cumberland. He married Ann Percival, daughter of John Percival and Jane Smith, on 8 July 1854 in Great Clifton, Cumberland. She was born 19 May 1832 in Workington, Cumberland, and died after 1891.

Children – Wilson

62. Jane Wilson, b. ----- (Great Clifton, Cumberland).
63. John Percival Wilson, b. 1857 (Crossbarrow, Cumberland).
64. Graves Wilson, b. 1858 (Crossbarrow, Cumberland).
65. Sarah Wilson, b. ----- (Great Clifton, Cumberland).
66. Grace Wilson, b. ----- (Great Clifton, Cumberland).
67. Robert Wilson, b. ----- (Great Clifton, Cumberland), d. before 1871.
68. Thomas Wilson, b. 1864 (Crossbarrow, Cumberland).
69. Annie Wilson, b. ----- (Great Clifton, Cumberland), d.c. 1868 (Great Clifton, Cumberland).

70. Mary Ann Wilson, b. ----- (Great Clifton, Cumberland), d.c. 1870.
71. Ann Wilson, b. ----- (Great Clifton, Cumberland), d. in infancy.
72. Robert Wilson, b. ----- (Great Clifton, Cumberland).

Thomas Wilson (49) was born about 1830 in Caldbeck, Cumberland. He married Jane Blackburn on 9 Jan. 1858 in Great Clifton, Cumberland. She was born about 1836 in Crossbarrow, Cumberland.

Children – Wilson

73. Ellen Wilson, b.c. 1860 (Branthwaite, Cumberland).
74. Sarah Wilson, b.c. 1862 (Workington, Cumberland).
75. Elizabeth Wilson, b.c. 1867 (Sterigges, Cumberland).

NORTHERN GRAVES FAMILIES

Dr. Lu Ann W. Darling, 11414 Albata St., Los Angeles, CA 90049, is looking for the ancestry of DIANTHA M. GRAVES discussed below.

DESCENDANTS OF DIANTHA M.
GRAVES AND TIMOTHY DARLING OF
CORTLAND CO., NY

GENERATION 1

Diantha M. Graves (1) was born 13 Aug. 1811 in Cortland Co., NY, and died 7 April 1879 in Leon, Cattaraugus Co., NY. She married Timothy Darling, son of Alden Darling and Hannah Church. He was born 16 Oct. 1804 in Phelps, Ontario Co., NY, and died 13 Aug. 1872 in Leon, Cattaraugus Co., NY. All their children were born in Leon, NY, except for Milo and Mary who were born in Phelps, NY.

According to R-2 and the father-in-law of R-1, Diantha's surname was Groves, not Graves. However, R-1 could find no Groves in the Cortland and surrounding areas, and

many Graves were there. Also, the third son of Timothy and Diantha had the middle name of Graves (not Groves). She believes Groves was probably a transcription error.

It is interesting to note that Timothy Darling is a Graves descendant, descended from Thomas Graves of Hartford, CT & Hatfield, MA (genealogy 168) as follows: (1) Thomas Graves, (2) Isaac Graves m. Mary Church, (3) Hannah Graves m. William Sackett, (4) Hannah Sackett m. Samuel Warner, (5) Jesse Warner m. Miriam Smith, (6) Rebecca Warner m. Richard Church, (7) Hannah Church m. Alden Darling, (8) Timothy Darling m. Diantha Graves.

Children - Darling

2. Albert H. Darling, b. 20 June 1829, d. 10 Sept. 1850.
3. Deforest D. Darling, b. 23 Oct. 1831, d. 14 Feb. 1842.
4. John Graves Darling, b. 24 March 1833, m. Elizabeth Warner, 9 Dec. 1858 (Albion, MI), d. 3 Feb. 1899 (Albion, MI).
5. Delos G. Darling, b. 9 May 1835, m. Elizabeth Blanchard, d. 16 Jan. 1865 (Annapolis, MD).
6. Milo Rush Darling, b. 19 May 1837, m. Lucina Blanchard, 1 Jan. 1860, d. 1 June 1889.
7. Mary Elizabeth Darling, b. 15 Sept. 1839, m. Harrison Franklin, 31 Dec. 1863, d. 22 April 1904.
8. Byron Darling, b. 31 Aug. 1841, d. 7 June 1851.
- +9. Marcellus Warner Darling, b. 9 March 1844, m. Clara (or Clere) R. Woolson, 25 Dec. 1871, 7 Feb. 1913.
- +10. Charles David Darling, b. 3 July 1847, m. Deborah (or Dora) R. Laing, 9 Jan. 1871, d. 26 Dec. 1917.
11. Wellington Darling, b. 15 April 1851, d. March 1879.
12. Frank Benjamin Darling, b. 26 Sept. 1853, d. 8 May 1892.

