LANNING

FAMILY HISTORY

August, 1973

(First Edition)
FOREWORD
After many, many years of research, compiling information, following through of leads, visiting grave sites, et cetera, it is with great pride and determination that this book on the LANNING FAMILY HISTORY is being printed.
Everyone involved in submitting information is to be truly commended for their assistance. The publisher would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the fact that while there is a tremendous amount of information compiled here, there is still a lot of information yet to be researched and compiled.
With the permission of the Lanning Family, please forward to the publisher any corrections, deletions or additions to the information printed herein. This information will be inserted for future reprinting. Please show page number and approximate location of these corrections and additions.
The Publisher

SECRETARY
1251 Hendersonville Rd. Asheville, N. C. 28803

-i-
EXPLANATION
OF NUMBERING SYSTEM
Generation:
1st I. Joseph Lanning
2nd A. John Lanning
2nd B. Aeshia Lanning
2nd C. Enos Lanning
2nd D. Possibly 4 other children

To simplify matters, only one child of each generation is shown below as examples, with corresponding numbers:

Generation:
2nd A. John Lanning
3rd 1. Enos Lanning
4th a. David Lanning
5th (3) Joseph Cephus Lanning
6th (C) Annie Lanning
7th (c-1) Paul C. Stroupe, Jr.
4th b. William Lanning
5th (2) Govan Lanning
6th (a) Jeff Lanning
7th (a-5) Dallas Lanning
8th (a5-c) Ollis Lanning
9th (a5c-1) Richard Ollis Lanning
10th (a5c1-a) Richard Lanning
John Sanning Jan 4th

Births: Died in 1861

John Sanning Sept 4th Family died 1828
Joshua Sanning died 13th of January

John Sanning was died 10th of August

Sarah Sanning died 26th of May 1848

William Sanning died 21st of June

Erina Sanning died 18th of June 1868

Sarah Green died January the 4th 1864

Joseph Sanning died May 1870

John Sanning died August the 29th 1871

Amos Sanning died May the 20th 1873

Mary Green died January the 10th 1876

Rachel Sanning died, aged 74
Family Record.

BIRTHS.

James Lanning was born December 23rd, 1804.
Mary Daughlin, his wife, was born November 12th, 1802.
A Family was born January 4th, 1827.
Harvey Lanning was born June 30th, 1829.
Theodore Lanning was born August 21st, 1831, and departed this life February 4th, 1834.
Amanda Lanning was born October 5th, 1833.
Ella Lanning was born 21st of October 1835.
Gardiner Lanning was born August 22nd, 1837.
Henry Lanning was born 7th of January, 1840.
George Lanning was born March 19th, 1842.
Ada Lanning departed this life October 27th, 1862.
Mary Lanning was born June 19th, 1845.
William Lanning was born December 17th, 1847.
John Sawing, 7th DEATHS. 26th August 1829

Isabella Hardy Sawing deceased the 9th of November 1829

Survivor: Jane Sawing

June 1830
Family Record.

BIRTHS.

John Sanning was born the 16th of February 1794.
Susanna Sanning was born the 12th of February 1802.

Elizabeth Sanning was born the 28th of April 1821.
Sosanna Alexander Sanning was born the 5th February 1825.

Hannah Sanning was born the 9th of June 1827.

Sintha Sanning was born the 6th of November 1830.

Elliot Reily Sanning was born the 9th of January 1833.

Sarah Catherine Sanning was born 21st of December 1841.
Primitive personal names doubtless originated soon after the invention of spoken languages. In the dark ages, long preceding recorded history and for thousands of years thereafter, first or given names were the only designation that men and women bore; and at the dawn of historic times, when the world was less crowded than it is today and every man knew his neighbor, one title of address was sufficient. Only gradually, with the passing of centuries and the increasing complexity of civilized society did a need arise for more specific designations. While the roots of our system of family names may be traced back to early civilized times, actually the hereditary surnames as we know them today date scarcely more than 900 years ago.

A surname is a name added to a baptismal or given name for the purpose of making it more specific and indicating family relationship or descent. Classified according to origin, most surnames fall into 4 general groups:

1. Those formed from given names of the sires;
2. Those arising from bodily or personal characteristics;
3. Those derived from locality or place of residence; and
4. Those derived from occupation.

It is easier to understand and the story of the development of our institution of surnames if these classifications are borne in mind. As early as Biblical times, certain distinguishing appellations were occasionally employed in addition to the given name; for instance: Joshua, the son of Nun; Azariah, the son of Nathan; Judas of Galilee; and Simon, the Zealot. In ancient Greece, a daughter was named after her father; Chyrasis, daughter of Chryses. A son’s name was an enlarged form of his Father’s: Hieronymus, son of Hiero.

The Romans, with the rise of their civilization, met the need for hereditary designations by inventing a complex system whereby every Partrician took several names. None of them, however, exactly corresponded to surnames as we know them, for the “clan name,” although hereditary, was given to slaves and other dependents. This system proved to be but a temporary innovation. The overthrow of the Western Empire by barbarian invaders brought about its end and a reversion to the primitive custom of single names. The ancient Scandinavians, and for the most part the Germans, had only individual names, and there were no family names, strictly speaking, among the Celts.

But, as the family groups grew in size, individual names became inadequate and the need for supplementing designations began to be felt. Among the first employed were such terms as the Hardy, the Stern, the Dreadful-in-Battle; and the nations of Europe soon adopted the practice of adding the father’s name to the son’s, as, Oscar, son of Camith, and Dermid, son of Duthno.

True surnames, in the sense of hereditary appellations, date in England from about the year 1000. Largely, they were introduced from Normandy, although there are records of Saxon surnames prior to the Norman Conquest. During the reign of Edward, the confessor (1041-1066), there were Saxon tenants in Suffolk bearing such names as Suert Magno, Stignad Soror, Sinward Rufus, and Leuric Hobbersune (Hobson); and the Domesday record of 1085-1086, which exhibits some curious combinations of Saxon forenames with Norman family names, shows surnames in still more general use. By the end of the twelfth century hereditary names had...
become common in England. But even by 1465, they were not universal. During the reign of Edward, a law was passed to compel certain Irish outlaws to adopt a surname. “The color such as Black or Brown, or some art of Science, such as Smythe or Carpenter, or some office, such as cook or Butler,” and as late as the beginning of the nineteenth century, a similar decree compelled Jews in Germany and Austria to add a German surname to the single names that they had previously used.

As stated above, family names fall into four general classes according to their origin. One of these classes comprises surnames derived from the given name of the father. Such names were formed by adding a prefix or suffix denoting either “son of” or a diminutive. English names terminate in son (or contractions -2-)

s); ing and kin are of this type, as are also the innumerable names prefixed with the Gallic Mac, the Norman Fitz, the Irish O and the Welsh ap. Thus, the son of John became Johnson; the son of William, Williamson, or Wilson; the son of Richard, Richardson or Richards; the son of Neill, Mac Neils; the son of Herbert, Fitz Herberts; the son of Reilly, O’Reilly; and the son of Thomas, ap Thomas (ap has been dropped from many names of which it was formerly a part). There are also German, Netherlandish, Scandinavian, and other European surnames of similar formation, such as the Scandinavian name ending in sen. Another class of surname, those arising from some bodily or personal characteristic of their first bearer, apparently grew out of what were in the first instance nicknames; thus, Peter, the strong, became Peter Strong; Roger, of small stature, became Roger Little or Roger Small; and blackhaired William, or blond Alfred became William Black or Alfred White. A few examples of names of this type are: Long, Short, Hardy, Wise, Good, Gladman, Lover and Youngman.

A third class of family names, and perhaps the largest of all, is the comprising of local surnames – names derived from and originally designating the place of residence of the bearer. Such names were employed in France at an early date and were introduced into England by the Normans, many of whom were known by the titles of their estates. The surnames adopted by the nobility were chiefly of this type, being used with the particular dr, di, la, or dil meaning “of” or “of the”. The Saxon equivalent was the word, “atte” (at the”) found in such names as John Atte Brook, Edmund atte Lane, Godwin atte Brigg and William atte Bourne. A vestage of this usage survives in the names Atwell, Atwood, and Atwater. In other cases, Norman de was substituted; and in still others such as Wood, Briggs, and Love, the particle was dropped. The surnames of some of the Pilgrim fathers illustrate place designations; Winthrop, for instance, means “of the friendly village;” Endicott, “an end cottage,” and Bradford, “a broad ford.” The suffixes “ford,” “ham,” “ley,” and “ton,” denoting locality, are of frequent occurrences in such English names as Ashford, Brigham, Burley and Norton.

Commencing about the time of Edward the Confessor, a fourth class of surnames arose – names derived from occupations.

-3-

The earliest of these seem to have been official names such as Bishop, Mayor, Alderman, Reeve, Sheriff, Chamberlain, Chancellor, Chaplain, Deacon, Latimer (interpreter), Marshall, Sumner (Summoner), and Parker (park keeper). Trade and craft names, although of the same general
type, were a slightly later development. Currier was a dresser of skins; Webster, a weaver; Wainwright, a wagon builder; and Baxter, a baker. Such names as Smith, Taylor, Barber, Shepherd, Carter, Mason, and Miller are self-explanatory. Some surnames today which seem to defy classification or explanation are corruptions of ancient forms that have become disguised almost beyond recognition; for instance, Trouvelfield was originally 'Tubeville, Wrinch was Renshaw; Diggles was Douglas; Sinnocks and Snooks were Sevenoaks; Barrowcliff and Berrycloth were Barraclonge; and Stawbridge was Stanbridge. Such corruptions of family names resulted from ignorance of spelling, variations in pronunciation, or merely from the preference of the bearer, and tend to baffle both the genealogist and the etymologist. Shakespeare's name is found in some 27 different forms, and the majority of English and Anglo-American names have, in their history, appeared in four to a dozen or more variant spellings.

In the United States, a greater variety of family names exists than anywhere else in the world. Surnames of every race and nation are represented. While a substantial number are of English, Scotch, Irish, Welsh and Western European origin, brought to this country by scions of families that had borne these names for generations prior to emigration, many others have come from central and southern Europe and the Slavic countries, where the use of surnames is generally a more recently established practice. Some families had no fixed surname until after their arrival in America; and in other cases, emigrants from continental Europe or their descendants have translated or otherwise modified their names.

Those Americans who possess old and honored names -- trace their surnames back to sturdy immigrant ancestors, or beyond, across the seas and into the mists of antiquity -- may be rightfully proud of their heritage. While the name, in its origin, may seem ingenious, humble, surprising, or matter-of-fact, its significance today lies not in a literal interpretation of its initial meaning but in the many things that have happened to it since it first came into use. In the beginning, it was only a label to distinguish one John from his neighbor who lives across the field. But soon it established itself as part of the bearer’s individuality; and as it passed to his children, his children’s children, and their children, it became the symbol not of one man but of a family and all that that family stood for. Handed down from generation to generation, the surname grew inseparably associated with the achievement, the tradition, and the prestige of the family. Like the coat-of-arms -- that vivid symbolization of the name which warrior ancestors bore in battle -- the name itself has become a badge of family honor. It has become the “good name” to be proud of and to protect as one’s most treasured possession.
LANYON FARM

Near Penganse, Cornwall, Great Britain
(April 1972)
Excerpt from Eunice McFee letter to Lillie Morgan, dated May 6, 1972:

"The trip to Great Britain was wonderful. We went to England, Wales and Scotland. We did not go to Ireland or Brittany… maybe another time. After 8 days in London, we hired a drive yourself car and went to Cornwall, England. It was raining when we arrived at Penzance, so we didn't get to do the things we had planned, at least not all of them. I was determined, however, on the strength of the coat-of-arms you sent, to make some follow up on the ancient family of Lanyon. We went to the Lanyon Quoit, an ancient monument, which had been given to the National Trust as a permanent monument. We inquired in the neighborhood about the family and learned that there were none by the name of Lanyon, but that the Lanyon Farm was next down the road, that it had been managed by one family for over a hundred years, and that the last of them had retired last fall because of a stroke. I obtained the name of his eldest daughter and plan to write her. We took pictures of the quoit and the manor house (which was quite imposing). I have the name of a Dr. Lanyon and a few others to whom I will write. Maybe one of them will know something. It was raining when we reached Llanon in Wales and again I am not sure of good pictures. My feeling is that Llanon may be the original seat of the family. I talked to the church warden who told me the rector is writing a history of the place and he gave me his name and address. Surely somebody will answer me. The double LL is Welsh and the oldest form of our name that I have found has it. Many in this country have dropped it as Llewellyn - Lewellyn; LLoyd, Loyd, etc….

-7-
THE NAME AND FAMILY
OF
LANNING OR LANING

The name of LANNING or LANING is of somewhat obscure origin. A credible explanation of the name is that it is a corruption of Lanine, which, in turn, was the Cornish form of Lanyon or Lannion, which means "little enclosure" and was originally derived from the residence of its first bearers at the town of Lannion, in Brittany. In ancient English and early American records, the name appears in the various spellings of Lanine, Lanin, Lannin, Lanyng, Lannyng, Laninge, Laning, Lanning, and others. Of the forms mentioned, the last two are those most frequently in evidence in America in modern times.

According to historians, the family of Lannion or Lanyon went from Brittany into Cornwall, England, in the time of King Edward II (circa 1307-1327). The estate possessed by them in Cornwall also bore the name of Lanyon, and some writers are of the opinion that bearers of the name assumed it from residence at this place. However, the general opinion of the origin of the family agrees with the statement, made in D. Gilbert's History of Cornwall, Vol. 2, that "the first propagators of this family in Cornwall, came with many other French gentlemen into England with Isabella, wife of King Edward II, and settled themselves in these parts." The same authority adds that the "surname is always in Cornwall pronounced Lanine."

Many historians have stated that the family was early residents in Wales, but the first definite records of the name (in its present form) in the British Isles, now in evidence, are found in Wiltshire. There, one Mighell Lannyng (Michael Lanning was married in the year 1575 to Maude Gildon, of Mere. Later records of the name in Wiltshire include those of Mychaell (Michael) Lanning, or Mere, who was married in 1631 or 1632 to Agnes Follett, and those of Richard Lanning, of Kniton, who was married at Mere in 1655 or 1656 to Basill Crump.

These records, while fragmentary, serve to identify the family with the yeomanry of Wiltshire for nearly a century.

According to family tradition, three brothers of the name of Lanning came from Wales to Long Island, N.Y. about the beginning of the seventeenth century and removed soon afterward to New Jersey. One of these immigrant brothers was Robert Lanning, whose name appears among the grantees of land on which it was proposed to build a church at Maidenhead (now Lawrenceville), N.J., in 1698 or 1699.

[1] The immigrant Robert married a Miss Hart, and was the father by her of nine children: Stephen, Ralph, Richard, John, Daniel, Robert, Frances, Martha and Mercy.

A. Stephen Lanning, son of the immigrant Robert, was married to Abigail Hart. He died in 1780, leaving four sons, Ralph, Robert, Elijah, and Stephen, and five daughters, Sarah, Abigail, Mary, Elizabeth and Mercy.
Of the last-mentioned brothers, **Ralph** married Elizabeth Jones before 1768. His children were Samuel (died unmarried), Joseph, Mary, Elizabeth, Abigail, Sarah, and Joshua. Of these, Joseph married Mary Jones and had issue by her of George (died unmarried), Samuel, and Mary; while Joshua had at least two children, Lydia and Abner.

**Robert**, son of Stephen and Abigail (nee Hart), married Jemima Smith, of Lawrenceville, before 1761 and had issue by her of John, Nancy, Stephen (died young) and Joshua. Of these, **John** married Elizabeth Hart and was the father by her of Samuel Hart, Joshua, Martha, Ann, and Cornelia; while **Joshua** first married Catharine Vankirk, by whom he was the father of Charles, John, Stephen, Jemima, Elizabeth and Mary Ann Lanning. Joshua’s second wife was Leah Hoagland, but there was no issue by this union.

**Elijah**, son of Stephen and Abigail (nee Hart), was married before 1777 to Sarah Mershon. He died at Ewing, NJ, in 1793 leaving seven children, Mary, Eunice, Elijah, Nathanial, Jemima, Abigail, and Angeline. Of these, **Elijah** married Mary Burroughs, by whom he had issue of Randolph, Edward, Sarah, Angeline, Mary Frances, and Charles Henry Lanning.

**Stephen**, youngest son of Stephen and Abigail (nee Hart), married Elsie Reed and died in 1798, leaving seven children, Samuel, Nathaniel, Daniel, John, Stephen, Naomi, and Mary. Of these, Samuel was the father of Susan, Mary Ann, Amy, Phebe, Elizabeth, Martha, Rebecca, and Nicholas Lanning, of whom the last settled, together with several of his sisters, in Ohio; **Nathaniel** married a Miss Lee and was the father by her of John, Amos, Nathanial, Samuel (of Luzerne County, PA), Thisbe, and Penina Lanning; **Daniel** left issue at Oxford, in Warren County, NJ of Charles, Stephen, Daniel, John, Eliza, Fanny, Polly, Mary and Mahala Lanning; **John** married Rachel Young, who gave him six children: Jesse, William, Isaiah, Elizabeth, Naomi, and Susan Lanning; and **Stephen** died in 1826, leaving issue by his wife, Mary Smith, of Horace, Enoch, Smith, Samuel, Joseph (of Philadelphia), and Susan.

**B. Ralph Lanning**, son of immigrant Robert, first married Elizabeth Smith, of Lawrenceville, and took as his second wife, Mary Hart. He died in 1798, leaving five sons: Amos, Ralph, Daniel, Jasper and Noah. Of the last-mentioned brothers, Amos married Lois Reed and had issue by her of Amos, Ralph, William, Sarah, Hezekiah, Elizabeth and Jasper. Of these: Amos had issue by his first wife, Jemima Furman, of Jasper (settled in Wisconsin), Amanda, Eliza, Mary Ann, and Sarah Matilda Lanning, while his second wife, Catherine Anthony, gave him nine children: Amos, Charles Wesley, Theodore, William, Henry B., Emma, Martha, Caroline, and Frederic, most of whom resided at Trenton, NJ;
Ralph left issue at Ewing by his wife, Mary Wynkoop, of Isaac (of Trenton), Phebe, Theodore, Rebecca, Amos, David, Elizabeth, Gerardus, William, and Ralph Augustus Lanning;

William married Anna Applegate and removed to Western New York;

Hezekiah married Susan Boswell, but the names of his progeny are not available; and

Jasper married, first, Mary Vankirk, and second, Phebe Vankirk, her sister. He, too, made his home in Western New York.

Jasper, son of Ralph, and probably his first wife, Elizabeth (nee Smith), married Keziah Reed, by whom he had an only son named Abijah, who married Ann Green. To this union was born an only son, named Jasper.

Noah, son of Ralph, and, probably his first wife, Elizabeth (nee Smith), married Theodosia Smith, who gave him two daughters, Isabella and Sarah, but no male progeny.

Richard Lanning, son of the immigrant Robert, married Sybil Rose. His children were David, Phebe, Zenos, Hannah, Rachel, Sarah, and Rhoda, of whom the son Zenos married Rachel Garretson, but his records are not complete.

David, the other son of Richard and Sybil (nee Rose), married Mary Palmer toward the end of the eighteenth century. He was the father by her of four children: Ralph, William, Elizabeth, and Susan. Of these, Ralph married Phebe Ashton and had issue by her of Amanda, Margaret, Letitia, and Sarah; while William married Nancy Pidcock, by whom he had issue of Mary, Susan, and Charles, of whom the last settled in Philadelphia.

John Lanning, son of the immigrant Robert, resided on a farm near Lawrenceville. He married Martha Hunt, of that region, and had issue by her of Edward, Elizabeth, Mary, Sarah, Martha, Abigail, Charity and Susan.

Edward, the only son of John and Martha (nee Hunt), was first married to Ann Bryant, of Hopewell, NJ, who gave him eight children: John, Benjamin, Margaret, Ann, Elizabeth, Sarah, Martha Ann, and Absalom Price Lanning, of whom the first four died in infancy. There was no issue by Edward’s second marriage, to Rachel Hankins. The only surviving son, Absalom Price, married Henrietta Drake, by whom he was the father of John E., Mercer, and Thomas, of whom the first resided in Monmouth County, NJ.

Daniel Lanning, son of the immigrant Robert, married a Miss Furman and resided near Ewingville. His children were Jemima, Hannah, Elizabeth, Prudence, John (died unmarried at Reading, PA), Robert, Daniel, James, Enoch (died young), and Israel (died young).

Robert, son of Daniel and his wife (nee Furman), made his home in Sussex County, NJ. By his wife, Mary Coryell, he was the father of John, Daniel, Mary, Nancy, Frances, Prudence, and Sarah, of whom the first son, John Lanning made his home at Owego, NY.
This John married the daughter of Judge Hallenbach, of Pennsylvania, and was the father by her of Augustus (of Wilkes-Barre, PA), Matthias, John, Mary Ann, Sarah and Emily, chiefly of Owego.

Daniel, son of Daniel and wife (nee Furman) resided at Owego, NY. He married a Miss Warring, and they moved to Canada. They had 7 children: Amos, Daniel, John, Robert Sr., Hulda, Sarah, and Mary Lanning.

James, son of Daniel and wife (nee Furman), married Nancy Edge of PA. Their children were George, William, Elizabeth, Rhoda, Nancy, and Hannah, of whom the first settled at Morrisville, PA. Of the last mentioned brother, George married Mary Furman of Ewing. They moved to Morrisville and had 9 children: Enoch, Mary, Andrew, Joshua Furman (a merchant at Philadelphia), William B., Sarah Ann, Rebecca, and Mary Lanning. William married Harriet Smith of Trenton, NJ. The names of his children are not available.

Robert Lanning, Jr., youngest son of Robert, married Judith Baker and lived near New Brunswick. He died in 1808. His children were John, David, Enoch, Robert, William, Deborah, Martha, Judith, Hester, Achsah, and Susana. The records of their family are not complete.

David Lanning, who is believed to have emigrated from Wales about the year 1705, settled in Burlington County, NJ, and was married there about 1732 or 1733. It seems possible that he may have been a nephew of the immigrant Robert aforementioned. David had at least 2 sons: Samuel and John Lanning. Samuel had a son named James who married Hannah Trench before 1797. They had 13 children. The oldest son, William married Ann Peterson of Philadelphia and had 7 children: Charles, John, William, Jane, Locera, and Ann Lanning. Isaac, the youngest son, married Ann Miller. They had 3 sons: John M., Henry and Isaac Lanning, Jr. John, son of David Lanning of Burlington, married May 20, 1773, Rhoda Izzard and they settled in Cumberland County, NJ. Their children were: Samuel, Richard, and John by his first wife, and John by his second wife of 3-10-1785, Ann Ewing. John, Sr. was the father of Anna, Rhoda, and George. John Lanning, Jr., son of John and Rhoda (nee Izzard married Judith Westcott of Fairfield. They had 7 children: Maryann, Richard, David, Westcott, Julian, Rhoda and Phoebe.

Proficient at law and political affairs, the Lannings of America are the best known for their intellectual capacities, ingenuity, resourcefulness, patriotism, and determination.

Among those of the name who served with the colonial forces during the American Revolution were: Daniel, David, Elijah, Henry, James, John, Robert Lanning of New Jersey, Robert Lanning of Pennsylvania, and many more from other colonies of that period.

John, Robert, Stephen, Ralph, Samuel, Elijah, Charles, Nathaniel, Daniel, Joseph, Henry, Edward, James, David and William are some of the Christian names frequently recurring in the annals of the Lannings. Among the bearers of the name who have been prominent in America in recent years are the following:

William Mershon Lanning (1848-1912) of New Jersey, educator, lawyer, and congressman
Jay Ford Lanning (1855) of Ohio, lawyer, state senator, congressman and author
John Francis Lanning (1850) of Virginia, a traveler and author
Harris Lanning (1873) of Illinois and Washington, D.C., naval officer
John Tate Lanning, 20th century North Carolina, historian, Duke University
Francis Chowning Lanning (b. 1908) of Maryland and Minnesota, chemist
A careful search of all available heraldic records reveals no coat-of-arms under the spelling of Lanning or Laning; however, those born by the ancient Cornish family of Lanine from which the Lannings are believed to have originated is described in Burke Encyclopedia of Heraldry, 1844: “Arms – sable, a castle argent, standing on the waves proper, on the same a falcon hovering with bells.”
Coat of Arms

Ohio

Tanning

-16-
Snell's History of Hunterdon County, New Jersey (page 196) says, "Lanning's came from Wales on the ship Shield, sailing from Hull, England in 1678."

Cooley’s History of Trenton, N. J., informs us three brothers named, John, Robert and David Lanning came from Wales, England to Long Island, New York and then on to New Jersey in the early seventeenth century. John Lanning bought 50 acres of land near Lawrenceville, N.J. in 1701 and appears later to have settled in the northern part of the state.

Robert Lanning married Mary Hart and settled near Trenton, N.J. He gave a deed for land in 1698. Their children were: Stephen, Ralph, Richard, John, Daniel, Robert, Jr., Frances, Martha, and Mary. Robert, Sr. was the ancestor of U. S. District Judge William M. Lanning of Trenton, N.J. who was also a prominent, elder in the Presbyterian Church.

David, the third brother, settled in Burlington N. J. in 1705. He had a son, John Samuel, who married Rhoda Izzard. They had a son names James, who married Hannah French; their children were Isaac and William. Isaac married Ann Miller and had issue James, Henry and Isaac. William married Ann Peterson; their children were Charles, John, William, Jane, Loren and Ann.

Our ancestor, Joseph Lanning, was supposed to be a son or grandson of one of these three brothers. Others think he was the son of John Lanning of Bordentown, N. J. who was a patron of Imlay’s store in 1750.

The Lanning Clan of North Carolina began with immigrant Joseph Lanning, born November 16, 1731. He married Mary Lounsberry (Marcy Lownsberry on document) on December 7, 1756. This marriage record is on file at Mt. Holly, New Jersey, the county seat of Burlington, NJ.

He came to North Carolina prior to the Revolutionary War and settled in the Piedmont section of Rowan County, now Davidson County, on the "Jersey Side." The Jersey section was settled primarily by people from New Jersey.

Joseph Lanning applied for a land grant in 1777 in Salisbury. The state of North Carolina gave him a land grant on October 10; 1778 of 294 acres on Indian Grove Branch. This land grant is on file in the Register of Deeds Office in Rowan County, Salisbury, NC.

Joseph Lanning was a good carpenter and built a two-story house and imported bricks from England for it. Joseph Lanning and wife, Mary, had four daughters and two sons, John and Enos. Aeshea is, the only daughter we have any account of. She married Eldad Reed, August 29, 1793, and moved to Buncombe County in 1803 and reared a large family. Enos Lanning, born April 27, 1770, in Rowan County, died March 8, 1844, married Sarah Warner, born July 23, 1775, died April 1884. They reared a family of four boys and one girl: John J. Lanning, born July 11, 1793; William Lanning, born July 9, 1795, died 1843; Joseph Lanning, born February 21, 1798, Thomas Lanning, born October 21, 1800; Elizabeth Lanning, born September 25, 1817. These dates are from Enos Lanning’s bible, owned by Edward Lanning, a druggist of Lexington, NC.
John Lanning was born in Bordertown, NJ on February 27, 1757. He migrated to North Carolina in early boyhood with his father, and enlisted in the Revolutionary War in October 1776. In 1783, he married Sarah Whitaker, daughter of Joshua and Mary Whitaker. Some time after 1790, he moved to Buncombe County. Here they reared a family of 14 children, and 12 of these children reared large families too. In 1790, when the first census of the United States was taken, there were just two families of Lannings on record in Rowan County. These were Joseph Lanning and wife, four daughters and two sons and John Lanning and wife, three sons and one daughter.

The following is the service record of John Lanning as obtained from the Veterans Administration in Washington, D.C., by A. D. Miller, Executive Assistant to the Administrator. This data which follows was obtained from papers on file in Pension Claim W4711 as based upon the military service of John Lanning in the Revolutionary War:

John Lanning, son of Joseph and Mary Lanning, was born February 27, 1757 in Bordertown, New Jersey.

While residing in Rowan County, North Carolina, John Lanning served as a Private with the North Carolina troops, as follows:
"In 1776, twenty-eight days, as substitute for his father, in Capt. Robert Moore’s Company, Colonel Alexander Martin’s Regiment; 3 months in Captain Moore's company, Colonel Locke's regiment; was in an expedition against the Cherokee Indians, dates of this service not given. From March 20, 1779, in Captain Armstrong’s Company, was in the battle of Stono, and in frequent skirmishes. He was discharged July 2, 1779; He spent two months in Captain Lopp's Company of Calvary, no dates of this service given.

The soldier, John Lanning, married in the month of October, 1783, in Rowan County, North Carolina, Sarah Whitaker. She was born December 7, 1767.

John Lanning was allowed pension on his application executed October 13, 1832, at which time he was living in Buncombe County, North Carolina. He died August 10, 1839. His widow, Sarah Lanning, was allowed pension on her application executed September 25, 1843, then a resident of Buncombe County, North Carolina. The Revolutionary War soldier, John Lanning, was pensioned at the rate of $31.33 per annum, pension commenced March 4, 1843, Act of June 7, 1832. His widow, Sarah, was pensioned at the rate of $31.33 per annum, pensioned March 4, 1843, Act of March 3, 1843.

The following are the names of the children of John Lanning and his wife, Sarah:

- John Lanning, born February 27, 1757, died Aug. 10, 1839
- Sarah Lanning, born December 7, 1767, died May 26, 1848
- Enos Lanning, born October 8, 1784
- Amos Lanning, born December 18, 1786
- Joseph Lanning, born January 4, 1789
- Mary Lanning, born September 23, 1790
- Sarah Lanning, born February 20, 1792
- John Lanning, born February 16, 1794
- Nancy Lanning, born June 13, 1795
- William Lanning, born July 15, 1797
Joshua Lanning, born March 21, 1800
Amy Lanning, born October 22, 1802
James Lanning, born December 23, 1804
Rachel Lanning, born March 25, 1807
Elizabeth Lanning (Betsy), born December 21, 1809
Jesse Lanning, born June 16, 1813

SLAVE HOLDINGS IN THE LANNING FAMILY

Pioneer John Lanning died about ten years before his wife, Sarah Whitaker Lanning. The following incidents of their slave holding experience presumably came between their deaths. The Widow Lanning owned a slave woman named Fender. She became so unruly her mistress sold her. When leaving, Fender said to her old mistress, "Be good to my Baby." Her old mistress replied: "I have been too good to you. That's why you are leaving here."

Fender was the mother of three children, two girls and a boy, Wilson, Hayne and Harriet. Harriet was sold to Jesse Williams. In the final partition of the Lanning estate, John Lanning, son of Pioneer John Lanning, acted as administrator. He assigned the slave Wilson to his brother, Joseph Lanning. Hayne had three children, Charity, Mandy, and Harry. In the settlement of the estate, another one of the slaves was assigned by the administrator to his brother James, who refused it, preferring his part of the estate in other assets. There is a tradition in the James Lanning family that his wife, Polly Vaughn, before marriage, always declared she would never own a slave under any circumstances. Her attitude perhaps influenced her husband in refusing a slave as part of his inheritance.

The widow Lanning owned a corn mill operated by water power. The water wheel became clogged and she sent Hayne below to clean out the wheel. Hayne shouted something to her mistress in the mill above. Her mistress understood her to say, "Turn on the water," which she did. The sluice of water knocked Hayne two or three yards.
THURMAN LANNING and the Corner Stone of
JOHN LANNING, SR.'s Mill in Hooper's Creek, N.C.

The picture in the original book is obscured so this picture did not turn out when copied.
When John Lanning came home from the Revolutionary War, there was snow on the ground. While he was at the door stomping the snow off his feet, his father said, "There's John." The old folks had supper about ready, but they were so glad to see him that they never ate a bit or went to bed that night.

The above facts were obtained from M. E. Whitaker, a great-grandson of Pioneer John Lanning, who was at that time in his ninety-second year.

The following was taken from the Asheville-Citizen:

SEEK NAMES OF REVOLUTIONARY WAR SOLDIERS
June 7, 1937

"Officials of the Edward Buncombe Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolutionary announced today that they were seeking names and records of men from this vicinity who fought in the Revolutionary War. When the names have been found, checked and proved authentic, they will be engraved on a bronze tablet. This tablet will be placed on the granite stone that now bears similar plate on one side. The new plate will be attached to the opposite side as soon as enough names have come in to fill it."

"Several names are known now, and are being verified. The first name on the tablet will be that of John Lanning: who served in Captain Moore's and Captain Armstrong's company. He is buried in the cemetery at Fairview, and a motion was made and carried Sunday at a reunion of the Lanning Family that a bronze marker on native stone be placed at the head of his grave and that of his wife, Sarah Whitaker Lanning."

Mr. G. M. Garren, of Raleigh, presented the history of the life and service of John Lanning at the unveiling of the bronze marker to John Lanning, Soldier of the Revolution.

The James Lanning family of Buncombe County had been holding family reunions for several years. The Lannings in Henderson County had been holding reunions since September 1927. They met by previous agreement in a reunion of the whole Lanning clan at the Cane Creek Community Center near Tweed’s Chapel August 28, 1939.

-22-

The purpose of this joint reunion was the unveiling of a memorial tablet to patriot, John Lanning, the ancestor of the Landings in western North Carolina. He was a private in the Army of the Colonies in the War of the American Revolution. At the very beginning of the program of this reunion it was unanimously decided to make the reunion a permanent organization. J. W. Lanning was elected president; G. M. Garren, secretary. The Community Center on the Cane Creek Road was voted the permanent meeting place, being most convenient to all the clan. The program of the unveiling was in charge, by invitation, of the Edward Buncombe Chapter of the D.A.R. The program was in part carried out at the Community Center and concluded at the grave in old Cane Creek Cemetery at Fairview. Mrs. Eva Downey Barrett, Genealogy Chairman of the State D.A.R. s, presided for the entire program. Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Historian for the local Chapter, made a talk. Mrs. Minnie Brank Roberts recited a poem appropriate to the occasion. A gentleman visitor from Georgia gave a brief history of the writing of the Star Spangle Banner. After dinner, all adjourned to the cemetery for the conclusion of the program. At the grave the exercises were continued by Rev. J. E. Whitaker, Chaplain of the Daughters, who took part in the
exercises. Mrs. Gilbert T. Morris read a paper on the early pioneers of Buncombe County. G. M. Garren read a brief resume of Patriot Lanning's record in the War of the American Revolution. M. E. Whitaker, 88 years of age, a descendant in the fourth generation from John Lanning, placed flowers on the grave. Young Lucy Cauble, a descendant of the pioneer to the sixth generation, did the unveiling. A beautiful silk National Flag waved in patriotic splendor over the grave.

Rev. T. D. Lanning made some appreciative remarks of the service of the Daughters and closed the exercises with the benediction.

The memorial is a bronze tablet 16x20 inches with a narrow raised smooth border around the edges. It is mounted on a slab of native rock about 3 ½ inches thick, three feet above ground, 2 ½ feet in the ground to insure a firm anchorage. It is irregular in outline, tapering toward the base. The total cost of tablet and rock was $57. The owner of the quarry charged $1.00 for the privilege of entering the quarry.

Two bids for the tablet were submitted, one for $60 and the other $56. The lower bid was accepted. R. E. Harris performed the most difficult job of getting out the rock. The quarry is located on or near the top of a small mountain. He got out the rock with his team and drug it down to the foot of the mountain where a truck could get to it.

George A. Stevens hauled it in his truck to the cemetery. Here R. E. Harris, George A. Stevens, J. F. Garren, and G. M. Garren drilled the holes in the rock, fastened the plaque to the rock and mounted it between the graves of Patriot John Lanning and his wife. All these were descendants of John Lanning and charged nothing for their services.

Will you allow your humble secretary to express the personal opinion that the Lanning Clan ought to feel proud of their efforts in putting up this memorial to their patriotic ancestor? Please note it was just 99 years and 18 days after his death that the memorial was unveiled. Will any of us render to our country such a service in war or in peace that our descendants, 100 years after our death, will erect memorials to our memory?

Respectfully submitted,
G. M. Garren, Secretary

Excerpt from a letter from the D.A.R.'s of North Carolina, written to Mr. Garren on September 13, 1938:

"In the name of the D.A.R.'s of North Carolina, may I express the thanks and pleasure the Daughters feel in being included in the delightful day when the bronze tablet to the Revolutionary Soldier, John Lanning and his wife, was unveiled. I have attended many but never seen a finer one. The mountain stone and bronze marker were most appropriate....... My committee joins me in appreciation.  
Eva Downey Barrett  
Asheville, N. C.  "

In reply, dated September 22, 1938, Mr. Garren wrote Mrs. Barrett;
"I certainly do appreciate your letter of the 13th instant. I believe all our people were highly pleased with the program, of the D.A.R.'s and the exercises in general. At least I talked with a number of them privately when they could feel free to express their private opinion, and they all expressed themselves as pleased with the program. Personally I was delighted..."

"The following lineal descendants of John Lanning, a private in the American Revolution, have donated money to erect a bronze memorial tablet to their ancestor's grave in Cane Creek Cemetery in Buncombe County in his honor:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Henderson County Descendants</th>
<th>$37.75</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Buncombe County Descendants</td>
<td>$19.25</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Total Cost</td>
<td>$57.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Tom Lanning</th>
<th>Mary Justus</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Clinton Lanning</td>
<td>Belle Barnwell</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sam Lanning</td>
<td>Amanda Beddingfield</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>William Harvey Lanning</td>
<td>Marcus E. Whitaker</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ida Lanning West</td>
<td>Mrs. Gussie Gilliam</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Adina Garren Robinson</td>
<td>Josie Rogers</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sam M. Garren</td>
<td>Jesse Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Albert J. Garren</td>
<td>Barzilla Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ruth Ledbetter</td>
<td>King Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>John N. B. Lanning</td>
<td>James N. Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Emialie Edney</td>
<td>J. D. Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>M. M. J. Barnwell</td>
<td>Gardner Garren</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Jasper F. Garren</td>
<td>John Barnwell</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Joe H. Garren</td>
<td>Mrs. Docia Beddingfield</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Jesse A. Garren, Sr.</td>
<td>Sarah Wolfe</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Elizabeth M. Laughter</td>
<td>J. B. Gilliam</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>R. E. Neely</td>
<td>W. B. Gilliam</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sittle Barnwell</td>
<td>Hillard Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Amos Lanning</td>
<td>Plato Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Odell Lanning</td>
<td>Brownlow Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bertha Lanning Pryor</td>
<td>Lillie Lanning Morgan</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lillie Lanning Moser</td>
<td>Lula Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>H. E. Lanning</td>
<td>Lavada Lanning Stanton</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>D. F. Lanning</td>
<td>Terrell Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>J. W. Lanning</td>
<td>Charlie Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Billie Lanning</td>
<td>Dicie Stepp</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>William P. Lanning</td>
<td>J. W. Beddingfield</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Steve Beddingfield</td>
<td>Alfred Beddingfield</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Robert Beddingfield</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Garren</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>-------------</td>
<td>-------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Charlie Garren</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Will A. Garren</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>W. S. Render son</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>W. B. Gilliam</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>C. E. Gilliam</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>French Souther</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Colleen tanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ralph Justus</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Albert J. Robinson</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minerva Stevens</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>William H. Stevens</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lucy Stevens Cauble</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Jeanette Youngblood</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Everette Youngblood</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clyde Barnwell</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Zella Kerr</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Horace Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Colda Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Daisy Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ray Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Frances Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dewey Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>T. C. Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Henry Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Durwood Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Effie Lanning Poole</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Foye Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Viola Pittillo</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Harvey Whitaker</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>William R. Stevens</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Martin Garren</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lucia Cauble</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Forest J. Pryor</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Howard W. Pryor</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Vava Pryor</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Malone King</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maude Stepp</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Annie J. Stepp</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Jesse Garren, Jr.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Wade Garren</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pearle Henderson</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>J. R. Gilliam</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hannah Gilliam</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Oscar Nix</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Wanda Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Falby Maxwell</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Robert Justus</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Nola Kate Robinson</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>George A. Stevens</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>James M. Stevens</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Cleo Baldwin</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Vernon Youngblood</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Van Youngblood</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pansy Henderson</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Virgil Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Veola Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>William Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hiram Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dorothy Lanning Scruggs</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Newton Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>James Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Carlton Lanning</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lillie Lanning Duncan</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Artense Lanning Warnock</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Quarteze Lanning Hammond</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Leo Pittillo</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>James R. Stevens</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Frank R. Stevens</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Kenneth Garren</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ersie Griffen</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lorain K. Pryor</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lee E. Pryor</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Louise Pryor</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Gertrude Stepp</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Leafie Stepp</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Joe Maxwell</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mae Maxwell</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>J. H. Maxwell</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>W. P. Maxwell</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
GARDNER GARREN
(From Lillie-Belle Lanning Duncan "Book")

Gardner Lanning was the only member of James Lanning's family who was engaged, as a private, in any one of the great battles of the Civil War.

The following are excerpts from letters written by Gardner Lanning while serving in the Civil War. Letters dated 1862 and 1863 (in possession of Sam M. Garren). Gardner Lanning was a brother of Alcy Lanning Garren, and letters were written to her. Lanning evidently saw most of his service in Tennessee around Murfreesboro. He spoke of hard times, beef and bread without salt, guard duty, and cold weather.

"Tell Mama that I got my clothes; I got a shirt, a pair of slips, a pair of socks and gloves. I was glad of them—they done first rate, only I have to get on a stump to get in my shirt pockets—they are so high on my shoulders. They come in a good time; there has been some very cold weather, here. We have not drawed blankets yet, but I have got as many clothes as I can tote and more than I can tote if the Yankees gets after us....."

He mentions a B. Lanning being with him in service and having measles.

"Noah Whitaker and Russell Jenkins washing their shirts today--Sunday--as it tis they are trying to bile the regulars to death! I will bile a little tomorrow myself; 'I do not like too many bedfellows......"

"Newton, you wrote that you had a dull Christmas; I want you to save about five gallons of brandy till I come home, and we will have a new Christmas."

He speaks of getting sick riding the car going to Tennessee, going through three tunnels. "It was as dark as three black cats in a cellar, and they run so fast (the cars), sometimes I had to hold to keep them from running from under my feet."