GENERATION 2

Rev. Marcellus W. Darling (9) was born in 1844 in Carrarraugus Co., NY. He married

Clara R. Woolson on 25 Dec. 1871 in Mt. Pleasant, IA. She was born about 1844.

Children - Darling

13. Frank Woolson Darling, b.c. 1876.
- +14. Jay Norwood Darling, b. 21 Oct. 1876, m. -----.

Charles David Darling (10) was born 3 July 1847 in Leon, Cattaraugus Co., NY, and died 26 Dec. 1917 in Fredonia, Chatauqua Co., NY. He married Deborah (or Dora) R. Laing, daughter of Isaac Laing and Pamela R. Sherman, on 9 Jan. 1871 in Randolph, NY. She was born 4 April 1850 in North Collins, Erie Co., NY, and died 17 Sept. 1915 in Fredonia, Chatauqua Co., NY.

Children - Darling

- +15. Chester Arthur Darling, b. 4 Oct. 1880, m. Madge Williams, 5 Aug. 1908.

SAMUEL GRAVES OF LYNN, MA

Ms. Carole Broxson, 10189 Ashpark Court, Dayton, OH 45458 (carolehb@aol.com), and Ms. Ramona Murphy, PO Box 62, Guyton, GA 31312, are both looking for proof the the ancestry of SARAH GRAVES discussed below. It is believed that she was descended from SAMUEL GRAVES, but more evidence would be helpful. (See p. 9, 1999 GFNL, for a previous query on this family.)

It is also interesting to see that this is another of the few examples of a New England family moving to the south.

DESCENDANTS OF SARAH GRAVES
AND ABRAHAM NEWTON
OF MA & NC

GENERATION 1

Sarah Graves (1) was born about 1715. She married Abraham Newton, son of Abraham Newton and Rachel Newton, on 5 Nov. 1735 in Southboro, MA. He was born 25 June 1715 in Marlborough, MA. He was descended from Richard Newton who immigrated to Sudbury,

MA from Lincolnshire, England about 1639. Four of their sons (Isaac, Jacob, George, and Samuel) moved to NC in the 1750's and settled Newton Cross Roads in New Hanover Co., NC. In 1769, Abraham served on the jury for a murder trial in Deplin Co., NC. Abraham was living with or near his four sons in 1779 in Duplin Co., NC, where all five signed a petition for the formation of Sampson Co. from Duplin Co. It is thought that Sarah was in NC also. There is an obituary for a Mrs. Sarah Newton in the *Cape Fear Mercury*, 29 Dec. 1773. It is assumed that this was Sarah Graves Newton and that she died sometime in Dec. 1773. All four of the sons in NC were in the Revolutionary War.

It appears likely that Sarah Graves was a daughter of or closely related to Thomas Graves, descended from Samuel Graves of Lynn, MA (Samuel¹, Thomas², Samuel³, Thomas⁴ b. 1686). (Thomas Graves was listed as no. 39 on pages 15 and 24 of the Samuel Graves book.) Thomas⁴ was born 16 Dec. 1686 in Lynn, MA, moved from Lynn to Reading, MA as early as 1724, and moved to Southboro, MA in 1738. His son, Joseph Graves, b. 1717, m(1) Mary Newton in 1745, and m(2) Lydia Newton in 1758. Perhaps Sarah was a daughter not previously listed.

Children - Newton

2. John Newton, b. 8 Nov. 1736 (Westboro, MA).
- +3. Isaac Newton, b.c. 1737, m. Jemima Chambers, d. 1792.
4. Jacob Newton, b.c. 1739, m. Lois Jones, d. before Jan. 1787. He served in the militia in the Rev. War. After Jacob's death, Lois m(2) Joseph Williams, Sr., in 1791 in Duplin Co., NC.
- +5. George Newton, b.c. 1740 or 1742, m. Nancy Ann Moore, c. 1763, d. 1810.
6. Samuel Newton, m. Sarah Lee. He was a Baptist preacher, serving as pastor of Wells' Chapel Baptist Church which was organized in 1756 (among the first missionary Baptist churches in Duplin Co., NC). He served in this capacity until his death about 1783 during the Rev. War.