-27-

NORTH CAROLINA
LANNING GROOMS
OF EARLY BUNCOMBE MARRIAGES

R. Lanning (1833) - Nancy M. Yelton (1840), Dec. 29, 1856 (Elliott Riley) John & Susanna Lanning's son
J. R. Lanning (1856) - R. A. Parker (1857), Oct. 10, 1875
Julius P. Lanning (1853) - Mary M. Carland (1857), March 17, 1878 (Harvey & Sarra Ann's son)
(Harvey was James & Polly Lanning's son)
Charles C. Lanning (1855) - Mary M. Connor (1860), Aug. 29, 1878 (Harvey & Sarra Ann Lanning's son)
J. R. Lanning (1856) - Lou A. Redman (1860), Sept. 7, 1881
Andrew Lanning (1844) - Susan Jones (1861), Aug. 2, 1884 (William & Elizabeth Lanning's son)
R. A. Lanning (1850) - Catherine Mitchell (1852), Jan. 17, 1884 (Lorenzo & Marry Lanning's son) (Rufus Amos) *
James Marion (1861) - Elizabeth Tow (1863), Jan. 1, 1885 (Elliot & Nancy Lanning's son)
Asberry Lanning (1846) - Harriett Luther (1856), March 11, 1886 (William & Elizabeth Lanning's son)
James R. Lanning (1868) - Mamie Lee (1870), Feb. 7, 1889 (Lossen A. & Charlotte Lanning's son)
Charles Griffin Lanning (1878) - Tennie Brookshire (1879), Nov. 9, 1895 (John Lorenzo &_
Lanning's son) (Amos & Mary Lanning's grandson)
Harvey Lanning (1877) - Bertha Young (1877), March 26, 1899 *
Lucas Lanning (1881) - Rachel White (1880), Dec. 15, 1900
J. H. Lanning (1866) - Malinda McKillop (1860), April 16, 1900
James Lanning (1883) - Frances Allen (1884), Sept. 11, 1905
T. D. Lanning (1881) - Martha McElreath (1888), Jan. 21, 1906 (James R. & Atlanta Lanning's son)
P. E. Lanning (1885) - Lillian Ball (1899), Feb. 28, 1915 **
Vollie Lanning (1887) - Fannie Buckner, Oct. 31, 1913
B. W. Lanning (1881) - Ethel Drake (1882), June 14, 1913
Charley Lanning (1894) - Mamie Pressley (1894), Feb. 7, 1914
Earl M. Lanning (1888) (West Va.) - Rose C. Wagner (1893) (Penn.), June 5, 1919

Arnold Lanning (1903) - Edna Davis (1903), April 17, 1922
Mack Lee Lanning (1900) - Maud Beatrice Peek (1904), Aug. 29, 1922
Clyde Lanning (1904) - Edna Miller (1907), July 2, 1925
Clyde H. Lanning (1902) - Birteena S. Dill (1907), Feb. 7, 1925 *
Fred Floyd Lanning (1900) - Maggie Jones (1902), April 11, 1925
Albert F. Lanning (1906) – Mary Margaret Sentz (1909), March 3, 1928
James Lanning (1907) – Odessa Logan, April 20, 1929 ***
Clinton Lanning (1911) – Fay Franklin (1911), June 29, 1929
Charles Griffin Lanning (1878) – Mrs. Hattie Dickinson (1885), Aug. 12, 1930 (John Lorenzo &_
Lanning’s son)
P. E. Lanning (1915) – Annie Mears (1913), Dec. 24, 1934
Henry Berlin (1908) – Ossie Mae Anderson (1913), Sept. 30, 1936 ****

* From Henderson county, NC
* From Rowan County, NC
*** From Concord, NC
**** From Newport News, VA
NORTH CAROLINA
LANNING BRIDES
OF EARLY BUNCOMBE MARRIAGES

Cinthia Lanning (1830) – O. D. Owenby (1829), 9 Jan, 31, 1859 (John & Susanah's daughter)
Mary Lanning - Joseph Harris, May 28, 1871 (James & Polly (Lanning's daughter)
Rachel Lanning (1837) - Benjamin Hayes (1835), March 1, 1873 (Jesse & Lucinda Lanning's daughter)
Marian C. Lanning (1853) – W. A. Pinner (1853), Feb. 15, 1874 (Harvey & Sarra Ann Lanning's daughter)
Amanda E. Lanning (1858) (Henderson Co.) - Charles W. Duckett (1853), Aug. 14, 1875
Priscilla S. Lanning (1856) - Thomas C. Hayes (1856), - Feb. 11, 1877
Elizabeth Lanning (1852) – J. R. Earwood (1852), - April 3, 1878 (Lossen & Charlotte Lanning's daughter)
Julia A. Lanning (1863) - William Thomas Lee (1866), Dec. 29, 1885 (Lossen & Charlotte Lanning's daughter)
Sarah Lanning (1866) - J. S. Fore, Feb. 18, 1886
Mary Lanning (1866) - J. L. Cauble (1868), Oct. 7, 1888 (Lossen & Charlotte Lanning's daughter)
Lillie Lanning (1870) – G. F. Spivey, Dec. 18, 1888 (Elliott & Nancy Lanning's daughter -- Candis Angeline Lanning's daughter)
Margaret Lanning (1872) - Manson Kerley (1880), May 13, 1892 (Asberry & May Lanning's daughter)
Mattie Lanning (1869) – K. S. Boyd (1870), Nov, 4, 1895 (believe her to be Asberry & May Lanning's daughter)
Addie S. Lanning (1877) - Aris Merrell (1872), Jan. 13, 1895 (Newton & July Lanning's daughter)
Mollie Lanning (1872) – W. D. Galyean (1876), Feb. 13, 1896
Ella Lanning (1874) (Henderson Co.) –B. A. Garren (1874), May 2, 1900
Candis Lanning (1857) - James Trantham (1837), Oct. 2, 1901 (Elliott R, & Nancy Lanning's daughter)
Lanie Lanning (1884) - Arthur Tow (1882), July 1, 1903

Ellen Lanning (1887) - Zeb Rhodes (1884), Sept. L. 1905
Martha Lanning (1883) – M. G. Mauck (1882), Dec. 25, 1906
Jessie Lanning (1885) - Lawrence Murrell (1885), Nov. 8, 1906
Maud Lanning (1886) – J. F. Clayton (1885), June 9, 1907, (both of Henderson Co.)
Bertha Lanning (1886) - George Lindsay (1885), July 11, 1907
Ademia Lanning (1884) - George Patton (1877), Aug. 14, 1907
Emma Lanning (1880) - B. T. Buckner (1869), March 22, 1911
Malinda Lanning (1852) – J. P. Sharp (1837), July 19, 1912
Emma Lanning (1898) - Fred Peterson (1895), Sept. 29, 1916
Edith Lanning (1895) - Robert Stroupe (1887), April 8, 1918 (both of Henderson Co.)
Francis Lanning (1895) - Fortune Ratell (1892), Sept. 11, 1919
Lenora Lanning (1899) - J. W. Dickinson (1883), Sept. 11, 1919
Lillie Lanning (1896) - J. A. Morgan (1896), Dec. 20, 1919 (James R. & Mamie Lanning's daughter)
Caroline Lanning (1903) - Roy Logan (1901) (Rutherford Co.), March 3, 1922
Chetter Lanning (1900) - Oscar Beachboard (1898), May 7, 1922 (Fuller Quinn & Martha Lanning's daughter)
Dovie Allen Lanning (1878) - E. A. Kirsten (1865), July 26, 1923 (widow of Amos W., son of Scion & Agnes Lanning)
Esther Lanning (1907) - Chester E. Earwood (1904), July 4, 1925
Christine Lanning (1906) - Robert Bradford, Sept. 4, 1926
Pauline Lanning (1908) - C. S. Cloninger (1906), March 29, 1926 (C. Friggin & Tennie Lanning's daughter)
Nancy Elizabeth Lanning (1905) - Dolph R. Tipton (1888), Sept. 29, 1928
Ruth W. Lanning (1912) - Kit H. Melton (1913), Dec. 15, 1933
Edith Lanning (1913) - James Curtis Martin (1910), March 13, 1931
Agusta Lanning - Charles A. Werhan (1901), Oct. 18, 1936
Virginia Lanning (1913) - Glen Callahan (1915), Dec. 31, 1936

Thelma Lee Lanning (1919) – Raymond Porter (1915), June 30, 1937
Alyne M. Lanning (1914) – Columbus O. Bailey (1915), Nov. 24, 1936
Myrtle Belle Lanning (1916) – Paul Franklin Cochrane (1915), June 7, 1936
Winnie Bell Lanning (1919) – Richard Robinson (1916), March 14, 1937

NORTH CAROLINA
LANNING GROOMS
OF EARLY HENDERSON COUNTY MARRIAGES

C. T. Lanning - Mary Freeman, no date
J. H. Lanning - Hattie L. Morgan, May 25, 1859
G. W. Ledbetter - A. H. Lanning, April 4, 1867
James M. Lanning (1846) - Mira Laughter (1850), Jan. 28, 1869 (James W. & Leah Lanning's son)
Harry Lanning (1838) - Nancy Colander (1860), Oct. 19, 1878
J. C. (Joseph Cephus) Lanning (1853) - Martha E. Baldwin (1856), April 30, 1879 (David & Rachel Lanning’s son)
Joshua Lanning - M. C. Kuykendall, Aug. 27, 1880
William Hardy Lanning - Eliza Barnwell, Jan. 29, 1881
John N. B. Lanning (1860) - Lucy D. Middleton (1862), Nov. 30, 1882 (James W. & Leah Lanning's son)
C. P. Lanning - Sallie Jones, May 8, 1884
J. H. Lanning - Harriett Carland, April 6, 1888
G. F. Lanning - D.L. Gallion, Oct. 14, 1890
H. W. King (1874) - Eliza Nix (1877), Oct. 11, 1893 (James & Leah Lanning's son)
Harry Lanning (1844) - Viney Mills (1866), Sept. 13, 1884
Docton Franklin Lanning (1873) - Lila Lanning (1878), June 10, 1893 (Columbus & Eliza Vess Lanning's son) (James & Myra Lanning's daughter)
Terrell W. Lanning - Rita Floyd, May 26, 1895 (or 1927 - both dates shown on records)
Jessie W. Lanning (1870) - Hattie Cox, Oct. 28, 1895 (William & Louisa Lanning's son)
Amos W. Lanning (1874) - Dovie Allen (1878), Sept. 24, 1896 (Scion & Agnes Lanning's son)
S. B. F. Lanning (1871) - Rosa Green (1879), Feb. 9, 1898 (James W. & Leah Lanning's son).
Joshua E. Lanning - Rosa Garren, April 17, 1899
Elestus Quinn Lanning - Martha Parris, April 6, 1901 (Andrew & Susan Lanning's son)
Joshua Lanning - Lillie Rhodes, Jan. 6, 1903
J. Baxter (1883) - Carrie Stepp (1871), March 12, 1904 (John N. B. & Lucy Lanning's son)

-33-

H. H. Lanning - Irene Tow Bunevesta, May 19, 1906
Valley Lanning - Lillie Hyder, Dec. 7, 1907
R. W. Lanning - Gertrude Cairnes, May 24, 1911
W. B. Lanning - Josie Corn, Dec. 24, 1911
Plato L. Lanning (1891) - Nellie Henderson, Sept. 2, 1914
J. W. Lanning - Cynthia Whitesides, June 13, 1915
E. P. Lanning - Ida Case, Sept. 10, 1917
J. W. K. Lanning (1871) - Hester Whitesides (1888), Dec. 25, 1918
B. M. Lanning (1886) - Addie Gosnell, Dec. 18, 1918 (James A. & Louisa Lanning's son)
William Columbus Lanning - Eliza Vess, no date given (Joshua & ____ Lanning’s son)
William Columbus Lanning - Louisa Corn, no date given (Betsy Lanning's son)
Albert Lanning (1900) - Lola Mae Howell (1900) (Tenn.), July 21, 1921
Walter E. Lanning - Maude Barnes, May 28, 1921
Newton Lanning, g - Maggie Drake, March 15, 1924
James Lanning (1853) - Bertha Wyatt (1889), March 15, 1925
Dolphus Lanning - Anna Barnwell, April 26, 1926
Claude Lanning - Margaret Grant, July 28, 1926 (John N. B. & Lucy Lanning’s son)
Walter Lanning - Ida E. Johnson, Jan. 27, 1927
Dewey Lanning - Linnie Carter, Sept. 7, 1929
T. C. Lanning - Mae Phillips, July 11, 1932
H. F. Lanning - Catherine Sexton, July 17, 1935
H. E. Lanning - Vena Lyda, Sept. 16, 1936
Ray Lanning - Mary Ruth Fite, March 30, 1939
NORTH CAROLINA
LANNING GROOMS
OF EARLY HAYWOOD COUNTY MARRIAGES

William Cleveland Lanning (1839) - Rachel Smith (1845), Nov. 22, 1869 (William & Elizabeth Lanning's son)
George Lanning (1872) - Hester Sanford (1872) - Oct. 4, 1890 (William C. & Rachel Lanning's son)
Henry Lanning (Transylvania Co.) - Bertha Kelley, no date
William Burton Lanning (1880) - Elizabeth Wright (187_), June 3, 1900 (William C. & Rachel Lanning’s son)
W. Lanning (1879) - Effie Cook (1883), Dec. 3, 1901 (Govan & Katie Lanning's son)
Charles B. Lanning (1895) - Lydia Wyatt (1900), Aug. 15, 1914 (George & Hester Lanning's son)
Harvey Lanning (1894) - Rosa Shipman (1894), Jan. 8, 1915 (Asberry & Oma Lanning's son)
Robert Lanning (1891) - Nancy Dills (1894), Feb. 4, 1915
F.B. Lanning (1896) - May Garren (1892), Feb. 7, 1917
F, Lanning (1896) - Ruth Ball (1901), _____ 1919 (Erastus & Ida Lanning's son)
Henry A. Lanning (1896) - Vinnie Chandler (1904), Aug. 7, 1921

LANNING BRIDES
OF EARLY HAYWOOD COUNTY MARRIAGES

Alice Lanning (1875) - James Bolden (1869), July 7, 1895 (William C. & Rachel Lanning's daughter)
Martha E. Lanning (1871) - D. L. (Fate) Hopkins (1861), Feb. 8, 1891 (William C. & Rachel Lanning's daughter)
Lillie Lanning (1884) - J. M. Burrel (1867), Aug. 20, 1904 (Goven & Katie Lanning's daughter)

NORTH CAROLINA
LANNING GROOMS
OF EARLY TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY MARRIAGES

William Lanning (1810) - Mary Sarratt (1835), Sept. 18, 1864 (Enos & Margaret Lanning’s son)
Andrew J. Lanning (1844) - Mary Garren, July 15, 1866 (William & Elizabeth Lanning's son)
J. F. Lanning (1852) - Margaret Garren, Nov. 3, 1874 (Joshua & ____ Lanning’s son)
J. W. K. Lanning - Dovie Morgan, Dec. 24, 1889
Oscar Lanning (1877) - Ella Owen, March 16, 1902 (J. R. & Margaret Lanning's son)
M, J. Lanning (1878) - Elizabeth Burgess, Jan. 22, 1905 (J. F. & Margaret Lanning’s son)
EARLY LANNING MARRIAGES
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY

Thomas Lanning - Catherine Lopp, Feb. 12, 1823
Elizabeth Lanning - Daniel S. Hunt, June 18, 1844
Elenslander Lanning - Mirick Miller, Jan. 11, 1844
Enos Lanning - Jane Cornish, Dec. 31, 1849
Henderson Lanning - Belinda Raker, July 20, 1849
John Lanning - Lucy Ann Brown, Oct. 17, 1854
James Lanning - Joannah Hunt, July 11, 1856
William Lanning - Elizabeth Koonts, April 14, 1862
Thomas F. Lanning - Mary C. Ratts, Dec. 22, 1865
David Lanning - Eve Livengood, Jan. 17, 1866
George W. Lanning - Barbara Haines, Feb. 20, 1866
Robert Lanning - Elizabeth Koonts, Aug. 15, 1866
Elizabeth Lanning - Henry Koontz, July 29, 1866
Elizabeth Lanning - George Koontz, Dec. 4, 1866

-36-

NORTH CAROLINA
ROWAN COUNTY
EARLY LANNING MARRIAGE BONDS

Enos Lanning - Sarah Warner, Jan. 21, 1793 (Joseph & Sarah Lanning's son)
Aeshia Lanning - Eldad Reed, Aug. 29, 1793 (Joseph & Mary Lanning's daughter)
Joseph Lanning - Roasena Sminth, Dec. 28, 1820 (Enos & Sarah Lanning's son)
William Lanning - Rachel Wilson, Nov. 27, 1822 (Enos & Sarah Lanning's son)

-37-

EARLY LANNING MARRIAGES
IN NEW JERsey

Burlington County:
Samuel Lanning - Ann Elkington, Sept. 20, 1732
Martha Lanning - Joshua Bishop, Jan. 29, 1739
Hannah Lanning - Thomas Bishop, Aug. 1, 1739
Joseph Lanning - Mary Jaguatt, Jan. 2, 1741
Joseph Lanning - Marcy Lownsberry, Dec. 7, 1756 (original ancestor)
Mary Lanning - George Craft, Jan. 14, 1760
John Lanning - Grace Craft, Nov. 11, 1761
Hannah Lanning - Samuel Craft, Dec. 29, 1763
John Lanning - Amy Arnell, Nov. 12, 1777
Hannah Lanning - Abraham Alloways, July 29, 1773

Hunterdon County:
Susana Lanning - John Reed, March 21, 1733
Ralph Lanning - Rebeckah Smith, July 30, 1782
Sarah Lanning - George Beavers, no date

Middlesex County:
Cynthia Lanning - Thomas Mayberry, May 11, 1774
David Lanning - Esther Moore, Oct. 8, 1798

Monmouth County:
John Lanning - Keziah Combs, Oct. 31, 1757

Cumberland County:
John Lanning - Rhoda Izard, May 20, 1773

Gloucester County:
Mary Lanning - Joseph Osler, Aug. 7, 1783

NEW JERSEY LANNINGS
OF REVOLUTIONARY SERVICE

Stephen Lanning, Sr., b. 1725, d. 1780 - m, Abigail Hart
John Lanning, b. 1736, d. 1816, m, Martha Hunt
Private Joseph Lanning, b. 1745, d. Mar. 15, 1814, m. 1st Anna ____, m. 2nd Mary Hart
Stephen Lanning, Jr., b. 1746, d. 1798, m, Elsie ______
Robert Lanning, b. Feb. 24, 1747, d. Oct. 4, 1828, m, Sarah Coryell
Ralph Lanning, b. 1757, d. 1800, m, Elizabeth Smith
# CIVIL WAR ROSTER – LANNING

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Company</th>
<th>Regiment/Formation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Athan M. Lanning</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>25 N. C.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>B. Lanning</td>
<td>K</td>
<td>63 Georgia Infantry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>D. P. Lannens</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>Bourland's Regiment, Texas Cav.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Elliott Lanning</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>60 N. C.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F. A. Lanning</td>
<td>B</td>
<td>Smith's Legion, Georgia</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>George B. Lannen</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>46 Tenn.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>George W. Lanning</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>60 N. C.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>H. M. Lanning</td>
<td>E</td>
<td>55 (Brown's) Tenn. Inf.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>James L. Lanning</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>1 Batt Stirman's</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>James M. Lanning</td>
<td>B</td>
<td>8 Battn Missouri Inf.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>James R. Lanning</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>29 N. C. Inf.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Jeremiah Lanning</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>6 N. C. Cav.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>John Lannen</td>
<td>H</td>
<td>8 N. C. Inf.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>John A. Lanning</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>30 Ala. Inf.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>J. F. Lanning</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>10 Arkansas Inf.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>J. M. Lanning</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>22 Ala.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Francis G. Lanning</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>60 Tenn. Mtd. Infantry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>George W. Lanning</td>
<td>Co.</td>
<td>60 N. C.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>G. W. Lanning</td>
<td>H</td>
<td>32 Arkansas.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>G. Lanning</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>60 N. C.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>J. M. Lanning</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>22 Ala.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

See also 28 Consolidated Tenn. Inf.

J. M. Lannen, Private
Co. C., 22 Alladege, Ala.

John Lannen, Private
Co. H., 8 N. C. Inf.

John Lannen, Private
Musician

John A. Lanning
Co. A., 30 Ala. Inf.

John E.[Enos] Lanning, Corporal

From Gilmer County GA
J. T. Lanning, Private
Co. F., 6 Ala. Inf.

Manson H. Lanning, Corporal
C. A., 60 Tenn. Mtd. Inf.
Crawford's Regt., 79 Tenn. Inf.

J. T. Lanning, Private
Co. F., 6 Ala. Inf.

Manson H. Lanning, Corporal
C. A., 60 Tenn. Mtd. Inf.
Crawford's Regt., 79 Tenn. Inf.

S. K. Lanning
Co. K., 1 (Carter's) Tenn. Cav.

Marian Lanning
Co. D., 14 N. C. Inf.

Obed Lanning
Co. H. 48 N. C. Inf.

Stephen Lanning
Co. E., 39 Tenn. Mtd. Inf.
Col. W. M. Bradford

O. N. Lanning
Co. H., La. Inf.

T. Lanning, Private
Co. F., 63 Ga.

Richard F. Lanning, 2nd Lt.
Mo. State Guard

Thomas F. Lanning, Sgt.
Co. A., 42 N. C.

W. Lanning, Private
Co. H., 52 N. C.

D. P. Lannens, Private
Co. C., Bourland's Reg. Texas Cav.

W. A. Lanning
Co. B., 28 N. C.
W. D. Lanning
Co. K., 18 Ala.

J. T. Lannin, Private
Co. F., 6 Ala. Inf.

William Lannin, Private
Co. A., 36 (Villegeyne’s Inf.)
Musician
**EARLY LANNING LAND TRANSACTIONS, ETC.**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Year</th>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Parties</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1798</td>
<td>Oct. 9</td>
<td>Richard Hill to John Lanning</td>
<td>50 acres, Cane Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1799</td>
<td>Dec. 6</td>
<td>State of N. C., No. 710</td>
<td>to John Lanning, 22 acres, Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1802</td>
<td>Dec. 15</td>
<td>State of N. C., No. 1062</td>
<td>to John Lanning, 50 acres</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1805</td>
<td>Jan. 25</td>
<td>T. Russell Twitty, et al</td>
<td>to John Lanning, 298 acres, Hoopers Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1808</td>
<td>Dec. 17</td>
<td>State of N. C., No. 1732</td>
<td>to Enos Lanning, 60 acres, Hooper's Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1814</td>
<td>Apr. 1</td>
<td>William Barnhill to Enos Lanning</td>
<td>60 acres</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1821</td>
<td>July 4</td>
<td>William Garron, et al to John Lanning</td>
<td>52 acres Hoopers Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1822</td>
<td>Dec. 4</td>
<td>William Garren, et al to John Lanning</td>
<td>4 acres Hoopers Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1822</td>
<td>June 17</td>
<td>Samuel Murray to John Lanning, Jr.</td>
<td>65 acres Hooper's Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1822</td>
<td>July 23</td>
<td>Marville Lewis to William Lanning</td>
<td>52 acres Royleses Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1823</td>
<td>Jan. ?</td>
<td>Samuel Murray to John Lanning</td>
<td>50 acres, Cane Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1824</td>
<td>Feb. 21</td>
<td>John Lanning, Sr. to Joseph Lanning</td>
<td>50 acres, Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1824</td>
<td>July 5</td>
<td>A. A. McDowell to Enos Lanning</td>
<td>200 acres</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1827</td>
<td>Jan 13</td>
<td>state of N. C., No. 2680</td>
<td>to Joseph Lanning, 100 acres, Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1827</td>
<td>Aug. 9</td>
<td>John Lanning, Sr. to Joseph Lanning</td>
<td>22 acres Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1829</td>
<td>Mar. 11</td>
<td>Robert Kincaid to William Lanning</td>
<td>50 acres, Kyles Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1831</td>
<td>Jan 3</td>
<td>state of N. C.-, No. 2927</td>
<td>to William Lanning, 15 acres</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1831</td>
<td>Dec. 15</td>
<td>State of N. C., No. 2984</td>
<td>to Joseph Lanning, 45 acres, Lannings Branch</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1832</td>
<td>Mar. 24</td>
<td>George D. Philips to James Lanning</td>
<td>100 acres, Limestone Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1831</td>
<td>Oct. 6</td>
<td>Richard T. Lewis to William Lanning</td>
<td>100 acres, Kyles Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1833</td>
<td>Feb. 9</td>
<td>Eldad Reid to John Lanning</td>
<td>50 acres</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1834</td>
<td>Jan. 3</td>
<td>Robert Kincaid to William Lanning</td>
<td>150 acres, Kyles Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1834</td>
<td>Dec. 5</td>
<td>John Lanning, Sr. to Joseph Lanning</td>
<td>37 acres, Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1838</td>
<td>June 29</td>
<td>Eldad Reed to John Lanning</td>
<td>130 acres, Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1838</td>
<td>Oct. 26</td>
<td>John Rickman to John Lanning</td>
<td>177 acres</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1838</td>
<td>Oct. 20</td>
<td>Eldad Reed, Jr., to John Lanning</td>
<td>60 acres, Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1838</td>
<td>Oct. 20</td>
<td>Eldad Reed, Jr. to John Lanning</td>
<td>100 acres, Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1839</td>
<td>May 6</td>
<td>Tr. Gen. Assem., Preby. Ch. et al to John Lanning</td>
<td>160 acres, Gap Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1839</td>
<td>Sept. 30</td>
<td>William Lanning, et al to John Lanning</td>
<td>et al, agreement</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1839</td>
<td>Sept. 30</td>
<td>John Lanning, et al to Joseph Lanning et al</td>
<td>Agreement</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1839</td>
<td>Sept. 30</td>
<td>Elizabeth Lanning et al to Rachel Lanning et al</td>
<td>Agreement</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1839</td>
<td>Nov. 1</td>
<td>John Lanning, et al to Rachel Lanning, et al</td>
<td>Bill of Sale</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1839</td>
<td>Sept. 30</td>
<td>John Lanning, et al to Sarah Lanning</td>
<td>Bill of Sale</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1839</td>
<td>Sept. 30</td>
<td>Enos Lanning, et al to Sarah Lanning</td>
<td>Bond</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1839</td>
<td>Sept. 30</td>
<td>Enos Lanning, et al to Sarah Lanning, et al</td>
<td>Agreement</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
1839 Sept. 30, Sarah Lanning, et al to Elizabeth Lanning, et al, Agreement
1839 Nov. 1, Sarah Lanning, et al to Elizabeth Lanning, et al, Bill of Sale
1839 Sept. 30, Amos Lanning, et al to Enos Lanning, et al, Agreement

1839 Sept. 30, Jesse Lanning, et al to James Lanning, et al,
1839 Sept. 30, James Barnhill, et al to Jesse Lanning, Agreement
1841 Jan. 26, N. Blackstock, Agt. et al to John Lanning, Sr., 40 acres, Cane Creek
1841 Jan 27, N. Blackstock Agt., et al to Joseph Lanning, 400 acres, Gap Creek
1846 Feb. 4, George D. Philips to James Lanning, 100 acres, Cane Creek
1846 Mar. 23, Frances C. Byers to Enos Lanning, 1 acre, Howard Gap Road
1848 Sept. 30, Joseph Lanning, et al to Elizabeth Lanning, et al, 298 acres, Hoopers Creek
1848 Sept. 30, Enos Lanning, et al to Rachel Lanning, et al, 298 acres, Hoopers Creek
1848 Oct. 10, Sheriff of Buncombe County to John Lanning, 298 acres
1850 April 9, Thomas A. Brevard to John Lanning, 100 acres, Webbs Creek
1850 Feb. 5, William Clements to John Lanning, 22 acres
1850 Nov. 28, Peter Freeman to John Lanning, 200 acres, Cane Creek
1850 Nov. 21, N. Blackstock, Agt., et al to James Lanning, 35 acres, Lanston Creek
1850 Dec. 2, No Blackstock, Agt., et al to James Lanning, 500 acres, Cane and Webbs Creek
1851 Dec. 16, Peter Freeman to Harvey Lanning, 30 acres, adj. Sarah Jenkins
1851 Jun. 7, James Reed to John Lanning, 23 acres, Gap Creek
1854 Oct. 17, James Ownbey, to John Lanning, 127 acres, Gap Creek
1854 July 7, Henry Warson to James Lanning, et al, 1 acre, Cane Creek
1857 Oct. 22, James Reed to Lawson A. Lanning, Deed of Trust
1852 Apr. 12, John Lanning to Lawson A. Lanning, 100 acres Webbs Creek
1858 April 8, Sheriff, Buncombe Co et al to James Lanning, 30 acres

1860 Sept. 10. Henry Reed to M. A. Lanning. 42 Acres
1861 Oct, 26, Nathan Bartlett to Sarah A. Lanning, et al, 20 acres
1862 Sept. 12, Albert A. Ingle to John W. Lanning, 45 acres, Dicks Creke,
1869 Dec. 23, James Swain and wife to Jesse Lanning 20 acres
1874 Nov. 24, Amos Lanning et al to Loransey Lanning, 60 acres, Webbs Creek
1878 Nov. 17, S. D. Lanning to C. W. Lanning, 60 acres, Gap Creek
1882 July 10, J. M. Lanning, et al to L. A. Lanning, 1 acre
1887 June 20, J. B. Bostic, et al to John M. Lanning, Bartlett St.
1890 Mar. 18, Jason Ashworth to E. J. Lanning, et al, 68 acres, Cane Creek
1891 Feb. 7, C. C. Crook and wife to Susen Lanning, 15 acres, Leicester TS
1895 Dec. 28, N. A. Mitchell et al to R. A. Lanning and wife, 9 acres, Cane Creek
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Year</th>
<th>Transaction Details</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1899</td>
<td>Nov. 28, R. P. Youngblood and wife to W. H. Lanning and wife, South Biltmore</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1901</td>
<td>Mar. 21, J. G. Spivey, et al to J. R. Lanning</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1888</td>
<td>May 17, Chas. Malone, W. Comm. to Newton Lanning, 66 acres, Cane Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1899</td>
<td>Nov. 28, M. E. Youngblood et al to Martha Lanning, et al, South Biltmore</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1902</td>
<td>July 20, S. B. Barnwell and wife to C. W. Lanning, 18 acres</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1905</td>
<td>May 27, John B. Powell and wife to D. L. Lanning, West Asheville</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1905</td>
<td>Oct. 4, B. J. Alexander et al to E. J. Lanning, 8 acres, Cane Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1906</td>
<td>Mar. 1, S. A. Weaver, et al to E. J. Lanning, 4 acres, Fairview TS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1906</td>
<td>Mar. 1, Harriett W. Tow et al and J. M. Lanning, 4 acres, Fairview TS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1907</td>
<td>Feb. 20, F. C. Harper and wife to Rufus A. Lanning, 8 acres, Fairview TS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1908</td>
<td>May 28, Harriett Spivey et al to R. A. Lanning, et al, 56 acres, Fairview TS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1908</td>
<td>Feb 28, Mtn. Retreat Assn, et al to Elmer D. Lanning, Lot 141, Bk. 154, p. 1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1908</td>
<td>July 16, L. J. Hawkins, et al, to J. R. Lanning, Tr. et al, 1 acre, Leicester TS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1909</td>
<td>Jan 15, J. J. Whitaker, et al to M. M. Lanning, et al, 24 acres, Cane Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1909</td>
<td>Jan 15, D. W. Whitaker and wife to C. C. Lanning and wife, 24 acres, Cane Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1910</td>
<td>Jan. 21, Sarah S. Whitaker to Henry Lanning, 45 acres Cane Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1911</td>
<td>Mar. 17, D. K. Lyerly and wife to C. C. Lanning and wife, Lot 11, Blk. B, Bk. 154, P. 17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1912</td>
<td>Jan. 3, J. A. Tow to Hilliard Lanning and wife, 2 acres, near Biltmore</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1912</td>
<td>Apr. 8, Thomas D. Lanning, et al to Grover L. Lanning, 19 acres, Dix Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1912</td>
<td>Jan. 3, J. A. Tow to Hilliard Lanning and wife, 2 acres, Near Biltmore</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1912</td>
<td>Apr. 8, Thomas D. Lanning, et al to Charles N. Lanning, 45 acres, Dix Creek, 1 Tr.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1912</td>
<td>April 8, Thomas D. Lanning et al to Martha E. Lanning, 15 acres, Dicks Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1912</td>
<td>April 19, W. A. Mitchell to R. A. Lanning, 33 acres, Fairview TS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1913</td>
<td>July 21, P. P. Spain and wife to Mary Lanning, Long Shoal Rd., Limestone TS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1913</td>
<td>Nov. 20, Dovie C. Frady to Mary M. Lanning, 1 acre, Limestone TS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1914</td>
<td>Dec. 3, John M. Parham and wife to C. N. Lanning 37 acres, Dicks Creek</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1916</td>
<td>Mar. 1, Jessie Walton to William H. Lanning. South Biltmore</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1916</td>
<td>Feb. 8, Gay Green and wife to V. Lanning and wife, Lot 1, Bk. 198, P. 15</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
1916 Aug. 24, T. H. Whitaker and wife to C. C. Lanning 4 acres, Fairview, TS
1916 Feb. 8, Effie M. Green, et al to Fannie Lanning, et al. Lot 1, Bk. 198, P. 15
1917 Jan. 18, Louise Taylor, et al to Fannie Lanning, et al. Lot 6, Blk. 12, Bk. 154, Pg 35
1917 Jan. 18, J. L. Taylor and wife, to V. Lanning and wife, Lot 6, Blk. 12, Bk. 154, P. 35
1917 Oct. 2, D. E. Ball and wife to V. Lanning and wife, Part lot 16, Blk. 12, Bk. 154, P. 35
1917 April 16, B. T. Blankenship and wife to Mary M. Lanning. Near Buena Vista
1918 Sept. 30, T. C. Tweed and wife to J. S. Lanning and wife, 1 acre, Beaverdam Ward
1918 April 9, V. Lanning and wife to Romie Lanning and wife. Part lot 6, Blk. 12, Bk. 154, P. 35
1918 May 12, W. V. Cole to N. J. Lanning, et al. 13 acres, adj. W. V. Cole
1918 Sept. 30, Beatrice Tweed, et al to Sarah Lanning, et al. 1 acre, Beaverdam Ward

1919 April 11, G. D. Garner, Tr. et al to V. Lanning and wife. Incomplete
1919 April 11, G. C. Carter, Tr. et al to V. Lanning and wife. Part lot 6, Blk. 12, Bk. 154, P. 35
1919 Aug. 20, H. C. Rogers, and wife to V. Lanning and wife. Lots 4-5, Bk. 198. P. 15
1919 Sept. 18, Furman F. Duckett and wife to Volney Lanning. Glendale Ave., West Asheville
1919 Oct. 23, D. W. Whitaker and wife to C. C. Lanning and wife. 1 acre, Cane Creek
1919 May 12, W. V. Cole to C. N. Lanning and wife, 13 acres, adj. W. V. Cole
1919 April 11, W. Ashe Bldg. Loan Assn, to Fannie Lanning et al, Park lot 6, Blk. 12, Bk. 154, P: 35
1919 Aug. 20, Annie Rogers, et al to Fannie Lanning, et al, Lots 4-5, Bk. 198, P. 15
1919 April 9, Fannie Lanning, et al to Gertrude Lanning, et al. Lot 6, Blk. 12, Bk. 154, Pg 35
1920 June 11, Lucy Po Hayes, et al to Fannie et al. 4 acres, West Asheville
1920 April 1, E. E. McDowell, et al to C. G. Lanning and wife. Lots 5-7-9-12-14,Blk B, Bk. 154, P. 17
1920 April 1, W. Go McDowell, et al to Tunnie Lanning et al. Lots 5-7-9-12, Blk. B, Bk. 154, P. 17
1920 June 11, Rutherford P. Hayes and wife to V. Lanning and wife. 4 acres, West Asheville
1920 Feb. 11, Henry T. Moore and wife to V. Lanning. 2nd Ave, West Asheville
1920 April 13, G. L. Fortune and wife to V. Lanning, Lots 23-24, Blk. 1, Dk. 154, P. 116

1920 June 26, Baxter Lanning and wife to V. Lanning and wife. Lot 5, Bk. 198, P. 69
1920 Aug. 19, J. A. Bishop and wife, to R. W. Lanning and wife. Lot 7, Bk. 154, P. 191
1920 Oct. 7, Charles R. Waters, and wife to R.W. Lanning and wife. Lots 8-9, Bk. 154, P. 103
1920 Jan. 31, Effie M. Green, et al to Josie Lanning et al, Lot 5, Bk. 198, P. 69
1920 June? Fannie Lanning et al to Josie Lanning et al, Lots 4-5, Bk, 198, P. 15
1921 Jan. 10, Fannie Lanning et al to Josie Lanning, et al, Lot 4, Bk. 198, P. 15
1921 Aug. 6, Alice Pace, et al, to Josie Lanning et al, Lot 8, Blk. 3, 154, P. 116
1921 Feb. 18, J. S. Mardis to V. Lanning and wife. Lot 45, Bk. 138, P. 88
1921 Jan. 10, Baxter Lanning and wife to V. Lanning and wife. Lots 4-5, Bk 198, P. 15
1921 July 11, E. Zeph Ray and wife to V. Lanning and wife. Lot 40, Bk. 145, P. 526
1921 Oct. 26, J. B. Ingle and wife to V. Lanning and wife. 3rd Ave., West Asheville

1923 Jan. 23, Charles Carland and wife to Charles Lanning and wife. Asheville TS
1923 Oct. 15, Calvert Steading and wife to W. L. Lanning and wife. Asheville 19
1923 Oct. 15, W. E. Shuford, Tr. et al to W. L. Lanning and wife. Release
1924 Feb. 1, William H. Johnson and wife to J. W. Lanning, Lot 36, Bk. 198. Pg. 124

JOHN LANNING

All the Lannings living west of the Blue Ridge in North Carolina are descendants of John Lanning, born in Bordentown, NJ, February 27, 1757. He migrated to Rowan County, North Carolina with his father, Joseph Lanning, date unknown. The name of his mother is unknown.
Marcy Lownsberry. He married Sarah Whitaker, second child and oldest daughter of Joshua Whitaker, also of Rowan County, October 1783. The first U.S. Census was taken in 1790. At that time, there were only two Lanning families living in North Carolina. Joseph Lanning’s family consisted of himself, one son over 16, his wife and four daughters. John Lanning’s family consisted of himself and 3 sons, all under 16 years of age, his wife and one daughter. This is in accord with what we know of John Lanning’s family. His first four children were:

- Enos, born October 8, 1784
- Amos, born November 18, 1786
- Joseph, born January 4, 1789
- Mary, born September 23, 1790

The names and dates of the birth of these four older children were obtained from the files of the Pension Bureau of the U.S. War Department. They must have been given in by John Lanning himself.

John Lanning was a private in the Army of the Revolutionary War. His first service was with Capt. Robert Moore’s company, Col. Alexander Martin’s regiment, Gen. Griffith Rutherford’s expedition against the Cherokee Indians. The expedition left Old Fort, September 1, 1776, and the troops were disbanded in Salisbury in early October 1776; Time, 28 days. He served as a substitute for his father. March 20, 1779, he enlisted in Capt. Armstrong’s company. During this term of service, he was in the Battle of Stono, near Charleston, SC, “and in frequent skirmishes.” He was discharged July 2, 1779, a little more than 3 months in the service. Later he was two months in Capt. Lopp’s company of Calvary: dates of service not known.

October 20, 1832, while a resident of Buncombe County, he applied for a pension which was allowed, beginning March 4, 1831, amount $31.33 annually. His widow applied for a pension which was allowed September 25, 1843; Amount not known. This war record might have to be modified upon fuller information.

He moved to Buncombe County later, date not known, and lived where the Julius Jenkins’ place is located. He also owned a farm on Hoopers Creek and he moved as the notion took him every two or three seasons back and forth and from one farm to the other. This is a family tradition. He raised a family of 14 children, all reached maturity and all married and raised families but 2.

Their names and dates of birth are shown on the chart preceding this chapter.

Joseph Lanning was born Nov. 16, 1731 in Bordentown, Mt. Holly, Burlington County, NJ and died after August 20, 1821. He married December 7, 1756, MARCY (MARY) LOWNSBERRY.

Children:
A. JOHN LANNING was born February 27, 1756, Bordentown, NJ, and died August 1839. He married SARAH WHITAKER, born December 7, 1767, died May 26, 1848 in October 1783. Both John and Sarah are buried in the Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC. Sarah was the daughter of Joshua Whitaker, born January 22, 1735, Rowan County, NC, died May 1, 1792, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC, and Mary Reed, born October 31, 1748, New Jersey, died February 16, 1832, Buncombe County, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC. Joshua’s father and mother were William and Elizabeth Carlington Whitaker.

John Lanning was a veteran of the American Revolutionary War, as well as against the Cherokee Indians. (See descriptive writings at end of this chapter.)

Children of John and Sarah Lanning:

Enos Lanning, born October 8, 1784
Amos Lanning, born November 1786
Joseph Lanning, born January 4, 1789
Mary Lanning, born September 23, 1790
Sarah Lanning, born February 20, 1792
John Lanning, born February 16, 1794
Nancy Lanning, born June 13, 1795
William Lanning, born July 15, 1797
Joshua Lanning, born March 21, 1800
Amy Lanning, born October 22, 1802
James Lanning, born December 23, 1804
Rachel Lanning, born March 25, 1807
Elizabeth Lanning, born December 21, 1809
Jesse Lanning, born June 16, 1813

B. AESHIA LANNING, born May 4, 1766, Rowan County, NC (now Davidson County, NC), died May 8, 1845, married August 29, 1793 to Eldad Reed, son of Eldad Reed. Eldad’s first wife was Elizabeth. All three are buried in Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC (see page 286.)

Children:
1. Joseph Reed
2. Eldad Reed III
3. John Reed
4. Anna Reed

C. ENOS LANNING, born April 27, 1770, Rowan County, NC, died March 8, 1844, buried Reed’s Cemetery, Davidson County, NC (no marker), married January 21, 1793 to Sarah Warner, born July 23, 1775, died April 1884, daughter of William and Elizabeth Warner.

Children:
John Lanning, born July 11, 1793
William Lanning, born July 9, 1795
Joseph Lanning, born February 21, 1798
Thomas F. Lanning, born October 21, 1800
Elizabeth Lanning, born September 25, 1817 (See Chapter 3 for lineage charts)

D. Possibly 4 other children, no records available.
CEMETERY OF LANNING ANCESTORS
Fairview, NC

-58-
CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

1. **ENOS LANNING** was born October 8, 1784, Rowan County, NC, died June 13, 1865, Henderson County, NC. Enos married, Margaret Barnhill, born 1790, buried Henderson County, NC. (The family resided in Buncombe County until sometime between 1850 and 1860 when they moved to Henderson County. Evidently, Margaret, the wife and mother, had either died or she and Enos were separated as she was not with the family.

Children:

a. David Lanning, born 1808 (or 1809), married 1st Letitia, born 1813, married 2nd Rachel, born 1819. Children:
   (1) Francis Lanning, born 1842
   (2) Columbus Lanning, born 1851, married May 8, 1884 to Sallie Jones
   (3) Joseph Cephus Lanning, born July 6, 1854, died October 28, 1932, buried Patty’s Chapel, Fletcher, NC, married April 30 1879 to Martha E. Baldwin, born April 25, 1856, died May 31, 1923, buried Patty’s Chapel, Fletcher, NC. Children:
      (a) Lanora Lanning, married John Ward
      (b) Ollie Lanning, married Walter Dalton
      (c) Annie Lanning, married Paul C. Stroupe. Children:
         (c-1) Paul Stroupe, Jr.
         (c-2) Irene Stroupe, married _____ Ashworth
      (d) Lomie Lanning, married Elmo Stroupe
      (e) Sue Emma Lanning, born 1885, unmarried, died 1967, buried Patty’s Chapel, Fletcher, NC
      (f) Maude Christinana Lanning, born May 24, 1886, married June 9, 1907 to John F. Clayton, born 1885
      (g) Joseph Arthur Lanning, born _____, died March 15, 1936, buried Patty’s Chapel, Fletcher, NC, married Annie Wilfred Walker. Children:
(g-1) Infant, born and died December 17, 1919
(g-2) Ray Lanning, born April 27, 1921, buried Patty’s Chapel, Fletcher, NC

(g-3) William Arthur Lanning, born March 1, 1923, married Julie Mae Parker
(h) Walter Edward Lanning, born 1898, died 1938, buried Patty’s Chapel, Fletcher, NC, married Maude Barnes. Children:
   (h-1) Billie Lanning, born 1937, died 1955, buried Patty’s Chapel
   (h-2) Willa Mae Lanning, died 1970, buried Patty’s Chapel
   (h-3) Jimmie Lanning, married Barbara ______
   (h-4) Bobby Lanning
(4) Emily Lanning, born 1856
(5) J. R. (or John) Lanning, born 1857, married 1st R. A. Parker, married 2nd Lou A. Redmon
(6) Malinda Lanning, born 1859

b. William Lanning, born August 18, 1810, Buncombe County, NC, died September 17, 1892, buried beside Eagle Nest Tock Mountain, Waynesville, NC, married 1st Elizabeth ______, born May 4, 1812, died January 1857 (or between 1860-1864), buried Rocky Branch Baptist Church, married 2nd September 18, 1864, Transylvania County, Brevard, NC, by T.C. Duckworth, to Mary A. Surratt, born 1835, died 1906, buried Massey Cemetery, Allen’s Creek, Waynesville, NC. Children by 1st wife:
   (1) Elizabeth Lanning, born December 3, 1830, buried Sheperds Memorial (or Masadona), married Dillard Parris, son of James & Aniah Parris. Children:
      (a) Jack Parris (or John) Andrew Jackson, married Etta Watson, 2  3 Children
      (b) William Parris, married Gusta Jones, had 1 daughter
      (c) Emily Parris, married James Jones
      (d) Alice Parris, married James Blackwell, had 7 children
      (e) Esther Parris, married Mark Robeson [Guy Crowe], had 4 girls: Aleata, Amey, Tempa and Margaret Robeson
      (f) Janie Parris, married Gus Crow, had 3 boys
      (g) Martha Parris, born May 23, 1877, NC, married April 6, 1901 to Fuller Jones Lanning (Fuller Jones took the name of Elestus Quinn Lanning when his mother remarried.)

Page 62 is a picture of William Lanning’s Gravestone at Eagle’s Nest Rock, NC but in the book, it is only a black spot and unviewable.
He was the son of Susan Jones, who married Andrew Jackson Lanning, a brother to Elizabeth, Martha’s mother. (See page 101) Children:

(g-1) Chetta Lanning, born April 5, 1903, NC, married May 7, 1922 to Oscar Beachboard, Buncombe County, NC. Children:
    (g1-a) Eva Mae Beachboard, born 1923, NC, married Roy Sisk, had 5 children
    (g1-b) Wayne Beachboard, born 1925, NC, married Evelyn Davis, had 2 children
    (g1-c) Ray Beachboard, born 1928, married Iris Sisk, had 4 children
    (g1-d) Pansy Beachboard, born July 4, 1932, NC, died Mother’s Day 1972, FL, married Charles Rhodes. Children:
        (g1d-1) Eva June Rhodes, born 1952
        (g1d-2) Lonnie Rhodes, born 1954
        (g1d-3) Jerry Rhodes, born 1956
        (g1d-4) Rebecca Rhodes, born 1958
        (g1d-5) Janice Rhodes, born 1960
    (g1-e) Marie Beachboard, born 1934, NC, married Lloyd Penland, had 2 children
    (g1-f) Hubert Beachboard, born 1936, NC, married Carolyn Shelton, had 2 children
    (g1-g) Barbara Beachboard, born 1939, NC, married John Connard, had 2 children
    (g1-h) Herbert Beachboard, born in NC, married Dixie Lipe, had 2 children

(g-2) Nancy Lanning, born September 21, 1905, married 1st September 29, 1928 to Dolph R. Tipton, married 2nd Virgil Galloway
(h) Anna Parris, born in NC
(i) Norman (Norm) Parris, born in NC

(2) Govan Lanning, born 1834, Henderson County, NC, married Katherine (Katie) Effler, both buried Old Lee Field Cemetery, Yancy County, NC (Busick Cemetery). Children:

(a) Jeff D. Lanning, born November 27, 1861, died May 8, 1950, buried Salem Baptist Church, Old Fort, NC, married Hattie Grindstaff. Children:
    (a-1) William Milliard Lanning
    (a-2) Nora Lanning, born August 20, 1883, died August 5, 1959, buried New Salem Baptist Church, unmarried
    (a-3) Lillie Lanning, born November 18, 1884, married _____ Burrell This Lillie is actually Govan’s daughter and Jeff’s sister, not his daughter (see page 67)
    (a-4) Mary L. Lanning, born October 31, 1885, buried New Salem Baptist Church, married John Henry Wilson, born January 9, 1884, died July 8, 1942
    (a-5) Dallas Lanning, born July 26, 1887, married Essie Thomas, born July 25, 1888, died July 1967, buried Old Fort, NC, Salem Baptist Church. Children:
        (a5-a) Asa Lanning, unmarried
        (a5-b) Agnes Lanning, born 1912, married Carl Robinson
        (a5-c) Ollis Lanning, married Agnes ______. Children:
            (a5c-1) Richard Ollis Lanning, born October 17, 1946, married February 22, 1968 to Linda Cabe, born December 11, 1948, daughter of Percival Paul William Cabe and Edna Gertude Creasman Cabe. Children:
Richard Troy Lanning, born December 22, 1968
Susan Elaine Lanning, born December 1, 1969
Judy Ann Lanning, born February 1948
Mary Ellen Lanning, born November 19__, married Lesley Gordon

David Lanning, Junior
Martha Louise Lanning
Raymond Lanning
Roy Lanning, m, _ McFalls
Troy Lanning, m, ' Effler
Elsie Lanning, m, 1st BenWhitman, married, 2nd Charles Yah
Isa Belle Lanning, m, _ Phillips
Rena Lanning, m, Kenneth Gregg
Melvin Lanning, m, Ann
Ollie May Lanning, m, Conard Baker
Flora Lanning, m, Glenn Lunsford, buried New Salem Baptist Cemetery
Paul Lanning
Jesse Lanning
Rosie Lanning, b. 1891, m, John R. Staton, b. 1890, d. 1961, buried New Salem Baptist
Ida Lanning, m, William Gilham
Andrew Lanning, m, _ Dusty
Margaret Lanning, m, Andrew McFalls
John Lanning, m, Margaret Gilham
Robert H. Lanning, b. Nov. 20, 1886 (or 1891), d. Aug. 1, 1959, buried Zion Hill Miss. Baptist Ch., Newfound, N. C., m, Feb. 4, 1915 to Nancy Dills, b. May 2, 1893 (or 1894), buried Zion Hill Miss. Bapt, Ch. Children:
Infant, b. & d. Jan. 1916
Carl L. Lanning, b. June 4, 1919
Dock Lanning, b. Mar. 11, 1920
Infant, b. & d. Dec. 9, 1921
James W. Lanning, b. Mar. 4, 1924
Zora Lanning, b. May 29, 1932, d. June 12, 1932
Anne Lanning
Rachel Lanning
Nancy Lanning
Carrie Lanning
Sarah Lanning
William Julius Lanning, b. Nov. 20, 1902, d. Feb. 16, 1966
Children:
Ella Mae Lanning, b. May 10, 1922, m, Jarvis Beck
Infant, b. & d. Oct. 27, 1924, buried Johnnymon Creek
Dewey Lanning, b. Sept. 5, 1927, m. Betty Messer. Children:
Patrick Lanning
Ronald Lanning
Girl, died 1 mo. 3 days old
Lula Faye Lanning, b. Apr. 16, 1930, m, B. J. McHaffey
Ronald D. Lanning, b. Apr. 24, 1933, drowned Oct. 19, 1952
Jimmie Wayne Lanning, b. Oct. 9, 1934, d. 1968, buried Green Hill, m, Ellen Wyatt. Children:
Tressa Lanning
Ricky Lanning
Eddie Lanning
Jimmie Lanning
Ronnie Lanning
Johnny Lanning
Mattie Lanning, b. Apr. 4, 1936, d. May 7, 1946, buried Green Hill

YJ3-essie M. Lanning, b. Jan. 27, 1922
Herbert J. Lanning, b. Oct. 9, 1924, d. July 11, 1953, buried Hyatt's 'Creek Baptist Church
Dorothy M. Lanning, b. Sept. 3, 1926
James G. Lanning, b. Aug. 1, 1928
Infant, b. Dec. 5, 1930
Hazel A. Lanning, b. June 18, 1933
Infant, b. June 10, 1936
Asbury Washington Lanning, b. 1878, d. 1960, m, 1st Rebecca I. _, m, 2nd Effie Cook, on Dec. 3, 1901
Lillie Savannah Lanning, b. Nov. 18, 1884, m, Aug. 20, 1904 at Quinl lintown, on Allen Creek, Haywood Co., N. C., by Joe Harrison, to Joseph Marion Burrell, b. May 24, 1867, d. June 18, 1953 (he married previously to Salle M. Bumgarner). Children:
Lula Belle Burrell, b. Aug. 16, 1908, died very young
Troy M. Burrell, b. Apr. 30, 1916, in N. C., m, Georgia Creasman
(3) Martha A. Lanning, b. Mar. 10, 1837, Henderson Co., N. C., m, Samuel (Sam) McCall, buried McCall Cemetery, Pisgah Forest, N. C. (She must have died between 1871-1876 as there are gaps between children's ages. It is a known fact that Sam. remarried another Martha.)

Children:
(a) Enos McCall, b. 1857, Henderson Co., N. C., m, Sara Jane Wood, b. about 1860. Children:
(a-1) Mary McCall, b. 1877, Transy. Co., N.C.
(a-2) Martha McCall, b. 1879, Trans. Co., N. C.
(a-3) Leva McCall
(a-4) Pearl Netta McCall
(a-6) Ransom McCall, b. Trans. co., N. C., m, Apr. 7, 1907, Trans. Co., N.C., to Harriett McCall
(b) Rachel McCall, b. about 1859, Henderson Co., N.C.
(c) Annanias McCall, b. about 1867, Trans. Co., N. C., m, Sarah (Sallie) Fox; he is buried Pisgah Forest Cemetery, N. C., had 13 children, but only names of 4 shown below are known:
(c-1) Edward McCall
(c-2) Jeremiah McCall
(c-3) George McCall
(c-4) Gertrude McCall
(d) Martha McCall, b. about 1868, N. C.
(e) Margaret S. McCall, b. about 1871, N. C.
Children by 2nd wife:
(f) Amos McCall; b. about 1877, N. C., m, Judy Lance. Children:
(f-1) Ralph McCall
(f-2) Susie McCall
(g) Sarah N. McCall, b. about 1879, N.C.
(4) William Cleveland Lanning, b. Mar. 10, 1839, Henderson Co., N. C., d. Mar. 19, 1910, buried Rocky Branch Baptist Church, Waynesville, N. C., m, Nov. 22, 1869,
(a) Martha E. Lanning, b. Jan. 3, 1871, Quinlinton, N. C., d. 1913, m. Feb. 8, 1891, Haywood Co., N. C., to David L. (Fate) Hopkins, b. about 1861, son of John F. and Elizabeth M. Hopkins. Children:
(a-1) William Thomas Hopkins, b. 1891, d. 1964, m. Pearl Lemmings
(a-2) Ruth Hopkins
(a-3) David Hopkins (killed by train as young man)
(a-4) Myrtle Hopkins, m. Monte McNabb
(a-5) Jane Hopkins
(a-6) John Hopkins, b. June 8, 1907, d. Nov. 8, 1907
(a-7) Tilden Hopkins
(a-8) Jack Hopkins
(b) George Washington Lanning, b. Apr. 10, 1872, Quinlinton, N. C., d. Aug. 14, 1928, buried Rocky Branch Baptist Church, Waynesville, NC, m. 1st Oct. 4, 1890 to Hester Arrington Bolen Sanford, b. Aug. 9, 1872, d. June 11, 1923, buried Rocky Branch Baptist Church, Waynesville, NC, daughter of Lunus Sanford and Laura Arrington Sanford, m, 2nd Martha Shuler, no children by this marriage. Children by 1st marriage:
Children:
Child:
(b1a-1) George David Shepard, b. Aug. 18, 1953, Canton, N. C. (Haywood Co.)

(b1-b) Hester Rosa Lee Shepard, b. Sept. 28, 1922, N. C., never married.
(b1-c) Lula Bell Shepard, b. Aug. 17, 1924, NC, died 1954, m. Charles C. Hooper. Children:
(b1c-1) Jeanette Carolyn Hooper, b. Mar. 20, 1946, Waynesville, N.C., m, Aug. 25, 1962 to Hugh R. Wooner. Children:
(b1c1-a) Raymond C. Wooner, b. Feb. 14, 1963
(b1c1-b) Shelley R. Wooner, b. July 21, 1964
(b1c1-c) Laura F. Wooner, b. Sept. 13, 1967
(b1c2-a) Tammy L. Hooper, b. Dec. 23, 1968
(b1c2-b) Kelley A. Hooper, b. Nov. 20, 1972
(b1c3-a) Clinton C. Hooper, b. Apr. 29, 1970
(b1c-4) Anita Jody Hooper, b. Mar. 17, 1955
(b1-d) Thomas Calvin Shepard, b. Oct. 2, 1926, N.C., m, Phyllis Strousse, live in Chicago, Ill. Child:
(b1d-1) Thomas Albert Shepard, b. Feb. 1965

(b1-e) David Dillard Shepard, b. July 17, 1928, N.C., m., Ann Worley, live in Canton, N.C. Children:
(b1e-1) Janet Elizabeth Shepard, b. Sept. 1955, N.C.
(b1e-2) Pamela Sue Shapard, b. Dec. 23, 1957, N.C.
(b1f-1) Vance Roger Shepard, Jr., b. 1953 in N.C.
(b1f-2) Larry Dale Shepard, b. 1955, in N.C.
(b1f-3) Valerie Jo Shepard, b. 1958 in N.C.
(b1f-4) Thomas Lane Shepard, b. 1959, in N.C.
(b1g-1) Dawn Cable, b. 1955
(b1g-2) Lisa Cable
(b2) James Lanning, b. 1893, died young
(b3-a) Josephine Lanning, b. Dec. 3, 1916, Quinlintown, N.C., m, 1st Mar. 16, 1935, Springfield, Oregon at Lanning home, to Floyd Leroy Koch, b. Jan. 6, 1914 in Cobury, Oregon, Lane Co,

-74-

divorced July 12, 1950, son of Leroy and Pleasure Valeria Brown Koch, m, 2nd Hardy William Ferrington, b. Oct. 9, 1919, Wisner, La., son of Calvin Carter and Ida Ensminger Ferrington. No children by second marriage. Children:
(b3a-2) Darrel Lee Koch, b. Mar. 1, 1937, Weed, Calif., m, 1st June 19, 1939, Salem, Ore., to Marian Knife, divorced, m. 2nd Apr. 30, 1960, Reno, Nevada to Lura Marnell (Baumann) Pierzina, daughter of George and Della Baumann. Reside in Trent, Oregon. Child:
(b3a2-a) Darren Lee Koch, b. June 14, 1961, Springfield, Oregon
(b3a-3) Larry Charles Koch, b. May 26, 1939, Eugene, Oregon, m. Edith Adelle Clements, 1963, Dayton, Oregon, daughter of Oran George and Lula Devilbiss Clements. Children:
(b3a3-a) Michael Duane Koch, b. Aug. 30, 1963, Springfield, Oregon
(b3a3-b) Susan Pauline Koch, b. July 24, 1965, Springfield, Oregon
(b3a3-c) Patrick Charles Koch, b. Nov. 20, 1967, Springfield, Oregon

-75-

(b3a4-a) Tammy Jo Walker, b. May 4, 1958, Springfield, Ore.
(b3a4-c) Thomas Richard Walker, II, b. Feb. 17, 1964, Springfield, Oregon
(b3b-1) David Allan Lanning, b. Dec. 13, 1945, Los Angeles, Calif. Unmarried, lives Eugene, Oregon
(b3b-2) Elizabeth Charlotte Lanning, b. Nov. 18, 1946, Los Angeles, Calif., m. Sept. 24, 1965, Mohawk, Oregon, Community Church to John Hill

-76-

Children:
(b3b2-a) John Michael Hill, b. May 4, 1966, Eugene, Oregon
(b3b2-b) Brian Patrick Hill, b. Mar. 16, 1970, Eugene, Oregon
Children by 2nd marriage:
(b3b-3) Kathleen Ruth Lanning, b. Mar. 18, 1956, Eugene, Oregon
(b3c1) Phyliss Jane Linn, b. Nov. 25, 1940, Eugene, Ore., m, Lyle Simmons, June 7, 1962, Church of Friends. Children:
(b3c1-a) Scott Duane Simmons, b. Jan. 2, 1965, Eugene, Or.
(b3c1-b) Lori Simmons, b. Sept. 22, 1967, Eugene, Oregon
(b3c2-a) Michaele Lynn Edminster, b. Sept. 1, 1971, Tacoma, WA

(b3c-3) Richard George Linn, b. Mar. 5, 1949, Eugene, Ore.
(b3-d) Jesse Claude Lanning, b. Dec. 21, 1921, Lyman, Wash., m, Aug. 10, 1946, Light House Temple, Eugene, Ore., to Audrey Leslie Young, b. Sept. 14, 1920, Auckland, New Zealand. Children:
(b3d-3) Dennis David Lanning, b. Apr. 13, 1953, Eureka, California
(b3d-4) Pamela Joy Lanning, b. Sept. 27, 1955, Eureka, California
(b3-e) Charlotte Elizabeth Lanning, b. Feb. 19, 1924, Lyman, Wash., m, Nov. 3, 1939, Eugene, Oregon, Lanning's home, to Avery Redman Johnson, b. June 6, 1919, Hood River, Ore. (Avery's mother was an invalid, and when Avery had pneumonia, he nearly died, and Mrs. Johnson took care of him. When his parents took him home, he cried so hard for Mrs. Johnson, the Johnson's asked to adopt him.) Children:
(b3e-l) Terry Robert Johnson, b. May 15, 1940, Eugene, OR, m. Aug. 15, 1948 to 1st Peggy Ann Marie Arthur, Calvary Temple Ch., Springfield, Ore., m, 2nd

Judith (Judy) Hart, m, 3rd Marlene Tinsley. Children by 1st marriage:
(b3el-a) Jerry Allen Johnson, b. May 19, 1959, Springfield, Oregon
(b3el-b) James Dale Johnson, b. Nov. 29, 1961, Springfield, Oregon
Child by 2nd marriage:
(b3el-c) Tab Roland Johnson, b. Jan. 18, 1965, Springfield, Oregon
(b3e-4) Deanna Fay Johnson, b. Feb. 7, 1959, Springfield, Oregon

Children:

(b4-a) Prentice Lanning, b. Feb. 18, 1918, Canton, N. C., d. Nov. 3, 1918
(b4b-1) James Stanley Anthony, b. Jan. 8, 1953, Lawrenceburg, Tenn, m, June 23, 1972 to Lela Jane Bradley
(b4-c) Pauline Hester Renore Lanning, b. Canton, NC July 18, 1921, d. Dec. 8, 1965, buried Crawford Mem, Gardens, Canton, N. C., m, Feb. 6, 1943 to Scott Burnett, d. Dec. 6, 1920. Children:
(b4c-1) Glenda Christine Burnett, b. Nov. 12, 1943, N. C., m, Dec. 27, 1963 to Paul Edward Burke, b. July 24, 1943. Children:
(b4c1-a) Paula Vanessa Burke, b. Nov. 26, 1966, in N. C.
(b4c1-b) Angela Christine Burke, b. Mar. 3, 1968, in N. C.
(b4c2-a) Tonya LaChelle Clontz, b. Sept. 18, 1966, in N. C.
(b4c2-b) Sharon Clontz, b. Feb. 14, 1968

(b4c-3) Jeffrey Scott Clontz, b. Jan. 3, 1969
(b4c-3) Paul Burk Burnett
(b4-d) George Bedford Lanning, b. Apr. 10, 1923, d. July 24, 1970, buried Mt. Zion Cemetery, Dix Creek, N. C., m. Apr. 17, 1942 to Jean Cochran, b. Sept. 16, 1925, Smokemont, Swain Co., NC, daughter of Daniel & Ila Woody Cochran. Bedford served in Armed Forces in WWII. Children:
(b4d-1) Kenneth Eugene Lanning, b. Sept. 26, 1946, m, June 2, 1968 to Evelyn Edwards
(b4d-3) Jeffrey Dean Lanning, b. Jan. 8, 1954, Waynesville, NC
(b4d-4) Eldine Kaye Lanning, b. Sept. 9, 1958, Waynesville, N.C.
(b4d-5) Mark Edward Lanning, b. Jan, 10, 1960, Waynesville, N.C.
(b4-e) Ruby C. Lanning, b. Mar. 23, 1925, Canton, N.C., m, Apr. 2, __ to Ray Thompson. Children:
(b4e-1) Richard Lane Thompson, b. May 1952
(b4e-2) Jill Rae Thompson, b. Apr. 2, 1957
(b4-f) Beulah Lanning, b. Apr. 3, 1927, d. Apr. 3, 1927, Canton, N.C.
(b4-g) Cynthia Lanning, b. Apr. 3, 1928, Canton, N. C., m, May 9, 1948 to Aubert Posten.

Children:
(b4g-1) Michael Posten
(b4g-2) Kathrine Posten
(b4h) Violet Lanning, b. Oct. 4, 1930, Canton, N. C., m. Apr. 21, 1948 to Virgil Murphy, b. Nov. 1, 1930, son of James Raymond, b. Apr. 30, 1910, and Doshia Talmer Wheeler Murphy, b. Mar. 25, 1912. Children:
(b4h1-a) Patrick John Murphy, b. Apr. 26, 1968, Oliver Springs, Tenn.
(b4h1-b) Christopher Lee Murphy, b. Dec. 20, 1-970, Oliver Springs, Tenn.
(b4h2-a) Kim Dinnette Murphy, b. July 7, 1970, Oliver Springs, Tenn.
(b4i) Marrietta Lanning, b. Oct. 31, 1931, Canton, N.C., m, Aug. 6, 1950 to Ernest Wheeler, Black Mtn.
N. C. Children:
(b4i-1) Diane Wheeler, m, Brown, had 1 son, Jerome Brown

(b4i-2) Brent Wheeler
(b4-k) Thomas Ray Lanning, b. Apr. 18, 1939, Canton, N. C., m. June 7, 1963 to Carol Mutimer, Children:
(b4k-1) Craig Thomas Lanning, b. Apr. 20, 1964, in Ga.
(b4k-2) Beth Carol Lanning, b. Apr. 18, 1966, in Ga.
Children:
(b5a-1) Randy Lee Wright, b. Dec. 4, 1949, Gastonia, NC, m, Oct. 1969 to Elaine Christopher
(b5a-2) Kay F. Wright, b. Dec. 25, 1951, Gastonia, N. C., m, Mar. 1969 to Howard Suggs
(b5a-3) Eddie D. Wright, b. July 13, 1958, Gastonia, N. C.
(b5a-4) Danny E. Wright, b. Apr 30, 1960, Gastonia, NC
Children of 1st marriage:
(b5b-1) George W. Crisp, b. July 7, 1953, Gastonia, N. C.:  
(b5b-2) Darrel Wayne Crisp, b. Sept. 20, 1955, Gastonia, N.C.  
(b5b-3) James David Crisp, b. Apr. 24, 1958, Gastonia, N.C.  
(b5b-5) Vickie Marie Crisp, b. Jan. 30, 1961, Gastonia, N.C.  
(b5c) Margaret Crisp, b. Sept. 30, 1937, Spencer Mtn., N.C., m, 1st Richard Donald Harvey, m,  
2nd Paul Dean Johnson. Child of 1st marriage:  
(b5c-1) Denise Harvey, b. Jan. 31, 1955, Gastonia, N. C., m, Sept. 2, 1972 to Carl Rose  
Children by 2nd marriage:  
(b5c-2) Michael Johnson, b. June 7, 1958, Charlotte, N. C.  
(b5c-3) Gary Johnson, b. Feb. 13, 1960, Charlotte, N.C.  
(b5c-4) Teresa Johnson, b. May 28, 1962, Charlotte, N. C.  
(b5c-5) Linda Johnson, b. Aug. 1, 1964, Charlotte, N.C.  
(b6) Floyd Herman Lanning, b. Apr. 12, 1904, Quinlintown, N. 8., d. Aug. 3, 1960, buried Lane  
Memorial Gardens, Springfield, Oregon, m, Lola Kilby, b. June 7, 1908. Children:  
(b6-a) William Arthur Lanning, b. Mar. 21, 1925, died young  
(b6-b) William Ray Lanning, b. May 26, 1926, Haywood Co., N.C., m, Dec. 7, 1947 to  
Betty Gwendolyn Reece, b. Nov. 16, 1926, daughter of Zemery Raymond Reece, b. Dec. 4, 1904  
and Ella Mae Haynes . Reece, b. Apr. 12, 1904. Children:  
(b6b-1) Patti Sonja Lanning, b. Apr. 10, 1949, m, Dec. 24, 1968 to Rass Rick Ingle. Children:  
(b6b1-a) Rebecca May Ingle, b. July 30, 1971, Reedsport, Oregon  
(b6b1-b) Eric Lee Ingle, b. July 30, 1972, Reedsport, Oregon  
(b6b-2) Charles David Lanning, b. Dec. 18, 1950, m, Sept. 11, 1971 to Sherry Ellen Nute,  
daughter of Charles Ray and Ellen Relph Nute. Child:  
(b6b2-a) Robin David Lanning, b. Oct. 4, 1972, Reedsport, Oregon  
(b6b-3) Karen Elizabeth Lanning, b. Apr. 1, 1952, m, Max Bonney, Jr. Child:  
(b6b3-a) Maxine Raye Bonney, b. Jan. 24, 1972  
(b6b-4) Jerry Dean Lanning, b. July 2, 1953  
(b6b-5) Anita Louise Lanning, b. May 11, 1955  
(b6-c) Roy J. Lanning, b. Jan. 2, 1929, Canton, N. C., d. July 9, 1929  
(b6-d) Troy Clifton Lanning, b. Nov. 13, 1930, Canton, N. C., m. Ernestine Griffin, b. May 16, 1933, daughter of Eb and Sally Griffin. Children:  
(b6d-1) Vicky Lynn Lanning, b.
Aug. 12, 1946, m, James Lee Edwards. Children:
(b6d1-b) Jennifer Marie Edwards, b. Nov. 12, 1970, Springfield, Oregon
(b6d-2) Carol Ann Lanning, b. Feb. 11, 1951, m, Dec. 20, 1969 to Gregory Holden
(b6d-3) Donna Rae Lanning, b. Sept. 6, 1952
(b6d-4) Michael Alan Lanning, b. Dec. 29, 1957
(b6e-1) Linda Joyce Lanning, b. Apr. 16, 1951, m, Jan. 28, 1972 to William J. Foster
(b6e-2) Debra Ann Lanning, b. May 19, 1953
(b-7) Joseph Paul Lanning, b. 1906, Quinlinton, N. C., d. 1908
(b-8) Fanny Lanning, b. and d. 1909, Quinlinton, N. C.

-86-

Children by 1st marriage:
(b9-a) Wilma Hyde, b. Jan. 20, 1929, Canton, N. C., m, 1st Dec. 3, 1947 to Andrew Wells, b. Nov. 17, 1924, son of Robert and Rosa Trull Wells, m, 2nd Harland James Brookshire. Children by 1st marriage:
(b9a-1) Virginia Wells, b. Aug. 194_ , Canton, N. C., m, Sept. 27, 1968 to Buddy Rogers
(b9a-2) Karen Wells, b. May 1950, Canton, N. C., m. Sept. 1970 to Robert Messer
(b9a-3) stephen Wells, b. April 1951, Canton, N. C.
(b-9) Fay Hyde, b. Nov. 7, 1930, Canton, N. C., m, Aug. 21, 1949 to Van Revis. Children:
(b9b-1) Diana Revis, b. April 11, 1951, Canton, N. C., m, Kenneth Lewis Cork. Child:
(b9b1-a) Mitchell Lewis Cork, b. (b9b-2) Sherry Revis, b. Oct. 30, 1956, Canton, N. C.
(b9b-3) Jan Revis, b. June 14, 1959 Canton, N. C.
(b9b-4) Shannon Revis, b. Nov. 6, 1969, N. C.
(b9b-5) Kevin Revis, b. Dec. 12, 1971, N. C.
(b-10) Robert Cleveland Lanning, b. Apr. 10, 1915, Quinlinton, N. C., m. 1st Lula May Burnett (a widow), m, 2nd Velva Boyd Cooper, on Feb. 4, 1955, Reno, Nevada. Children by 1st marriage:

-87-

Children:
(b10a-1) Roy Lanning, b. Jan. 25, 1957
(b10a-2) Ronald Lanning, b. Mar. 3, 1958
(b10a-3) Randy Lanning, b. Feb. 15, 1959
(b10a-4) Rhonda Lanning, b. Mar. 12, 1960
(b10a-5) Robert Lanning, b. July 15, 1961
(b10a-6) Rodney Lanning, b. Feb. 15, 1963
(b10a-7) Richard Lanning, b. Aug. 3, 1964
(b10a-8) Robin Lanning, b. Sept. 1, 1965
(b10-b) Barbara Lanning, b. Jan. 28, 1941, N. C., m. Hugh Kuykendall. Children:
(b10b-1) Beverly Kaye Kuykendall, b. Jan. 13, 1964, N. C.
(b10b-3) Brenda Darlene Kuykendall, b. Mar. 22, 1969, N. C.
(b10-c) Lawrence Lanning, b. Dec. 9, 1942, N. C., m. June 29, 1963 to Judith (Judy) Singleton. Child:
(b10c-1) Stacy Duane Lanning, b. Feb. 2, 1967, N. C.
(c) Rachel Alice Lanning, b. Mar. 6, 1875, Quinlinton, N.C., d. 1921, m. July 7,1895 to James Bolden, b. 1869, d. 192_, son of James and Laura Arrington Bolden. Children:
(c-1) Herman Bolden
(c-2) Roberta Bolden, m. George Pearson

-88-

(c-3) Clyde Bolden
(c-4) Jessie Bolden, m. __ Ridges
(c-5) James Bolden, m. __ Ridges
(c-6) Margaret Bolden
(c-7) Annette Bolden
(d1-a) Aletha Lanning, b. Apr. 5, 1901, d. Mar. 4, 1957, m. Nov. 25, 1931 to Charles Mitchell, b. May 19, 1902, both buried Rocky Branch Cem. Children:
(d1-a) Lawrence Mitchell, b. 1925, d. 1929, buried Rocky Branch Cem
(d1-b) Elizabeth Mitchell, m. George McHaffey
(d1-c) Allene Mitchell, m. Herb Burnette
(d1-d) Charles Mitchell, m. Alma Bumgarner
(d2-a-1) Richard William Lanning, b. Jan. 29, 1951
(d2a-2) Charles Robert Lanning, b. June 3, 1954
(d2a-3) James Clark Lanning, b. Mar. 17, 1957
(d2a-4) Jacqueline Lanning, b. Feb. 28, 1962
(d2-b) Wilma Georgie Lanning, b. Feb. 22, 1928, Waynesville, NC, m, Burnett Crawford.
Children:
(d2b-1) Judith Ann Crawford, b. Apr. 29, 1947, m, Roy Kirkpatrick
(d2b-2) Bruce Crawford, b. Jan. 3, 1957
(d2-c) Mary Christine Lanning, b. Dec. 30, 1929, Waynesville, N. C., m, Charles Lewis Crayne.
Child:
(d2c-l) Cathy Jo Crayne, b. June 25, 1951
(d2-d) Wayne Clinton Lanning, b. July 24, 1940, m. Ella Mae Farmer
(d2-e) Lillian Deliah Lanning, b. Jan. 13, 1938, d. July 4, 1941, buried Rocky Branch Cem,
(d3) Melvin Albert Lanning, b. Mar. 6, 1906, d. Oct. 6, 1971, buried Rocky Branch Cemetery,
Waynesville, N. C., m, 1945 to Elizabeth Wyatt Bumgarner, b. Dec. 13, 1914, daughter of John
Cling and Lavina (Viney) Treadway Wyatt. Children:
(d3-a) James Harold Lanning, b. Apr. 26, 1946, m. Martha Burgess
(d3-b) Sara Rebecca Lanning, b. Oct. 1, 1948, m, James Lunsford
(d3-c) Albert Lanning, b. Apr. 1, 1951, m, June Virgis
(d3-d) Kenneth Howell Lanning, b. June 26, 1953, unmarried
(d3-e) Linda Romaine Lanning, unmarried
Children:
(d4-a) Thelma Lene Janning, b. Dec. 16, 1936, N.C., m. Bradley Hensley. Children:
(d4a-1) Linda Hensley (twin), b. July 19, 1969, in N. C.
(d4a-2) Glenda Hensley (twin), b. July 19, 1969, in N. C.
(d4-b) Lester Dee Lanning, b. June 17, 1939, m, Lillie Bumgarner ; Child:
(d4b-1) Margaret Ann Lanning b. June 27, 1962
(d4-c) Barbara Sue Lanning, b. Oct. 17, 1941, m, Talmadge Golden. Child:
(d4c-1) Martha Louise Golden, b. Mar. 18, 1962
(d4-d) George Lanning, b. Apr. 7, 1943, m, Mary Messer
(d4-e) William Thomas Lanning, b. Sept.12, 1945, m, _Howell
(d4-f) Joseph Ned Lanning, b. Dec. 1, 1947
(d4-g) Brenda Gale Lanning, b. Nov. 1, 1952, m. Michael James
(d-5) Joseph Walter Lanning, b. Jan. 28, 1911, d. Mar. 4, 1959, buried Rocky Branch Cemetery,
Waynesville, N. C., m. 1948 to Edith Warlick. Children:
(d5-a) Billy Dexter Lanning, b. Feb. 2, 1949
(d5-b) Bobby Joe Lanning, b. July 28, 1950
(d5-c) Lawry Lee Lanning, b. Sept. 6, 1948, d. Jan. 4, 1949, buried Rocky Branch Cern,
(e-1) William Bumgarner, m, Roena Singleton. Children:
(e1-a) Burlyne Bumgarner, m, Encent Mehaffey
(e1-b) Hugh Bumgarner, m, Artie Pless
(e1-c) Eula May Bumgarner, m, B. L. Williams
(e1-d) Earl Bumgarner, m, Rosa Lee Foster
(e1-e) Edward Bumgarner, m, Lorena Smith
(e1-f) Mary Jo Bumgarner, m, Cloyes Starnes
(e-2) Samuel Jesse Bumgarner, b. Mar. 2, 1902, m. Aug. 20, 1922 to Dailie Kuykendall. Children:
(e2-a) Morris Edward Bumgarner, b. July 27, 1923, in N.C., m. Nov. 3, 1945 to Opal Wright
(e2-b) Thelma Augusta Bumgarner, b. July 23, 1924, in N. C., m, Mar. 21, 1943 to Hillard Blankenship
(e2-c) Dois Daniel Bumgarner, b. May 22, 1927, in N. C.
(e2-d) Theodore (Ted) Bumgarner, b. Oct. 23, 1928, in N. C., m, Wilma Hedden
(e2-e) Robert Louis Bumgarner, b. Feb. 24, 1933, in N. C.
(e-3) Henry Bumgarner, b. June 11, 1904, in N. C., m, Sept. 12, 1925 to Selma Singleton, b. Feb. 2, 1909. Children:
(e3-a) Carroll Bumgarner, b. Aug. 4, 1926, in N. C., d. Nov. 24, 1959
(e3-b) Frank Bumgarner, b. Sept. 28, 1927, in N. C., m, May 7, 1950 to Christine Deaver, b. Feb. 2, 1925. Children:

(e3b-1) Michael Bumgarner, b. Oct. 7, 1951
(e3b-2) Rhonda. Bumgarner, b. May 7, 1954, m, Ronnie Hulsey
(e3b-3) Ronnie Bumgarner, b. May 9, 1960
(e3-c) Ernest Bumgarner, b. Aug. 11, 1930, in N. C., m, July 19, 1957 to Bobbie Jean Blaylock, b. Jan. 16, 1936. Children:
(e3c-1) Dane Bumgarner, b. June 7, 1959
(e3c-2) Sherry Bumgarner, b. May 7, 1962
(e3c-3) Sheila Bumgarner, b. May 21, 1966
(e3-d) Betty Bumgarner, b. Feb. 9, 1932, in N. C., m, Charles Goodson
(e3-e) Dortha Faye Bumgarner, b. Oct. 24, 1932, in N. C., d. Dec. 5, 1932
(e3-f) Joan Bumgarner, b. Nov. 14, 1934, in N. C., m, Dec. 28, 1951 to Howard Pless, a minister. Children:
(e3f-1) David Pless, b. July 20, 1954
(e3f-2) Risa Pless, b. May 24, 1959
(e3f-3) Timothy Pless, b. Feb. 9, 1961
(e3-g) Iva Lee Bumgarner, b. Jan. 1936, in N. C., m, Jan. 25, 1958 to Richard Elinburg, b. Dec. 31, 1931. Children:
(e3g-1) Karen Elinburg, b. Mar. 1, 1959
(e3g-2) Lana Elinburg, b. Nov. 18, 1962
(e3g-3) Richard Elinburg, Jr., b. Nov. 1, 1964

(e4) Malinda Robena Bumgarner, b. Aug. 31, 1907, in N.C., m, Apr. 1, 1928 to James
Robert Metcalf, b. Mar. 11, 1903, d. 1971. Children:
(e4a-1) Paula Sue Metcalf, b. Jan. 31, 1956, in N.C.
(e4a-2) Stanley Eugene Metcalf, b. Sept. 18, 1957, in N. C.
(e4a-3) Marcia Annette Metcalf, b. June 14, 1959, in N. C.
(e4a-4) Gregory Lefain Metcalf, b. Oct. 8, 1961, in N. C.
(e4b1-a) Bryon Douglas Warren, b. July 26, 1972
(e4b-2) Allan Dean Warren, b. Aug. 8, 1953, in N. C.
(e4b-3) Stephen David Warren, b. Apr. 17, 1955, in N.C.
(e4-c) Lotte Metcalf, b. July 7, 1932, in N. C., d. Oct. 27, 1932
(e4-d) Lou Jean Metcalf, b. Sept. 23, 1933, in N. C., m, Oct. 6, 1953 to Jesse Clyde Gorrell, b. May 30, 1933. Children:

(e4d-1) James Clyde Gorrell, b. Oct. 11, 1955, in N. C.
(e4d-2) Joel Milan Gorrell, b. July 29, 1957, in N.C.
(e4d-3) Judy Diane Gorrell, b.Nov. 16, 1961, in N. C.
(e4-e) Claude Ervin Metcalf, b. Apr. 9, 1938, in N. C.
(e4-f) Rhoda Christine Metcalf, b. May 7, 1940, in N. C., m, May 1, 1965, to Franklin Douglas Cole, b. May 8, 1942
(e5) Fred Lawson Bumgarner, b. Sept. 27, ,1909, in N. C.
(e6) James Bumgarner, b. in N.C., m. Gladys Bainard
(e7) Claude Ervin Bumgarner, b. July 13, 1912, in N. C., m, 1939 to Wilma Singleton, d. Oct. 17, 1946, m, 2nd Aug. 5, 1948, to Vonah Lunsford. Children by 1st marriage:
(e7-a) Jerry Lee Bumgarner, b. Feb. 22, 1941, in N. C.
(e7-b) Charles Doyle Bumgarner, b. June 7, 1943, in N.C., m, Oct. 23, 1967 to Dorothy Barnes. Child:
(e7b-1) Ronda Kay Bumgarner, b. July 25, 1968
Child by 2nd marriage:
(e7-c) Nancy Kay Bumgarner, b. Feb. 11, 1952, in N. C., m, Michel Jennings Robinson
(e-8) Larry Lee Bumgarner, b. Oct. 14, 1914, in N.C., m, June 9, 1933 to Mable Clark, b. Nov. 16, 1916. Children:
(e8a-1) Jeremy David Lee Boone, b. Oct. 14, 1970

(e8-b) Cathy Darlene Bumgarner, b. Oct. 12, 1952
(e-9) Wylie Bumgarner, b. Mar. 22, 1919, in N. C., m, Hazel Gaddy. Child:
(e9-a) Barry Lyle Bumgarner, b. Dec. 7, 1952
(e-10) Martha Evelyn Bumgarner, b. Mar. 19, 1921, in N.C., m, E. Wayne Sorrells, b. Feb. 17, 1922. Children:
(e10-a) Judith Elleen Sorrells, b. May 17, 1942, in N. C., m, Thomas (Tommy) Griffin, b. Jan. 23, 1944. Children:
(e10a-1) David Griffin, b. May 31, 1967, in N.C.
(e10a-2) Sue Griffin, b. July 21, 1968,in N.C.
(e10a-3) Kenneth Griffin, b. Dec. 24, 1969, in N. C.
(e10a-4) Shane Griffin, b. June 27, 1971, in N. C.
(e10b-1) Scott Sorrells, b. Oct. 17, 1972
(f) Grizelda S. Lanning, b. Mar. 23, 1884, Quinlinton, N.C., m. 1st William Mashburn, b. May 10, 1889, Flag Pond, Tenn., son of George Tilson and Oma Mashburn, m. 2nd C. E. Horn. She d. 1955, Monroe, Wash., Will d. 1950, Washington. Children:

(fl-a) Marie Evelyn Mashburn, b. Jan. 24, 1934, &11tan, Wash., m. 1st George Stubblefield, m, 2nd Edward Holtman. Children by 1st marriage:
(fl.-b) Laramie Frank Mashburn, b. Apr. 22, 1936, Sultan, Wash., m, Jan. 1966 to Flor E. Robles, in Lima, Peru, South America. Children:
(flb-1) Frank James Mashburn, b. Sept. 7, 1966
Ernest Mashburn, b. Sept. 20; 1912, in N. C., m, 1st Wilma Featherkyle, m, 2nd Mary Macklin, on Dec. 24, 1949, she b. Aug. 15, 1927. Children by 1st marriage:
(f2-a) Gwendolyn (Gwen) Mashburn, m, Don Sullivan
(f2-b) Terry Mashburn, m, Gloria ______
Children by 2nd marriage:
(f2-c) Robert Mashburn, b. Jan. 8, 1952
(f2-d) Susan Mashburn, b. June 20, 1955
(f2-e) Joseph Mashburn, b. Apr. 9, 1958
(f2-f) James Mashburn, b. Mar. 23, 1961
(f2-g) Toney Mashburn, b. Mar. 11, 1964

(f3-a) Thomas Gene Mashburn, b. Mar. 31, 1931, startup, Wash., m.