Until 1835, the church was called Bull Tail Meeting House, probably because of nearby Bull Tail Creek.

GENERATION 2

Isaac Newton (3) was born about 1737, and died about 1792 in Duplin Co., NC. He married Jemima Chambers. She was born about 1757.

Children - Newton

- +7. Sarah Newton, b. 20 Oct. 1757, m. Daniel Alderman, 11 Aug. 1772.
- +8. Esther Newton, b. 11 Oct. 1779, m. James Bland, c. 1801, d. 17 Sept. 1854.
- +9. Nancy Ann Newton, b. 2 March 1782, m. John Alderman, 1800, d. 31 March 1857.
- 10. Phoebe Newton, m. William Herring.
- 11. Elizabeth Newton, m. Hugh Roney, 21 Jan. 1783.
- 12. Mary Newton
- 13. Dorcas Newton, m. Reuben Morgan, 25 Nov. 1793.
- 14. Miriam Newton, m. Elias James, 2 May 1780, d. before 1798.
- 15. Jemima Newton, m. ----- Wilson..
- 16. Enoch Newton, m. Elizabeth Fryat.
- 17. Isaac Newton, m. Elizabeth Bland. She was dau. of James Bland and Mary.

George Newton (5) was born about 1740 or 1742 in MA, and died in 1810 in Orange Co., NC. He married Nancy Ann Moore about 1770 in New Hanover Co., NC. She was born about 1750, and died after 1827, probably in Screven Co., GA.

Two of the sons of George and Nancy moved from NC to Screven Co., GA. Samuel Newton and his wife Ann moved in 1796 and settled in the vicinity of what is now Newington, and George and his wife Mary moved in the early 1800's and settled in the section of the county near Rocky Ford. Two of the daughters of George and Nancy Ann (Moore) Newton also moved to Screven Co., GA, Susan who married Thomas Alderman

and Rachel who married Jacob Straughn (Rachel isn't listed with the other children below). After George Sr. died, his widow Nancy moved to GA and drew in the Land Lottery of 1827 in Screven Co.

Children - Newton

- 18. Samuel Newton, b. 1764, m. Nancy Ann Brock.
- +19. James Newton, b.c. 1766 (or 1775), m. Susan Pigford, d.c. 1840.
- +20. George Newton, b. 1768, m. Mary Robinson, d. 20 June 1843.
- 21. Isaac Newton, b. 1770, m. Elizabeth Alderman.
- 22. Nancy Ann Newton, b. 1772, m. Elizabeth Alderman.
- 23. Reubin Newton, b. 1774, m. Margaret Bordeaux.
- 24. Susan Newton, b. 1776, m. Thomas Alderman.
- 25. Catherine ("Kate") Newton, b. 1782, never married.

SOUTHERN GRAVES FAMILIES

Ms. Rhonda Graves, PO Box 2061, Fort Worth, TX 76113-2061 (flegel_graves@yahoo.com), is looking for the ancestor of her grandfather HENRY DELL GRAVES. He was born 19 July 1901 and died 30 May 1970, both in Mansfield, LA. He married Della Irene Bebee either 28 Aug. 1926 in Campti, LA or 26 Nov. 1926 in Mansfield, De Soto Par., LA, depending on source. She was born 16 March 1911 in Lena, LA, and died 22 Feb. 1982 in Shreveport, LA. They had several children, starting in 1930, including Robert Lee Graves, Glen Graves, Huey Graves, and Betty Graves. Any help will be appreciated.

She plans to check the 1910 and 1920 census records to find him as a child in the household of his parents. If necessary, she will then order a copy of his Social Security application, and check other records.

Mrs. Holly Ayers, 214 Cardinal Ridge Rd., Thomasville, GA 31792 (fayers@rose.net), is

looking for the ancestry of CHARLES GRAVES of NC & IN, ancestor of her husband Frank. The presently known information is below.