Myrle Lee Duartie, b. Oct. 9, 1943, Concord, Calif. Children:
(f3a-1) Dawn Lee Mashburn, b. Apr. 1, 1963, Placerville, California
(f3a-2) Ty Bodi Mashburn, b. May 4, 1964, Placerville, Calif.
(f3a-3) Shawn Len Mashburn, b. Oct. 3, 1971, Placerville, California
(f3-b) Launie Dean Mashburn, b. Mar. 17, 1940, startup, Wash., m, Kathy May Robins, b. July 16, 1946, Fitchburg, Mass. Children:
(f3b-1) Launie Thomas Mashburn, b. Sept. 30, 1967, Fort Knox, Kentucky
(f3b-2) Rex Allen Mashburn, b. Oct. 24, 1968, Fort Knox, Kentucky
(f3b-3) Robyn Lee Mashburn, b. Sept. 10, 1970, Helena, Montana
(f3-c) Constance Louise Mashburn, b. Aug. 5, 1941, Hartford, Wash, m, Dec. 7, 1959 to Oliver Leroy Mocaby, b. Sept. 15, 1938. Children:
(f3c-1) Kandy Carlene Mocaby, b. Oct. 3, 1960, Council, Idaho
(f3c-2) Perry Leroy Mocaby, b. Sept. 9, 1962, Council, Idaho
(f3c-3) Toffeny Louise Mocaby, b. Sept. 22, 1964, Council, Idaho
(f3-d) Patricia Marie Mashburn, b. July 6, 1947, Snohomish, Wash., m, Norman David Kibe, Jr., in Eldorado, Calif. Children:
ANDREW JACKSON LANNING and wife

(f3d-4) Frank Clifton Kibe, b. May 4, 1966, Mountain Home, Idaho
(f4a) Harry Mashburn, b. Dec. 30, 1920, Sunburst, N. C., m. Helen Lund. Children:
(f4-a) William Harry Mashburn
(f4b) Stephen Harry Mashburn, b. June 28, 1947, m. Nov. 7, 1967 to Katherine Ru1o. Child:
(f4b-1) Christine Marie Mashburn, b. Apr. 24, 1971
(f4c) Allan William Mashburn, b. Feb. 22, 1954
(f5a) John Richard Mashburn, b. about 1951

(5) Chevanah Lanning, b. 1840, Henderson Co., N. C.
(6) Francis G. Lanning, b. Jan. 3, 1841
(7) Marian (Monson) Lanning, b. 1842, Henderson Co., N.C.
(8) Athera M. Lanning, b. Oct. 29, 1843
(a) Sarah Lanning, b. 1867
(b) Amy Lanning, b. 1868
(C) Jeff Lanning

Columbus Lanning, b. about 1869, Transylvania Co., N. C., m, __ Child:
(d-1) Henry Adolphus, b. about 1896, in N. C., m, Aug. 7, 1921, Haywood Co., N.C., to Vinnie Chandler
(e) Fuller Jones Lanning, b. Dec. 15, 1888, d. Dec. 4, 1937, buried Snow Hill Baptist Church, Pole Creek, m. Martha Parris (see page 63). Fuller Jones took the name of Lanning, also went by the name Elestus Quinn Lanning. Children:
(e-1) Chetta Maneppise Lanning, b. Apr. 5, 1903, Polk Co., N. C., m, May 7, 1922 to Oscar Beachboard, Buncombe Co. , N. C., b. Oct. 6, 1899, d. Mar. 16, 1965, buried Oak Hill Cem. Children:
(e1-a) Eva Mae Beachboard, b. July 20, 1923, N. C., m, Oct. 1946 to Roy Sisk, had 5 children
(e1-b) Wayne Beachboard, b. Feb. 4, 1925, N. C., d. May 29, 1960, buried Oak Hill Cemetery, m, Evelyn Davis, had 2 children
(e1-c) Ray Alford Beachboard, b. Mar. 20, 1928, N. C., m, Oct. 1946 to Iris Goldie Sisk, had 4 children
(e1-d) Pansy Obrella Beachboard, b. July 4, 1932, N. C., d. Mother's Day 1972, in Fla., m, Charles Grice Rhodes. Children:
(e1d-1) Eva June Rhodes, b. 1952
(e1d-2) Lonnie Rhodes, b. 1954
(e1d-3) Jerry Rhodes, b. 1956
(e1d-4) Rebecca Rhodes, b. 1958
(e1d-5) Janice Rhodes, b. 1960
(e1-e) Marie Sue Beachboard, b. June 17, 1934, N.C., m. Aug. 21, 1953 to Lloyd Cecil Penland, had 2 children

James Hubert Beachboard, b. Sept. 18, 1936, N. C., m, Carolyn Shelton, had 2 children.
(e1-f) James Hubert Beachboard, b. Sept. 18, 1936, N. C., m, Carolyn Shelton, had 2 children .
(e1-g) Barbara Ann Beachboard, b. Feb. 10, 1941, N.C., m. John Arthur Connard, had 2 children
(e1-h) Herbert Lee Beachboard, b. Aug. 2, 1938, N. C., m. Dixie Lipe, had 2 children
(e2) Nancy Lanning, b. Sept. 21, 1905, m, 1st Sept. 29, 1928 to Dolph R. Tipton, W. Asheville, N. C., m. 2nd to Virgil Galloway. Children:
(e2-a) Martha Tipton, b. Aug. 13, 1929
(e2-b) Mary Lee Tipton, b. Feb. 12, 1942
(e-3) Paul Lanning, b. May 8, 1908, buried at Quinlintown, N. C., Feb. 5, 1948
(e-4) Andrew Lanning, b. Aug. 7, 1913, m., Hattie Litrull
(e-5) Earnest Lanning, b. Nov. 10, 1917, m., Ethel Lance
(10) Ashberry Washington Lanning, b. Mar. 25, 1846 on Davidson River, in that part of
Henderson Co. which later became Transylvania Co., d. 1918,'buried Morning star Cemetery,
Canton, N. C., m. 1st Jan. 24, 1871 to May E. Wilson, b. about 1854, d. prior to 1884, m, 2nd
Aug. 26, 1884, to Sophia Jenkins, m, 3rd Mar. 11, 1886, to Harriett Luther, b. 1856, m, 4th about
1893 in Tennessee to Oma Mashburn, Frog Pond, Tenn.. Children by 1st wife:
(a) Margaret Lanning, b. 1872, d. 1960, m, May 13, 1892, Buncombe Co., NC, to Richard
Manson Kerley, d. 1941. Children:
(a-1) Zannie Lee Kerley, b. May 5, 1895, N. C., m. _____ Davis
(a-2) Olie Kerley, b. 1897, N. C., deceased, m, Robert Smith
(a-3) Emma Kerley, b. 1899, N.C., m, _____ Cathey

(a-4) Richard Kerley, b. 1902, N. C., m, _____ __ children:
(a4-a) Melvin Kerley, b. Mar. 15, 1929, N. C., m, Bessie Lipe
(a4-b) Helen Kerley, b. Sept. 27, 1938, N. C., m. Mitchell Watkins
(a4-c) Floyd Kerley, b. Mar. 4, 1944, N. C., m. Jenith (or Janice) McBee
(a-5) Mattie Kerley, b. 1904, N.C.
(a-6) Charles Kerley, b. 1907, New Found Gap, N. C., d. 1907
(a-7) Elsie Kerley, b. Feb. 22, 1911, N.C.
(a-8) Beatrice Kerley, b. 1914, N.C.
(b) Martha (Mattie) Lanning, b. 1874, N. C., m, K. S. Boyd (or W. C. Ball)
(c) William Erastus (Rass) Lanning, b. 1877, N. C., m. 1896, 1st to Ida Bugg, b. Dec. 6, 1879, d.
Dec. 28, 1897. Aunt Molly Bugg (quite possibly a grandparent) raised the boy. Rastus went to
South Carolina, married a second time and raise another family, second wife's name unknown.
Child:
(c-L) Charles Floyd Lanning (CSP, USNCL WWII), b. Aug. 28, 1897, NC d. June 6, 1957,
buried Crawford Memorial Gardens, Clyde, N.C. Floyd was killed in War II on Wake Island, m,
1919, to Ruth Ida Ball, b. Jan. 7, 1901. Children:
(cl-a) Neal Lanning, b. Jan. 4, 1921, N. C., d. Oct. 8, 1972, buried Crawford Mem, Gardens,
Clyde, N. C., m. 1st Cora Thompson, m. 2nd 1931 to Uholia Harrell, m. 3rd Betty Carter.
Children by 1st wife:
(cf.a-L) Brenda Lanning, m, _ Bowlin
(cla-2) Dorothy Lanning, m, Stephen Leatherwood
Children by 2nd wife:

(c1a-3) Linda Lanning, unmarried
(c1a-4) Robert (Bobby) Lanning
(c1-b) Dorothy Lanning, b. 1931
(c1-c) Earl F. Lanning, b. Oct. 2, 1932, N.C., m, Apr. 23, 1954, to Bonnie Hendrix. Children:
(c1c-1) June Lynne Lanning, b. June 19, 1957, m, Sept. 9, 1972, to Larry Weldon Sutton
(c1c-2) Judith (Judy) Lanning, b. Sept. 9, 1955
(c-2) Edna Lanning, b. S. C., m, _ Hatchell
(c-3) Leona Lanning, m, Gurney Cole
(c-4) Genet Lanning, m, Neal Johnson
(d) Carrie Lanning, b. 1879, N. C., m, _____ James
(e) Hattie Lanning, b. 1880, N. C., m, John Shipman. Children:
(e-1) Inez Shipman, b. in N. C.
(e-2) Dale Shipman, b. in N. C.
(e-3) Margaret Shipman, b. in N.C.
Children by 4th wife:
(f) Harvey King Lanning, b. 1894, N. C., m, 1st to Rosa Shipman, m, 2nd ___, moved to Indiana, died in Gary, IN; had 1 child
(g) Esther Lanning, b. in N. C., m, _ Ledford
(h) Dora Lanning, b. in N. C., m, _ Ledford
(11) Columbus T. Lanning, b. Nov. 27, 1849, Henderson Co., N. C., d. Dec. 17, 1936, of cerebral hemorrhage, buried Ozark Memorial Park Cemetery, Joplin, Mo., m, Mary C. __, b. 1859. Moved to Missouri and no contact after 1890: Possibly other children. Children:
(a) Minnie L. Lanning, b. 1878
(b) Allen Lanning, b. 1879
(c) Name unknown
(12) Arsula Lanning, b. 1852, Henderson Co., N. C.
(13) Eller Lanning, m, Jim Wilson
Children by 2nd wife (Mary Surrrett):

(14) Esther Janning, b. 1866, Transylvania Co., N. C., m. about 1887, to Hiram Raines. Children:
(a) May Raines, b. Apr. 15, 1888, Balsam Grove, Jackson Co., N. C., m, Bud Owens, d. 1956
(b) Maude Raines, b. July 5, 1890, Balsam, NC, d. July 16, 1921, buried Rocky Branch Cem., Waynesville, N.C., m, Brice Woods
(c) Garland Raines, b. May 12, 1893, Balsam, N.C., d. May 22, 1967, buried Rocky Branch Cem., Waynesville, N.C., m. Bonnie Stepp
(d) Hector Raines, b. Apr. 16, 1895, Balsam, N.C. m. 1st Minnie Smith, m, 2nd Blanche Pressley.
Child by 1st wife:
(d-l) Oberia Raines, b. May 23, 1923, Sunburst, N.C., m, Ray McDonald Haley. Children:
(d1a-1) Keeta Ann Blankenship, b. Apr. 23, 1970, Asheville, N.C.
(d1-b) Dennis Ray Haley, b. Feb. 3, 1953, Asheville, N. C.
Children by 2nd wife:
(d2-b) Jennifer Annette Raines, b. Jan. 11, 1968, Waynesville, N. C.
(d3) Dorothy Louise Raines, b. July 7, 1940, Canton, N. C., m, 1st Jerry Marshall Gasperson, m, 2nd Ray Monroe Whitaker, b. June 3, 1939, on July 1, 1971. Children by. 1st marriage:
(d3-a) Pamela Gasperson, b. June 28, 1963, Asheville, N.C.

-105-

(e) Etta Raines, b. May 14, 1897, Waynesville, N. C., d. 19 ,m. June J. Jamison, d. 1969.
Children:
Child:
(f1b-1) Cynthia Lynn Allison, b. Jan. 4, 1957, Transylvania Co., N.C.
(f1b-2) Judith La verne Allison, b. Feb. 23, 1959, Transylvania Co., N. C.

-106-

(f1b-3) Danny Heath Allison, b. Mar. 15, 1965, Transylvania Co., NC
(f-2) Robert Lloyd Wood, b. Oct. 11, 1917, Sunburst, N.C., m. Mary Lee Jackson
(f-3) Shay Cecil Wood, b. Aug. 1, 1919, Sunburst, N. C., m, Debbie Long
(f-4) Geneva Wood, b. Aug. 6, 1922, Canton, N.C., m. Stuart V. Brooks. Children:
(f4-a) Jimmy Stuart Brooks, b. July 2, 1940, m, June 3, 1963, to Lisa Joyce Stone, b. July 18, 1942, New York State. Children:
(f4-b) Michael Bradford Brooks, b. Dec. 26, 1949
(f-5) Clyde Ray Wood, b. Dec. 15, 1924, Sunburst, N. C., m, Peggy Hunnicut
Mary Catherine Wood, b. May 31, 1930, Canton, N. C., m, Thomas S. Wood, divorced Nov. 21, 1972. Children:
(f6-b) Selina Denise Wood, b. Mar. 28, 1956, Waynesville, N. C.
(g) Jennie Raines, b. June 27, 1902, Waynesville, N.C., d. Mar. 20, 1943, m. Knute Parker, d. 1929 of spinal meningitis, buried Phillipsville Cemetery, Canton, N, C., he served in Army in World War I. Children:
(g-l) Edward Parker, b. in Canton, N.C.
(g-2) Cletus (Ted) Parker, b. May 25, 1923, Canton, N.C.

-107-

(g-3) Juanita Parker, b. July 15, 1927, Canton, N. C., m, Jess Smith. Child:
(g3-a) Deborah Lynn Smith, b. Jan. 1, 1961, Asheville, N. C.
(h) Boone Raines, b. June 23, 1905, Clifton, Spartanburg Co., South Carolina
(15) Wesley Lanning, b. 1868, Transylvania Co., N. C., not sure if he ever married or not, left N. C., lived in St. Louis, Mo., for 30 years, without any of family knowing where he was, then returned to NC, lived in or near Travelers Rest, S. C., where he died and is buried.
(16) John Lanning, b. about 1873, Transylvania Co., N. C., m, Sarah Nichols, both buried Black Mountain, N. C. Children:
(a) Homer Lanning, b. in N. C., supposed to have moved West, but unknown just where
(b) Nettie (Etta) Lanning, b. in N. C.
(17) Rebecca Dora Lanning, b. about 1876, Transylvania Co., N. C., m, Monroe Willis, buried Travelers, Rest, S. C. Children:
(a) Mary Willis
(b) Daughter
(c) Son

-108-

c. Joseph Lanning, b. 1813, (or 1818), Buncombe Co., N. C., d. 1880 in stone County, Ark., buried Wolf Bayou Mtn., m, 1st Nancy Case, b. 1817, d. 1850, buried Kennel Graveyard, Shiloh, Ark., m, 2nd 1856, Clinton, Ark., to Sarah Jemima. Rogers, b. Aug .23, 1833, d. June 18, 1915, St. Jo, Texas; buried Hemphill plot. Sarah married 2nd a wheelwright, ______ Puckett. Children
(1) Joshua Franklin Lanning, b. about 1839, Buncombe Co., N. C., was a private in the Confederate Army, Company A, 10th Ark. Inf., d. of the fever on Mar. 15, 1862, at Camp Nelson, near Old Austin, north of Little Rock, Ark., where he is buried.
(2) Mary Jane Lanning, b. 1841, Buncombe Co., N. C., m, __ Browning" of Browning Fire Arms family. Had 3 sons: Charley, Jimmy and Billy Browning.
(3) George Washington Lanning, b. 1842, Buncombe Co., N. C., was private in Company H, 32 AR, d. Sept. 30, 1863, presumably of fever.
(4) Nancy E. Lanning,b.1844 (twin), Buncombe Co ., N. C., m, Will Raymer, had at least 2 sons
(5) Margaret Elvira Lanning, b. 1844, Buncombe Co., N. C., m, 1st __ Moody, m, 2nd __ Gooden.
Children:
(a) William Moody, m, Martha Copeland. Children:
(a-l) Margaret Ann Moody, m. _ Huggins.
Child:
(al -a) Billie Ray Huggins
(a-2) Dicie Moody, m, Cecil Williams. Children:
(a2-a) Elmie Williams
(a2-b) Eilee Williams,
(a2-c) Opie Williams, died young
(a-3) Ernest Moody, m, Margaret _ had 1 daughter
(a-4) Myrtle Moody, m, Lawrence Watts, had 2 children
(a-5) Pearl Moody, m, Otis Kingsley, had 3 boys, 1 girl
(a-6) Cora Moody, m, John Hale. Children:
(a6-a) Winifred Hale

(a6-b) Boba Hale
(a6-c) Three children are deceased
(a-7) Oscar Moody
(a-8) Arville Moody, m, 1st Ione Tester, m, 2nd _. Child by 1st wife:
(as-a) Martha Ann Moody
(a-9) Aaron Moody
(b) Joseph Moody, m.1st _. Children:
(b-1) Essie Moody
(b-2) Burchard Moody
m. 2nd Clara Goats. Children:
(b-3) Glenn Moody
(b-4) Letah Moody
(b-5) Victor Moody
(b-6) Charles Moody
(b-7) Harrell Moody
(b-8) Christine Moody
Child by Dr. Gooden, who served in Confederate Army:
(c) Edward Lanning Gooden, m, Emma Sheridan. Children:
(c-1) Arnold Roy Gooden, m, Janie Mitchell. Child:
(c1-a) Opal Gooden
(c-2) Edna Ethel Gooden, m, Henry Backes. No children.
(c-3) Harry Gooden (deceased)
(c-4) Claudie Opal Gooden, m, 1st Orval Page, m. 2nd Leo Winchester. Child by 1st marriage:
(c4-a) Virginia Mae Page
(c-5) Jewel Gooden, m, Rupert Dougless Children:
(c5-a) Rupert Dougless, Jr., died in 1951 in Korean War and is buried overseas
(c5-b) Emma Jean Dougless
(c5-c) Beverly Jeanette Dougless, m, Todd Edwards
(c6) D. L. Gooden, m, 1st Gertrude McCutcheon. Children:

(c6-a) Charles Edward Gooden
(c6-b) Dennie Gooden ...D. L. married 2nd ___ ' and has 2 boys by second wife.
(c7) Carl Gooden, m, 1st Lilla Mae Cox, m, 2nd Cleo ___ ' after first wife died.
Children by 1st wife:
(c7-a) Louetta Gay Gooden
(c7-b) Barbara Jean Gooden
Children by 2nd wife:
(c7-c) Opalene Gooden
M. 3rd Samie ______ No children.
(c-8) Tony Gooden, m, 1st Jacqueline Children:
(c8-a) Tania Gooden
(c8-b) Sharon Gooden
Tony m, 2nd Wilma, m, 3rd Marian Children by 3rd wife:
(c8-c) Randy Gooden
(c8-d) 2 other children
(c-9) Don Gooden, m, Helen ___ divorced.
(c-10) Beaulah Gooden, died in infancy
Margaret married 3rd ____ Copeland, had 1 son.
(6) Sarah E. Lanning, b. 1846 in Missouri, m, Calvin Rogers. Child:
(a) Daisy Rogers, m, Monroe Biddle
(b) Other children
(7) Matilda Caroline Lanning, b. Nov. 11, 1849, in Missouri, d. Dec. 20, 1920, buried Heber
Spgs., Cemetery, Heber Springs, Ark., m, Jan. 1, 1871 to Harvey Holland, b. Sept. 27, 1849,
buried Pleasant Ridge Cem; , Shiloh, Ark.
(b) Mary Annie Holland, b. Apr. 1, 1874, d. May 15, 1874, buried Lanning Family Cemetery,
Cleburne County, Arkansas

(c) Eliza Jane Holland, b. Dec. 10, 1875, Cleburne County, Ark., d. Mar. 1, 1956, Oakland,
Calif., buried Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Congo, Ark.
(d) Jincie Adaline Holland, b. Dec. 26, 1877, Cleburne County, Ark., d. June 26, 1878, buried
Lanning Family Cemetery, Shiloh, Ark.
(e) Middie Ellen Holland, b. Jan. 15, 1879, Cleburne County, Ark., d. June 17, 1880, buried
Lanning Family Cemetery, Shiloh, Ark.

Joseph Lee Wise, b. Aug. 2, 1905, Jacksonville, Ark., m, Climmie Chapman. Children:

- Oneida Wise, died at age 11
- Joseph Lee Wise, Jr., had 3 boys
- Joseph Edward Wise, has 1 boy
- Forrest Eugene Wise, has 1 girl
- Franklin Fred Wise, has 1 girl and 1 boy


Marvin Neal Wise, b. Apr. 14, 1910, Miller, Ark., m, 1st Helen Ellerd, m. 2nd Lenora Bearden, m, 3rd Mae McClure. Children by 1st wife:

- Carolyn Sue Wise, m, _____ has 1 boy and 3 girls
- James Wise, has 3 boys
- Charles Wise, has 1 boy and 1 girl

Child by 2nd wife:

- one son

Children by 3rd wife:

- Patricia Wise, has 1 girl

Tressie Mae Wise, b. Mar. 8, 1913, Miller, Ark., m, 1st Houston: Lambert, m, 2nd Kelly Kincaid, m, 3rd Melvin L. Morris (deceased as of 1971), no children by 3rd marriage. Children by 1st marriage:

- Dorothy Lambert, married 3 time by 1st marriage has 2 boys, by 2nd marriage has 2 boys and 2 girl and by 3rd marriage has 2 girls.
- Sarah Lambert, m, 1st _ Moore had 2 boys, m, 2nd _ Wallen, had a boy and a girl
- Barbara Lambert, m, ' Bill , had 4 girls
- Florence Lambert, m, Bob Long, has 3 boys
- Roy Lambert, m, 3 times, and had 2 girls and 2 boys by 1st wife
- Mary Lambert, died at age 18

Children by 2nd marriage:

- Virginia Kincaid, has 2 boys and 2 girls
- Kelly Kincaid, Jr., m, Dec. 20, 1970
- Walter Kincaid, in Marine Corps, unmarried
- Grace Kincaid, m, Ray Johnson, has 1 daughter, b. Dec. 8, 1970

Cleo Eddison Wise, b. Aug. 11, 1917, Miller, Ark., m. Allie Hawkins. Children:
(f5-b) Karen Wise
(f5-c) Jerry Wise
(f5-d) John Wise, has 2 girls

(f5-e) Paul Wise
(f5-f) Phillip Wise
(f6) Reo Addison Wise, b. Sept. 8, 1921, North Little Rock, Ark., m, 1st Ernestine Lee, no children, m, 2nd Dorothy had a girl and a boy,m, 3rd Marlene, no children.
(f-7) Walter Lee Wise, Jr., b. July 1, 1923, North Little Rock, Ark., m, Ida Faye Boyette. Children:
(f7-a) Cheryl Wise
(f7-b) Walter Wise
(f7-c) Joel Wise
(f7-d) Mark Wise

(8) Elmira Adeline, b. 1850, Arkansas, d. between 1860 and 1870, buried Lanning graveyard on Verser Place
Children by 2nd wife:
(9) Joseph Thomas Lanning, b. Nov. 5, 1856, d. June 18, 1915
(10) Eliza Emaline Lanning, b. Apr. 9, 1858 (or 1859), Arkansas, d. 1901, buried York Cemetery, Stone Co., Ark., m. James Wootson Ivy, b. Sept. 7, 1859, d. Apr. 23, 1930, son of Thomas Ivy, d. Aug. 6, 1862 (CSA) and Mary Paralee Condett Ivy. Twins, Mollie and Lonnie, were born in 1861. Children:
(a) Flutice Lee Ivy, b. Dec. 25, 1886, d. Feb. 22, 1966, buried Friendship Cemetery, Drasco, Ark., m, 1st Rosie Chandler, m, 2nd Fannie Green, a widow with Don, Violet, and Nadine (she was probably married twice before her marriage to Flutice.)

Children by 1st wife:
(a-1) Jimmy Denson Ivy
(a-2) Berl O'Neal Ivy
(a-3) Child, d. 1925
(b) Lula Blanton Ivy, b. July 29, 1889
(c-1) Mayme Ivy, b. July 11, 1920, Marcella, Ark., m, Jan. 6, 1943, to Otha Kirkland, Batesville, Ark. No Children.
(c-2) Fredric Ivy, b. Jan. 9, 1925, Marcella, Ark., m, May 12, 1946 to Myrtle Hall, Batesville, Ark. Children:
   (c2-a) Paul Fredric Ivy, b. Dec. 22, 1949, Batesville, Ark, m, Nov. 23, 1968 to Willie Faye McIntyre, in Reed's Chapel
   (c2-b) Jimmy Neal Ivy, b. and d. Nov. 7, 1951, Batesville, Arkansas
(c-3) Saxton Lindberg Ivy, b. Mar. 13, 1929, Marcella, Ark., m, June 10, 1952 to Allie Raye Martin, in Reed's Chapel. Children:
   (c3-b) Roger Lee Ivy, b. Oct. 8, 1957, Batesville, Ark.
(c-4) George Claxton Ivy, b. July 10, 1933, Cordell, Oklahoma, m, Aug. 29, 1956, at Heber Springs, Ark., to Marilyn Crel Case. Children:
   (c4-a) David Neal Ivy, b. Oct. 3, 1959
   (c4-b) Kenneth George Ivy, b. Aug. 17, 1959, Mountain View, Ark.

(c5-a) James Allan Wilson, b. Dec. 8, 1964, Batesville, Ark.
(c5-b) Scott Michael Wilson, b. Mar. 18, 1968, Batesville Ark.
(11) James Mitchell Lanning, b. Dec. 9, 1860, d. 1941, buried Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Barton, New Mexico, m, 1st Amanda Catherine Davis, b. Feb. 16, 1864, d. Feb. 16, 1906, daughter of Benjamin Franklin Davis and Mary Fagan Davis (Amanda buried old Macedonia Church Cem, , Drasco, Ark.) James m, 2nd Minnie Gates Tucker, divorcée with one daughter, Zell Tucker. 
Children by 1st wife:
   (a) Walter Benjamin Lanning, b. Jan. 3, 1885, on Old Martin Place, Stone County, Ark., m, July 16, 1905 to Medora Elizabeth Tillery, b. Mar. 24, 1884, d. Feb. 1, 1955, daughter of Franklin Cawfield Tillery and Senora Newkirk Hunter Tillery. (Walter Lanning had other wives, but his only children were by Medora; he d. Feb. 7, 1957, Cossatot River, De Queen, Ark., buried Harmony Church Cemetery, Perry Co., Ark. 
Children:
      Children:
      (ala-I) Walter McKee Andrus, Jr., b. Feb. 2, 1956

-115-

-116-
(ala-2) Russell Lanning Andrus, b. Feb. 18, 1958
(ala-3) Ann Elizabeth Andrus, b. Feb. 28, 1959
(ala-4) Deborah Ellen Andrus b. Mar. 16, 1961
(a2) James Maurice Lanning, b. Jan. 6, 1912, m, Sept. 1, 1936 to Alice Pauline Coskey, b. May 15, 1914, Houston, Texas, daughter of Rudolph George Coskey and Mary Bessie Cartimiglia Coskey. (James was born on Cedar Creek, Saline County, Ark.) Children:
(a2-a) James Walter Lanning, b. May 29, 1942, m, June 24, 1967, Roby, Texas, to Judith Diane Edwards, daughter of W. T. Edwards and Jewel Sumerlin Edwards. Children:
(a2a-1) James David Lanning, b. Sept. 4, 1967
(a2a-2) Jennifer Lynn Lanning, b. Nov. 26, 1970
(a2-b) Michael Lee Lanning, b. Sept. 18, 1946, m, Dec. 5, 1969, to Linda Ann Moore; daughter of Garland Moore, Roby, Texas. Children:
(a2b-1) Reveilee Ann Lanning, b. Dec. 5, 1969
(a2b-2) Meridith Moore Lanning, b. Nov. 8, 1972

-117-

(b) Joseph Forrest Lanning, b. 1880, d. 1960 (at age 74), buried Linnie Cemetery, Dayton, Texas, m, Mary Hellon Lewallen, b. 1889, daughter of Jeff and Laura Zigler Lewallen, buried Bay City, (at-time -of her death, she had divorced Forrest and remarried). Children:
(b-1) Violet Hellan Tanning, b. Feb. 10, 1911, m, Aug. 14, 1929 to Albert Ervin Hohrine, b. Mar. 25, 1905, son of John Thomas Hohrine and Mary Jane Masters Hohrine. Children:
Children:
(b1a-1) Denita Kay Ham, b. Nov. 10, 1954
(b1a-2) Danny Charles Ham, b. Oct. 17, 1959
(b1a-3) Deanna Gay Ham, b. Dec. 12, 1963
Child:
(b1b-1) Sheryl Ann Hohrine, b. Jan. 26, 1961
(b1-c) Maxie Eugene Hohrine, b. Oct. 10, 1937, m. 1st 1955 to Jane _ m, 2nd Janet Kimm, now divorced.
Child by 1st wife:
(b1c-1) Maxie Eugene Hohrine, Jr., b. Aug. 14, 1957
(b1-d) Tyrone Power Hohrine, b. Apr. 3, 1942, m, June 17, 1968, to Joy Woods, daughter of Vernon and Louise Woods.

-118-
(b-2) Odus Jeff Lanning, b. about 1913-14, m Gladys Calvin. Children:
(b2-a) Joanna Lanning, m, Joe Potter Children:
(b2a-1) Patricia Potter
(b2a-2) Brenda Potter
(b2a-3) a boy
(b2-b) Keaton Lanning, m, Willie Emma, had 3 boys
(b2-c) Annette Lanning, m, _____ McMahon, had 5 children
(b2-d) Larry Lanning, m, Donna _____, now deceased, and had 3 boys
(b2-e) Linda Lanning, m, _____ Baker, has 1 boy
(b2-f) Jean Lanning, m, a widow who has 1 girl
(c-1) Olive Lanning, b. Dec. 28, 1907, m, Leo Ballinger (now deceased), no children
(c-2) Alford Lanning, b. Nov. 3, 1911, m. Viola Coddington. Children:
(c2-a) Peggy Ann Lanning, m, _ Scholosser
(c2-b) James M. Lanning, m, Phyllis Codd
Children by 2nd wife:
(d) Ruby Lee Lanning, b. about 1905, has been married 3 times, no children.

-119-

(e) Berta Lanning, b. about 1907, m. Guilford Guest, m, 2nd Othel Guest (brother to Guilford) divorced, m. 3rd time ______, no children by 2nd and 3rd marriage. Had 1 boy and 1 girl by Guilford.
(f) Ralph Lanning, b. about 1910, has been married twice, has 1 daughter by 1st wife.
(g) Zell Tucker (Minnie Gates Tucker's daughter by a previous marriage), m, Donald Holland.
12) Martha Ellen Lanning, b. Mar. 7, 1862, d. between 1870 and 1880
13) Sterling Price Lanning, b. June 5, 1864, d. before 1870
14) Amanda Jamima Lanning, b. Apr. 3, 1867, buried Mt, Meta Cemetery, Harlingen, Texas, m, 1st Dr. _ Chastine, m, 2nd _ Handford. Children by 2nd marriage:
(a) Joe Handford
(b) Mary Handford, m, John White
15) Esther Annie Lanning, b. Feb. 23, 1869, Ark., d. in Portland, Oregon, m, 1st George Hemphill, m, 2nd Aaron Cunningham, of Harlingen, Texas, who predeceased her (she was in the home of her son, Fred and his wife Dorothy when she died after a lengthy illness). Children by 1st marriage:
(a) Fred Hemphill, m, 1st _ ' had 2 boys, m, 2nd Dorothy ___, no children
(b) Ruth Hemphill, m. 1st _ Cunningham (evangelical singer), had 1 daughter, m, 2nd _' no children
(16) William Newton Lanning, (twin), b. Apr. 6, 1871, d. Oct. 21 (or 22), 1958, buried Mount Meta Burial Park, Harlinger, Texas, unmarried
(17) John Jasper Lanning, b. Apr. 6, 1871 (twin), died at age 18, buried at top of Wolf Bayou Mountain, Wolf Bayou, Arkansas
(18) Hobert Edward Lee Lanning, b. Nov. 12, 1874, d. 1955, buried in Oregon, m. 1st ____, m. 2nd May ____ (who survived him). Child by 1st marriage:
(a) Ruby Lee Lanning, m, Charles Lincoln. Child:
(a-1) Florence Lincoln, m, _ and had 2 children

-120-

d. Susanah Lanning, b. 1820
e. John Lanning, b. 1825, m. Sarah _____
f. Fidelio Lanning, b. 1834
g. Margaret Lanning, b. 1838

-121-
CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

2. **AMOS LANNING**, b. Nov. 18, 1786, Rowan co., N. C., d. May 20, 1873, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC, m. Mary Gallimore, b. Dec. 1, 1799, d. July 18, 1868 buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N. C.

Children:
- a. Elizabeth Lanning, b. Feb. 17, 1819, d. Nov. 11, 1876, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC.
- b. John Lanning, b. 1820, Buncombe Co., N. C.
- c. Sarah Lanning, b. 1826, Buncombe Co., N. C.
- d. William (Billie) Lanning
- e. Elbert Lorenzo Lanning, b. 1825, m. Mary___, b. 1826. Children:
  - (1) Scion W. Lanning, b. 1848, m, Agnes _____, b. 1845. Children:
    - (a) Mary Lanning, b. 1871
    - (b) Mollie Lanning, b. 1872, m, Feb. 13, 1896, to W. D. Gaylean, b. 1876
    - (c) Amos Lanning, b. Oct. 30, 1873, d. Aug. 12, 1915, m, ,Sept. 24:, 1896, to Dovie Allen.
      - (Dovie Allen Lanning m, 2nd July 26, 1923, to E. A. Kirstein.) Children:
        - (c-2) Florence Lanning, m, Lee Howard, d. May 16, 1973, buried-Cane Creek Cem.
        - (c-3) Esther Lanning, b. 1907, m, July 4, 1925, to Chester E. Earwood
        - (c-4) Scion Phillips Lanning, b. 1912 (retarded)
  - (3) Harriett Lanning, b. 1852, m, Sept. 1877, to Lawrence (Will) Duckett.
  - (4) Caroline Lanning, b. 1854, m, Sept. 3, 1877, to Jake Stewart, b. 1851

-122-
CHARLES GRIFFIN LANNING

(l) John Lorenzo Lanning, b. 1857, d. July 17, 1905, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N. C., m, 1st 1881 to Elizabeth Parker, m, 2nd to Lorette Redman, b. Jan. 8, 1856, d. June 14, 1910. Children by 1st wife:
(a) David L. Lanning, b. 1876, m. Minnie
Children:
(a-I) Francis Lanning
(a-2) Stella Lanning
(b) Charles Griffin Lanning, buried Green Hill Cemetery, Asheville, N. C., m, 1st Al Tunie Brookshire, b. June 16, 1879, d. July 8, 1927, m, 2nd Hattie West Dickenson, m, Aug. 12, 1930, Hattie b. 1885. Charles was Captain of the Asheville Police Dept. Children:
(b-1) Hilliard Lorenzo Lanning, b. Mar. 27, 1897, d. 1940, buried Green Hill Cemetery, Asheville, N. C., m, Sept. 11, 1919, to T. W. Dickerson.
Children:
(b1-a) Charles Lanning, b. June 16, _
(b1-b) Leon Franklin Lanning, b. Aug. 6,
Children:
(b2-a) Mary Francis Lanning, m, Ed Roberts
(b2-b) James Thurman Lanning
(b2-c) Charles Griffin Lanning
(b-3) Albert Franklin Lanning, b. 1903, d. 1968, buried Forest Lawn Cemetery, Enka, NC, m, Mar. 3, 1928, to Mary Margaret Sintz.
Children:
(b3-a) Mary Louise Lanning, m. _ Martin
Children:
(b3-b) Barbara Lanning, m, Glen Hensley
(b-4) Harley Lanning, b. July 12, 1907, d. September 29, 1909, buried Green Hill Cemetery, Asheville, NC
(b-5) Pauline Lanning, b. Aug. 9, 1908, d. Nov. 13, 1950, m, Mar. 29, 1927 to C. S. Cloninger. Children:
(b5-a) Donavon Rouie Cloninger, m. Alice Anne Long
(b5-b) Ann C. Cloninger, m. Norman Roy Anderson
(b-6) Carlee Mae Lanning, b. June 20, 1909, d. 1955, buried Green Hill Cemetery, NC
(b-7) Charles Tillman Lanning, b. 1902, m. Grace
(b-8) Elsie Frances Lanning, b. Jan. 23, 1911 m. 1st George Davis, m. 2nd Ed Reed.
Child:
(b8-a) Raymond Nelson Davis
(b-9) Clarence Tillman Lanning, b. Mar. 4, 1912, d. Mar. 19, 1912, buried Green Hill Cemetery, NC
(b-10) Edith Elizabeth Lanning, b. 1913, m. Mar. 13, 1931, to James Curtis Martin.
Children:
(b10-a) Betty Martin, m. __ Chittick
(b10-b) James Curtis Martin, Jr.
(b10-c) Judy Martin, m. _ Watts
(b10-d) Claudia Martin, m. _ Sherlin
(b-11) Alice Brookshire Lanning, b. Apr. 19, 1915, m. _ Jones. Children:
(b11-a) David Robert Jones
(b11-b) Loretta Lynn Jones
(b11-c) Steven Jones
(b-12) Twins, b. and d. Mar, 1918, buried Union, S. C.
(b-13) Agusta Gertrude Lanning, b. June 16, 1917, d. 1956, m. 1st Oct. 18, 1936 to Werhan___
, m. 2nd ___ Sinistone

(b-14) Eugene Morris Lanning, b. 1920, unmarried, Broughton Hospital, Morganton, N.C.
(b-16) Helen Marie Lanning, b. Jan. 11, 1924, m. A. J. Zevola
Children by 2nd wife:
(d) Bertha Lanning, b. 1886, m. July 11, 1907, to George Linsey, b. 1885
(e) Mae Lanning, d. 1951, buried Green Hill Cemetery, N.C.
Children by 3rd wife:
(f) Clyde Lanning
(g) John Lanning

(a) Lucius Alexander Lanning, b. Oct. 27, 1881, Henderson Co., NC., d. July 5, 1929, buried Piney Grove Cemetery, Swannanoa, N. C., m,
(a-1) Florence Willina Lanning, b. June 2, 1902, m. Stephen Huntsinger
(a-2) Lillie Belle Lee Lanning, b. Apr. 21, 1904, unmarried
(a-4) Henry Alexander Lanning, b. Aug. 13, 1908, m. Sept. 30, 1936 in Oklahoma to Ossie Anderson, b. 1913. Children:
(a4-a) Charles Lanning
(a4-b) James Mitchell Lanning, b. Jan. 27, 1929, d. June 8, 1937
(a4-c) Julia Lanning
(a4-d) Margaret Lanning
(a4-e) Sandra Lanning
(a-5) Louise Adeline Lanning, b. July 7, 1910, m. Ralph (Jack) Morrison
(a-6) Grace Lanning, b. Feb. 28, 1912, unmarried
(a-7) Mabel Susie Lanning, b. June 5, 1913, m. Ken Whittimore
(a-11) Robert Thomas Lanning, b. Apr. 21, 1904 d. Feb. 1961 in Oklahoma, m. 1st Lela (Zilla) Johnson, m. 2nd Thelma Hollins.
Children:
(a11-a) Dorothy Lanning, b Nov. 11, 1920, m. Hugh Lindsay
(a11-b) Francis Lanning, b. Aug. 20, 1929
(a11-c) Roberta Lanning, b. Apr. 14, 1931, m. Ralph Reeves
(b) John Lanning, b. Henderson Co., NC, b. Nov. 18, 1972, Yale, Oklahoma, m. Anna
(c-1) Frank Patton, b. Oct. 21, 1911, in N. C., (adopted),

[Continued on page 128]

-127-

ADDITIONS

(b1a-1) Larry Evan Long, b. Mar. 16, 1967, Norman, Cleveland Co., Oklahoma
(b1b-1) Gina Lou Lanning, b. Aug. 11, 1964, Drumright, Okla.
(b1b-3) Catherine Ann Lanning, b. Sept. 11, 1972, Cushing, Okla.
(b-2) Clarence Lee Lanning, b. Apr. 9, 1914, Yale, Okla, deceased
(b-4) Merle Lanning, b. Sept., 18, 1918, Yale, Okla,

-127a-

(b-6) Mable Lanning, b. Nov. 23, 1920, Yale, Okla., deceased.
(b1-a)Raymond Lee Merritt, b. Sept. 5, 1951, Odessa, Texas
(b7-b)Ramona Faith Merritt, b. Oct. 5, 1955, Odessa, Texas
(b8-a) Helen Lucille Sweeden, b, Aug, 23, 1942, Oakland, Calif., m, Ray Senn. Children:
(b8a-l) Chalene Senn, b. Feb, 16, 1968, Pomona, California
(b8-b)Alvin Sweeden, Jr., b, Novo 27, 1943
(b8-c).Rosella Faye Sweeden, b, May 18, 1944, Yale, Payne Co., Okla. , m, Apr. 2, 1963, Great Bend, Kansas, to Gerald Allen Lamb, b, Oct. 2, 1946, Red Cloud, Nebraska, son of Elwin and Bessie Novak Lamb. Children:
(b8c-l) Scott Lamb, b. May 4, 1964, Great Bend, Kansas
(b8c-2) Michael (Mike) Lamb, b. June 28, 1965, Hoisington, Kansas
(b8-d)Sandra Kaye Sweeden~ b. Oct, 4, 1946, Yale, Okla., m, Loren Gene Brinson,

-127b-
born Aug. 21, 1945, Hoisington, Kansas, son of W. D. and Anna Harriett Baugh Brinson.
(b8-e) Carol Jean Sweeden, b. July 13, 1948, Yale, Okla., m. July 19, 1969, Russell, Kansas, to
Kenneth Craven, son of Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Craven
(b8-f) Gerald Ray Sweeden, b. Jan. 23, 1950, Yale, Oklahoma
(b8-g) Ruth Ann Sweeden, b. Dec. 9, 1952, Cushing, Oklahoma
(b8-h) Laura K. Sweeden, b. Sept. 25, 1954, Ellinwood, Kansas

[Continued from page 127]

m. 1st Mable Jane Brawdy, m. 2nd Helen Smith. Child by 1st wife:
(c1-a) Frankie Jane Patton
(c-2) Ada Gertrude Patton, b. Feb. 10, 1912, Asheville, N. C., m. Nov. 28, 1931, to Andrew
Vinson Strader, b. Apr. 6, 1906 in Peru, Oklahoma, d. Aug. 5, 1960, m. 2nd Nov. 28, 1961 to
Paul Ambrose Smith, b. Sept. 26, 1901. Child by 1st marriage:
(c2-a) Elmer Joe Strader, b. Apr. 21, 1934, Pawnee, Oklahoma, m. Aug. 16, 1961, Miami, Okla.,
to Alice Lorene Wright. Children:
(c2a-1) Ronald Lee Strader, b. June 12, 1962, Pawnee, Oklahoma
(c2a-3) Tommy Gene Strader, b. Oct. 15, 1967, in Pawnee, Oklahoma
(c-3) Ethel May Patton, b. May 15, 1916, Yale, Oklahoma, m. 1st James Robert Brawdy,
b. Jan. 13, 1882, Des Moines, Iowa, d. June 30, 1957, Hale Center, Texas, son
of Israel and Armanda Brawdy, m. 2nd Alfred Wilson. Children by 1st marriage:
(c3-a) James Franklin Brawdy, b. Oct. 31, 1933, Pawnee, Oklahoma, m. Roberta Jean Ketchell,
b. Aug. 6, 1933, Lila, Oklahoma, daughter of Harley Lewis and Margaret Ketchell. Children:
(c3a-l) Pamela Sue Brawdy, b. Mar. 16, 1951, Pawhuska, Okla., m. at Moore, Okla.,

Child:
(c3a1-a) Tammy Sue Glenn, b. Sept. 18, 1970, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
(c3a-2) Frankie Roberta Brawdy, b. May 27, 1953, Pawnee, Oklahoma, m. Mar. 4, 1971, 
Boonville, Arkansas, to Kenneth R. Robertson
(c3a-3) Robert Franklin Brawdy, b. July 7, 1954, Pawnee, Oklahoma
(c3a-4) Johnie Leon Brawdy, b. Oct. 20, 1955, Abernathy, Texas
(c3a-5) James Lee Brawdy, b. Mar. 14, 1957, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
(c3a-6) Ronnie Wayne Brawdy, b. Jan. 5, 1959, Abernathy, Texas
(c3a-7) Larry Don Brawdy, b. Oct. 5, 1959, Abernathy, Texas
(c3a-8) Kathy Jean Brawdy, b. Sept. 27, 1960, Abernathy, Texas
(c3a-9) Billy Joe Brawdy, b. Sept. 27, 1961, Abernathy, Texas

(c3b-l) Barbara Sue Niccum, b. Apr. 16, 1953, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, m, June 1, 1970, Maud, Oklahoma, to Herby W. Glover
(c3b-2) Virginia Kay Niccum, b. June 25, 1954, Pawnee, Oklahoma
(c3b-3) George Eugene Brawdy, b. Dec. 10, 1937, Hominy, Oklahoma, m, Gloria  • Children:
(c3c-l) Eugene Brawdy, b. 1960
(c3c-2) James Allen Brawdy, b. 1962
(c3b-3) Opal Dean Brawdy, b. May 13, 1938, Cleveland, Oklahoma, m. Nov. 2, 1956, Clovis, New Mexico, to John Westmoreland, b. in Telephone, Texas, son of Fred F. and Rosa Lee Litrell Westmoreland. Children:
(c3d-1) Franklin Lee Westmoreland, b. Jan. 4, 1958, Hale Center, Texas
(c3d-2) Eddie Dean Westmoreland, b. Apr. 3, 1959, Abernathy, Texas
(c3d-3) Sharon May Westmoreland, b. Mar. 8, 1960, Lubbock, Texas
(c3d-4) Donald Ray Westmoreland, b. Apr. 24, 1961, Plainview, Texas
(c3d-5) Roger Dale Westmoreland, b. Apr. 25, 1962, Plainview, Texas

(c3e) Martha Jane Brawdy, b. Dec. 28, 1940, Safford, Arizona, m. July 8, 1956, Hale Center, Texas, to Harmon Watts, b. Nov. 13, 1988 Annson (Jones Co.), Texas, Children:
(c3e-1) Howard Watts, b. Apr. 11 1957, Hale Center, Texas
(c3e-2) Linda Watts, b. Aug. 6, 1959, Lubbock, Texas
(c3e-3) Brenda Watts, b. June 8, 1964, Lubbock, Texas
(c3e-4) Michael Watts, b. Feb. 2 1971, Mineral Wells, Texas
(c3f-1) Anthony Wayne Brawdy, b. July 15, 1965, Fort Knox, Kentucky
(c3f-2) Terry Joette Brawdy, b. July 19, 1969, Hiedleberg, Germany
(c3g) Stella Fay Brawdy ,b. Aug. 23, 1944, Norwood, N. C., m. Mar Ray Tullas. Children:
(c3g-1) Allan Keith Tullas, b. Aug. 3, 1967, Lubbock, Texas
(c3g-2) Marshall Ray Tullas, b. July 2, 1969, Lubbock, Texas
(c3-i) Mary Louise Brawdy, b. Nov. 22, 1948, Pawnee, Oklahoma, m, Aug. 18, 1965, Juarez, Mexico, to Herman Lee Pitts. Children:
(c3i-1) Tracy Louise Pitts, b. Dec. 2, 1968, Lovington, New Mexico
(c3i-2) Herman Lee Pitts, Jr., b. Sept. 7, 1970, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
(c3i-3) Stanley Gerald Pitts, b. July 7, 1972, Oklahoma City, OK
(c3-j) John Wilbert Brawdy, b. Sept. 22, 1950, Pawnee, OK
(c3-k) Pansy Brawdy, b. Feb. 3, 1953, d. Mar. 15, 1953, Pawnee, Oklahoma
(c3-l) Bobby Lee Brawdy, b. Oct. 11, 1957, Hale Center, Texas

(c4-j) Julia Ann Patton, b. Jan. 28, 1920, Yale, Oklahoma, m, 1st July 22, 1944 to Onis Staggs, m. 2nd Ruben Kenneth Reeves (he adopted child), b. Oct. 3, 1922. Child by 1st marriage:
(c41-a) Patricia Faye Reeves, m, 1st Jan. 28, 1969, Mobile, Alabama, to Jack Daniel Shenberger, m, 2nd Richard C. Fought on May 19, 1972, in Santa Ana, California, Richard b. in Austin, Texas (he adopted Julia Ann). Child by 1st marriage:
(c41-b) Julia Ann Shenberger Fought, b. Aug. 21, 1970
Child by 2nd marriage:
(c41-c) Penny Denise Fought, b. May 4, 1973, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

(d) Caronia Lanning, b. Aug. 11, 1885, Henderson County, N. C., d, Nov. 5, 1905, buried Hunter Cemetery, Asheville, N. C.
Children by 1st marriage:
(e1) Elsie Mae Lanning, b. Apr. 30, 1910, in Lewis, Kansas, m, Carl Ruben Anderson, b. July 10, 1902. Children:
(e1-a) Carolyn Jo Anderson, b. Sept. 11, 1940, m, Stuart Betz. Children:
(e1a-b) Sherri Lynn Betz, b. Jan. 11, 1963
(e1a-c) Tamera Renee Betz, b. Feb. 2, 1965
(e1b) Stanley Ivar Anderson, b. May 11, 1944, m, 1970 to Shara Fugerson
(e2) Alice Catherine Lanning, b. Oct. 10, 1912, Lewis, Kansas, m, June 29, 1935, to Weston Elbert Evans, b. Nov. 30, 1911.
Children:
Children:
(e2a-l) Jeep Campbell
(e2a-2) Forest Leslie Campbell
(e2a-3) Evan Campbell
(e2a-4) Niall Campbell
(e2a-5) Sean Campbell
(e2a-6) Anatasia Campbell
(e2-b) Nancy Lynn Evans, b. June 13, 1936, Pueblo, Colorado, m, James Dale Merrick, b. Sept. 19, 1937, family reside in Puerto Rice where Jim teaches at a Naval Base.