DESCENDANTS OF CHARLES GRAVES
OF IN & CLARK CO., IN

GENERATION 1

Charles Graves (1) was born 18 Dec. 1820 in IN, according to the 1880 census for Owen, Clark Co., IN (although R-1 said he was born in SC). He married Elvira -----. She was born about 1825 in NC. According to the 1880 census, both his parents and both her parents were born in NC. All the children listed below were born in IN. There may have been other older children who were no longer living at home in 1880.

There were 3 other Graves families in the 1880 census for Owen, Clark Co., IN that might be related. The families were: David Graves (possible brother of Charles), b.c. 1827 in IN, both parents born in NC, wife Sarah; Samuel D. Graves (possible son of Charles), b.c. 1843 in IN, both parents born in IN, wife Lucinda; John O. Graves (possible son of Charles), b.c. 1848 in IN, father born in IN and mother born in NC, wife Nancy.

Children - Graves

- +2. James Marion Graves, b. 7 July 1846, m. Hannah M. -----.
- 3. Charlotte Graves, b.c. 1851.
- 4. Laura Graves, b.c. 1855.
- 5. Thomas Graves, b.c. 1857.
- 6. Andrew Graves, b.c. 1859.
- 7. Cyrus Graves, b.c. 1861.
- 8. Rhoda Graves, b.c. 1863.
- 9. Eddy Graves, b.c. 1865.

GENERATION 2

James Marion Graves (2) was born 7 July 1846 in Solon, Clark Co., IN. He married Hannah M. -----. She was born about 1851 in IN. Her parents were both born in OH. The 1880 census showed them in Hamilton,

Jackson Co., IN with son Charles F. Graves, age 2.

Children - Graves

- +10. Charles Francis (or Francis Charles) Graves, b. 20 April 1878, m. -----.

GENERATION 3

Francis Charles (or Charles Francis) Graves (10) was born 20 April 1878 in Scipio, Jennings Co., IN. He married -----.

Children - Graves

- 11. Iona Elizabeth Graves, b. 25 Oct. 1910 (Lawrenceville, Lawrence Co., IL).

Ms. Billie Ruth Miller, PO Box 127, Bridge City, TX 77611 (ruth7780@aol.com), is not a Graves descendant but a Herring descendant. She has been doing some research to find what happened to the mother and sister of a 91-year-old man. The sister was named Vergie Herring of Crystal Springs, Copiah Co., MS, and her mother was Willie Dixon who married William Talbert Herring. She was told that when this man was about 8 years old his mother left home and never returned, taking most of her children with her, and a few years later his sister Vergie Herring left home never to return. What happened to these Herring descendants?

Vergie was the second wife of Julius E. Graves (576) in the following partial genealogy (part of the descendants of JAMES GRAVES and Mary Copeland of VA & GA).

GENERATION 5

Edmond (or Edmund) ("Edd") F. (probably Fielding) Graves (238) was born 27 June 1851 (or 13 July 1852) in Crystal Springs, Copiah Co., Miss., died 12 Jan. 1884 in Crystal Springs, and was buried 13 Jan. 1884 at Dentville, Copiah Co., Miss. He married Mary Corinna (or Corena) Hood, daughter of Julius James Hood and Mary Thurston Stubbs, on 29 Dec. 1874. She was born 2 Oct. 1855 and died 11 April 1937, both at Crystal

Springs, Miss., and was buried 12 April 1937 at Dentville, Copiah Co.

Mary secondly married William M. Farrar on 5 (or 15) March 1894. He was born about 1853 in Miss. By this second marriage, there were two children, both born at Crystal Springs: Irl Carter Farrar, b. 9 May 1895, d. 30 May 1914; Bryan Hammon Farrar, b. 17 July 1897, d. 27 March 1917.

All the children of Edd and Mary, listed below, were born in Crystal Springs, Miss.

Children - Graves

- 574. William Everett Graves, b. 3 Jan. 1876, m. Ritta Aline Strong, 26 May 1918, d. 16 Dec. 1930.
- 575. Minnie May Graves, b. 26 Nov. 1877, m. Echiel Obel Lewis, 9 Jan. 1902, d. 21 Nov. 1965.
- +576. Julius Eli Graves, b. 9 July 1879, m(1) Mary Narcissis Clement, 27 March 1904, m(2) Vergie Herring, d. 4 Nov. 1926.
- 577. Edmond Shelton Graves, b. 8 July 1881, d. 23 Aug. 1881.
- 578. Edmond Fielding Graves, b. 25 Aug. 1883, m. Lillie Mae Massey, 22 Feb. 1912, d. 8 Aug. 1957.