---

Children:
(e2b-1) Kim Holday Merrick, b. May 12, 1957
(e2b-2) Ty Anthony Merrick, b. Mar. 5, 1959
(e2b-3) Todd Cameron Merrick, b. July 10, 1960
(e2b-4) Brad Collin Merrick, b. May 9, 1962
(e2-c) Lois Kathryn Evans, b. Jan. 18, 1939, Pueblo, Colorado, m. Calvin Howe, reside Marmora, New Jersey. Children:
(e2c-1) Fawn Lynne Howe, b. July 2, 1968
(e2c-2) Faith Renee Howe
(e2-d) Elaine Malyse Evans, b. Dec. 28, 1941, Pueblo, Colorado, m, Joel Wayne Sellars, b. May 23, 1940.
Children:
(e2d-1) Pamela June Sellars, b. Sept. 20, 1960
(e2d-3) Joel Sellars
(e2d-4) Steffany Kay Sellars, b. Feb. 26, 1972
(e2-e) Weston Elbert Evans, Jr., b. Mar. 11, 1945, in Los Angeles, California
(e2-f) Carla Gale Evans, b. Jan. 10, 1948, in Ontario, California, m. Reggie Potter. Children:
(e2f-1) Shelley Joy Potter, b. 1963
(e2f-2) Baby boy, b. about 1964-5
(e2-g) Terrance Quincy Evans, b. Aug. 1, 1950, in Ontario, California

---

(e2-h) Brook Ellen Evans, b. Sept. 25, 1952, in Ontario, California, m, Kelso
(e3-3) Forest Raymond Lanning, b. Aug. 12, 1913, Yale, Oklahoma, m, Mar. 24, 1940, Stocton, Missouri, to Ollie Dean Beall, b. Apr. 15, 1917, daughter of Harley Clyd Cleveland Beall and Nellie Myrtle Rutledge Beall (now living in Eagle Point, Oregon). Children:
(e3-a) David Forest Lanning, b. Dec. 25, 1942, Salinas, Calif., m, June 22, 1966, to Barbara Jean Stoesker, b. Aug. 16, 1944 (reside in Fort Sheridan, Illinois. Child:
(e3a-1) Michele Eileen Lanning, b. Feb. 14, 1970
(e3-b) Brian Norbert Lanning, b. July 22, 1944, San Diego, Calif., m, Feb. 13, 1971, to Elizabeth Smith Touzet, b. Oct. 4, 1944 (reside in Greencastle, Indiana, he is a Soil Conservation Agent). Child:
(e3b-1) Cathy Touzet Lanning, (adopted), b. May 3, 1966

Alice Harlene Lanning, b. Oct. 15, 1951, Springfield, Missouri

Frank Ross Lanning, b. Aug. 25, 1953, Stocton, Missouri

Neil Meridith Lanning, b. Sept. 23, 1955, Springfield, Missouri

Ruth Ellen Lanning, b. Sept. 18, 1959, Bolivar, Missouri

-135-

Morris William Lanning, b. Apr. 18, 1915, Yale, Oklahoma, d. Mar. 6, 1917, Kinsley, Kansas

Albert Leroy Lanning, b. May 15, 1918, Kinsley, Kansas, d. July 26, 1920, Kinsley, Kansas

Ella May Lanning, b. May 16, 1894, Henderson Co., N. C., d. Sept. 2, 1895, buried Hunters Cemetery

Edgar Lanning, b. May 23, 1896, Henderson County, N. C., d. Nov. 20, 1896, buried Hunters Cemetery

Martha Lanning, b. 1863, in N. C., m. Edward (Ed) Duckett

James H. Lanning, b. June 9, 1866, in N. C., d. Feb. 7, 1911, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N.C., m. 1st Apr. 6, 1888, to Harriett Carland, b. Aug. 9, 1865, m. 2nd to Hattie E. _, b. 1867, m, 3rd Apr. 16, 1905 to Malinda A. McKillop.

Children:
(a) Nell Lanning
(b) Jerry Lanning

George Fletcher Lanning, b. 1869, in N. C., d. 1927, buried Mt. Gillead Baptist Ch., Mills River, N. C., m. Oct. 14, 1890, to Dosie Lee (Sue) Galyean (Gallion), b. 1873, d. 1953, buried Mt. Gillead Baptist Church, Mills River, N. C. Children:
(a-1) Walter Lonnie, Lanning, b. Sept. 23, 1918, m. Lois Russell
(a-2) Wade R. Lanning, b. June 30, 1920, m. Jean Ammond
(a-3) Florine Lanning, b. May 11, 1923, m. Pinner
(a-4) Felma Lanning, b. Feb. 6, 1930, m. Sloan Conner. Children:
(a4-a) Roger Conner

-136-

Gary Conner
Carly Conner
Mitchell Lanning
Wallace Lanning, b. 1934, m. Barbara Reed. Child:
Vinessa Lanning
Lavada Lanning, b. June 24, 1892, m. Lusha Moore, b. Dec. 25, 1880
(c) Grace Lanning, b. Mar. 2, 1895, m, __McCarson
(d) Ollie Lanning, b. Nov. 1897, m, Walter Case
(e) Henry Lanning, b. Dec. 1899, d. Dec. 7, 196 cremated in Arizona
(f) Hilliard Lanning, b. Sept. 23, 1903, d. July 26, 1968, buried Mt. Gillead Baptist Ch., Mills River, N. C., m, Marie Ree Dalton, b. 1910. Children:
(f-1) Evelyn Marie Lanning, b. Jan. 14, 1921) m. ___ Moore
(f-2) Vera Mae Lanning, h. May 23; 1930, m Hendrix
(f-3) Mark Clifton Lanning, b. July 27, 1932
(f-4) Lillian Hilda Lanning, b. Apr. 3, 1935, m. __Higgins
(f-5) Lucille Lanning, b. May 19, 1939, m, Crawford
(g) Bertha Lanning, b. Jan. 1911, m, Alliard Middleton
(10) Amanda Lanning
(11) Marion Lanning
f. Mitchell A. Lanning, b. 1835, Buncombe Co., N. C. m. Sarepah ______.

-137-

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

3. ___JOSEPH LANNING___, b. Jan. 4, 1789, d. May 16, 1870, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N.C., m, Margaret Morrison, b. Nov. 22, 1796, d. Aug. 12, 1861, buried Old Cane Creek Cem.,; Fairview, N. C.
Children:
   a. Zllphia Lanning, b. May 27, 1826, d. Feb. 1, 1886, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N. C.
   b. Naomi Lanning, b. ___ 18, 1829
   c. Roseann Lanning, b. 1827
   d. Emaline Lanning (Emma), b. 1831, d. 1914 (Emma gave land to the church and cemetery which bear her name: Emma's Grove Baptist Church, Fairview, North Carolina, in 1896).
   e. Brazilla Lanning, b. 1834, killed in Civil War in 1863, body brought back to North Carolina to be reburied in 1864.

-138-

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

4. ___MARY LANNING___, b. Sept. 23, 1790, m, James Barnwell. Children:
   a. Enos Barnwell, b. July 10, 1813, d. Jan. 25, 1887, m. Emily ___.
      Children:
         (1) Jerome Barnwell
         (2) Floyd Barnwell
         (3) Edger Barnwell (buried Barnwell Cemetery)
         (4) Lexine (Lyda) Barnwell
         (5) Hattie Barnwell, m, ___ Conner

f. Elizabeth Barnwell, b. Apr. 28, _, d. Dec. 11, 1857 buried Barnwell Cemetery

g. Sarah Barnwell, b. Apr. 12, 1838, d. Mar. 14, 1911 buried Hooper's Creek Cemetery, N.C.

---

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

5. SARAH LANNING, b. Feb. 20, 1792, d. Feb. 14, 1893 (or Feb. 8, 1868), buried Henderson co., N. C., m. William (Billy) Garren Children:
   a. William Riley Garren, Jr.
   b. Annie Garren, m. James H. Duckworth, Baptist minister
   c. Mary Garren
   d. Adolphus Garren
   e. Absalom Garren, m. Elizabeth Vaughan

---
CHILDDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING

6. JOHN LANNING, b. Feb. 16, 1794, d. Aug. 29, 1871, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC, married Susanna Gallimore, b. February 12, 1802, d. June 18, 1871, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC.

Children:

a. Rebecca Lanning, b. Apr. 28, 1821, d. Jan. 29, 1886, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, unmarried.

b. Lossen Alexander Lanning, b. Feb. 8, 1825, m. Charlotte Reed, b. 1825, of Old Gap Creek section in Fairview. Children:
   (1) Martha L. D. Lanning, b. Nov. 8, 1849, d. Jan. 19, 1858
   (2) Elizabeth (Betty) Lanning, b. 1852, d. Mar. 1915, m. Apr. 3, 1878, to J. Riley Earwood. Children:
      (a) Laura Earwood, died young
      (b) Hester Earwood, married Frank Wright and had a large family
      (3) Nancy J. Lanning, b. Nov. 13, 1853, d. Dec. 30, 1857
      (4) Philetus E. (Bud) Lanning, b. 1857, died a young man
      (5) Infant, b. Apr. 2, 1861, d. Apr. 24, 1861
         (a) Victoria Lee, married Sam Moore. Children:
            (a-1) Louis Moore
            (a-2) Elsie Moore
            (a-3) Clinton Moore
            (a-4) Joe Moore
            (a-5) Ethel Moore
            (a-6) Willie Moore
            (a-7) 2 or 3 more children born dead
         (b) Callie Lee, m, Roscoe Nesbitt. Children:
            (b-1) Katherine Nesbitt
            (b-2) Floyd Nesbitt
            (b-3) Pauline Nesbitt

(c) Mollie Lee (the youngest), m. J. Vonzo Settle
   Child: ,
   (c-1) Elsie Settle, m, Wright

(7) Mary Lanning, b. July 1, 1866, d. Aug. 6, 1894 m. Oct. 7, 1888, to Jacob L. (Jake) Cauble. Children:
(a) Clarence Cauble, m, Edith Brown
(b) Charlotte Cauble, m. Ev Pinkerton
(Jake Cauble married second Fanny Pinkerton. Their children were: Cassie, Pearl, Bob, Bert Ora, Ethel, Grace and Rachel.)
(8) James Riley (Jim) Lanning, b. Sept. 30, 1869, d. June 19, 1915, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC, m. 1st Mamie L. Lee, b. 1870, d. Feb. 18, 1908, buried Old Cane Creek Cem, Fairview, N. C., daughter of Rev. John Lee and a sister to Will Thomas Lee who married Julia Lanning (see page 142 for information on Julia Ann), m. 2nd 1907 to Matilda Tweed, b. 1872, Delrio, Tenn., d. June 12,1914. Children by 1st wife:
(a) Joe Lanning, b. Jan. 20, 1889, d. May 9, 1908, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
(b) Hattie Lanning, b. Mar. 20, 1891, d. June 9, 1907, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
(c) Arce Emery Lanning, b, Nov. 23, 1893, d. Sept. 9, 1953
(d) Infant boy
(e) Infant girl
(f) Lillie Lanning, b. June 9, 1898, m, Dec. 20 ,1919, to Joe A. M. Morgan. Children:
(f-1) Jewell Morgan, b. Apr. 4, 1911, d. Jan. 6, 1967 (with a heart condition), m, William J. East, Greensboro. Children
(fl-a) Ginger Rivers East, b. July 15, 1953 (adopted)
(fl-b) Tyrone Lanning East, b, Oct. 10, 1955 (adopted)

Children:
(f2-a) . Linda Joyce Morgan, b. Aug. 22, 1953
(f2-b) Steven Morgan, b. Jan. 28, 1960
(f2-c) Michael Morgan, b. Aug. 14, 1961
Child from second wife:
(h) Johnny Riley (Chick) Lanning, b. July 30, 1912, m, Willie Lott of Pensacola, Florida, while in U. S. Navy. Children:
(h-1) Anna Lanning, b. Sept. 11, 1947 (adopted)
(h-2) James Emory Lanning, b. Oct. 30, 19__ (Johnny was captured on Wake Island when Pearl Harbor was attacked and was held prisoner of the Japanese most of 4 years; he served in the U. S. Navy for 30 years, )
(9) William, b. about 1857, died young (may be the same child as Philetus)
c. Alford Hardy Lanning, b. June 9, 1827, d. Nov. 9, 1829, died as a child, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
d. Cynthia Lanning, b. Nov. 1830, d. Apr. 28, 1907, buried Old Cane Creek Cem , , Fairview, N. C., m, Jan. 31, 1859, to Oliver Ownby (see Allied Line-Ownby at end of this section), b. Apr. 6, 1829, d. May 29, 1916, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N. C.
Children:
1) Martha C. Ownby, b. 1861
2) C. Amanda Ownby, b. 1863
3) John A. Ownby, b. 1866
4) William Jefferson Ownby, b. 1868
5) Cornelius Uriah (Neil) Ownby, b. 1871, m, Delia Cauble
6) Robert LaFayette Ownby, b. 1872
Children:
1) A. P. Lanning, b. 1857, died 3 mos., 20 days old, buried Cane Creek Cemetery

---

(2) S. E. Lanning, died when 5 mos., 11 days old, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
(3) Candis Angeline Lanning, b. 1859, m. Oct. 2, 1901, to James Trantham, b. 1837
Children:
(a) Jessie Lanning, b. 1885, m. Nov. 8, 1906, to Lawrence Merrill. Children:
(a-1) Margaret Merrill, m. Galmer McKinney. Child:
(a1-a) Caroline McKinney, m. Paul Bowers
(a-2) Harold Merrill, m. Ruth Cox
(a-3) Herman Merrill, m. 1st Mary Elizabeth Linman, m. 2nd Blanche Reynolds.
Children:
(a3-a) Margery Merrill
(a-b) Joe Merrill
(a3-c) Jenny Merrill
(a-4) Helen Merrill, m. Donald McKinney
(a-5) Frank Merrill, m, Thelma Tillie, had 5 children
(a-6) James Merrill, m. Betty Hanckins.
Children:
(a6-a) Larry Merrill
(a6-b) Vonda Ann Merrill
(a-7) May Merrill, m, Arnell Arms. Children:
(a7-a) Linda Arms
(a7-b) Roney Arms
(a7-c) Eddie Arms
(a7-d) Eugene Arms
(a-8) Faye Merrill, m, William Youngblood.
Child
(a8-a) William Youngblood, Jr.
(a8-b) Eugenia Youngblood
(a8-c) Lorence Henry Youngblood
(b) Jerome Lanning, b. July 5, 1888, d. July 26, 1908, unmarried, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
(c) Elliott Lanning, b. July 25, 1891, d. Dec. 30, 1941, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
(d) Fred Floyd Lanning, b. 1903, m. Apr. 11, 1925 to Maggie Jones, b. 1902, No children.
(e) Clyde Lanning, b. Aug. 25 (27), 1904, m. July 2, 1925 to Edna Miller, had 6 children
(f) Frances Lanning, b. Mar. 1894, d. Oct. 26, 1925, m. Sept. 11, 1919 to Fortune Rotella,
b. 1892. Children:
(f-1) Roam Rotella
(f-2) Mary Rotella
(f-3) Gregory Rotella
(g) John H. Lanning, b. May 4, 1897, d. Mar. 15, 1969, m. Natalie Cole, both buried Clark's
Chapel, Weaverville, N. C.
(h) Mac Marion Lanning, b. 1900, d. 1964, buried Emma's Grove Baptist Church, Fairview, N. C., m. Aug. 29, 1922 to Maude B. Peek. Children:
(h-1) Julian Lanning, m. Mary Lytle
(h-2) Iris Irma Lanning, m. Leon Curry
(h-3) Marie Lanning, m. Boyce Lytle
(5) Lillie Lanning, b. 1870, d. 1962, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, m. Dec. 18, 1888 to Gaston
Children:
(a) Georgia Spivey, m. Charlie Harper. Children:
(a-1) Paris Harper, deceased
(a-2) Paul Harper
(a-3) Lewis Harper
(a-4) Aurelia Harper, m. ___ Wilkerson
(a-5) Louise Harper, m. ___ Lytle
(a-6) Doma Harper, m. ___ Ownbey
(b) Elsie Spivey, m. Hilliard Spivey. Children:
(b-1) Bernice Spivey
(b-2) Ruth Spivey
(b-3) Hilliard Spivey, Jr.
(b-4) Roy Spivey
(b-5) Bill Spivey

(c) Grace Spivey, m. Tom Bagwell. Children:
(c-1) Eldeva Bagwell
(c-2) Jack Bagwell
(c-3) Lillie May Bagwell
(c-4) Dan Bagwell
(c-5) Romanoa Bagwell
(c-6) Lula Bell Bagwell
(c-7) Bertha Bagwell

Children:
(1) Nancy Harper, b. Jan. 16, 1862, d. Jan. 31, 1873 buried Cane Creek Cemetery
(2) John Adams Harper, b. Aug. 16, 1866, d. Sept. 23, 1887, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
g. E. R. (William?) Lanning, probably the same child as Elliott Riley described in "e."

-147-

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

7. **NANCY LANNING**, b. June 13, 1795, d. Feb. 18, 1876, buried Henderson County, N. C., m, David Garren

-148-

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

8. **WILLIAM LANNING**, b. July 15, 1797, d. Dec. 21, 1867, buried Edneyville Methodist Church, Henderson County, N.C., m, 1st Anna Justice, b. Oct. 20, 1801, d. Feb. 29, 1848, buried Edneyville Methodist Church, Edneyville, NC, m, 2nd Anna Williams. Children:
a. Joshua Lanning, b. Oct. 7, 1820, Henderson Co., NC, buried Clear Creek, Macon Co., Ga., m, 1st 1839 to Margaret (Elizabeth) Caroline Drake, b. about 1823, m. 2nd Aug. 27, 1880, to M. C. Kuykendall, b. 1831.

Children by 1st marriage:
(1) Malinda Elivine Lanning, b. 1841, Henderson County, NC, m, 1st 1862 to William Kuykendall, m. 2nd Jan. 14, 1867 to Sylas Garren. Children by 2nd marriage:
(a) Eliza Garren, b. about 1868, possibly in Transylvania Co., N. C.
(b) Elizabeth Garren, b. about 1870, possibly in Transylvania County, N. C.
(c) John Garren, b. about 1872, possibly in Transylvania County, N. C.
(d) Thomas Garren, b. about 1875, possibly in Transylvania Co., N. C.
(2) Jane Avelina Lanning, b. Oct. 20, 1843, Henderson Co., N.C., m, Apr. 1875, L. J. Kuykendall.

Children:
(a) Joshua A. E. Kuykendall, b. about 1876-7, Henderson Co., N. C.
(b) James Kuykendall
(3) William Columbus Lanning, b. 1845, Henderson Co., N. C., m, 1861 1st to Elizabeth Vess, b. 1845, m, 2nd to Addie Jackson, m, 3rd to Sally McCurray. Children by 1st marriage:
(a) Sarah (Sally) Lanning, b. May 28, 1866, in NC, d. Nov. 24, 1923, m, Vollie Coston, had 3 girls and 3 boys
(b) Louise Lanning, b. July 1, 1868, d. Aug. 15, 1950, m, John Rhymer, had 2 girls and 5 boys

-149-

Children:
(c-1) Willie Lanning, b. Apr. 11, 1894, d. Apr. 11, 1894
(c-2) Roy Clyde Lanning, b. Mar. 2, 1898, d. Jan. 19, 1919, unmarried
(c-3) Annie Effie Lanning, b. Jan, 19, 1902, d. May 1, 1970, m. Mason Poole. No children.
(c-4) Lillie Belle Lanning, b. July 7, 1903, m, June 25, 1925 to Donald Duncan.

Children:
(c4-a) Marie Duncan, b. Aug. 27, 1927, A secretary, unmarried.
(c4-b) Roy Clyde Duncan, b. May 4, 1930, m, Hazel McMinn, b. Oct. 8, 1931.

Children:
(c4b-1) Marilyn Lane Duncan, b. Nov. 26, 1951, m, Sept. 12, 1971 to Ted Fletcher
(c4b-2) Ana Jeanette Duncan, b. Aug. 29, 1954
(c4b-3) Roy Wayne Duncan, b. July 30, 1955, d. Apr. 10, 1963 in house fire
(c4b-4) Suzanna Rose Duncan, b. June 7, 1960
(c4b-5) Bruce Clyde Duncan, b. Nov. 23, 1964
(c4b-6) David McDonald Duncan, b. Apr. 5, 1967
(c-5) Barbara Ann Lanning, b. Apr. 4, 1908, d. Apr. 6, 1908
(c-6) Lucy Quarteze Lanning, b. July 13, 1910, m, Gerald Hammond. Children:

-150-

(c6-a) Joan True Hammond, b. Sept. 1, 1932, m, Aug. 30, 1950, to Jerry McHall. No children.
(c6-b) Jean Hammond, b. Apr. 18, 1934, m. Robert Holmestedt. Child:
(c6b-1) Laura Lynn Holmestedt
(c6-c) James Hammond, b. Apr. 7, 1936, Unmarried, a carpenter.
(c6-d) Laura Jane Hammond, b. Dec. 2, 1937, m, June 24, 1956 to Richard Luce, had 2 boys and 1 girl
(c6-e) John Hammond, b. Sept. 23, 1947, m. Apr. 7, 1972, to Betty Moore
(c7-a) David Edwin Warnock, b. Dec. 13, 1937, m, Phyliss Ballard
Children:
(c7a-1) Karen Warnock
(c7a-2) Kristine Warnock
(c7a-3) Jonathan Warnock
(c7-b) Sarah Ellen Warnock, b. Jan. 14, 1938, m, Jerry Hester. Children:
(c7b-1) Kim Hester
(c7b-2) Kent Hester
(c7-c) Joseph Alvin Warnock, b. Nov. 23, 1940, m, Wanda Sue Porter.
Child:
(c7c-1) Brian Warnock
(c7-d) Paul Franklin Warnock, b. May 18, 1942, m, Pat Shoemaker
(c7-e) James Alton Warnock, b. Oct. 3, 1945, m, Marilyn Waters.
Children:
(c7e-1) Alama Warnock
(c7e-2) Beth Warnock
(c7-f) Steven Archie Warnock, born May 7 1955, in college, unmarried

(c-8) Joe Lenise Lanning, born June 22, 1917, died July 4, 1917
(c-9) Foy Folds Lanning, born July 18, 1918, married August 28, 1940 to Doris Hartley, born June 29, 1917, Jacksonville, FL, daughter of Coleman Hartley. Children:
(c9-a) Foy Coleman Lanning, born August 8, 1941, married Margaret A. Givin, died August 20, 1972. Child:
(c9a-1) Mike Lanning
(c9-b) Barbara Ann Lanning, born July 20, 1942, married Melvin Doolittle. Children:
(c9b-1) Cameron Doolittle
(c9b-2) Michelle Doolittle
(c9b-3) Todd Doolittle
(c9b-4) Brian Doolittle
(c9-c) Mary Linda Lanning, born May 4, 1944, unmarried
(d) William (Billy) Lanning, born 1875, in NC, died at age 2
(e) Harriet Lanning, born January 9, 1876, in NC, died November 17, 1929, married Watt Foster and had 4 girls
(f) Rosa Lanning, born January 9, 1878, in NC, died May 14, 1919, married Willie Hardin, and had 1 girl and 5 boys
Children by 2nd marriage:
(g) Margaret Lanning, born May 1882, died 1885
(h) William Baxter Lanning, born April 13, 1883, in NC, died 1972, married 1st Josephine Corn, married 2nd Effie (Ella Frances, died March 1946) Corn, married 3rd Pearl Smart (Edneyville) Children:
(h1) Ruth Elizabeth Lanning, born October 10, 1912
(h2) Robert Charles Lanning, born September 24, 1916, married Lillian Calloway, born May 25, 1921 – Children:
(h2-a) Charles Lanning, married Barbara Higgins – Child:
(h2a-1) Jim Lanning

(h2-b) Pat Lanning
(h2-c) Doris Lanning
(h2-d) Susie Lanning
(h2-e) Nancy Lanning
(h2-f) Kathryn Lanning
(h2-g) James Lanning
(h2-h) Sharon Lanning
(h2-i) Debra Lanning
(h-3) Mary Tennett Lanning, b. Jan. 18, 1920
(i) Dovie Lanning, b. 1885, d. 1927, m, Loring Brown
(j-l) Willard Lanning, b. Nov. 22, 1908, m, Apr. 13, 1935 to Dorothy Harris. Child:
(j1-a) Dorothy Eugenia Lanning
(j-2) Ruth Lanning, b. Sept. 21, 1911, d. May 14, 1912
Children by 2nd marriage:
(j-3) Paul Lanning, m, Daisy _, Child:
(j3-a) Elaine Lanning
(j4-a) Harry Eugene Lanning, b. July 1, 1938, m. Jeanette Simpson, b. Mar. 21, 1942. Children:
(j4a-1) Harry Mitchell Lanning, b. Nov. 13, 1960
(j4a-2) Cynthia Yvelle Lanning, b. Feb. 21, 1962
(j4a-3) Jeffrey Scott Lanning, b. Sept. 13, 1963

(j4-b) Joseph Allen Lanning, b. Sept. 20, 1944

(j4-c) Thelma Lanning, m, Swann Webb, 2 sons
(j4-d) Cleo Lanning, m. Ray Elkins
Children:
(j4d-1) Barbara Elkins
(j4d-2) Judy Elkins
(j4d-3) Patsy Elkins
(j4d-4) Brenda Elkins
(j4d-5) Brenda Elkins
(j4-e) Margaret Lanning, m, Albert Ownby. No children.
(j4-f) Watson Lanning, b. Feb. 2, 1924, d. Feb. 2, 1924, buried Green Hill Cemetery
[[[ These are children of Vollie and Fannie Buckner Lanning]]]

(k) Bly Joshua Lanning, b. Nov. 28, 1890, in NC, d. 1959, m, 1st Lillie Smith, m, 2nd Lucille Long, had 2 girls
(l) Homer Lanning, b. Oct. 12, 1892, in N.C., d. 1960, m, Corrie Norris, had 2 girls
(m) Laura Jane Lanning, b. Mar. 4, 1893, in N. C., still living as of Oct. 1972, m, Oscar Sims, had 3 boys
(n) Della Lanning (twin), b. June 6, 1898, still living as of Oct. 1972, m, 1st Calvin Reese, m, 2nd Lath McBee, had 2 girls and 7 boys
(o) Stella Lanning (twin), b. June 6, 1898, d. 1922. (6-22-1942_ m. Millard Nix, had 5 girls
(p) Lillian (Billie) Lanning, b. Mar. 9, 1901, still living, m. Baxter Floyd. No children.
Children by 3rd wife:
(q) Clyde Lanning, b. Dec. 14, 1907, d. 1919
(r) Pearl Lanning, b. June 8, 1909, m. Hoyt Porter, had 2 girls and 2 boys

(s) Bernice Holly Lanning, b. Dec, 11, 1911, d., 1912
(t) Earl Lanning, b. July 9, 1912, m. Vashti Whitmire, had 1 girl and 1 boy
(u) John Olen Lanning, b. May 30, 1914, d. 1958, m. Ernestine Merritts, had 1 boy

-154-

OSCAR LANNING & family
(with cane)

-155-

(a) Branch R. Lanning, b. about 1873 in N. C.
(b) Ida Elizabeth Lanning, b. about 1875 in N. C.
(c) Emma Lanning, b. about 1877 in N. C.
(d) Columbus C. Lanning, b. about 1879 in N. C.
April 16, 1942, buried Hamburg Cemetery, Glenville, N.C.
Children by 1st marriage:
(a-1) Marian Batcheldor
(a-2) James Batcheldor
(b-1) Dana Lanning, b. Jan. 26, 1903, m., Carl Higdon
(b-2) Eugene Ell Lanning, b. Dec. 31, 1901, m, 1st Mary Surrette, m, 2nd Kathleen Moses, b. Sept. 25, 1913, d. Mar. 26, 1962, buried Green Hill Cemetery, Asheville, N. C. Child:
(b-2-a) Wayne Lanning
(b-3) Verna Ophelina Lanning, b. Jan. 24, 1907, m, W. M. Newton

(b-4) Charles Franklin Lanning, b. Mar, 5,1909 (or May), m, Gevena McCall
(b-5) Ansel Troy Lanning, b, Feb, 19 1913, m, Burla Moses
(b-6) Vollie F. Lanning, b. Jan. 17, 1915, unmarried
(c) Milfred J. Lanning, b, June 2, 1878, d. Nov. 29, 1937, buried state of Washington, m, Jan. 22, 1905, to Elizabeth Burgess
(d-1) Edith Louise Lanning, b. Dec. 3, 1912, Glenville, NC, m, in Wallhalla, SC, Oct. 22, 1933, to Richard Delanore Young, son of William and Georgia Young. Children:
(d1-a) Blonnie Allegra Young, b. Sept. 6, 1935, Franklin, NC, (Macon Co.), m, July 28, 1951, to David Marshall Moody, b. Oct. 11, 1931, Pickens, SC, on of Tillman and Lillian Robinson Moody. David is a press operator. Children:
(d1-a-3) Darrel Monroe Moody, b. Apr. 28, 1956, Franklin, N.C.

(d1-a-4) Debra Marie Moody, b. May 1, 1957, Highlands, N.C.
(d1-a-5) Douglas Martin Moody, b. July 29, 1959, Gastonia, N.C.
(d1-b) Lanny C. Young, b. Apr. 1, 1937, Glenville, N. C., m, Aug. 6, 1962, Gastonia, N. C. (Lanny is a carpenter.) Child:
(d1b-1) Suzanne Denise Young, b. June 8, 1968, Largo, Florida
(d1c-1) Iris Gail Young, b. Sept. 24, 1940, in Glenville; N. C., m, Jan. 21, 1960, Thompsonville, Georgia, to Win H. Campbell, II. Children:
(d1c-1) Win H. Campbell, III, b. Sept. __, 1960, St. Petersburg, Florida
(d1c-2) Wayne Campbell, b. Oct. 11, 1964, Clearwater, Fla.
(d1-d) Brenda Young, b. Apr. 22, 1943, Glenville, N. C., m, _ Lott.
(d2) Edna Lois Lanning, b. Apr. 5, 1914, Glenville, N. C., m, Mar. 29, 1932, Pickens, S. C., to Vernon Hooper, b. Jan. 9, 1912, Glenville, N. C., son of Frank and Beth Watson Hooper (Vernon is a farmer)
(d2-a) Alderidge Dean Hooper, b. Sept. 12, 1933, Glenville, N. C., m, Jan. 30, 1953, Chesterfield, S. C., to Ruby Louise Elliott, b. May 14, 1933, High Point, N. C., daughter of Forrest and Medric Bennett Elliott. Children:
(d2a-1) Linda Louise Hooper, b. Apr. 23, 1955, High Point, N. C., d. June 23, 1972, Parkton, N. C., buried at High Point, N. C., m, Nov. 9, 1969, in S. C., to ____

-158-

(d2a-2) Debra Sue Hooper, b. Jan. 27, 1958, High Point, N.C.
(d2a-3) Nancy Aline Hooper, b. Feb. 5, 1964, High Point, N. C.
(d2a-4) Patricia Ann Hooper, b. Oct. 8, 1968, High Point, N.C.
(d2-b) Ruth Elizabeth Hooper, b. Glenville, N.C., m. William (Bill) Brown
(d2-c) Mildred May Hooper, b. May 13, 1939, Glenville, N.C., m. Apr. 16, 1965, Canton, N. C., to Kenneth Herman Pressley, b. June 12, 1932, Canton, N. C., son of Herman Perry and Minnie Sarah Shippman Pressley. Child:
(d2c-1) Ronald David Pressley, b. Nov. 1, 1959, Springfield, Oregon
(d2-d) Wilma Louise Hooper, b. July 4, 1942, Glenville, N. C., m, 1st Alvin Clifton Conner, on Oct. 11, 1964, Wallhalla, S. C., m, 2nd Allen Sego. (Alvin is the son of Sidney and Mary Baines Conner, and is a saw mill worker.) Children:
(d2d-1) Charles Dean Conner, b. Apr. 15, 1961, Sylva, N.C.

-159-

(d2e-1) Keith Hooper, b. May12, 1963, Tuckasegee, NC.
(d2-f) Judith Margaret Hooper, b. June 18, 1947, Glenville, N. C.
(d2-g) Joyce Ann Hooper, b. Jan. 16, 1950, Glenville, N. C.
Moore, Esther m. 2nd George Bowen and resides in Bow, Washington. Children:
Children:
(d4a-1) Rickie Lee Moore, b. May 16, 1952, Bellingham, Washington, m. June 26, 1970, Allen, Skagit Co., Wash., to Dareen Giesler, daughter of Don and Mary Lee Giesler. Rickie is a fisherman, and Dareen is a beautician. Child:

(d4a-1-a) Scott Lee Moore, b. Feb. 12, 1971, Sedro Wooley, Washington
(d4a-1-b) Dee Anne Moore, b. Feb. 25, 1954, Bellingham, Washington
(d4a-1-c) Lyn Christi Moore, b. Apr. 15, 1960, Bellingham, Washington
(d4a-1-2) Timothy Kirk Garner, b. Nov. 28, 1955, Port Hueneme, Ventura Co., Calif., was 3-1/2 mos. premature, weighed 1 pound, 12 oz, passed away on Nov. 29, 1955, buried Ventura, Calif., Dec. 1, 1955.
(d4a-1-3) Tonye Denise Garner, b. Jan. 3, 1957, Honolulu, Hawaii
(d4a-1-4) Regina Alise Garner, b. Mar. 10, 1958, Honolulu, Hawaii
(d4a-1-5) Betty Rhea Moore, b. Oct. 23, 1936, Glenville, N. C., m. Glenn Keith Loy, in Mt, Vernon, Wash., he was b, Oct. 3, 1934, Lemmon, North Dakota, son of Ralph and Agnes Thompson Loy

(d4a-1-6) Dixon Lee Esary, b. April, 6, 1956, Burlington, Skagit Co., Washington
(d4a-1-9) Tamara Sue Loy , b. Sept. 17, 1965, Mt. Vernon, Washington
(d4a-1-10) Barbara Sharon Moore; b Mar. 5, 1940, Glenville, N.C., m. Sept. 3, 1955, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, to Ronald Lee Esary, born May 129 1936, Mt, Vernon, Washington, son of Philip and Helen Hobson Esary, (In dairy business) Children:
(d4a-1-11) Dixon Lee Esary, b. April, 6, 1956, Burlington, Skagit Co., Washington
(d4a-1-12) Shirley Lorraine Esary , b. Aug. 4, 1957, Anacortes, Island County, Washington
(d4a-1-13) Sherrie Laurien Esary, b. Aug. 4, 1957, Anacortes, Island County, Washington
(d4a-1-15) Timothy Alan Esary, b, Apr , 6, 1967~ Mt, Vernon, Skagit County, Wash.
WA, daughter of Roger and Lillian Christonsom Leckman.