GENERATION 6

Julius Eli Graves (576) was born 9 July 1879 in Copiah Co., Miss., died 4 Nov. 1926, and was buried in Dentville (cemetery name and location not known). Funeral director was J. P. Biggs. He first married Mary Narcissis Clement, daughter of George Washington Clement, Jr. and Mary Ann Haley, on 27 March 1904. She was born 3 March 1884 and died 18 Feb. 1910. Julius married second Vergie Herring, daughter of William Talbert Herring (son of Isaac Herring). She was born in 1904. It is not known whether they had any children.

Children - Graves

- +1194. Will Ernest Graves, b. 11 April 1905, m. Ida Merle Bryant, 1939, d. 25 Nov. 1973.
- 1195. Clement Graves, died young (about age 5).

- 1196. Mary Maud Graves, b. 28 Feb. 1909, m. Tom Hailey Fleming, d. 7 Sept. 1999. Living in Crystal Springs, Miss. in 1985.

Mr. James W. Graves, 1996 Bucks Run Rd., Ghent, KY 41045 (jimgraves1@juno.com), is looking for the ancestry of his ELIJAH GRAVES. As noted below, he believes he is descended from Capt. Thomas Graves of VA. Help on the ancestry and additional descendants will be appreciated.

DESCENDANTS OF ELIJAH GRAVES
AND AGNES LACY OF KY

GENERATION 1

Elijah Graves (1) was born about 1788 in KY, and died in 1860 in Trimble Co., KY. He married Agnes Lacy on 21 Sept. 1832 in Owen Co., KY. She was born in 1815. It may be that Elijah first married Kitty Hamilton on 25 March 1815 in Fayette Co., KY.

It is believed that Elijah is descended from Capt. Thomas Graves of VA (gen. 169), probably through Thomas Graves (born 1691) who married Ann Davenport. They had 16 children, many of whom went to KY. The name of Elijah was frequently used in this part of the family. There was also intermarriage between this part of the Graves family and the Bartlett family, including the marriage of Thomas Graves (son of Thomas Graves and Ann Davenport) to Isabella Susan Bartlett.

Children - Graves

- 2. Elizabeth Graves, b. 1833.
- +3. Thomas E. Graves, b. 1834, m. ----- McGlocklin, 18 Dec. 1856.
- 4. Charlotte Graves, b. 1837, m. William M. Richards, 26 March 1860 (Carrollton, Carroll Co., KY).
- 5. Bartlett Graves, b. 1839 (IN), m. Amanda Stockdale, 27 Aug. 1863 (Methodist Church, Carroll Co., KY). She was b. 1839 in IN.
- 6. John A. Graves, b. 1843.

7. Margaret Graves, b. 1848.
8. Lucinda Ellen Graves, b. 1849 (KY), m. W. H. Taylor, (Carroll Co., KY, bk. 2, p. 421).
9. Mary Graves, b. 1851.
10. Elijah Graves, b. 1852 (Carroll Co., KY), m. Nancy A. Brown, 18 Oct. 1883 (Carrollton, Carroll Co., KY). She was b. 1853 in IN.

GENERATION 2

Thomas E. Graves (3) was born in 1834 in IN, and died in Trimble Co., KY. He married ----- McGlocklin on 18 Dec. 1856 in Trimble Co., KY. She was born in 1836 in KY, and died 11 April 1909 in Madison, Jefferson Co., IN.

Children - Graves

- +11. James E. Graves, b. 25 Feb. 1858, m. Ermma L. Rose, c. 1877.
- +12. John Wesley Graves, b. 1860, m. Permilia Wingham, 11 Aug. 1882, d. Feb. 1899.
- +13. America Kate Graves, b. 1861, m. Wallace Rose, 16 Dec. 1877, d. 14 March 1929.
- +14. William S. Graves, b. 1864, m(1) Elizabeth E. -----, m(2) Lydia E. Courtney, 28 Feb. 1855, d. 16 Nov. 1950.
- +15. George Emmett Graves, b. 18 Sept. 1871, m. Margaret Richmond, 25 May 1894, d. 1 Jan. 1951.
- +16. Earnest Samuel Graves, b. 1873, m. Mary Hulda Buchanan, 1 Aug. 1894, d. 26 March 1924.