Children:
(d4e-1) Richard Paul Moore, Born November 27, 1965, Sedro Wooley, Skagit County, WA
(d4e-2) Julia Kristin Moore, born March 4, 1968, Mt. Vernon, Skagit County, WA
(d4-f) Deborah Suzanne Moore, born March 28, 1952, Burlington, Skagit County, WA, married May 17, 1968, Samish Island, WA, Methodist Church, to Dennis Gale Lowery, born December 7, 1946, Burwell, Nebraska, son of Benjamin and Betty Moss Lowery
(d-5) Douglas Franklin Lanning, born September 6, 1919, Glenville, Jackson County, NC, married October 7, 1940, Clayton, Georgia, to Mary Jane Young, born January 12, 1923, Piedmont, Greenville county, SC, daughter of Walter Lee and Lillian M. Creswell Young. Douglas was a Marine in World War II.
Children:
(d5-a) Norman Ross Lanning, born October 26, 1941, Glenville, Jackson County, NC, married July 25, 1962, Hendersonville, NC, to Sandra Gale Bell, reside in Hendersonville, NC, he served in Army, is a barber, and she is a beautician. Child:
(d5a-1) Gale Marie Lanning, born October 10, 1969, Hendersonville, NC
(d5-b) Arnold Robert Lanning, born March 3, 1943, Glenville, NC, married September 22, 1963,
(d7a-1) Edward Ray Mayville Medford, b. Oct. 27, 1959, Sedro Wooley, Wash,
Children:
(d7b-1) Helen Renae Baxter, b. Apr. 5, 1961, Burlington, Washington
(d7b-2) Trina Lynn Baxter, b. Sept. 27, 1962, Burlington, Washington
(d7b-3) Clinton Howard Baxter, b. Apr. 16, 1963, Chula Vista, San Diego Co., California
(d8-a) Susan Lanning (adopted)
(d9a-1) Don Wayne Fish, b. May 14, 1968, Mt. Vernon, Washington

-166-
(d9b-2) Heidi Eileen Lanning, b. Apr. 3, 1972, Sedro Wooley, Washington
(e) Effie Lanning, b. Apr. 9, 1882, in N. C., m. Jan. 1, 1902, to Willie Reid, she d. Feb. 1959. Children:
(e-1) Winnie Reid, m. Dewey Bryson
(e-2) Leata Reid
(e-3) Clifford Reid
(e-4) Edward Reid
(e-5) Willa Beth Reid
(e-6) Othaleen Reid
(e-7) Jessie Reid
(f-1) Jamie Watson
(g) Henry Lanning, b. Apr. 18, 1886, Little River, N. C., d. Nov. 8, 1887, Buried Little River, N.C.
(h) Alice Lanning, b. Apr. 20, 1888, d. Nov. 28, 1893, buried Glenville, N. C.
Children:

-167-
b. Henrietta (Harriet) Adeline Lanning, b. Mar. 2, 1823, d. June 7, 1902, m, Dec. 11, 1845, to Matthew Neely. Children:
(1) William Neely
(2) Mary Neely, m, Feb. 3, 1878, to Thomas Henderson, a farmer. Children:
(a) Bessie Henderson, b. Dec. 16, 1878, a nurse, unmarried
(b) General Henderson, b. Nov. 11, 1880, m.1911, to Carrie May Stepp, 5 or 6 children
(c) Albert J. Henderson, b. Oct. 28, 1882, m. Ola Shipman, had 2 boys
(d) Hattie Henderson, b. Aug. 11, 1884, m. Crawford Davidson
(e) Watt Henderson, b. Sept. 13, 1886, m. Effie Holbert, had 4 children
(f) Lola J. Henderson, b. Oct. 9, 1889, m. Branch Jackson, no children
(g) Hester Henderson, b. Oct. 2, 1896, unmarried
(h) Anna Henderson, b. Apr. 11, 1900, m, Jerome Vaughan. Children:
(h1) Grady Vaughan, m, Ella Mills. Children:
(h1-a) Grady Vaughan, Jr.
(h1-b) Michael Vaughan
(h2) Helen Vaughan, m. Ernest Pettet, 1 son
(h3) Annette Vaughan, unmarried
(h4) Chester Vaughan, m. __
(3) Hannah Neely, m. Sam Gilliam, buried at Edneyville Cemetery
(4) Sarah Neely, m, John Henderson (brother of Thomas)
(5) Minerva Neely, m. _ Ledbetter, buried at King Cemetery
(6) John Albert Neely
(7) Another son, name unknown

Dec. 25, 1792, d. Apr. 3, 1891, and Mary A. Jones King, b. May 20, 1822, d. Apr. 11, 1872, both buried King Grove Cemetery. Children:
LEAR KING

-170-

JAMES LANNING

11, 1929. Children:
(a) Jerry Beddingfield, b. Dec. 17, 1872, m, Nan Rogers, b. July 29, 1875, d. Apr. 28, 1935
(b) Sittle Beddingfield, b. 1878, m, Major Barnwell, b. 1868, d. 1912
(c) Lark Beddingfield, b. June 3, 1883, m, Hattie Pryor, b. Sept. 8, 1887, d. Mar. 27, 1965
(d) J. stephen Beddingfield, b. Dec. 7, 1888, m, 1st Sybil Rogers, b. Mar. 30, 1893, d. June 28, 1950, m , 2nd Allie Ruth Lanning King
(e) Patricia Beddingfield, m, Jesse Maxwell
(f) Sybil Beddingfield, m, Will Laughter

Children:
(a) Dicie Shipman, b. 1880, m. Samuel K. Stepp, b. 1872, d. 1949. (Her mother was Diana Shipman, b. 1835, d. 1931, and her father was James Madison Lanning, but they never married. Diana is buried at Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery.)
Children by 1st marriage:
(b) John Wilkerson Kimsey Lanning, b. Nov. 14, 1870, d. Feb. 25, 1932, buried Calvery Baptist Church, Rosman, N. C., m, Dec. 24, 1891 (records in Transylvania Co. Court House show Dec. 24, 1889 as marriage date), to 1st Dovie L. Morgan, b. Nov. 21, 1871, d. Sept. 3, 1914, buried Calvery Baptist Church, Rosman, N.C., daughter of J. M. Morgan, m, 2nd Apr. 22, 1915, to Daisy L. Burlingame, m. 3rd Dec. 25, 1918 to Hester Whiteside, b. 1888. Children by 1st wife:

-172-

(b1-a) Myrtle Lanning, b. Dec. 31, 1913, m. Aug. 5, 1930 to Herman L. Corn, b. Sept. 14, 1910
(b-2) Mildred Dorothy Lanning, b. Sept. 7, 1898, m. Grady Scruggs. Children:
(b2-a) Harold Scruggs, b. 1916, d. 1916
(b2-b) William Scruggs, b. 1925
(b4-a) Mildred Marie Lanning, b. Sept. 2, 1924, m. Everett Skidd
(b4-b) Edith Pauline Lanning, b. Sept. 7, 1926, m. Waters
(b-5) Thomas Clingman Lanning, b. June 24, 1910, d. July 1968, buried Herndon, Va., m. Kathryn, Children:
(b5-a) Diana Lanning
(b5-b) Danny Lanning
(b5-c) Thomas Lanning
(c) Anne Lanning, b. June 16, 1872, d. July 18, 1900, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, m. Feb. 17, 1894, to Andy Maxwell
(d) Terrell Wilkerson Lanning, b. 1876, d. 1957, buried Mud Creek Baptist Ch., Hendersonville, N. C., m. May 26, 1895, 1st to Reita Floyd, b. 1877, d. 1926, buried Mud Creek Baptist Church, Hendersonville, N. C., m. 2nd Mollie Garren, b. Apr. 13, 1880, d. Jan. 13, 1940, buried Fruitland Cemetery, Fruitland, N. C., daughter of Abner Garren. Children by 1st wife:
(d1) James Willis Lanning, b. Feb. 24, 1896, buried Dalton, Ga., m. 1st Cynthia Louise Whiteside, b. Aug. 1, 1890, m. Birdie. Child:
(d1-a) Glenn Willis Lanning, m. R. Riddle
Children:

(d1a-1) Glenda Lanning
(d1a-2) Tinnie Lanning
(d1-b) Ethel Lanning, b. Sept. 12, 1918, m, William Boyer. Child:
(d1b-1) Billie Boyer
(d1-c) Nannie Elizabeth Lanning, b. Aug. 27, 1921, m. Suttle, m. William Page. Children:
(d1c-1) Dorothy
(d1c-2) Ronnie
(d1d-3) Gail
(d1-d) Rupy Roland Lanning, b. Apr. 8, 1924 (twin), d. May 1, 1924
(d1-e) Ruby Rosalie Lanning, b. Apr. 8, 1924 (twin), d. Aug. 9, 1924
(d1-f) Hal Earnest Lanning, b. June 15, 1926, m. 1st Merrit, m. 2nd
Children by 1st wife:
(d1f-1) Etta Lanning
(d1f-2) Charles Lanning
Child by 2nd wife:
(d1f-3) Virginia Lanning
(d-2) Albert Lanning, b. June 29, 1899, m. 1st Lola Mae Howell, m. 2nd. Child:
(d2-a) Mildred Ruth Lanning, b. Oct. 18, 1923
(d-3) Marjie Lanning, b. Dec. 29, 1900, m. Hal Cagle
(d-4) Clyde Hamilton Lanning, b. Nov. 18, 1902, d. Jan. 25, 1961, m. Berttin Dills, b. 1908, Children:
(d4-a) Infant, b. June 16, 1927, d. June 16, 1927
(d4-b) Evelyn Marie Lanning, b. Jan. 4, 1929
(d4-c) Clyde Frank Lanning, b. Dec. 7, 1929
(d4-d) Douglas Lawrence Lanning, b. Aug. 21, 1931

(d4-e) Earl Leroy Lanning, b. Jan. 9, 1935
(d-5) Duran Columbus Lanning, b. July 20, 1908, d. Oct. 14, 1960, buried Mud Creek Baptist Church, Hendersonville, NC, m. Mae King. Children:
   (d5-a) John Duran Lanning, b. Aug. 19, 1926
   (d5-b) Evelyn Mae Lanning, b. July 20, 1932
   (d-6) Daisy Lanning, b. Oct. 2, 1909, m. Sept. 25, 1925 to Brownlow Lanning (see page 185 for information on Brownlow)
   (d-7) Henry Lanning, b. Sept. 13, 1911
   (d-8) Lila Lanning, b. Nov. 12, 1914
   (d-9) Mattie Louise Lanning, b. Jan. 19, 1917
   (d-10) Lucy Ophelia Lanning, b. July 18, 1919
   (d-11) Nancy Dorothy Beatrice Lanning, b. Nov. 6, 1923, d. Nov. 14, 1926, buried Mud Creek Cemetery
   (e) Martha Louise Jane (Lula) Lanning, b. Oct. 4, 1878, d. June 30, 1956, m. June 10, 1892, to Doc Franklin Lanning, b. May 16, 1873, d. Nov. 21, 1962, son of William Columbus, b. 1845 an Elizabeth Vess Lanning, b. 1845 (see page for information on their children).
   (f) Lucy Lanning, b. Feb. 28, 1881, d. May 1, 1908, m. Doc Griffin, had 1 girl and 1 boy
   (g) Lavada G. Lanning, b. Sept. 15, 1885, m. 1st Mitchell Garren, b. Nov. 25, 1877, d. Mar. 9 1926, m, 2nd Staton
   (h) Gerome W. (Roam) Lanning, b. Nov. 19, 1889, m. 1st Gertrude Cairness, b. May 15, 1890, d. Feb. 27, 1955, buried Green Hill Cemetery, Asheville, N. C., m. 2nd Pearl Justice, m, 3rd, Cecil Hazel Barnard. Children by 1st wife:
   (h-1) Carlton Lanning, b. June 10, 1915
   (h-2) Durwood Lanning

Child by 2nd wife:
(h-3) James Lanning , born 7/25/1926, died 2/2/1961
(3) Falby Matilda Lanning, b. Aug. 4, 1856, Hendersonville, N. C., d. Sept. 13, 1948, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, Fruitland, N. G., m, James H. Griffin, b. 1849, d. 1930, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, Fruitland, N. C. Children:
   (a) U. S. Griffin, m, Brownie Jackson
   (b) Napoleon Griffin, b. Oct. 1901, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cem, Unmarried.
   (c) Matt Griffin, m, Ada Taylor
   (d) Ellie Griffin, m, Clorina Jones
   (e) Zill Griffin, m, Elizabeth Maxwell
(f) Sidney Griffin, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, m, Leah Green

(g) Martha Griffin, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, unmarried

   (b) Lear Neomi Lanning, b. Mar. 4, 1885, d. June 29, 1886, as a child
      (c-1) Thurlow Andrew Peace, b. Dec. 8, 1907, m. Margaret
      (c-2) Lillie Kate Peace, b. Apr. 17, 1916, m. Stewart Johnson

(c-3) Mary Lee Peace, b. June 5, __, d. Kirk Pfalzgraf

(d) Allie Ruth Lanning, b. Sept. 11, 1888, d. Apr. 4, 1971, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, Fruitland, N.C., m. 1st Nov. 4, 1907, to Kimsey Galileo King, b. June 21, 1883, d. Jan. 1, 1935,
buried Graceland Cemetery, Greenville, S. C., son of Coleman and Harriett Davis King, m. 2nd Steve Beddingfield, b. Dec. 17, 1888, no children by second marriage. Children:
(d-1) Garland Lorance King, b. Sept. 11, 1909, m, Nov. 15, 1928, to Eva Mason.
Children:
(d1-a) James Alton King, m, Sylvia Davis
(d1-b) Garland Lorance King, Jr., m, Lou Ellen Richard
(d1-c) Charles Wolford King, m, Mollie Smith
(d-2) Foy Malone King, b. June 25, 1912, m, 1st Edda Mae Wiggins, m, 2nd Florence
_e_ m. 3rd Isabelle__
(e) Lela Alice Lanning, b. Jan. 16, 1890, d. Aug. 13, 1969, buried Patty's Chapel, Mountain
Patty's Chapel, Mountain Home, N. C., son of William Gaston and Lela Adeline Peace
Hutchinson.
Children:
(e-1) Nellie Jeanette Lanning, Hutchinson b. Sept. 17, 1909, m, Waldo Gilliam
(e-2) Paul Napoleon Lanning, Hutchinson, b. Aug. 30, 1911, m. Sarah Hennie Barnwell
(e-3) Raymond Edward Lanning, Hutchinson, b. Jan. 7, 1915, m, 1st May Belle Metcalf, m, 2nd
Agnes Penix Rice, b. May 15, 1919
(e-4) Myrtle Mildred Lanning, Hutchinson, b. Nov. 20, 1913, m, Eugene Haliburton Fletcher
(e-5) Leona Kate Pauline Lanning, Hutchinson, b. Sept. 4, m, Amos Enoch Crowder

-178-

(e-6) Annie Louise Hutchinson, b. Aug. 20, 1921, m, Johnny (Henry) Mann
(e-7) Mary Alice Hutchinson, b. Sept. 1, 1923, m, Irving Hascal Wynn
(f) Annie Adeline Lanning, b. July 12, 1890, d. Sept. 9, 1967, buried Mountain Page Cemetery,
buried Mountain Page Cemetery, Saluda, N. C.
Children:
Children:
(fl-a) Billy Hipps, b. Nov. 5, 1931, m, Ruth Kitchen. Children:
(fl-a-1) David Hipps, b. Sept. 2, 1953
(fl-a-2) James Hipps, b. June 27, 1957
(fl-a-3) Carl Hipps, b. Aug. 26, 1960
(fl-a-4) Dianne Hipps, b. Mar. 31, 1964
(fl-b) John D. Hipps, b. Aug. 26, 1933, m, Doris Raile. Children:
(fl-b-1) Johnny Hipps, b. Dec. 22, 1954
(fl-b-2) Michael Hipps, b. June 2, 1960
(fl-b-3) Sandra Hipps, b. Jan. 18, 1963
(fl-c) Raymond Hipps, b. Aug. 13, 1935, m, Margaret Artus. Children:
(fl-c-l) Cheryl Hipps, b. July 2, 1957
(fl-c-2) Debbie Hipps, b. Dec. 1, 1959
(fl-c-3) stephane Hipps, b. March 23, 1962
Gertrude Donnie Russell, b. June 4, 1912
Lloyd Monroe Russell, b. November 3, 1944
Robert William (Bobby) Russell, b. Nov. 17, 1946
Eddie Capps, b. Jan. 19, 1969
Sylvia Dianne Russell, b. May 6, 1956
Joan Russell, b. Jan. 5, 1936, m. Woodrow Blackwell. Children:
Sandra Blackwell, b. Aug. 29, 1961
Rebecca Russell, b. Jan. 1, 1940, m. Fred Harden, b. June 17, 1934. Children:
Debbie Harden, b. Aug. 31, 1958
Kathy Harden, b. July 30, 1961
Freddie Harden, b. Nov. 15, 1966

Brenda Russell, b. Apr. 20, 19 m. J. R. (Dick) Daniels. Child:
Rusty Daniels
Children:
(f7a-1) Tammy Morgan, b. Mar. 6, 1968
(f7a-2) Tangela Morgan, b. Mar. 13, 1971

Barbara Bernice Morgan, b. Sept. 11, 1946, d. Sept. 18, 1946
Larry Ronald Morgan, b. July 18, 1947
Leland Ralph Morgan, Jr., b. Aug. 22, 1949
Clyde Williams Russell, b. Aug. 22, 1928, m. Viola Summey. Children:
Patricia Russell, m. Kenneth Emory

Children:
Glenn Ray Lanning, b. Sept. 3, 1922, m. 1st Leo Katrina Justice, m. 2nd Helen Eller. Children by 1st wife:
Children by 2nd wife:
Evelyn Helen Lanning, b. Dec. 21, 1955, Charleston, S.C.
Glenn Ray Lanning, Jr., b. Apr. 24, 1962, Charleston, S.C.
Lucy Francis Lanning, b. Oct. 7, 1924, m. Haskel Leslie
Thomas Napoleon Lanning, b. Mar. 10, 1927, d. Apr. 9, 1927, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery

Bertha Pauline Lanning, b. July 18, 1928, m. Steve Hilton
Ruth Leona Lanning, b. Sept. 2, 1931, m. Horace Rogers
J. T. Lanning

Hilliard Grant Lanning, b. Dec. 23, 1953, Asheville, Buncombe Co., N.C.
Angela Lynn Lanning, b. Oct. 10, 1958, Asheville, Buncombe Co., N.C.
John Clifton Lanning, b. Nov. 8, 1959, Asheville, Buncombe Co., N.C.

SAM LANNING & ROSIE

Cemetery, Oakley, N. C., and Dorothy Eugenia McInyae Smith, b. June 11, 1906. Children:
Christopher Todd Lanning, b. July 1, 1960, Asheville, Buncombe Co., N.C.
Brent Lesley Lanning, b. Apr. 7, 1964, Asheville, Buncombe County, N.C.
Johnny Virgil Stepp, m. Betty
Thomas Crawford Stepp, b. June 16, 1929, m, Bennie Lee Messer
Bobby Earl Stepp, m, Lorena Snodgrass
Jesse Kathryn Stepp, m. 1st Grady Edney, m. 2nd Ralph McMinn, m, 3rd Frank Storey
Ella Marie Stepp, m, Eli (Shine) Gibbs
Julia Leona Stepp, b. Aug. 3, 1937, m, Clyde Lindsey, b. Oct. 7, 1932
Maude Lanning, b. May 8, 1926, m, 1st George Bright, m, 2nd T. C. Cannon.
Children by 1st marriage:
Darleen Bright
Shella Bright

Gale Bright
Children by 2nd marriage:
Christopher Jerry Cannon
Duane Mitchell Cannon
(a-2) Eunice Lanning, b. Nov. 18, 1927, m, 1st Gene Rhodes, m, 2nd Raymond Farmer.
Child by 1st marriage:
(a2-a) Wayne Denalo Rhodes
Children by 2nd marriage:
(a2-b) Richard Farmer
(a2-c) Garry Brownlow Farmer
(a-3) Mary Jean Lanning, b. June 5, 1930, m. Earskin Corn. Children:
(a3-a) Ronnie Earskin Corn
(a3-b) Dennis McQween Corn
(a-4) Wayne Delnalo Lanning, b. May 12, 1945 (adopted by Brownlow and Daisy Lanning, carries the Lanning name.)
(b) May Lanning, b. Nov. 10, 1903, m, July 4, 1928 to Joel Maxwell, b. July 6, 1903. Children:
(b-1) Jernene Frankie Maxwell (died a child)
(b-2) Donald Lee Maxwell (died a child)
(d-1) William Elisha Lanning, Jr., b. Apr. 30, 1928
(d-2) Velma Violet Lanning, b. Nov. 25, 1931, m, Don Carr
(d-3) Arbutus Lanning, b. May 24, 1936, m, Nick Giavasis
(f) Golia Anthia Lanning, b. Feb. 22, 1915j m, Oct. 18, 1941 to James Gardner, b. Dec. 25, 19__
No children.
(6) Hiram King Lanning, b. Apr. 18, 1874, d. May 12, 1934, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, Fruitland, N. C., m. Elizabeth Nix, b. Mar. 14, 1877, d. Nov. 7, 1919, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, Fruitland, NC -- Children:
Children:
(a-1) Horace Lee Lanning, b. Dec. 7, 1914, died April 21, 2001, m. Eva Alexander 
Children:
(a2-a) Mary Phyllis Lanning, b. May 29, 1941, m. James Michael Babb, b. Oct. 9, 1939. 
Children:
(a2a-1) Amber Alyce Babb, b. Feb. 14, 1961 
(a2a-2) Parker Kale Babb, b. Jan. 27, 1963 
(a2b-1) Heather Elizabeth Tweed, b. Feb. 14, 1973 
(b) Bertha Lanning, b. Sept. 1, 1896, d. Mar. 17, 1964, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, Fruitland, N. C., m. 1st Jay Pryor, b. Feb. 19, 1890, m. 2nd U. S. Griffin, no children by second marriage. Children:
(b-1) Howard Pryor, m. Olga Rogers 
(b-2) Lorren Pryor, m. Aliene McCarson 
(b-3) Forrest Pryor, m. Ruby Garren 
(b-4) Lee Pryor, b. 1921, died Sept. 4, 1970, m. Margaret Hoots, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery 
(b-5) Vavie Pryor, d. Mar. 21, 1971, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, m. Walter Edney
(b-6) Louise Pryor, m. Jim Lancaster
(c) Odell Lanning, b. Mar. 27, 1899, m, Lorene Makin. Children:
  (c-1) Francis Lanning, m, Ben Ray
  (c-2) Wanda Lanning
  (c-3) Roger Lanning
d. Cynthia Jane Lanning, b. Oct. 30, 1826, m, Big Jerry Beddingfield. Children:
  (1) Russell Beddingfield
  (2) Kirk Beddingfield
  (3) James Beddingfield
e. Elvira (Eliza) Lanning, b. Nov. 20, 1829. (An Alzibah Lannine, born Nov. 25, 1822, d. August 19, 1864, is buried at Edneyville Methodist, Church and believed to be Elvira who never married)
f. Amy Lanning, b. June 7, 1832, m. Ed Maxwell.
  Child:
  (1) Mandia Maxwell
g. Mary Lanning, b. May 11, 1834, m, James Ledbetter
h. Sarah Lanning, b. Apr. 12, 1836, m, Dave Barnwell
  Children:
  (1) Major Barnwell
  (2) Annie Barnwell
  (3) Pearl Barnwell
i. Jeremiah Lanning, b. Jan. 8, 1838, m, Hannah
j. Margaret Matilda Lanning, b. Mar. 29, 1840, m, 1st, Maxwell Madison, m, 2nd Wilburn Garren. Children by 1st marriage:
  (1) Pressley Madison
  (2) Will Madison
  (3) Southern Madison
  Children by 2nd marriage:
  (4) Annie Garren, m. ____ Justice
  (5) Josie Garren, m. ____ Rogers
  NOTE>> There seems to be some confusion about Maxwell Madison being James Madison Maxwell and the surnames of the children. Will have to investigate further, but leaving “as is” for the sake of this book.
k. Annie Haseltine Lanning, b. May 20, 1845, d. Jan. 6, 1932, m. Apr. 4, 1867 to George Ledbetter. Grave stone shows George Ledbetter in service with Co. E, 64th N. C. Inf. CSA. Children:

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

10. AMY LANNING, b. Oct. 22, 1802, d. Aug. 6, 1885, m, David Maxwell, b. Sept. 8, 1796, d. April 12, 1886.
  Children:
  a. Gary Maxwell
  c. William T. Maxwell
  d. John Maxwell
  e. Eliza Maxwell, b. 1840
  f. Harriett Maxwell, b. 1843

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

11. JAMES LANNING, b. Dec. 23, 1804, d. Nov. 5, 1885, buried Old Cane Creek, m, 1826 to Polly Vaughn, b. June 12, 1807, d. Oct. 7, 1877, buried Old Cane Creek Cemetery -
  Children:
  a. Minerva Lanning, b. Jan. 24, 1827, d. Sept. 28, 1902 buried Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N. C., m, Nov. 12, 1846 to Jesse Whitaker, b. Oct. 10, 1821, d. February 3, 1859, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, son of William Whitaker, b.1779, d.1861, Buncombe Co., and Susan Summer Whitaker, d. 1869. Children:
    (1) John Harvey Whitaker, b. Dec. 15, 1849, d. November 5, 1856, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
    (2) Marcus E. Whitaker, b. 1851
    (3) Lillie Whitaker
    (4) Mary A. Whitaker, b. 1853
    (5) Jab Whitaker, b. 1855
    (6) George Whitaker, b. 1858
    (7) Alec Whitaker, b. 1859
  b. Henry Harvey Lanning, b. June 3, 1829, d. Nov. 18, 1855, buried Cane Creek Cem; , died of Typhoid Fever, m. Sarah Ann Whitaker, b. 1831, d. 1902, daughter of William and Susan Summer Whitaker (sister to Jess Whitaker, who married Minerva Lanning). Children:
    (1) Marian Lanning, b. 1852, m, Feb. 15, 1874, to W. A. Pinner
    (2) Julius P. Lanning, b. 1853, m, Mar. 17, 1878, to Mary M. Carland, b. Oct. 13, 1857, d. Mar. 1 1928, both buried New Salem Baptist Church, Skyland, N. C. Children:
        (a-1) Waldo Lanning, b. May 16, 1907, m. Louise Bryant
(a-2) Homer H. Lanning, m, Betty Reed
(a-3) Kate Lanning, m, Morris Lance

(a-4) Myrtle Belle Lanning, b. 1916, m, June 7, 1936, to Paul Franklin Cockrane
(a-5) Evelyn M. Lanning, m, 1st R. J. Qwinn, m, 2nd ___ Strinklin, married 3rd, ___ Robinson
(a-6) Lois Lanning, m, Russell Lawson
(a-7) Nellie Lanning, unmarried died 22 March 2001
(b) Sallie Lanning, died about 14 years of age, buried New Salem Baptist Church
(c) Lillie Lanning, b. 1886, d. 1970, buried New Salem Baptist Church, m, 1st June 11, 1904, to Francis Pressley, b. Nov. 2, 1883, d. Feb. 19, 1963, buried Mt, Zion Baptist Church, m.
2nd Virgil Moser, b. 1896
(e) Charles O. Lanning, b. 1892, d. 1968, buried Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Skyland, N. C., m. Feb. 7, 1914 to Mamie Pressley, b. 1893.
Children:
Children:
(e1-a) Michael L. Lanning
(e1-b) Bruce W. Lanning
(e-2) Alyne Lanning, m, _ Bailey
(e-3) Virginia Lanning
(e-4) Charles E. Lanning
(e-5) James R. Lanning
(f) Harry W. Lanning, b. 1880
(3) Charles C. Lanning, b. 1855, d. 1931, buried Tweeds Chapel, Fairview, N. C., m. Aug. 29, 1878, to Mary M. Connor, b. 1861, d.1935, buried Tweeds Chapel, Fairview, N. C. Children:
(a) Lannie Lanning, b. July 1, 1884, d. Oct. 18, 1961, buried Tweeds Chapel, m. July 1, 1903 to Arthur Towe, b. Sept. 13, 1881, d. Apr. 14, 1941

-194-

(c) Ben Whitney Lanning, b. July 7, 1891, d. Sept. 4, 1971, buried Tweeds Chapel, Fairview, N. C., m, June 14, 1913, to Ethel Drake, b. Nov. 16, 1893. Children:
(c-1) Alvin Lanning, b. 1916, m, Mable Rogers.
Child:
(c1-a) Rebecca Catherine Lanning
(c-2) Charles Kenneth Lanning, b. Sept. 17, 1920, m. 1940 to Christine Picklemire, b. July 20, 1922. Children:
(c2-a) Danny Lanning, b. 1942, m, Wanda Lowe. Children:
(c2a-l) Mart Lanning
(c2a-2) Whitney Lanning
(c2-b) Benny Lanning, b. 1952
(c2-c) Eddie Lanning, b. 1953
(c-3) Don Lanning, b. 1922, m, Hilda Lunsford. Child:
(c3-a) Judy Allene Lanning, m, David Bowman
(c-4) William (Bill) Lanning, m, Betty Gibbs.
Children:
(c4-a) William Lanning, Jr.
(c4-b) James Lanning
(c-5) Allene Lanning, b. Dec. 1913, m, Cleve McMahan. Child:
(c5-a) Don McMahan, m, Maida Farmer – Child:
(c5a-l) Vincent McMahan

c. Martha Lanning, b. Aug. 31, 1831, d. Feb. 4, 1834, buried Cane Creek Cemetery. (Burned to death when her clothes caught on fire.)
d. Amanda Lanning, b. Sept. 5, 1833, d. Oct. 27, 1842 of Scarlet Fever, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
e. Elizabeth (twin), b. Aug. 11, 1837, d. Oct. 21, 1842 of Scarlet Fever, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
Gardner (twin), b. Aug. 11, 1837, d. Apr. 11, 1863 of T. B., buried Cane Creek Cemetery

-195-

g. Alcy Lanning, b. Jan. 23, 1840, d. Feb. 12, 1912, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, NC, Mar. 11, 1869, to William L. Garren, b. Feb. 6, 1849, d. Feb. 17, 1908, buried Cane Creek Cemetery. Children:
(2) Jasper Francis Garren, b. Sept. 1, 1871, m, Apr. 19, 1904, to Lillie Pinner, had 3 sons
(3) Albert Jesse Garren, b. Nov. 16, 1873, d. Oct. 14, 1907, m, June 6, 1901, to Elsie Frady, had 1 daughter
(4) Emily Dina Garren, b. Dec. 1, 1875, m, Billie Robinson, b. Sept. 6, 1872, had 1 son and 1 daughter
(5) Samuel Martin Garren, b. May 4, 1878, m, June 12, 1907, to Annie Thompson Baity, b. Dec. 25, 1886, had 2 sons and 1 daughter
h. Jasper Lanning, b. Mar. 24, 1842, d. June 3, 1862, unmarried
i. Infant, b. Apr. 7, 1844, d. Apr. 7, 1844, buried Cane Creek Cemetery
j. Mary Lanning, b. June 28, 1845, m, May 28, 1861, to Joshua M. Harris
(a) Vernon Fletcher Lanning, b. May 15, 1902, d. Feb. 21, 1965, buried Atlanta, Ga., m, Dorothy ____, Children:
(a-1) Ronnie Lanning
(a-2) Susan Lanning
(b) Carl Edwin Lanning, born June 23, 1900, d. June 15, 1901, buried Tweeds Chapel

(c) George Arnold Lanning, b. Dec. 20, 1905, Apr. 17, 1922, to Edna Davie. Child:
(c-1) Betty Constance Lanning
(d) Thomas Newton Lanning, b. Apr. 22, 1907, d. Nov. 4, 1967, m. Martha
No children.
(2) Charles Henry Lanning, b. 1872, d. 1950, unmarried
(3) James C. Lanning, m. Hattie Brown, b. 1885, d. Mar. 27, 1972, buried Oakdale Cemetery -- Child:
(a) Ruby Lanning, m. Walter J. Maxwell -- Children:
(a-1) W. M. Maxwell, Lakewood, Colo.
(a-2) Patricia Ann Maxwell, Sacramento, Calif.
(5) Sarah Ella Lanning, b. 1874, buried Tweeds Chapel, m. May 2, 1900, to Benjamin Alexander
Garren, b. 1873, d. 1943, had 1 daughter, b. 1908, d. 1910.
(6) Addie Lanning, b. 1876, m. Jan. 13, 1895, to Horace Merrill, b. 1872. Child:
(a) Ruth Merrill, m. __ Black
(7) Judy Lanning, b. 1879
(8) Ida Lanning, m. __ West
(9) Lena Lanning, unmarried
(10) Edith Lanning, no children
Children:
(a) Irene Haywood
(b) Virginia Haywood
(c) Harry Haywood
NOTE>> There seems to be a question if these children are Haywood or Buckner
NOTE>> These children are Buckner siblings, not Haywood according to family member
Patti McCormick of Sarah Ella descent.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

13. **ELIZABETH (BETSY) LANNING**, b. Dec. 21, 1809, buried Hooper's Creek Baptist Church, Fletcher, N.C., never married, *(Jim Wells, father of Elizabeth’s son William, was to be Elizabeth's husband)* -- Child:

   (1) Joshua Elishay Lanning, b. Feb. 27, 1868, d. Oct. 15, 1947, buried Hooper's Creek Baptist Church, m. Apr. 17, 1899, to Lillie B. Rhodes. Children:
      (a) Elsie Lanning, b. Dec. 25, 1903, m. Avid Carney
      (b) Dolphus William Lanning, b. Oct. 11, 1905, m. 1st __ Barnwell, m. 2nd Vinnie Sluder, d. June 19, 1973, buried Hooper's Creek Baptist Church
      (c) Zelphia Lanning, b. May 22, 1907, m. Holbert Hoots
      (d) Birdell Lanning, b. Feb. 18, 190~ , m. Henry Rhodes, m. 2nd ___ Pace
(e) Naomi Lanning, b. Jan. 30, 1911, m, 1st Jim Lindsey, m, 2nd Al Silvers, m, 3rd, ___ Trantham
(g) Infant, b. Aug. 20, 1915
(h) Aslene Leeler Lanning, b. Aug. 4, 1916, m, Eugene Fowler
(i) Lois Lanning, b. Jan. 4. 1918, m, Clyde Gosnell
(j) Patrick Lanning, b. Jan. 5, 1920, m, Apr. 2, 1948, to Helen Wilson
(k) John Lanning, b. Apr. 20, 1926, m, Martha Thompson, b. 1930. Children:
  (k-1) Ronald Lanning, b. Aug. 25, 1949

(k-2) Mary Lanning, b. Oct. 6, 1950, m, Fenton Cunningham
(k-3) Jerry Lanning, b. Sept. 1952
(k-4) Denice Lanning, b. Nov. 17, 1956
(k-5) Allen Lanning, b. Nov. 4, 1960
(k-6) Infant, b. Jan. 26, 1921
(2) William Jesse Lanning, b. Oct. 30, 1870, d. Nov. 29, 1954, buried Lanning-Pittillo Cemetery, Fruitland, N. C., m. 1st Kathryn Cox, m. 2nd Helen Gosnell, sister to Addie Gosnell who married Brazillia Mitchell Lanning, see page 203. (Helen m, 2nd, ___ Brooks.) Children by 1st wife:
  (a) Walter Crawford Lanning, b. Oct. 18, 1904, m, Jan. 27, 1927 to Ethel Johnson. Children:
    (a1-a) Jonie Lee Lanning
    (a1-b) Joyce E. Lanning
    (a1-c) Glinda Faye Lanning
    (a1-d) Severn Wayne Lanning
    (a1-e) Anthony Earle Lanning
    (a1-f) Elizabeth Annette Lanning, buried Lanning- Pittillo Cemetery
  (a-2) Walter Dexter Lanning, b. July 29, 1936, m. Alice Griffin. Children:
    (a2-a) Johnny Dexter Lanning
    (a2-b) Ida Diana Lanning
  (a-3) George McCoy Lanning, b. Nov. 15, 1927, m. Daisy Raines. Children:
    (a3-a) George McCoy Lanning, Jr.
    (a3-b) Peggy Ann Lanning
    (a3-c) James Richard Lanning
    (a3-d) David M. Lanning
    (a3-e) Jesse William Lanning
    (a3-f) Ricky George Lanning
(b) Leola Lanning, m, Jan. 18, 1927, to Gordon Johnson
Children by 2nd wife:
  (c) Louise Lanning, m, _ Wilson, m, 2nd Chapman
  (d) Linton James Lanning, m, Virginia Burrell.
Children:
WILLIAM ANDERSON & YOUNGBLOOD
(William's daughter Dosie married James E. Youngblood, son of man shown here.)

(d-1) James Reic Lanning, b. July 8, 1951, m, Tamela Ann Leary, b. 1951
(3) Sarah Elizabeth Lanning, b. Feb. 11, 1872, m, June 27, 1888, to George Wolf
(4) Mary Muesy Haseltine Lanning, b. Mar. 6, 1876, d. Aug. 20, 1940, m. Dec. 30, 1892, to Victor H. Justice
(5) Dosie Malinda Lanning, b. 1883, buried Hooper's Creek Church, m, Feb. 16, 1902, to James E. Youngblood, b. Dec. 15, 1868, d. Apr. 6, 1931.
Children:
(b) Etter Youngblood, b. Feb. 13, 1906
(c) Van William Youngblood, b. Jan. 6, 1904, m, Eustus Pittillo
(d) Vernon Jasper: Youngblood, b. Sept. 17, 1905
(e) Cleo Bell Youngblood, b. Oct. 21, 1908
(f) Floyd Youngblood, b. May 11, 1910
(g) James Howard Youngblood, b. Mar. 6, 1912
(h) Fred Tastuo Youngblood, b. Mar. 14, 1914
(i) Mary Youngblood, b. Oct. 15, 1915, d. Dec. 18, 1940, m. Horace Allen
(j) James Earvin Youngblood, d. Apr. 6, 1931
(k) Homer Youngblood, b. July 13, 1919, died January 1, 1992
(l) Infant, b. Mar. 7, 1922
(6) Brazillia Mitchell Lanning, b. Sept. 19, 1885, d. Dec. 18, 1955, buried Hooper's Creek Baptist Church, m, Dec. 25, 1917, to Addie G. Gosnell,
b. July 24, 1898, sister to Helen Gosnell who married William Jesse Lanning, see page 20l. 
(Addie m, 2nd_ Burrell.) Children:
(a) Brazillia Mitchell Lanning, Jr., b. Oct. 16, 1918, d. Mar. 1, 1945 (killed in service while in Germany), buried Berea Baptist Church, Asheville, N. C., m, Gladys Morgan, no children. 
(b) Charles Theodore Lanning, Jr., born Jan. 15, 1920, m, Ruby Huntley, b. Dec. 15, 1917. Children:

(b-1) Charles Theodore Lanning, Jr., b. June 3, 1942, m, Martha Sue Johnson. Children:
(b1-a) John Henry Lanning, b. Sept. 8, 1968
(b1-b) Benjamin Mitchell Lanning, b. Feb. 25, 1973  
(b-2) Cathy Lanning, b. June 18, 1946, m, Oct. 17, 1970, to Harvey Bell
(b-3) Joan, b. Apr. 6, 1950, m, 1st Mar. 29, 1970, to John Noland, m, 2nd Mar. 17, 1973, to Hobert Pace
(c) Noel Clendon Lanning, b. Feb. 8, 1929, d. Feb. 11, 1929, buried Hooper's Creek Church

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

14. JESSE LANNING, b. June 16, 1813, buried Dix Creek Chapel, Leicester, N.C., m. 1st Lucinda Whitaker, b. 1813, daughter of John Whitaker, b. 1765, d. 1841, and Millie Brookshire Whitaker, m, 2nd Nancy ____, b. 1812. Children: 
(a) McCall Tanning, b;: 1834
(b) James Riley Lanning, b. Oct. 1, 1837, d. May 24, 1910, buried Carinth Baptist Church, Leicester, N" C., m, Atlanta McFalls, b. Nov. 15, 1846, d. Mar. 15, 1908, buried Carinth Baptist Church, Leicester, N. C., daughter of Jesse McFalls. Children:
(1) J. Dulie Lanning; b. Oct. 11, 1867, d. Jan. 20, 1868
(2) Mitchell E. Lanning, b. Nov. 15, 1868, d. Sept. 3, 1890, buried Dix Creek Methodist Church
(3) Alice Leona Lanning, b. Dec. 24, 1872, d. Nov. 1 1969, buried Old New Found Baptist Church, Leicester, N. C., m, John M. Parham, b. Aug. 1, 1869, d. Mar. 8, 1941, buried Old New Found Baptist Church, Leicester, NC, son of Dr. Jacob and Sallie Foster Parham. Children:
(a) Jake Parham, b. June 28, 1894, m, Oct. 1916, to Kate Stevens
(b) Ethel Parham, b. Aug. 11, 1895, m, 1st, _____ Cox, m, 2nd Clifford V. Frisbee, b. May 31, 1898, d. Apr. 3, 1951
(c) Everette Parham, b. May 1897, d. at 18 mos. of age, buried Dix Creek Chapel
(d) Fred Parham, b. July 1899, m, Pearl Cox
(e) Floyd Parham, b. Apr. 8, 1903, m, Lela Mille
(f) Katie Parham, b. May 10, 1905, d. Dec. 12, 1943, buried Newfound Baptist Church, m, Jason Riddle, b. June 27, 1905, d. May 23, 1959
(g)Allie Parham, b. Feb. 2, 1907, unmarried
(h) Johnny Parham, b. Apr. 26, 1909, m, Pearl Gillispie
(i) Holland Parham, b. Feb. 1, 1911, m, Ann Sluder
(j) Ruth Parham, b. Dec. 7, 1915, m, Harry Canter

(4) Laura Auroma Lanning, b. Aug. 14, 1873, d. Nov. 29, 1925, buried Old New Found Baptist
Church, m, Melvin Carter Foster, b. Nov. 15, 1871, d. May 5, 1950
(5) Robert C. Lanning, b. June 22, 1876, d. Feb. 3, 1907, buried Dix Creek Methodist Church, m,
Sara Cates
(6) (Twins) W. E. and D. E. Lanning, b. May 31, 1880, d. May 31, 1880, buried Dix Creek
Methodist Church
b. Dec. 9, 1888, d. Sept. 5, 1945, both buried Carinth Baptist Church, Leicester, N. C. Children:
(a) Virginia Lanning, b. 1910, m, Nov. 2, 1933, to Rev. Glenn Callahan, b. 1912. Children: 
(a-1) James Edward Callahan, b. Apr. 11, 1941, d. Apr. 11, 1941
(b) Clinton J. Lanning, b. May 14, 1911, m. June 9, 1929 to Faye Franklin, b. May 14, 1911,
Children:
(b-1) Betty Lanning, b. Mar. 3, 1930, m, Ronald Ream. Children:
(b1-a) Larry Ream
(b1-b) Mona Ream
(c) Mavourean Lanning, b. Sept. 11, 1914, d. Aug. 25, 1914, buried Carinth Baptist Church
(d) Thelma Lee Lanning, m. June 20, 1937, to Raymond Porter Joyner
(e) Fred Morgan Lanning, b. Feb. 20, 1920, d. Feb. 25, 1958, buried Carinth Baptist Church,
Leicester, N. C., m, Francis Jenkins. Children:
(e-1) Martha Lanning, m, Tete _____
(e-2) Jimmie Lanning, unmarried
(e-3) Tommy Lanning, m, Pat _____
(8) Martha Lanning, b. 1882, m, 1st M. G. Mauch, m, 2nd John Kenyon
(9) Charles Lanning, m, Nettie Ruffin Denton Johnson, Jackson, N. C. Children:

-206-

(a) Jesse Lanning
(b) Mitchell Lanning
(c) John Lanning
(d) Ralph Lanning
(e) Weaver Lanning
(f) Robert (Bob) Lanning
(g) Edith Lanning, m, Roland Lyda, Marion, NC
(h) Edna Lanning, m, Milton Surrette
(i) Ethel Lanning, m. Guy Hogan, lives at Old Fort, N. C.
(10) Grover Lanning, buried Kings Mountain, N. C.
c. Rachel Lanning, b. 1837, m, Mar. 1, 1873, to Benjamin Hayes, b. 1835
d. Sarah A. Lanning, b. 1839
e. Mary Lanning, b. 1840  
f. John W. Lanning, b. 1842  
g. Prissilla Lanning, b. 1843  
h. William J. Lanning, b. 1844  
i. Rosilla Louisa Lanning, b. 1846  
j. Harriette Lanning, b. 1850  
k. Rebecca Lanning, b. 1854  

B. _AESHIA LANNING_, b. May 4, 1766, Rowan Co., N. C. (now Davidson Co., N. C.), died May 8, 1845, married, August 29, 1793 to Eldad Reed, son of Eldad Reed and Jane Whitaker. Eldad's first wife was Elizabeth ______, and all three are buried in Old Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N. C. (See page 286)
C. ENOS LANNING, born April 27, 1770, died March 8, 1844, buried Reed's Cemetery, Davidson County, NC (no marker), married, January, 21, 1793 to Sarah Warner, born July 23, 1775, died April 1884, daughter of William and Elizabeth Warner.

CHILDREN OF ENOS AND SARAH WARNER LANNING:

1. John Lanning, born July 11, 1793
2. William Lanning, born July 9, 1795, died 1843, married November 27, 1882 to Rachel Wilson, born 1806. Children:
   a. Ellen Lanning, married, ___ Gobble, and went to Texas
   b. Elizabeth Lanning, born 1829, married William Brown (brother to Lucy Brown, John's wife)
   c. Margaret Lanning, born 1830, married James Smith
      (1) James H. Lanning, born 1864
      (2) Martha A. Lanning, born 1867
      (3) Baxter Franklin Lanning, born November 17, 1871, married Aletha Carrie Smith. Children:
         (a) Jesse Lanning, married Earnestine ______
         (b) John Tate Lanning, born September 13, 1902, married Elizabeth Baxter Williams
      (4) John P. Lanning, born 1873
   e. Thomas F. Lanning, born 1837, married December 22, 1865, to Mary C. Ratts, born 1833. Children:
      (1) E. C. Lanning, born 1868
      (2) Ellen E. Lanning, born 1871
      (3) Mary R. Lanning, born 1872
      (4) George Lanning, born 1874
      (5) Margaret Lanning, born 1877
   f. George W. Lanning, born 1840, married, February 20, 1866, to Barbara Haines, born 1843. Children:
      (1) William P. Lanning, born 1867
      (2) Cora Lanning, born 1868
      (3) M. Henry F. Lanning, born 1872
      (4) Mattie Lanning, born 1875
      (5) Henniea Lanning, born 1877
      (6) Walter L. Lanning, born 1880

-210-

g. Francis Marion Lanning, b. 1841, died in Civil War
h. Henderson Lanning; b. 1823, m. July 20, 1849, 1st to Belinda Raker, m. 2nd Elizabeth __. Children:
   (1) Sarah Anne Lanning, b. 1850 Henderson was killed while on duty on the Southern Railway not far from Federal Prison Camp at Salisbury, NC during the Civil War.
a. Polly Lanning, b. Jan. 13, 1822
b. Enos Lanning, b. Sept. 25, 1823, m, Dec. 31, 1849, to Jane Cornish, b. 1826
c. James Lanning, b. Oct. 9, 1825, m, July 11, 1856, to Joanah Hunt
d. Mary Lanning, b. 1827
e. Thomas Lanning, b. Mar. 1, 1828, m, Dec. 22, 1865 to Mary C. Ratts, b. 1833
f. Jary Lanning, b. July 6, 1830

g. Robert Lanning, b. Mar. 17, 1832, m, Aug. 15, 1866 to Elizabeth Koontz, b. 1832. Children:
   (1) Mary C. Lanning, b., 1857
   (2) George M. Lanning, b. 1859
   (3) David H. Lanning, b. 1860, m, Jan. 17, 1866, to Eva Livengood, b. 1842. Burrell Lanning, a grandson, lived with the family in 1880. Children:
      (a) Andrew J. Lanning, b. 1869
      (b) Thomas Lanning, b. 1871
      (c) Charles Lanning, b. 1873
      (d) Mary J. Lanning, b. 1877
      (e) Ella M. Lanning, b. 1879
      (4) Phillip A. Lanning, b. 1862
      (5) Alice M. Lanning, b. 1867
      (6) H. Lanning, b. 1870
      (7) Albert L. Lanning, b. 1874
      (8) Elizabeth Lanning, b. 1877

h. William Lanning, b. May 25, 1834, m, Apr. 14, 1862 to Elizabeth Koontz. William and Elizabeth went to Texas and were never heard of again.
i. Henderson Lanning, b. Oct. 24, 1838, m, 1879, to Elizabeth

-211-

j. David Lanning, b. Dec. 24, 1840, m, Jan. 17, 1866, to Eve Livengood
k. Obediah Lanning, b. Oct. 11, 1842
l. Elizabeth Lanning, b. Oct. 27, 1845

4. Thomas F. Lanning, b. Oct. 21, 1800, buried Reed's Cemetery, Rowan County, NC, (no marker), married February 12, 1823, to Catherine Lopp, daughter of David Lopp. One daughter who married N. H. Swicegood. This man was a “Bound Boy” and knew very little of his family, other than his sister and brother went to Indiana.
5. Elizabeth Lanning, b. Sept. 25, 1817, m. June 18, 1844, to David Hunt. Brothers to David were Daniel and Andrew Hunt

-212-
LAND GRANT TO JOSEPH LANNING FROM ROWAN COUNTY, NC

No. 354
State of North Carolina

To all to whom these presents shall come. Greetings.
Know ye, that we, for and in consideration of the sum of fifty Shillings for every hundred acres hereby granted paid into our treasury by Joseph Lanning have given and granted and by these presents do give and Grant unto the Said Joseph Lannin a Tract of land containing Two hundred and ninety four-acres, lying and being in our County of Rowan on the Indian grave branch, Beginning on a hickory at McGullohs corner, runs along that line south South sixty six chains and twenty links to a hicory Sapling his corner - thence South thirty five Degrees East thirteen chains and twenty links to a stake on Daniel Hunts line, thence along his line and John Green West fifty six Chains and thirty links to a white oak Sapling, thence North forty-five chains to a post Oak sapling on John Hollis's line, thence along his line East eighteen and half Chains to a Post Oak his corrn, thence along his line North forty Degrees East fifteen Chains to a Post Oak his corner thence along his line North North twenty five Degrees West eighteen chains to a White 0ak his corner, thence East to the Beginning as by the plat hereunto affixed doth appear together with all woods, waters, mines, minerals.

Heriditaments & appurtenances to the said land belonging or appertaining. To Hold to the said Joseph Lanning his heirs and Assigns for ever yielding and paying to us such sums of money yearly or otherwise as our General Assembly from time to time may Direct, Provided Always that the said Joseph Lanning shall cause this grant to be registered in the Registers Office of our said County of Rowan with in twelve months from the date hereof otherwise the same Shall be void and of non effect. In Testamony whereof we have caused these our letters to be made patent and our Great Seal to be hereunto affixed.

Witness Alexander Martin Esquire, our Governor Captain General and Commander in Chief at Hillsbro the tenth day of October in the eighth year of our Independence and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty three.

By His Excelllys Comd. No. 354

Alex: Martin
J. Glasgow, Sec.
Joseph Lanning 294 acres Rowan County
Recorded In the Secratarys Office A. Pearcee P- Sec 'y
DEED - JOSEPH PH LANNING
TO ENOS LANNING

This Indenture made the twentieth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty one, between Joseph Lanning of the state of Kentucky and County of Allen of the one part and Enos Lanning of the State of North Carolina and County of Rowan of the other part, Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred dollars in hand paid at and before the sealing and ivery of these presents the receipt an payment whereof I do hereby acknowledge, hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened, conveyed and confirmed and by these present doth grant, bargain, sell, alien, convey and confirm unto the said Enos Lanning, his heirs and assigns forever all that tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Rowan on the Indian Grove Branch beginning at a Hickory. W. (?) corner runs along that line with sixty one chains and twenty links to a saplin, his corner, thence South thirty four degrees East thirteen chains and twenty links to a stake in Daniel Hunts line thence along his and John Greens line (?) fifty six chains and thirty links to a White Oak Saplin, thence North forty five chains to a Post Oak in John Hollors line along his line East eighteen chains and fifty links to a Post Oak his corner, thence along his line North forty degrees East, fifteen chains to a Post Oak, his corner, thence along his line North twenty five degrees West eighteen chains to a White Oak his corner, thence East to the beginning containing by computation two hundred and ninety four acres be the same more or less. To have and to hold the said piece or parcel of land with all ways, woods, waters and every other appurtenance thereunto belonging or appertenance to the own proper use and behoof of the said Enos Lanning his heirs and assigns forever in fee simple, and at the said Joseph Lanning for myself, my heirs executors and administrators do hereby covenant and promise to and with the said Enos Lanning that I by myself my jeirs executors and administrators, shall and will at all times warrant and forever defend the said piece or parcel of land free from all lawfully claim of any person whatsoever whereby the above mentioned promises may or might be affected or incumbered contrary to the true intent and meaning of these presents. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Signed, Sealed and delivered in the presence of:
Jacob Gobble
William Bruce
John Lanning

Joseph Lanning (seal)

Lexington, Rowan County November Sessions 1821
I hereby certify that the within Deed was duly proven in open Court by the Oath of Jacob Gobble, recorded and ordered to be registered.
Signature illegible
ELIZABETH WARNER'S WILL

State of North Carolina Davidson County

In the name of God amen, I, Elizabeth Warner, being weak of body, but of disposing mind and memory do now come to consider my worldly estate which I am inclined to dispose of the following manner:
To wit: - I give unto my daughter Setty Morefield the sum of one dollar in cash) also unto my son John Warner, I give one dollar in cash, also unto Mary Wilson I give one dollar in cash, to be equally divided between her heirs also unto my son William Warner, I give one dollar in like manner. Also I give unto my daughter Nancy Cooper one dollar:
moreover it is my desire also my bequest, that my grand-daughter Elizabeth Lanning, have all my household furniture
consisting of beds, Pewter & "delf" ware, table & chest, & C&C, to receive all & everything pertaining to my household effects, after her mothers decease, that is, my daughter Sally Lanning, I do also give & bequeath unto my daughter Sally Lanning all the money in "specce " I have in hand, to be particular I give this; as before named to her, for her to dispose of as she may think proper - I also give & bequeath unto my son-in-law Enos Lanning, and wife, the remainder of money, either in bank or notes of hand to dispose of between them as they may think proper.
In confirmation which I do acknowledge this to be my last will & testament & to be executed accordingly, without any addition or diminution, & do hereby appoint my confident & trusty fried, Enos Lanning, executor to this my last will & testament. In testimony of which I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this 14th day of July in the year of our Lord 1830.
In the presence of
P. Minor
John Wilson

her
Elizabeth X Warner
(seal)
mark

-217-
• MARY BELLE MAXWELL CARPENTER, born April 16, 1911, Hendersonville, NC, married April 29, 1942, Spartanburg, to William W. Carpenter (son of E. W. Carpenter, Greenville, SC). Daughter of:
• SYLVESTER MAXWELL, b. January 27, 1883, m, April 6, 1908, Henderson County, NC to Annie Orr, b. March 16, 1886. Son of:
• JONAS MAXWELL, born December 26, 1852, died April 1937, married December 23, 1869 to Rachel C. Ledbetter, born September 17, 1851, died June 21, 1889. Son of:
• REILLEY (or RILEY) MAXWELL, b. March 29, 1830, died March 11, 1916, married, Nancy Minerva Williams (daughter of Walter "Waddie" Williams and Emilie Green Williams). Son of:
• DAVID MAXWELL, born September 8, 1796, died April 12, 1886, married,
• AMY LANNING, born October 22, 1802, died August 6, 1885, daughter of:
• JOHN LANNING, born February 27, 1757, Bordentown, NJ , died August 10, 1839, married in Rowan County, NC, October 1783, to Sarah Whitaker, born December 7, 1767, died May 26, 1848. Son of:
JOSEPH LANNING (for proof, see Pension Record of John Lanning and of Sarah Lanning, his widow, which follows).

    That the said Sarah Whitaker was a daughter of Joshua Whitaker, born January 2,1738, married about 1764 to Mary ______ [Mary Reed] born October 31, 1745. (See accompanying data to Pension Claim of Sarah Lanning which follows).

    John Lanning and wife, Sarah Whitaker Lanning, are buried in the graveyard of Cane Creek Baptist Church, where a monument has been erected to mark the site. Joshua Whitaker and wife Mary are buried in the same graveyard.

    The children of John and Sarah Whitaker Lanning were:
    Enos, born October 8, 1784
    John, born February 16, 1794, married, Susanna Gallimore
    Jesse, born June 16, 1813, married Lucinda Whitaker
    William, born July 15, 1797, married, Anna Williams

    Proof of these children is found in a deed from Amy Maxwell and others to Elizabeth Lanning, conveying land on Hoopers Creek, dated September 30, 1848, and recorded in Book 24, page 119, of the Records of Deeds for Buncombe County.

    The grantors in this deed are:
Enos Lanning  
John Lanning, himself  
Jesse Lanning  
William Lanning  
Joseph Lanning  
James Barnhill and wife, Mary  
David Garren and wife, Nancy  
David Maxwell, and wife, Amy  
William Garren and wife, Sarah  
Thomas Morris for Amos Lanning  
Rachel Lanning, and  
Elizabth Lanning  
as the heirs and representatives of John Lanning, deceased

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
BUNCOMBE COUNTY

On this 18th day of October personally appeared in open Court before the judge of the Superior Court of law and Equity now sitting for the county of Buncombe, John Lanning a resident of the aforesaid county and state who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed about June 7th, 1832. That he is about the age of 75 years, that he first entered the service of the militia of North Carolina in the County of Rowan as a substitute for his father, Joseph Lanning, under the following named officers to wit: Capt. Robert Moore, Maj. James Smith, Col. Alex. Martin and General Rutherford, from Rowan, the troops being marched to a place called Campbelton, near Fayetteville, NC, that the troops to which he was attached were there discharged or rather, were marched back to their own neighborhood and dismissed, having served twenty-eight days, for this tour of service - he never had a discharge in writing - the precise time he entered the service he does not remember but believes it to have been some time in the year 1776. That he again entered the service in the county of Rowan under Capt. Robert Moore, Major Jas. Smith, Col. Locke and General Rutherford, that at this time he was with Genl. Rutherford in his expedition against the Cherokees and was at the burning of the valleytowns; this time he served three months returning homeward he was met by his father with a horse in the neighborhood of Sherrill's Ford on the Catawba and was permitted to quit the company and return home. For this service he never had a written discharge.  
That on the 20 March, 1779, he again entered the service as a volunteer in the company commanded by Capt. Armstrong as he believes and Lieut. Richard Graham, that his Capt. was several times changed, that from Rowan where he entered the service he was marched through South Carolina and across the Savannah River a mile below Augusta remaining there a few days, they re-crossed the river - they were marched toward Charleston, SC where they joined Gen. Butler's division in the neighborhood of Ashley River. That he was in the battle of Stono, that he was in no general engagement save that of Stono though he was in frequent skirmishes with
foraging parties; etc that he was discharged about eight miles from Stono, as per discharge of
2nd July, 1779. That some months the precise time after his arrival at home he entered the
service in Capt. Lopp’s Company of Calvary in the County of Rowan, that

this time he found his own horse and served for two months at the expiration of which time he
was permitted to quit the service there being then no further call for the services of Capt. Lopp’s
Company of Rangers. He states that he does not remember particular dates of his entering the
service save the (?) that for which he has a discharge that he has no other documentary evidence
save the one discharge and that he knows of no person whose testimony he can procure who can
testify to his services.

I hereby relinquish every claim whatever to a pension or annuity save the present and do
declare that my name is not on the pension roll of any state.

Where and in what year were you born?

Was born in Bordentown, New Jersey, on or about the 27th Feb. 1757, and I have a record of my
age in my Bible. I lived in the County of Rowan at each time I entered service - during the
revolution I have lived in the County of Rowan & Buncombe in the State of North Carolina in
the latter of which I now live.

I entered the service as a substitute and twice I volunteered when substituted it was for my father
Joseph Lanning.

I have already stated all that I now remember of the regular officers who were with the troops
when I served, as to the continental and militia regiments and the circumstances of my service.
I never received any written discharge save the one given by Lieutenant Richard Graham.

His
John X Lanning

Mark

Sworn to in open Court
October 20, 1832
J. Roberts, Clk.

I hereby declare that the Bearer John Lanning has served as a soldier in my company 20th of
March to the 25th of July and is now discharged for given under my hand this 2nd day of July,
1779.

(Seal) Richard Graham, Lt.
(Signed)

-221-

State of North Carolina
Buncombe County

I, Asia Reed, a resident of the County of Buncombe State aforesaid aged seventy-seven years do
hereby certify upon oath that I have for the last seventy years been intimately acquainted with
John Lanning late Revolutionary pensioner deceased of the county of Buncombe. Also with his wife Sarah who is now applying for a pension on the account of her late husband's Revolutionary Services John Lanning, that I was present and saw the parties aforesaid married which took place in the County of Rowan State of North Carolina some time about the close of the Revolutionary War in the Year of 1783, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three, that I lived a near neighbor to the aforesaid parties in Rowan County and that they left that County some fifty years and settled themselves in the County of Buncombe and I came into this County some few years after them and I lived near neighbor to them ever since. I also certify that John Lanning, the aforesaid pensioner deceased a few years since leaving his wife Sarah a widow who has never since married.

Sworn to and subscribed on this 25th day of September 18 hundred and forty three, 1843, before:

[Signature]

Her
Asia X Reed
Mark

Attest: J. Merril, J. P.

And, I the said Justice of the Peace before whom the fore-going certificate was proven hereby certify that Asia Reed who hath sworn to and subscribed the foregoing is a person to whose statements is due full faith and Credit.

In testimony whom of I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date above written.

J. Merrill, J. P. (Seal)

State of North Carolina
Buncombe County
I Nathaniel Harrison, Clerk of the Court of Pleas and

Quarter in and for the County of Buncombe and stated aforesaid certify that Jonathan Merrill, Esq., the same an acting Justice of the Peace for said County duly commissioned and appointed is and was the same at the time of signing the same and the signatures purporting to be his are genuine.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and addifed my seal of office at office in Asheville, this 2nd till (Seal), October, 1843.

A. Harrison,
Clk.

State of North Carolina
Buncombe County
On this 25th day of September one thousand eight hundred forty three before me, Jonathan Merrill one of the acting magistrates in and for the County of Buncombe and State aforesaid, personally appeared Hannah Trantham, and made oath in due form of law, that she is now seventy-nine years of age, that she has from her childhood been intimately acquainted with John Lanning of said County of Buncombe late Revolutionary pensioner deceased also his wife Sarah who is now applying for pension on the accounts of her late husband's Revolutionary services. That she was present and witnessed the solemnization of the rites of matrimony between the parties aforesaid John Lanning and his wife Sarah, whose maiden name was Whitaker. That the parties were married in the County of Rowan state of North Carolina by one Esq. McKee, which was about the year of (1783) one thousand seven hundred and eighty three at the close of the Revolutionary War, that the parties aforesaid John Lanning and his wife Sarah have always lived together as husband and wife up to the time of said John Lanning's death, and that his wife Sarah is still living and has never since married.

Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year first above written before.

Attest;

Her
Hannah X Trantham
Mark

J. Merrill, J. P.

And I the said Justice of the Peace do hereby certify that Hannah Trantham who hath this day sworn to and subscribed that foregoing certificate before me is a credible person and to her statements is due full faith and credit.

Given under my hand and Seal the day and date first above written;

J. P. Merrill, J. P. (Seal)

We, Eldad Reed, John Reed, Richard Sumner, residing in the County of Buncombe and State of North Carolina hereby certify that we are well acquainted with John Lanning, who has subscribed and sworn to the above declaration and that we believe him to be seventy five years of age; that he is reputed and believed in the neighborhood where he resides to have been a soldier of the Revolution and that we concur in that opinion.

Eldad Reed
John Reed
His
Richard X Sumner
Mark

Sworn to and subscribed this day and year aforesaid.

J. Roberts, Clk.
And the said Court do hereby declare their opinion, after the investigation of the matter, and after putting the interrogatories prescribed by the War Department, that the above named applicant was a revolutionary soldier and served as he states and the Court further certifies that Eldad Reed, John Reed, and Richard Sumner – resident in the County of Buncombe who have signed the same are credible persons, and that their statement is entitled to credit.

I, Joshua Roberts, Clerk of Superior Court of law for the County of Buncombe do hereby certify that the foregoing contains the original proceedings in the matter of the application of John Lanning for pension.

In testimony wereof I have hereunto set my hand, seal of Office this day and year aforesaid.

J. Roberts, Clk. (Signed)

-224-

Brief in the case of John Lanning, County of Buncombe in the state of North Carolina (Act of June 7, 1832):
1. Was the declaration made before a Court or a Judge? Court
2. If before a Judge, does it appear that the applicant is disabled by bodily infirmity? 75.
3. How old is he? 75.
4. State his service, as directed in the form annexed.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Period of Duration of Service</th>
<th>Names of General and field officers under whom I served</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>yrs. mos. days</td>
<td>Substituted in 1776 28 Private</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Gen. Rutherford</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Capt. Robt. Moore</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Maj. I. Smith</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Vol. 1779 3

Entered in a cavalry company Col. A. Martin

and served 3 14 Capt. Moore

Jas. Smith

Col. Lock

Capt. Armstrong

Genl. Butler

Capt. Tapps, Cav.

5. In what battles was he engaged? Stono
6. Where did he reside when he entered the service? Rowan County, N. C.
7. Is his statement supported by living witnesses, by documentary proof, by traditionary evidences, by incidental evidence or by the rolls? Documentary and traditionary
8. Are the papers defective as to form or authentication. If so in what respect? Correct.

I hereby certify that the foregoing statement and the answers agree with the evidence in the case above mentioned

Richard Key Watts, Examining Clerk

State of North Carolina
Buncombe County

On this the 2nd day of August 1833 personally appeared before me Tho, T. Patton an acting Justice of the Peace for the County and State aforesaid, Thomas Stradley, a Baptist minister of the Gospel, and sayeth that he is well acquainted with John Lanning who has subscribed and sworn to the declaration attached that he is well acquainted with him, John Lanning, that he is reputed and believed in the neighborhood where he resides to have been a soldier in the revolution and that he is entitled to credit, and I concur in the same opinion.

Sworn and subscribed the day and date above.

Tho. T. Patton, J.P. of C.C. B.C.
Tho. Stradley

I, Thomas T. Patton, Cho. P.R.B.C. Court do hereby certify that I am well acquainted with Thomas Stradley the above who has sworn to the certificate. That he is a regular minister of the gospel of the Baptist faith, that he did sign the above certificate and swore to the same, according to law. Given from under my hand and seal this 2nd day of August 1833.

Tho. T. Patton, J. P.

State of North Carolina
Buncombe County

On this 25th day of September, one thousand eight hundred and forty three before me, Jonathan Merrill one of the acting magistrates and a member of the court of Pleas and Quarter sessions in and for the County of Buncombe and state aforesaid personally appeared Sarah Lanning, aged seventy-six years, a resident of the County and state aforesaid, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on her oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions made by the act of Congress passed July 7th, 1838, “Entitled an Act granting half-pay and Pensions to certain Widows” --- Also the benefit of the provisions made by the Act of Congress passed March 3, 1843.
That she is the widow of John Lanning late Revolutionary pensioner dec, d. of the County of Buncombe, N. Carolina who was a private soldier in the N. Carolina Cont. Line in the War of the Revolution and was allowed a Pension as such by the U. S. under the Act of June 7th, 1822, and in the year of 1834, sometime in February which was an annuity of $31-33 thirty one & thirty-three cents per annum.

She further declared that she was married to the said John Lanning late pensioner dec. d. in the County of Rowan, state of N. Carolina in the month of October (1783) and in the year of (1783) one thousand seven hundred & eighty three. That her husband the aforesaid John Lanning pensioner dec, d. died on the 10th day of August (1839) one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine. And that she has remained a widow ever since that period. That she was not married to her said husband the aforesaid John Lanning prior to his leaving the service but that the marriage took place previous to the first of January one thousand seven hundred and ninety four. Vis: In the month of October one thousand seven hundred and eighty three at the time before stated- She further declared that she has a family record that shows her age, also the age of her husband, John Lanning dec. d. together with the births of their children which has been kept by the family for many years, further more that her marriage she will be able to prove, by a living witness that was present at the time she & her husband the aforesaid John Lanning was married. Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year first written in the foregoing before.

Attest:
Her
Sarah X Lanning (Seal)
Mark

J. Merrill, J. P.

The following data is from the Pension Claim of Sarah Lanning,
"Some of the children of John Lanning and wife Sarah:
    Enos    Born October 8, 1784
    Amos    Born November 18, 1786
    Joseph  Born January 4, 1788
    Mary    Born September 23, 1790

-227-

DEED - ELDAD REED, SR.
TO JOHN LANNING 2nd

(Buncombe County Court House Book 22, page 30, Asheville, NC)

North Carolina Buncombe County Know all men by these presents that I, Eldad Reed Sr. of the county aforesaid for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars to me in hand paid by John Lanning the receipt and payment whereof is hereby acknowledged hath bargained & sold & by these presents doth bargain & sell unto John Lanning second Senr. a certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in the county aforesaid lying on both sides of Gap Creek joining the lands of Lot Harper on the South and John Rickman on the East including the
Pine flat (Beginning on a white oak near the head of the Cat Swamp runs South seventy five degrees West fifty eight poles to a chestnut oak in Lot Harper line, thence North croping the brook thirty five poles to a Pine, thence West thirty eight poles to a White oak thence North ninty eight poles to two small Hickorys, thence East ninety poles to a stake in J. Rickmans line, thence with the same South one hundred & seventy poles croping the brook to the Beginning Containing Sixty acres) To have and to hold this piece or parcel of land with all woods, ways, waters and every other appurtenance thereunto belonging or appertaining unto the said John Lanning his heirs and assignees forever and I for myself my heirs executors and administrators do hereby covenant with and promise to the said John Lanning second Senr his heirs & assignees that I by myself my heirs and executors shall and will warrant and forever the same piece or parcel of land with all its members, and appurtenance thereunto belonging free from all lawful claim or claims (except the speculation claim) of any person or persons whatsoever unto the John Lanning his heirs and assigns forever. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th of Oct. 1838.

Attest: E. Reed, 2nd
John Reed
Eldad Reed (of Tennessee Co.)

---

State of N. Carolina)
Buncombe County)
County Court October Term. 1830
The within deed was duly proven in open Court by the oath of E. Reed Jr. a subscribing witness thereto recorded and ordered to be registered.
Register Feb. 3, 1840
N. Harrison, Clk.

---

DEED - ELDAD REED, JR. TO JOHN LANNING, 2nd

North Carolina Buncombe County Know all men by these present that I Eldad Reed, Jr. of the State & county aforesaid For and in consideration of the sum of one hundred & eighty dollars to me in hand paid by John Lanning Second Snr. the receipt and payment whereof I do hereby acknowledge have bargained & sold & conveyed & by these presents doth bargain and sell & convey unto the said John Lanning Scd. Ser a certain piece of parcel of land lying & being in the county aforesaid lying on both sides of Gap Creek joining Lot Harper, Amos Lanning & E. Reed Senr. also joining the place where E. Reed Jr. now lives BEGINING on a large Whiteoak on the North side of Gap Creek & about two yards east of Standing Rock running East forty poles to a Pine, thence South thirty poles croping Gap Creek to a Red oak, thence West with Harpers line gaping Amos Lannings corner two hundred & twelve poles to a Hickory, thence North eighty six
poles to a Stake, thence East to a Stake in the line of a sixty acre trace of E. Reed Snr. thence 
South with said line to the BE GINING containing one hundred acres To have & to hold the said 
piece or parcel of land with all woods, ways, waters and every other appurtenance thereunto 
belonging or appertaining unto the said John Lanning his heirs & assigns forever and I for myself 
my heirs, executors, administrators & assigns do covenant with & promise to the said John 
Lanning his heirs executors & assigns that I by myself my heirs executors and administrators 
shall & will warrant & forever defend the said piece or parcel of land with each & every of its 
members & appurtenances thereunto belonging free from all lawful claim or whatsoever (the 
Speculation Claim excepted) unto the said John Lanning his heirs & assigns forever. In witness 
hereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 20th of October 1838.

Attest: John Reed
A. Henry

E. Reed, Jr. (Seal)

-230-

State of North Carolina )
County Court October Term 1839
Buncombe County )

The within deed was duly acknowledged in open court by the 
maker thereof recorded and ordered to be registered.

Registered February 3, 1840 N. Harrison, Clk.

-State Release – John Lanning Heirs-

State of North Carolina ) September 30th, 1839
Buncombe County )
This is to certify that we the under-named heirs at law of the Estate of John Lanning, Decesed, 
all being of age have jointly agreed and divided the Estate Satisfactory with ourselves. In witness 
whereof we hereunto set our hands and seals the day and date above written.

Her

Test: Thos. Morris Sarah Lanning (seal) X

Mark

State of N. Carolina ) County Court Enos Lanning (seal)
Buncombe County ) October Term Amos Lanning (seal)
1839 Joseph Lanning (seal)
The above certificate was duly John Lanning Ser (seal)
Proven in open court by the oath of William Lanning (seal)

-231-
ESTATE RELEASE – JOHN LANNING HEIRS TO SARAH LANNING

State of North Carolina )
Buncombe County )
Know all men by these presents that
We: Enos Lanning, Amos Lanning, Joseph Lanning, James Barnhill, William Garren, David Garren, David Maxwell, John Lanning, William Lanning, James Lanning, Rachel Lanning, Elizabeth Lanning and Jesse Lanning all heirs at law of the Estate of John Lanning, deceased, -- are held and firmly bound unto Sarah Lanning wife of John Lanning, deceased, in the just and full sum of four thousand dollars singly and individually -- each for themselves of which payment will and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our Seals and dated the 30th day of September A.D. 1839.

The conditions of the above obligation is such that of the above bound heirs at law of John Lanning deceased shall let Sarah Lanning have and keep during her natural life time the farm whereon she now lives together with two negro boys, Fred and Harry with the household and kitchen furniture, one horse, two cows and calves, the stock of hogs and sheep, with the grain and crop on the farm with other tools necessary to keep up the farm then the above obligation to be void and of none effect otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, Sealed and delivered
In the presence of us,

Enos Lanning (seal)
Amos Lanning (seal)
Joseph Lanning (seal)
John Lanning Ser. (seal)
David Garren, Sr. (His X Mark)
William Garren, Sr (His X Mark)
State of North Carolina  )  County Court  
Buncombe County  )  October Term 1839

The within obligation was duly proven in open court by the oath of Thos. Morris a subscribing 
witness thereto recorded and ordered to be registered.

Registered February 3, 1840  N. Harrison, Clk.

-234-

DEED - JOHN LANNING'S HEIRS TO SARAH LANNING

State of North Carolina Buncombe County

This Agreement made & entered into between Sarah Lanning wife of John Lanning Dec. of 
the one part, and we the under-named Heirs at law of the Estate of the sd Lanning Decd, of the 
other part (viz) Enos Lanning, Amos Lanning, Joseph Lanning, James Barnhill for his wife 
Mary, William Garren Junr for his wife Amy, John Lanning, William Lanning, James Lanning, 
Rachel Lanning, Elizabeth Lanning, and Jesse Lanning, witnessed that we the above named 
heirs do agree jointly severally with Sarah Lanning wife of John Lanning deed, to leave in her 
possession all the farm whereon she now liveth with the exception of the Mill & Millsent 
together with the following property (viz) two negro Boys namely Frederick & Harry, all 
the household & kitchen furniture» one horse, two cows & calves the stock of hogs & sheep, one 
pair of gears & bridle, plows & hoes together with other tools necessary to keep up the farm 
also all the grain on hand and growing crop, all the Bee stands. All the above named property we 
the above named Heirs at law of the estate of John Lanning Decd, do agree for Sarah Lanning 
wife of John Lanning Deed to retain & keep during her natural life if she wishes to retain & keep 
it during her lifetime but she the sd Sarah Lanning shall not rent or lease the said farm nor hire 
or sell the above named negro Boys but she is to keep & work them on the farm where she now 
lives for her support and Rachel and Elizabeth is to have their support off of the farm until they 
marry or so long as they wish to live with their Mother and at the death of our said Mother Sarah 
Lanning all the above named property that remains & the increase of it to be sold & divided 
equally among the Heirs N. B. if those two Negro Boys should become unruly and will not be 
governed by Sarah Lanning a majority of the Heirs is to have the power & privilege to employ 
some person to govern and keep them in subjection. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our 
hands & seals this 30th day of September AD 1839
DEED - N. BLACKSTOCK TO JOHN LANNING 2ND

This Indenture made the sixth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty nine between N. Blackstock (agent of Trustees of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church and representative of the Heirs of Rick Stockton Dec.) and John Lanning 2nd Senr. both of the county of Buncombe & state of North Carolina witnesseth that for & in consideration of the sum of eighty dollars by the sd Lanning to the sd Blackstock in hand paid the receipt is hereby acknowledged & the sd Blackstock Agent as aforesaid hath sold by these presents doth bargain & sell unto the sd Lanning 2nd Senr a certain piece or parcel of land lying in the County aforesaid on Gap creek. BEGINNING at a whiteoak on his own line & runs South seventy five degrees West fifty eight poles to a Chesnut oak on Harpers line, then with this line North four poles to a Spanishoak Harpers N. E. Corner, then with his other line West two hundred & eighteen poles cropping the creek to a small Hickory, then North eighty three poles to a Stake & Pointers, then East with #. Reeds line one hundred & seventy eight poles to a stake & Pointers then North forty six pole to two small hickorys, then East ninety pole to a Stake on his line, then with his line cropping the creek to the beginning containing one hundred & sixty acres be the same more or less and the said Trustees doth hereby oblige themselves to warrant & forever defend the aforesaid tract of land unto the sd John Lanning 2nd Senr, his heirs executors & administrators clear from the lawful claim or claims of any person or persons, claiming under them or their successors In testimony whereof the sd Trustees by their Agent N. Blackstock hath hereunto set his hand & seal day & date above written. In presence of
State of North Carolina  )  County Court October Term 1839
Buncombe County  )  The written deed was duly proven in open court by the oath of E. Reed a subscribing witness thereto recorded and ordered to be registered.

Register Feeb. 3, 1840  N. Harrison, Clk.

BILL OF SALE

State of North Carolina  )  Know all men by these presence
Buncombe County  )

that we the undersigned heirs at law of John Lanning deceased for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred dollars to us in hand paid have sold and delivered unto Rachel Lanning and Elizabeth Lanning a negro Girl Mahala. The wright of which Negroe we warrant and defend unto the Rachel Lanning and Elizabeth Lanning, their heirs and assigns from ourselves our heirs and assigns and from all other persons laying any lawfully claim to the said Negroe in testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the 1st day of November 1939.

Witness:
Ja. Brevard
Tho. Horn
Sarah Lanning (her mark & seal)
Enos Lanning (seal)
Amos Lanning (seal)
Joseph Lanning (seal)
Jas. Barnhill (his mark)
John Lanning (seal)
William Garren (his mark)
David Garren (seal)
William Lanning (seal)
James Lanning (seal)
Jesse Lanning (seal)
State of North Carolina  
Buncombe County  
Clerk of Pleas and Quarter fifteen October 1844

The within Bill of Sale duly proved n open court by the oath of Thos. “Mornes” a subscribing 

witness that _____ ordince to be registered.

N. Haunson, clerk
By M. M. Pallero

State of North Carolina  
Buncombe County  
Registers Office Nov. 1, 1844

The within Bill of sale is duly registered in the Regrs. Office of Bun. County in Book No. 23 
page 89.

William Williams, C. Regr.

-240-

ENOS LANNING'S WILL

In the name of God, Amen. I, Enos Lanning, son of the county of Davidson, the State of North 

Carolina being advance in years and in a low State of health but of sound mind, & disposing 

memory do make this my last will & testament.
Item first my will and desire is that all my debts and funeral charges be paid of by my executor 
as soon after my death as convenient.
Item 2 - devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Sarah Lanning all my land but not to 
interrupt the possession where my son Joseph Lanning live or now cultivates, including the 
dwelling house and all other outhouses with all the household and kitchen furniture and also my 
black mare Saddle & bridle during the time she remains my widow, and also all the corn and 
wheat that is on the place with all grain, hay, etc. Also three head of cattle with all my sheep with 
as many hogs as she thinks fit to keep.
Item 3 - I devise and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth fifty acres of land commencing at a 
post oak a fore & aft tree at a crop fence on Mkle line thence South to the big road, thence, 
along the road far enough to make the fifty acres by running North then East to the beginning 
and also one hundred dollars in "shecce."
Item fourth, I devise and bequeath unto my son Joseph Lanning the balance of all my land to him 
his heirs and assigns forever.
Item fifth I devise and bequeath unto my son Thomas Lanning one hundred and fifty dollars if be 
found.
Item sixth I devise and bequeath unto the heirs of son William Lanning eighty dollars as he has 
already received part to be paid into the hands of a guardian, and my son Joseph Lanning to be 
their Guardian.
Item 7 I devise and bequeath unto my son John Lanning the sum of eighty dollars as he has already received part.

Item eighth, I devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife one hundred dollars besides the hundred dollars she is to receive from her Mother's estate.

Item Ninth, I devise and direct that my executor hereafter named deliver over to daughter Elizabeth Lanning all the property coming from her Grandmother Warner's estate.

Item tenth I devise and bequeath that all the balance of my property be sold and equally divided between my wife Sarah Lanning, my son Joseph Lanning and my daughter Elizabeth Lanning.

I hereby nominate and appoint my son Joseph Lanning my sole executor to this my last will and testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twentieth day of November eighteen hundred & forty three.

Signed, sealed & published

In the presence of us

Enos Lanning (His X Mark)
Azariah Williams
John Michael

DEED - AMOS LANNING TO LOWRANSEY LANNING 1859

NORTH CAROLINA
BUNCOMBE COUNTY

This indenture made and entered into between Amos Lanning of the one parte and Michel A. Lanning of the other parte, Both of the state and County of aforesaid witnesses that the said Amos Lanning hath for and in consideration of the natural Love and affection which I owe and bear to words My Son Lawronsey Lanning I have given granted and conveyed and by these presents do give grant convey and confirm all my Right title interest and claim in and to the following piece or parcel of land unto the Said Lawronsey Lanning his heirs and assigns forever said Tract Begining on a large forked Chesnut and running Thence North sixtey two poles to a sawerwood it being a traditional corner between Lowronsey and Mitchel Lanning Running Thence North sixty nine west one hundred and thirty six poles to a leaning sowerwood, Thence South thirty two west Twenty two poles to a small hickory and white oak. Thence south twenty poles to a gumbe ; thence South or East fifty two poles to a white oak; Thence to the Begining. Containing Sixty acres by the same more or less to have and to hold unto the said Lawronsey Lanning his heirs and assignes forever together with all woods, waters, wayes, mines, minerals and every other appurtenance thereunto belonging and I the said Amos Lanning for my self my heirs executors and administrators and assigns do hereby govenate with and promise to the said
Mitche1 Lanning his heirs, executors Administrators and assignes that he will by himself his heirs executors and Administrators Forever warrent and defend the said piece or parcel of Land free from all Lawful Claim or Claims of any person or persons whatsoever unto the said Mitchae1 A. Lanning his heirs and assignes forever in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the _____ day of ______, 18 _____.

I, L. T. Lanning, a Justice of the Peace for Buncombe County do hereby certify that L. D. Lanning personally appeared before me this 29 day of November and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing deed of Conveyance.

L. T. Lanning, J.'P.

State of North Carolina )
Buncombe County )

The foregoing certification of L. H. Lanning and County Justice of the County of Buncombe is adjudged to be correct let the same with this certificate be registered this 29 day April, 1884.

E. W. Hernden
C. Sile

North Carolina)
Buncombe County)

The within deed was this date above duly registered in Book No. 45, Page 314 and 315.
J. R. Patterson
Register of Deeds

JOHN LANNING'S WILL

I, John Lanning, of the County of Buncombe Co. and state of North Carolina being of the same mind that I was in 1865 on the same subject on divide of land among my Children but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and for following that is to say: First, I give and devise to L. D. Lanning the place he now lives on acordin to nots that was surveyd for him also a piece that was surveyd on the. mountain number one joining his pin knob tract on the North side; Second, I give and devise to Rebeck Lanning the webs Creeks place acordin to way it was surveyd last and a piece on the mountain number four that covers the tator patch with its nots;
Third, I give and devise to Syntha Ansbey the place where she now lives on the meadow Branch with its nots and a piece on the mountain number three the Brookshers gap with its nots; Fourth, I give and devise to Sarah Harper a piece on the mountain number two lying between number one and number three with its nots and a piece join Hambey on the west side to make her eqil with the reste; Fifth, E. R. Lanning his wife I tried to get her to stay with me and make a living till she got so contrary and abusive with thretning that I couldn’t stand it any longer I wish her to have that arbitration Det that she is dew me E. R. Lanning, his two children James Marion and Candis Angaline, I want them to hav twenty five Dollars a piece in money when they become of age. Sixth, I wish my wife to hav her suport off of the place with the product of hit whear I know live. Seventh the children’s land with a reserve of my own liberties of need and the power to keep off any intrusian that may occur in any way to me or my heirs to nether be rented leased nor sold--without my leave

and a full settlement made on my estate then it to be theirs and ther Children and should they die before me that their husband or wife be allowed to live their on dareing their widower or widow hood and no further then the land to belong to their Children in true heirship no alteration to be made in asseasment because they improved or dis improved so fare as the land is concerned the Children is firesend and acknoleged themselfs sadisfied all rated at three hundred Dollars apiece witness our assinement.

L. D. Lanning
Rebeca Lanning
Syntha Ownbey
Sarah C. Harper

Eight, I Wish that my Chirlbren would see that E. R. Lanning two Chirldren gets what I hav aloud them when they are twenty one years of age and see that the farm is well took care off and their mother well took care ove off of the place and regalate the product of the farm in a way that they Thinks is right and if they difer call on two sound minded mean to help them and I wish my Chirldren to lot all the surplus property Equil among them selves and hav no sale and I wish if there is agagent need in any thing that L. D. Lanning wold fill it and get Decent pay for hit. In testimony whereof I have here unto set my hand and affixed my seal this March the 11th 1871.

John Lanning (Seal)
Test: D. A. Reuman
Joush Jinkins (his X mark)
I, Rebecca Lanning, of the County of Buncombe and State of North Carolina Being of Sound
mind and memory but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make this my last
will and Testament in manner and form as follows.
Viz:
My will is my Body be Buried with a decent Burial Suitable to the wishes of my Relatives and
friends and that my Executor hereinafter named Shall pay all funeral expenses together with all
my just debts howsoever and to whomsoever owing out of the money that may first come into
his hands as a part or parcel of my Estate.
Item first I give to Martha C. Owenby and Amanda Ownbey and Philetus H. Lanning jointly my
Webs Creek Tract of Land to be equally divided among them. And I hereby appoint L. A.
Lanning guardian for P. W. Lanning and I also appoint C. D. Ownbey Guardian for Martha C.
Ownbey and Amanda Ownbey.
Item 2nd, I give to Sarah C. Harper the Tract of Land that I now live on.
3rd, my will is that the Residue of my Property be equally divided between Martha C. Owenby
and Amanda Ownbey and Philestus H. Lanning.
And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend R. W. Brank my Lawful executor to
to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and Testament according to the true intent
and meaning of the Same and every part and Clause thereof Hereby Revoking and disclaiming
utterly Void all other Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made in Testimony Whereof I have
Said Rebecca Lanning do hereunto Set my hand and Seal

June 15, 1873     Rebecca Lanning (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Rebecca Lanning to be her last Will and Testament in
presence of us who at her request and in her presence do subscribe our names as Witnesses
thereeto.
Test:
J. W. Mitchell
G. T. Pittillo
DEED - L. D. LANNING
TO C. W. LANNING

State of North Carolina
Buncombe County
This deed made this 27 November 1878 by L. D. Lanning of Henderson County and state of North Carolina to C. W. Lanning of Buncombe County and state of North Carolina witnesseth that said Loransy D. Lanning inconsideration of one hundred and twenty dolars to him paid by the said Cion W. Lanning the receipts of which is hereby acknowledged have bargained and sold and by these presents do bargain sell and convey to said Cion W. Lanning and his hirs a certain tract of land in Buncombe County and state of forsad ling on the waters of Gap Creek and ajoining lands of Caubels Lathes petillars an others tract Begining on a lage forhed Chestnut and running thence North sixty-eigt poles to two small sawer woods it bein a conditinalline between L. D. Lanning and Caubel runing thence North sixty nine west one hundred and thirty six poles to a leaning sawerwood thence south thirty two two west twenty two poles to a small hickory and white oak thence south twenty poles to a grimle thence south 55 East fifty two poles to a white oak thence to the begining corner containing sixty acres be the same more or les to have and to hold the fore said tract of land and al pri velliges and appurtances thereto belonging to the said Cion W. Lanning and his hirs and asigns to him and their only be leaf and the said Loransy Lanning covenant that he are seised of said premises in fee and have the right to convey the same in fe simple that the same are free from all incumberances that he will warent and defende the said titel to the same against the claims of all persons what ever in testimony wher of the sad Loransy J. Lanning have here unto set his hand and seal this the 27 of November 1878.

his
L. D. X Lanning (Seal)
mark

-249-

DEED - MICHELL LANNING & OTHERS
TO L. D. LANNING

North Carolina )
Buncombe County)
On this the 29 day of April 1884 before me E. M. Herndon, Clerk of the Superior Court of Buncombe County personally came Andrew W. Rymer who being by me duly sworn and the annexed deed of conveyances being shown to him did depose and say that he resided at Rymer's Post office in Polk County, State of Ten. _____? up to the month of January 1882 that he knew Josfac Rymer whose signature appears as a subscribing witness . . . . , him unto and know his handwriting and that the name subscribed in this deed by him as subscribing witness he believes to be in his proper handwriting. That the said witness resides in Polk County, state of Tennessee. That Sarah Lanning one of the grantors is dead and that Mitchell Lanning also a grantor resides in said County, state of Tennessee, and I do hereby asfurfis that the foregoing deposition is satisfactory evidence to me of the handwriting of the said subscribing witness and that he lives in
the state of Tennessee and that Sarah Lanning is dead and that Michell Lanning lives in the State of North Carolina Buncombe County.

This indenture made and entered in between us the undersigned heirs of Amos Lanning Dec. of Polk County, Tenn. and Buncombe County, N. C. of the firs part and Loransy Lanning one of the heirs at Laws of Amos Lanning Dec of the second part Witness that in termtince of a division made of the forny of a division made of the Lands of the said Amos Lanning, We the undersigned do hereby convey to the sad Loransy Lanning all of our interest or tenants in common to a certain piece or parcel of Land lying and being in County of Buncombe and state affore said, as the Watters of Webbs Creek adjoining the Lands Joseph Laime and others beginning on a large Loutred chestnut. Thence N 62 pole to a sowerwood beinig a curve between L. Lanning and M. Lairme and thence N 69 W 156 poles to a becuine sowerwood, thence S 62 W 22 poles to

---

a small hickory and w. oak, thence S 20 poles to a Guiss then S 55 E 52 poles to a W. Oak, thence to the beginning corner containing 60 acres more or less. To have and to hold to his own proper use and benefit ______ , Rebucing unto ____ and his Heirs and assigns in fee simple all of our right titles and interest in said Lands and we do for our selves our heirs and assignes ____ warrent and defend to him his heirs and assigns all of our claim and interest in said Lands.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 24th day of Nov. A. D. 1874 in the presents of witnesses.

Jesse Rymer

her
Sarah X Lanning (Seal)
mark
Michael A. Lanning (Seal)
Lorefit G. Lanning (Seal)
her
Elizabeth X Lanning (Seal)
mark

STATE OF TENNESSEE
POLK COUNTY
Personally appeared before me F. E. Lindner Clerk of the County Court of the County aforesaid, the above named barginors with whom I am personally acquainted and who acknowledged the execution of the within instrument for the purposes therein contained. Also Serapter Lanning, wife of the above named Michael Lanning who having appeared before me seperate and apart from her said husband Michael Lanning, acknowledge the execution of this within deed to have been done by her freely voluntarily and understandingly without compulsion or constraint from her said husband and for the purposes therein expressed.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Benton this the 26th day of December 1874.
The execution of the above deed by Elizabeth Lanning was this 17th day of January 1875 acknowledged before me the undersigned judge of probate said county by Elizabeth Lanning. Therefore let the same be fare as she is correct to gather with this certificate be registered.

K. L. Reed

DEDICATION

I wish to dedicate the pages furnished by me on the Enos Lanning lineage, to my beloved father, Charles Brownlow Lanning, without whose wonderful memory, these pages would never have been written. And also, in tender, loving memory of my mother, Lydia A. Wyatt Lanning.

Josephine Lanning Ferrington
October 16, 1972

The following information was supplied by Josephine Ferrington, however, inasmuch as it was received after the book lineage was typed, only corrections to the dates typed previously were made, and the following are narratives regarding the Lanning families:

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SARAH LANNING:

ENOS LANNING was born on October 8, 1784, in Rowan County, North Carolina. He married Margaret Barnhill. She was born about 1790. The family resided in Buncombe County until sometime between 1850 and 1860, when they moved to Henderson County, North Carolina. Evidently Margaret, the mother and wife, had either died or she and Enos were separated, as she was not with the family. Enos died in Henderson County, N. C.

WILLIAM LANNING was born on August 18, 1810, in Buncombe county, N. C. He married Elizabeth ?, her maiden name has been lost with the passage of time. They made their home on Davidson River, in that part of Henderson County, that later became Transylvania County. Elizabeth evidently died between 1861 and 1864, as William remarried on September 18, 1864. He married Mary A. Surratt, in Brevard, N. C. In the 1870's, they moved over the mountains to Haywood County, where his son William Cleveland Lanning lived. The family lived in the Iron Duff section near Waynesville, N. C. William always liked the view from the mountain where they lived, and said that he would like to be buried there on the mountain. When he passed
away, he was buried there. He died on September 17, 1892. Mary A. Surratt Lanning, died about 1906, and is buried in the Massey Cemetery, on Allen's Creek, near Waynesville, N. C.