GENERATION 3

James E. Graves (11) was born 25 Feb. 1858 in Locust Creek, Trimble Co., KY, and died in Trimble Co., KY. He married Ermma L. Rose about 1877. She was born 26 Sept. 1858.

Children - Graves

17. Henry Lute Graves, b. Feb. 1882, d. before 1955.
18. James U. Graves, b. July 1884.
19. Dessie Graves

20. Nellie Graves, b. Nov. 1896.
21. Mary Luly Graves, b. Jan. 1887, m. James Hudson, 22 June 1905.

John Wesley Graves (12) was born in 1860 in Trimble Co., KY, and died in Feb. 1899. He married Permilia Wingham on 11 Aug. 1882 in Trimble Co., KY. She was born 17 March 1862 and died 28 Oct. 1898, both in Trimble Co., KY.

Children - Graves

- +22. Clarence Wesley Graves, b. 29 April 1886, m(1) Lucy C. Crafton, 1909, m(2) Ollie Lee Perry, 2 Oct. 1918, d. Jan. 1959.
- +23. John Albert Graves, b. 23 Oct. 1884, m(1) Augusta -----, m(2) Nancy Young, m(3) May Stewart, 29 Dec. 1910, d. 19 Oct. 1964.

America Kate Graves (13) was born in 1861 in Carroll Co., KY, and died 14 March 1929 in Trimble Co., KY. She married Wallace Rose on 16 Dec. 1877 in Trimble Co., KY. He was born 5 June 1854 in Gallatin Co., KY, and died 14 March 1929.

Children - Rose

- +24. Edward Rose, b. Nov. 1879, m(1) Lula -----, m(2) Berth Welch, 21 Nov. 1899.
25. Pearl Rose, m. Elmer French.
26. Sally Rose, b. Oct. 1885, d.c. 1907 (about 22 years of age). Bur. Wilson Cem.
- +27. Mary Lucretia Rose, b. 31 Jan. 1888, m. Jerome Davis Wright, 20 Aug. 1913, d. 24 June 1948.

William S. Graves (14) was born in 1864 in KY, and died 16 Nov. 1950 in Vevay, Switzerland Co., IN. He first married Elizabeth E. -----. She was born in 1865. He married second Lydia E. Courtney on 28 Feb. 1855. She was born 22 Feb. 1855 in IN, and died 13 Dec. 1928 in Vevay, IN.

Children - Graves, by Lydia E. Courtney

- +28. Pearl Graves, m. Everett Hatton.

George Emmett Graves (15) was born 18 Sept. 1871 and died 1 Jan. 1951, both in Trimble Co., KY. He married Margaret Richmond on 25 May 1894 in Trimble Co., KY. She was born 27 Aug. 1879 and died 16 Oct. 1935.

Children - Graves

- 29. James Graves, died young. Bur. Mt. Carmel Cem., Trimble Co., KY.
- +30. Virgil Emmett Graves, b. 4 April 1894, m. Hazel Wise, 4 Dec. 1919, d. 26 July 1941.
- +31. Hubert Oma Graves, b. 7 Aug. 1897, m. Leona McCord, d. 4 Sept. 1959.
- 32. Hallie Graves, b. 1903, d. 23 Nov. 1907 (diphtheria).
- +33. George Leonard Graves, b. 16 Jan. 1909, m. Beryl Kidwell, 3 Oct. 1943, d. 10 April 1965.

Earnest Samuel Graves (16) was born in 1873 in Trimble Co., KY, and died 26 March 1924 in Pleasant Point, IN. He married Mary Hulda Buchanan on 1 Aug. 1894. She was born in Feb. 1874.

Children - Graves

- +34. Goldie Ellen Graves, b. 5 July 1895, m. Charles Gordon, d. 1965.
- 35. Raymond Graves, b. 1906, d. 1980.
- +36. Bessie Owen Graves, b. 27 Feb. 1908, m. Shirley Banks, 23 May 1925, d. 5 Dec. 1995.
- 37. Victor Graves, b. 1912.