**WILLIAM CLEVELAND LANNING** was born on March 10, 1839, in Henderson County, North Carolina. He served in the Confederate Army, then in the Union Army for which he received a small pension. He married Rachel M. Smith on November 22, 1869 in Haywood County, N.C. They were married by M. H. Love, Justice of the Peace. Rachel was the daughter of Burton Smith and Allay Burnett of Buncombe County, N. C. She was working at the "Eagle Nest Hotel" when the two met. He died on March 19, 1910.

She was born on October 12, 1845, and died on March 5, 1923, both are buried in the "Massey Cemetery," on Allen's Creek, near where the town of Quinlinton used to exist.

**MARTHA E. LANNING** was born on January 3, 1871, died in 1913. She was born in Quinlinton, North Carolina. This is a non-existing town in this era; but it was a mill town located on Allen's Creek near Waynesville, North Carolina. She married David L. Hopkins. They were married on February 8, 1891, in Haywood County, N. C. David L. Hopkins, called "Fate" Hopkins, was born about 1861, to John F. and Elizabeth M. Hopkins. The family of "Fate" and Martha lived for some time in Virginia.

**GEORGE WASHINGTON LANNING** was born on April 10, 1872, in Quinlinton, North Carolina, and died on August 14, 1928, and is buried in the Rocky Branch Cemetery, sometimes known as the "Massey Cemetery," as the site was donated by William Massey, located on Allen's Creek, near Waynesville, N. C. He married Hester A. Sanford, on October 4, 1890, She was born on August 9, 1872, in N. C. She is buried beside her husband. After she died on June 11, 1922, he remarried to Martha Shuler. No children by this union.

**CHARLES BROWNLOW LANNING** was born on January 16, 1895, in Quinlinton, N. C. He married Lydia Angeline Wyatt on August 15, 1914. She was the daughter of Robert Vance Wyatt, and Mary Jane Daves. She was born on July 15, 1900, in Quinlinton, N. C. Before 1920, they removed to the state of Washington, where they resided until about 1927 when they moved to Oregon. Lydia passed away on March 20, 1972, and is buried in the "Springfield Memorial Gardens," Springfield, Oregon. After she passed, Charles remarried to Mrs. Lula Bell (Daves) McClelland, of Mt. Vernon, Washington, where they reside on August 19, 1972.

**JOSEPHINE LANNING** was born on December 3, 1916, in Quinlinton, N. C. She married Floyd Leroy Koch, on March 16, 1935. He is the son of Leroy Koch and Pleasure Valeria Brown, he was born on January 6, 1914, in Coburg, Oregon. They were married in Springfield, Oregon. They were divorced on July 12, 1950. Josephine remarried to Hardy William Ferrington, a native of the state of Louisiana, son of Calvin Carter Ferrington and Ida Ensminger.

He was born on October 9, 1919, in Wisner, La. No children of this union.

**THURMAN JULIUS LANNING** was born on September 3, 1918, in Canton, N.C. He served in the second World War. He was in the National Guards when he entered. He married Irene Toth in 1942. She passed away on August 18, 1952, in Los Angeles, California. He remarried to

**JESSE CLAUDE LANNING** was born on December 21, 1921, in Lyman, Washington. He was in the National Guards when we entered the second World War, and he served as an "M. P." He met Audry when he was on "rest leave" in Auckland, New Zealand. She came to the States as a War Bride. They were married on August 19, 1946, in Light House Temple, in Eugene, Oregon. She was born on September 14, 1920, in Auckland, New Zealand. Jesse was a minister of the Gospel; also is in Real Estate. They reside in Springfield, Oregon.

**GEORGE BEDFORD LANNING** was born on April 110, 1923 in Franklin, Macon County, North Carolina. He married Jean Cochran on April 17, 1942. She was born on September 16, 1925, in Smokemont, Swain County, N.C. Her parents were Daniel and Ila Woody Cochran. Bedford, as he was known, served in the Armed Forces in World War II. He died on July 24, 1970 and is buried in the Mount Zion Cemetery on Dix Creek. The family resides near Canton, N.C.

**GRIZELDA S. LANNING** was born on March 23, 1884, in Quinlintown, North Carolina. This little town was a mill town, and has gone the way of most of these towns, leaving only memories, for some of the "old-timers." She married William Mashburn, who was born on May 10, 1889, in Flag Pond, Tennessee. His parents were George Tillson and Oma Mashburn. The family moved from N. C. to Washington. "Grizzie" and Will separated, and she married C. E. Horn. She died in 1955, in Monroe, Washington. Will died in 1950 in Washington.

---

Excerpts from Josephine Ferrington's letters to Lillie Morgan

September 26, 1971: "I belong to the Oregon Genealogical Society and have access to any and all films of records, census, and otherwise from Salt Lake City, Utah. They have about every record ever filmed in their vaults. Lists of war veterans etc. . . . They are by townships in the county. Such as Leicester, Fairview, Swannanoa, etc. The 1850 Census are the first to give the names of wives and children. Before this one the 1790 to 1830 (Census) gave head of household, if the husband were dead, widows were head of household, and males.

- 0 to 5 yrs., 5 to 10 yrs., 10 to 15 yrs., 15 to 20 yrs., 20 to 30, 30 to 40, 40 to 50, 50 to 60, 60 to 70, 70 to 80, 80 to 90, 90 to 100 and up. The same applies to females. In the 1880 Census each person's parents' place of birth was given, plus his own. Only the state or county of course. Census shows how much the family was worth, how many slaves are shown on some of the Census . . . . . . If there were idiots or insane persons in the home, it stated so. Also occupation of each, such as the male - carpenter or farmer, etc. - female could be housekeeper and children, "goes to school" or "student", etc . . . . . . . 

April 19, 1972: "I have been in correspondence with a descendant of Joseph Lanning, a son of Enos and Margaret, and I have her line pretty well down on paper. I have some marriages of the Lanion, Lanyon families in Cornwall, England from 1626-1670. Don't know which or what might be ours though."
January 11, 1973: "There is a rather strange story connected with this line of search! Thurman (my brother) had a neighbor-man, an invalid, and his wife, by the name of Ownby. Once when they were visiting the old fellow, it was, mentioned that we knew Ownby's in Washington state. And the subject of genealogy was mentioned, and Mrs. Ownby said they had a letter from a Carl Searcy, a cousin of Mr. Ownby, on the family line. I asked Thurman to ask if I could read it; oh, yes, they or he was from Asheville, N. C. In the letter there was an Oliver Ownby listed but no name for his wife. Now you know the Oliver

Dekatur Ownby (Cynthia Lanning's - John & Susanah's - husband was this same Oliver Ownby). I wrote to the Carl Searcy in Portland, Oregon. I gave him the names of Oliver and Cynthia's children. The only one he'd ever met was a Neil Ownby years ago when he (Searcy) was young. He said he thought and thought who could be the Neil? Then he figured that Cornelius Ownby was the Neil he remembered! Also strangely enough, he also said that when he was living in Oklahoma in about 1907 or 09 (his mother's sister was married to a John Laughter of Henderson County, N. C. but lived in Oklahoma). There were some Laughters and Haydocks and 2 young Lanning men, a George and John of N. C., came to visit the John Laughter family! This John and George were the sons of William Hardy and Eliza, and they stayed in Oklahoma and raised their families there! Coincidence, well, I guess! "

August 9, 1971: "........ If you will read Rebecca Lanning's will, you will see the name as P. (Philetus) to whom she leaves her Webs Creek tract of land along with Martha and Amanda Ownby. ...... " "...... Oh, yes, before it , John got a land grant on December 6, 1799 of 22 acres. Then on December 15, 1802, he got 55 acres, both in Buncombe County. Later this became part of Henderson County, I suspect. Henderson became a county … in 1838. This could have been his Hooper's Creek property……"

Excerpt from Jesse Lanning letter dated September 12, 1966 to Lillie Morgan:

"I have documentary evidence that our lineage was Joseph Lanning, his son, John, was your line and his son, Enos, was mine. They came via Pennsylvania from New Jersey and likely Long Island about 1700. I have some evidence that Joseph Lanning's father was likely John Lanning, either the one who came here from overseas or his son……. My line is: Joseph, Enos, William, John, Baxter Franklin and then I come in. I have a Xerox copy of data from Enos Lanning's Bible in which he gives the birth date of Joseph as 1731 but does not indicate where."
Lela ALICE LANNING
and husband,
WILLIAM WASHINGTON HUTCHINSON

Lela died of a stroke she had in October 24, 1968. Will died of an Aortic Aneurysm. The names mentioned earlier are her ancestors five generations back. The following are her family three generations down. (See lineage charts)

Will and Lela lived around the Fruitland, N. C. area until about 1919 when they moved near the old Hutchinson home site at Couch Mountain in the Fletcher, N. C. area. Once before in 1911 and 1912 they had lived for a short time there in the same house where Will was born. They liked it so much, a quiet new country, they came back later and bought about 40 acres.

There were three families living about a mile away on either side of them. The George McMinn family, the Michael (Bud) Mills family (colored) and the Ambrose Watkins family.

The following are some incidents from the life of Will and Lela's children. While some of these stories are sort of hair-raising, their life was not all like this, because here was one of the most humble, and the happiest families that ever settled a homestead.

NELLIE JEANNETTE

When Nell was about nine years old, Will and Lela drove Into Hendersonville, N. C. one day with the team and wagon. As they lived near her mother and father, they thought Nell, Paul and Myrtle would be safe left at home. The day was nice and sunny, just right for fishing. So the children went fishing down in the pasture in a gully full of muddy water. The three lying on their stomachs were having a gay time until the bank gave away under Nell and in she went, head first. A good thing dresses were longer then. Paul and Myrtle pulled her out by her dress tail and all was well after they got the mud out of her beautiful long, dark brown curls.

PAUL NAPOLEON

Must have been about 1924, Will was in Patton Memorial Hospital in Hendersonville, N. C.

Dr. Kirk was operating on his leg to heal the ulcer caused from Phlebitis that developed when he had pneumonia. At home the children were lost without their dad, but they tried to make the best without worrying their mother too much. So Paul, Myrtle and Raymond were taking turns swinging on the big 10-foot logging chain they had fastened high up in the pine tree on the little red-clay hill in front of the new hewed log house, Will had built. Paul got his turn, twisted the chain tight, and swung off, twirling round and round as he went around the tree. Suddenly, everything came lose and Paul fell face down in the red dirt, with that huge chain over his head. Raymond and Myrtle dug him out with her screaming, "Mama, Mama! Paul is dead!" He survived after a lot of Tender Loving Care they always got from their parents.

MYRTLE MILDRED

"Come hunt me, Myrtle." She ran toward the voice and found Paul hid in the hay in the shed, a few feet away from the Abraham Lincoln type log cabin Will had built earlier that year. It was September 1919 and they were thoroughly enjoying all the new adventures of their first "very
own" home in the mountains. As Myrtle squatted by the shed she moved the big iron skillet-oven lid that was stored there, and like a flash of lightening the huge snake was hanging on her finger. She screamed, shaking the snake from her hand as Will came running, thinking she had cut herself with the ax, which she always liked to play with. But was stunned when they told him about the snake. "A copperhead!" he said. Help came, and this is just one miracle recorded from Couch Mountain, their new home near Fletcher, N. C. They lived here till Will hewed big logs and built the big new house about 1923, a few hundred yards west of the cabin. The house is still standing today.

RAYMOND EDWARD.
It was around 1923, Paul was the fox, Raymond and Myrtle were the hounds as they chased Paul through all those pine trees that had been cut down to clear a field for planting, on the west side of the new log house. Suddenly Raymond fell and didn't get up. Myrtle tried to pick him up but his head was stuck to the ground.

She yelled for Paul and both pulled Raymond’s head off the snag which was stuck in his head between his eye and left ear. Blood spouted like a fountain. Again, Myrtle was screaming, "Mama! Mama! Raymond is dying!" But Will, as usual made everything seem all right. Paul hitched the horse, while Will fixed Raymond in the buggy, on they drove the mile and a half to Mountain Sanitarium where they got help.

LEONA KATE PAULINE
Kate first had surgery in July 1970, they found cancer, but thought they got rid of it all. Again she had surgery in May 1972. She is buried in the old Hutchinson Family Cemetery near Couch Mountain on the Hutch Mountain Road, in the mountains she loved so much; And near her own home.

ANNIE LOUISE
About 1926, Will was building a smoke-house, and as usual everyone was helping. Things were going fine, until a child started crying. The first thing everyone thought of was a snake, but when they got to her, little Ann had fallen over the log sill and had broken her arm. As always, the family gathered round and each one felt the pain of the thin little Ann who lay so pale on the bed. Again, the grandfather, Dr. W. G. Hutchinson, was brought and soon things were back to normal.

MARY ALICE
It was Saturday, September 1, 1923. Will was calling Nell and Myrtle to get up. They rubbed the sleep from their yes, got up, but couldn't eat any breakfast Lela had prepared. Something was wrong! It was about two o'clock in the morning. Why? Will lit the lantern as he said, "Mama is sick, and we are going to get Mrs. Clark to stay with her." So he with the two girls walked the mile up the mountain to the George McMinn home. He left them there, and took the dear Mrs. Cynthia Clark, mother-in-law of George, back with him to stay with Lela while he drove into Hendersonville, N. C. and brought Dr. Brown back in the buggy. The girls went home about ten a. m, finding Mary Alice, a sweet baby sister. Nell and Myrtle took an old trunk without the lid,
padded and lined it with scraps of material and proudly brought it to Lela as a bassinet for the new baby. But when she saw it, she wouldn't let them use it, and said, “It looks too much like a coffin.”

Will and Lela are buried in the Patty's Chapel Cemetery near Fletcher where he liked to work and clean the graves of his grandfather Hutchinson, some aunts, uncles and cousins. Will also has relatives buried at the old Hutchinson cemetery on Hutch Mountain Road, and some at the old Freeman Cemetery, now called the Fruitland Cemetery near Fruitland, N. C.

Lela's mother and father along with some sisters, brothers, aunts, uncles and cousins are buried at the Lanning- Pittillo Cemetery near Fruitland, N. C.

FAMILY OF JOSEPH LANNING, b. July 15, 1813, or 1818, in Buncombe County, North Carolina, the son of Enos Lanning and his wife Margaret Barnhill Lanning, He died in Stone County, Arkansas, in 1880, and is buried in his peach orchard on top of Wolf Bayou Mountain. He owned the mountain and had a watermill on Wolf Bayou Creek, a tributary of White River. He married 1st Nancy Case in Buncombe County, North Carolina. She was born about 1817 and died after 1850. She is buried in Kennel Graveyard near Shiloh, between Heber Springs and Batesville, Arkansas. He married 2nd Sarah Jamima Rogers, daughter of Richard Rogers, in 1856 at Clinton, Van Buren County, Arkansas. She was born August 23, 1833, in Anson County, North Carolina, and died June 18, 1915, in St. Jo, Texas. She is buried in the Hemphill plot. She married 2nd a wheelwright by the name of Puckett, evidently a no-good drifter who soon ran through with her money and then she ran him off. Joseph was the father of 18 children, 8 by Nancy and 10 by Sarah.

Issue by Nancy:
1. Joshua Franklin Lanning born about 1839 in Buncombe County, North Carolina. He was a private in the Confederate Army, Company A, 10th Arkansas Infantry. He died of the fever on March 15, 1862, at Camp Nelson, near Old Austin, north of Little Rock, Arkansas, where he is buried.
2. Mary Jane Lanning was born about 1841 in Buncombe County, North Carolina. She married a Browning, a member of the firearms family. They had 3 sons, Charley, Jimmy, and Billy. (A number of years ago I saw a book on the Browning family which had a picture of Mary Jane and spoke of her bearing the proud Lanning name. A recent search has not produced the book.) Mary Jane's husband was in the Confederate Army.
3. George Washington Lanning was born about 1842, in Buncombe County, North Carolina. He was a private in Company H of the 32 Arkansas and died September 30, 1863, presumably of fever.
4. Margaret E. Lanning was born about 1844, in Buncombe County, North Carolina. She married 1st Moody and 2nd Gooden and had children by both marriages. She and Mr. Gooden had a two story log house and farm near Crabtree in Van Buren County. When it was torn down in the 1950's, $600.00 in gold was found in the walls.

5. Nancy E. Lanning was born about 1844, a twin to Margaret E., in Buncombe County, North Carolina. She married Will Raymer and had at least 2 sons.
6. Sarah E. Lanning was born about 1846 in Missouri. She married Calvin Rogers. One of her children was Daisy who married Monroe Biddle and lived at Pudding Ridge near Heber Springs, Arkansas. They had a beautiful old Pre-war house with fire places and a dog trot. There was a well on the back porch and many kinds of old fashioned flowers in the yard enclosed by a picket fence.
7. Matilda Caroline Lanning was born November 11, 1849 in Missouri. She married Harvey Holland who was born September 27, 1849, near Quitman, Arkansas. The marriage was January 1, 1871. Matilda Carolina died December 20, 1920, and was buried in Heber Springs Cemetery, Heber Springs, Arkansas. Harvey died March 10, 1935, at Sweet Home, Arkansas, and was buried in Heber Springs Cemetery.
8. Elmira Adeline Lanning was born about 1850 in Arkansas and died between 1860 and 1870. She is buried in the Lanning graveyard on the Verser Place which was owned by Joseph Lanning, her father. Other graves there are 3 of Matilda Caroline's little girls, and a little boy, her grandson whose father was Calvin Holland.

Issue by Sarah:
9. Joseph Thomas Lanning was born November 5, 1856, and died June 18, 1915.
10. Eliza Emaline Lanning born April 9, 1858 or 1859, in Arkansas. She died in 1901 and is buried in York Cemetery, Stone County, Arkansas. She married James Wootson Ivy, son of Thomas Ivy and his wife Mary Pairlee Condett, born September 7, 1859, and died April 23, 1930.
11. James Mitchell Lanning was born December 9, 1860, and died 1941. He is buried in Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Barton, New Mexico. He married 1st Amanda Catherine Davis, daughter of Benjamin Franklin Davis and his wife Mary Fagan Davis. Amanda was born February 16, 1864, and died on her 42nd birthday, February 16, 1906. She is buried in old Macedonia Church Cemetery near Drasco, Arkansas. Her father was a Methodist preacher, a farmer, and a merchant.

Macedonia, now Baptist, was one of the 5 churches served by him. He was a private in Company G, 14 Arkansas Calvary, paroled June 5, 1865, at Jacksonport, Arkansas. James married 2nd Minnie Gates Tucker who was divorced with one daughter, Zell Tucker.
12. Martha. Ellen Lanning was born March 7, 1862, and died between 1870 and 1880.
13. Sterling Price Lanning was born June 5, 1864, and died before 1870.
14. Amanda Jamima Lanning was born April 3, 1867, and is buried in Mt. Meta Cemetery near Harlingen, Texas. She married 1st a Dr. Chastine and married 2nd a Handford by whom she had Joe and Mary who married a Mr. John White.
15. Esther Annie Lanning was born February 23, 1869, in Arkansas, and died in Portland, Oregon. She married 1st George Hemphill and had Fred and Ruth. Fred had 2 boys by his first wife and no issue by his second wife, Dorothy. Ruth married 1st Mr. Cunningham, an evangelical singer, and had one daughter. She married 2nd ______, no issue. Annie married 2nd Aaron Cunningham of Harlingen, Texas, who pre-deceased her. She was in the home of her son, Fred and his wife Dorothy, when she died after a lengthy illness.
16. William Newton Lanning, a twin, was born April 6, 1871. He died October 21 or 22, 1958. He is buried at Mount Meta Burial Park, Space 10, Lot 234, Section H. His sister Amanda is nearby. The address of the Cemetery is Mount Meta Burial Park, located on Highway 345, San Benito, Texas. He was never married. His home was in Harlingen, Texas.
17. John Jasper Lanning was born April 6, 1871, twin brother to William Newton. He died at age 18 and is buried beside his father on top of Wolf Bayou Mountain, Wolf Bayou, Arkansas.
18. Robert Edward Lee Lanning was born November 12, 1874. He died in 1955 and is buried in Oregon. His home was in Seal Rock, Oregon. He married twice. By his first wife he had Ruby Lee Lanning who married Charles Lincoln. They had one daughter named Florence who married and had two children. R. E. L. Lanning married 2nd May who survived him.

SARAH AMANDA HOLLAND married Walter Lee Wise on August 29 19049 at Lonoke, Arkansas. She survived him and at her death in 1971, she had 50 great-grand-children and 1 great-great-grandchild. She is buried at Sweet Home, Arkansas.
WALTER BENJAMIN LANNING, son of James Mitchell Lanning and his first wife Amanda Catherine Davis, was born January 3, 1885, on the Old Martin Place in Stone County, Arkansas, Post Office, Wolf Bayou. He was married on July 16, 1905 to Medora Elizabeth Tillery, daughter of Franklin Cawfield Tillery and his wife Senora Newkirk Hunter Tillery. Franklin Cawfield was the son of Cawfield Taylor Tillery, an early pioneer of Saline County, Arkansas, and his third wife Martha Guerin Dunn Tillery, a widow. Senora Newkirk Hunter Tillery was the daughter of Andrew McDowell Hunter who was a member of Trigg's Battery at the Battle of Shiloh and his wife Angeline McKinley Hunter. Cawfield Taylor Tillery was born in 1806 in Tennessee and died at the age of 74 years, 11 months and 19 days, and is buried in historic Antioch Cemetery, Tillery Valley, on the middle fork of the Saline River in Saline County, Arkansas. He married Martha Guerin Dunn on January B, 1852. She died on August 5, 1890, and is buried at Antioch. Senora Newkirk Tillery died on February 21, 1890, and is buried at Antioch. Franklin Cawfield Tillery was born November 22, 1852~ and died April 1, 1901. He, too, is buried at Antioch, and by his side is his daughter, Medora Elizabeth Tillery Lanning, who was born March 24, 18849 and died February 19 19550 Walter Lanning had other wives, but his only issue were by Medora. He was graduated from the University of Arkansas Medical School in May, 1913. He died February 7, 1957, at his home on the Cossatot River near De Queen, Arkansas, and is buried in Harmony Church Cemetery in Perry County, Arkansas, near the
crossroads of state highways 9 and 100. Both the Lanning and Tillery families have been in this county since before 1700. Issue:

EUNICE AMANDA LANNING ANDRUS was born July 13, 1906. She was married to Henry McKee Andrus in Jennings, Louisiana on August 31, 1935.

Eunice was born on Lockett Creek in Garland County, Arkansas, McKee was born May 20, 1911, in his home at 1106 Avenue K, Galveston, Texas. He is the son of Dr. Henry Jay Andrus, veterinarian, and his wife Meta Fredrika Schurmann Andrus. Dr. Andrus was the son of Loran A. Andrus who was born November 29, 1843, in Pine Valley, New York, died May 29, 1909, and buried in South Bend, Indiana, and his wife Emmalissa Larcum who was born November 27, 1847, in Post Creek, New York, died July 27, 1936, and buried in Fern Cliff Cemetery, Westchester, New York. Loran was a veteran of the Grand Army of the Republic having served in Company G of the New York Engineers during the Civil War. His parents were Elihu S. Andrus (1820-1890) and Harriet McKinney Andrus (1821-1899). Emmalissa's parents were Oliver Larcum, also a veteran of Company G (1826-1906) and Fannie Lattin Larcum (1826-1901). Meta Fredrika Schurmann Andrus was born in Oldenburg, Germany, and came to this country at the age of 17. Her parents were Oerhardt and Eliza Schurmann. Issue:

WALTER MCKEE ANDRUS is a music producer and lecturer on Acoustics.

JAMES JAY LANNING ANDRUS plays fourth horn and gives lessons at the Baptist College, and is a member of the House of Symphony Orchestra.

BENJAMIN LANNING ANDRUS was a pilot based in Thailand and mustered out in August 1972, as a Captain. He is presently a student at Columbia Bible College, Columbia, South Carolina (1972).

JAMES MAURICE LANNING, son of Walter and Medora Lanning, was married to Alice Pauline Coskey. Her parents were Rudolph George Coskey and his wife Mary Bessie Cartigmila Coskey, whose parents were Lee Cartigmilia and his wife Frances (married in Palermo, Italy). Issue:

JAMES WALTER LANNING is a captain in the U. S. Infantry and served as a company commander in Viet Nam.

MICHAEL LEE LANNING is a captain in the U. S. Infantry and served as a company commander in Viet Nam.

James Lanning, the eleventh child and the seventh son of Pioneer John Lanning, was born on Monday, December 23, 1804, on the Clear Creek farm of his father in Henderson County, North Carolina. His father owned two farms, one on Cane Creek near the present village of Fairview in Buncombe County, and the other in Henderson County. The family tradition is that he moved from one to the other as his fancy prompted him. James married Polly Vaughn. The records of the marriage have not been preserved. Their oldest child, Minerva, was born January 14, 1827, so the marriage took place some time in 1826. They were married in a house that stood
near the north end of the railway cut running through the old Mac Case farm near Skyland. The name of the officiating minister or Justice is unknown.

Polly Vaughn was the daughter of Leroy Vaughn and was born June 12, 1807. She became the mother of 11 children.

James Lanning first lived, after his marriage, on rented land on Cane Creek at the foot of Burnie's mountain. He soon purchased a farm of 80 acres on Lime Stone Creek from Dr. Phillips. There he built a home and raised his family. Only 5 of his children raised families. Their births, marriages, and deaths are found in the foregoing lineage charts. Minerva married her distant kinsman, Jesse Whitaker, who died after approximately thirteen years of marriage, leaving his widow with 7 children, 5 of whom reached maturity. She died in 1902 after more than 43 years of widowhood.

Harvey Lanning married Sarah Ann Whitaker, a sister of Jesse Whitaker. Harvey died at the age of 26 after a married life of little more than 4 years. He left 3 children, and his widow died in 1902 after a widowhood of more than 51 years. Alcy, Mary and Newton were three of the younger children, who married and raised families.

Jesse Whitaker and Harvey Lanning both died of typhoid fever. Jasper Lanning also died of typhoid at the early age of 20.

He died in time of the Civil War and had only one visit from a physician, Dr. Allen from Hendersonville, His bill was $30, and this bill was always remembered in the family as exorbitant.

Martha Lanning's clothing caught fire and burned her to death when she was not quite 3 years old. Amanda and Elizabeth Lanning died within 6 days of each other of scarlet fever, at the approximate ages of 7 and 9 years. Gardner Lanning reached maturity and died of "Galloping Consumption" contracted when a soldier in the Confederate Army. The details are given in his war record. Alcy Lanning died at the age of 72 of hardening of the arteries. Between the births of Jasper and Mary Lanning, there was the birth of a stillborn son. Mary married, raised a family and died from the after effects of pneumonia. Newton Lanning suffered a long time from asthma, which was the indirect cause of his death coupled with infirmities of age. Minerva Lanning suffered nearly all her life from 'a weak stomach and this trouble coupled with the infirmities of age caused her death at the age of 76. James Lanning suffered two strokes of paralysis and was helpless in his last days, but he died of inflammation of the bladder. Polly Vaughn died of dropsy. She suffered much in her life from rheumatism. Both of these physical troubles showed weak kidneys.

This phase of the family history is gone into in detail that it may show the descendants of this couple the inherited tendencies to certain diseases that ran in this family. Dr. Fletcher’s method of treating typhoid was turpentine. Turpentine is no doubt a good antiseptic and would destroy typhoid germs, but it must have been very severe on the thin tissue of the bowels. James Lanning had typhoid and ever afterwards suffered with his kidneys, always claimed it was caused from taking so much turpentine when he had typhoid. Then, the method of nursing typhoid patients and keeping them perfectly still on their back was unknown. A typhoid patient moving around is extremely dangerous. Then, the patients were not allowed to have fresh air. All doors and windows were kept closed. The treatment or preventive inoculations were unknown in that day.
James Lanning was a mechanical genius. He had his own blacksmith shop, carpenter shop, and shoe shop. He tanned the leather and made the shoes for his whole family.

He also owned his own distillery. He once built an old-fashioned wooden wagon that lasted on the farm for many years. It is said he employed someone to help him iron it and this is the only time he ever employed an outside mechanic to help him in any of his mechanical work necessary on his farm. He showed his superior intelligence by cutting a ditch straight thru his farm and confining the creek to its channels. No oxbows washed away his farm as many of the farmers along small streams allow to this day. This was a unique feature of his farm in contrast with the negligence of other farmers of his day. He built his own house of logs. It consisted of two large separate rooms with the same chimney separating and serving for both. Each was two stories high and the stairway led from a long porch the entire length of both up thru the division made by the chimney. The porch was also two stories high. A cellar was dug under the kitchen. It was a very substantial building, and would be a great curiosity to the younger members of his descendants today.

While he had many deaths in his family, he was not bothered with the exorbitant charges of the present day undertakers. He kept a quantity of fine Poplar planks in the loft of one of the outhouses. When a death occurred, he made a coffin for the body. Funerals of that day were not so artistically conducted as they are today, but the pioneers were not robbed in burying their dead. Many specimens of his mechanical skills are scattered among his descendants. One of them is a large cupboard made of heavy Walnut planks of a very fine quality. Another is a work basket that certainly required a high degree of ingenuity and skill. Work baskets then were not ornaments for a center table.

His son, Jasper, seemingly inherited all of his father's mechanical skill. W. R. West, a relative who knew him from his earliest boyhood, once said: "Had Jasper Lanning lived, he would have been one of the finest workmen this country ever produced."

One of the samples of his mechanical skill young Jasper left was a homemade violin - a creditable musical instrument. All who knew him pronounced him a bright man. He taught school in the very early pioneer days.

His scholastic qualifications for a teacher must have been very meager. He was able to meet the simple requirements of his day. The length of the term and the attendance are unknown. He received a monthly salary of $8. Dollars were worth much more then than now. He was industrious and honest to the core. Honesty and integrity were characteristics of the Lanning clan in the old days. His chief defect of character was that he imbibed too freely of alcoholic liquors. He drank to excess. His father before him was a distiller.

James Lanning never connected himself with any church. In his old days he was a great Bible reader. Polly, his wife, was a Methodist, and all who knew her pronounced her one of the best of women. She was very kind to the orphan children of her family. She went through many sad bereavements in her life.
All of the members of the James Lanning family are buried in old Cane Creek cemetery, except Newton. He and his wife are buried at Tweed's Chapel. All of Newton's children are yet living. The stones of Sarah Ann, wife of Harvey Lanning, are not very distinct.

Excerpts from G. M. GARREN correspondence written to Lillie Morgan:

September 16, 1937 - "John Lanning, born in Bordentown, N. J., February 27, 1757, was the ancestor of all the Lannings in Western North Carolina. He had a son, John, born February 1, 1794, married Susanna Galimore, a sister of Amos Lanning’s wife. He was the father of 6 children. My old cousin, M. E. Whitaker, gave me 5 names, leaving out Alford Hardy. He was going strictly by memory and he is now 86 years old. We list the following as children of John Lanning with dates of births:

- Rebecca Lanning, born April 28, 1821
- Lossen Lanning, born February 8, 1825
- Alfred Hardy Lanning, born June 9, 1827
- Cynthia Lanning, born November 6, 1830
- Elliot Riley Lanning, born January 9, 1833
- Sarah Catherine Lanning, born December 6, 1841

I remember seeing Rebecca Lanning when a small boy. She was then a very old lady and had never married. She is buried in Old Cane Creek Cemetery. I have heard my mother speak of Lossen Lanning innumerable times. Sarah married Foster Harper and died childless. She and Harper used to visit us when I was a boy, in attending the Quarterly Meeting when held at West Chapel near Biltmore. So if you are a grand-daughter of Lossen Lanning, you as you say are a great-grand-daughter of John Lanning born February 16, 1794, and a great-great-grand-daughter of Pioneer John Lanning who migrated to North Carolina from New Jersey, born February 27, 1757.

James Lanning who married a Vaughn was my grandfather. Son of Pioneer John Lanning and a brother of your great grand-father John Lanning. Great-grandfather Leroy Vaughn who migrated from Union County, S. C. to Buncombe County had 3 daughters. The oldest Alcy Vaughn married John Long in South Carolina and came with her father to Buncombe County. She had one daughter who married John West and reared a large family. Another daughter Polly Vaughn (Polly and Mary mean the same) married my grandfather James Lanning and was the mother of 11 children. The other daughter Liza Vaughn (Eliza is the same as Elizabeth) married Absolem Garren and was the mother of 11 children.

These are the only Vaughns that married into the Lanning family so far as I know. One more thing, M. E. Whitaker tells me grandfather James Lanning had a sister Amy Lanning who married a Maxwell."
July 18, 1937 - "Yes, all the Lannings in Western North Carolina are akin, John Lanning was born in Bordentown, N. J., migrated when a young man to what was then Rowan County, now Davidson County, North Carolina. After the War of the Revolution he moved to Buncombe County where he lives and died. He was the father, as you know, of 14 children all of whom lived to maturity. All married and raised families except two girls, one of them was the mother of an illegitimate son who raised a family. I hoped to get our ancestor on the monument as a Revolutionary soldier but failed…….”

September 10, 1936 - "…….. I have one more thing in mind regarding John Lanning. He was a pioneer and Revolution soldier. We ought to put up at his grave a small suitable inexpensive monument. His grave is marked with an old-fashioned soapstone tombstone. It is cracked and will soon be destroyed…….”

EXCERPT FROM BEULAH JEAN GARREN'S Letter to Lillie Duncan of 1973:

"My mother has told me that my grandfather often made trips to Henderson County to see his brother, Absalom. I wonder if there would be any way of running down his descendants there. If so, they might have more information than I do, since this seems like a small family for those times. My mother also said that my grandfather had some kind of family history which he gave to some of his Lanning cousins. Do you reckon it could still be in existence? It has been a long time, of course. I never saw my grandfather. "I understand that William (Billie) Garren lived on what is now Main Street in Brevard, but I could find no deeds to him. If he owned land here it must have been before Transylvania County was formed in 1861. I assume that he was a farmer in his younger days. His daughter, Annie, married James H. Duckworth, who was a Baptist minister and I think somewhat of a politician too, having served in the State Legislature, and Sarah and Billie may have lived with them in Brevard. "

ALLIED LINE - MAXWELL

The earliest record of Andrew Maxwell is found in Buncombe County, N. Carolina, when in 1803 he obtained grant for the first tract of land on Clear Creek. Subsequent conveyances are found over a period of several years, until his holdings became quite large.

The given name of his wife is not known, though it is said that she was a Miss Green, sister of Emilie Green who married Walter (Waddie) Williams. The children of this couple were:

Andrew, Jr.
Abner
James, married Nancy Merrill
William
Polly, married Jones
Annie, married Lyda
Robert
David, born September 9, 1796, married Amy Lanning
Isaac
Joseph, born 1807, married Enloe
Betty (Eltzabeth), married Cooper
Cynthia, married Justice

It has been said by his descendants that there were fifteen children, two of whom died in infancy.

DAVID MAXWELL, born September 8, 1796, died April 12, 1886, married AMY LANNING, born October 22, 1802, died August 6, 1885, daughter of JOHN and SARAH WHITAKER LANNING. Among the children of David and Amy Lanning Maxwell was:

REILLEY, who married NANCY MINERVA WILLIAMS, daughter of Walter (Waddie) Williams. Of the children of Reilley (Riley) and Nancy Minerva Williams Maxwell were:

---276---

JONAS M., born December 26, 1852, died April 1937, married December 23, 1869, RACHEL C. LEDBETTER, born September 17, 1851, died June 21, 1889. A son of Jonas M. Maxwell and Rachel C. Ledbetter Maxwell was:

SYLVESTER MAXWELL, born January 27, 1882, married April 6, 1908, ANNIE ORR, born March 16, 1886, daughter of Brazil Orr and wife, Susan McCrary. Brazil was the son of Joseph Orr and Elvira Blythe Orr.

Susan McCrary was the daughter of Alexander and Cynthia McCrary.

---277---

ALLIED LINE - OWNBY

These are the only Ownby's that are traced all the way through. It is not known if this John Ownby is the original ancestor that came from Northern Ireland. The Ownby's were originally from the Scottish Highlands, but they never bowed to the English King, and some were beheaded for their conduct, the others fled to the North Ireland.

JOHN OWNBY, b. 1735, d. 1824, came from Amhearst Co., married VIRGINIA NANNIE PORTER, b. 1743, d. 1818.

Children:
1. Ambrose Ownby, b. 1770, d. _, m, Elizabeth Henson
2. Thomas Ownby, b. 1776, d. _, m, 1st Morning Hill, b. 1780, m, 2nd Winnie Shelton, b. 1781
3. Arthur Ownby, b.1777, d.1861, m, Barbara Hill, b. 1780, d. 1854. Child:
a. Mary Ownby, m, John Hudgins
4. Porter Ownby, b. 1774, d. 1853, m, Martha Morgan, b. 1778, d. 1867
5. James Ownby, b. 1761 in Amhearst Co., Va., d. 1850, m. Joanna Simms, b. 1761 in Aspen Grove Plantation, Albermarle Co., Va., d. 1852. Children:
a. Ambrose Ownby, b. 1798, d. 1882, m. Margarette (Polly) Hodge, b. 1802, d. 1890
b. Susanah Ownby, m. Peter Koon
c. Anester (Anna) Ownby, m. George Koon
d. William Ownby, b. 1787, d. 1864, m. 1st Sarah (Sally) Brown, b. 1823, m. 2nd Nov. 18, 1826, to Martha Lewis, b. 1808. Children by 1st wife:
(1) Uriah Ownby, b. 1820, d. 1892, m. 1st Sarah Gallimore Ownby, b. 1828, d. 1854, m. 2nd Nancy Lu Hudgins, d. 1890, daughter of John and Mary Ownby Hudgins. Children:
(a) James Madison Ownby, m. Myra Hudgins, b. June 18, 1843
(b) Mary Ownby, m. John Laughter
(c) William Ownby, m. Elizabeth Frady

(d) Adelaide Ownby
(e) Martha Ownby, m. William Reed
(f) Thomas Jefferson Ownby, b. 1860, m. 1st Lilly Gilliam, m. 2nd Melissa Melton. Children:
(f-l) Elbert Layton Ownby
(f-2) Roy Gaston Ownby
(f-3) Emma French Ownby
(f-4) Robert Showalter Ownby
(f-5) Mary Lou Ownby
(f-6) Garrett Hobart Ownby
(f-7) Clarence McKinley Ownby
(f-8) Charles Barton Ownby
(f-9) Hetty Pearl Ownby
(g) Amanda Ownby, m. Dixon Frady
(h) Fronie Ownby, m. Rufus Ownby
(i) Nancy Ownby
(k) John Ownby, m. Melissa Melton
(m) Maggie Ownby, m. Thomas Clingman Ledbetter
William Ownby had 10 children by his 2nd wife, Martha Lewis, but these are all that are known:
(2) Perry Ownby, m. Fronie Lakey
(3) Oliver Dekater Ownby, b. Apr. 26, 1829, d. May 19, 1916, m. Cynthia Lanning, b. Nov. 6, 1830, d. Apr. 28, 1907. (see page 144.)
(4) Anna Ownby, m. Benjamin Jones
e. Sims Ownby, m. Rachel Jarret
f. John Ownby, m. Martha Koon
g. Madison Ownby, m. Elizabeth Plemmons
6. John Ownby, b. 1781, d. 1869, m. Elizabeth Hill, b. 1786 d. 1830
7. Elizabeth Ownby, m. Stamper Ownby
8. Nancy Ownby, m. Ephrfam Hill
PARENTS, and GRANDPARENTS of LARAH J. W. N. BEEKS

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>PARENTS</th>
<th>GRANDPARENTS</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>LEANDER J. WHITAKER</td>
<td>BORN JANUARY 15, 1844</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Nauvoo, Hancock Co., Illinois</td>
<td>Came to Utah, 1850</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Died January 1812</td>
<td>Downey, Bannock Co., Idaho</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ANN ELIZA (MITCHELL) WHITAKER</td>
<td>BORN APRIL 23, 1849</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Prairie, Mt. Chickasaw Co., Mississippi</td>
<td>Came to Utah 1853</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Died May 9, 1928</td>
<td>Downey, Bannock Co., Idaho</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Leander's Parents:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>JAMES WHITAKER</th>
<th>(son of William and Mary Canady Whitaker)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BORN MAY 14, 1805 Rowan Co., N. C.</td>
<td>Came to Utah 1850</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>William Snow's Company</td>
<td>Died May 23, 1892, Willard, Boxelder Co., Utah</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(Father of 18 children--2 wives--6 by 1st wife, 12 by 2nd wife, bringing 9 children with him, 2 of 1st wife never came to Utah, other 7 were born in Utah)</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NANCY STAPLE FORD</td>
<td>(daughter of John Woodland and Celia Stapleford)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BORN DEC. 13, 1820</td>
<td>Edward Co., Illinois</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Came to Utah 1850 with husband</td>
<td>Died April 12, 1920</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Willard, Boxelder Co., Utah</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
ALLIED LINE - WHITAKER

The following record also appears:
Joshua Whitaker, born January 2, 1735. Mary, the wife of Joshua, born October 31, 1745
John Whitaker, oldest son of Joshua and Mary, born September 15, 1765
Sarah, oldest daughter, born December 7, 1767
Joshua, born June 9, 1769.
William, born November 2, 1772.
Mary, second daughter, born January 3, 1775.
James, born April 3, 1779.
Joshua Whitaker was a Revolutionary pensioner of Buncombe County. He was born January 22, 1735. Died _____, Married in 1764. Mary ______, born October 31, 1748. Died ____ Their children were:
John, born September 15, 1765
Sarah, born December 7, 1767. Married John Lanning
Joshua, born 1769.
William, born November 22, 1772.
Mary, born 1775.
James, born April 3, 1779.
Certificate of Hannah Trantham says she was born in 1764, that she was a life long friend of Joshua and Mary Whitaker, and was a witness to their marriage.
Asia Reed, born in 1776, certifies that she had known Joshua Whitaker in Rowan County, and that in 1832 he and she were living in Buncombe County.

JOSHUA WHITAKER, b. about 1670, England, d. 1715, Isle of Man, m, JANE PARKER, b.
London, England. Joshua Whitaker was born in England about 1670. He was killed in the Battle of Isle of Man 1715. Jane, the widow, brought the 5 children to Ballyhaken, Ireland, where they went from England, until 1720 when they sailed to America and settled in Greenwich, New Jersey. Children:
a. Peter Whitaker, m. Mary Huntley, who died in Pennsylvania. Had 1 son: John Whitaker.
b. William Whitaker, b. 1695, England, died in Rowan Co., N.C., m, Elizabeth Carlton, b.
Ballyhaken, Ireland, daughter of Marc and Susana Watson Carlton. Children:
1. Marques Whitaker, d. Mar. 2, 1780, m. Catherine Boon, went to South Carolina.
2. Samuel Whitaker, went to Georgia
   (a) John Whitaker, b. Sept. 20, 1755
   (b) William Whitaker, b. June 26, 1756
(c) Susan Whitaker, b. Dec. 19, 1757, m, John Jackson, d. Rutherford co., N. C.
(d) Rachel Whitaker, b. June 20, 1762
(e) Name unknown, b. Feb. 6, 1765
(f) Sarah Whitaker, b. Nov. 27, 1767, m, Apr. 13, 1790, to John Moffit, d. McDowell Co., N. C.
(g) Mary Whitaker, b. Nov. 6, 1769, m, Nov. 22, 1799
(h) Eleanore Whitaker, b. Oct. 22, 1770
(i) Elizabeth Whitaker, b. Feb. 1, 1773
(j) Margaret Whitaker, b. Sept. 12, 1775
(k) Abigail Whitaker, b. July 15, 1777
(l) Lydia Whitaker, b. Aug. 24, 1779, m, Richard Ellison, d. McDowell co., N. C.
(m) Airy Whitaker, b. Aug. 24, 1779
(n) Hannah Whitaker, b. July 18, 1782
(o) Joshua Whitaker, b. Apr. 12, 1784, m, Mary Suits, Jan. 14, 17__
4. Peter Whitaker, b. 1745-50, Davidson Co., N.C., d. Aug. 1815, m. 1st Mariam Kent, d. Feb. 12, 1820, m, 2nd Annie Trantham. Children:
(a) Peter Whitaker, b. Rowan Co., N. C., m, Emil Baits (Bates)
(b) John Whitaker, b. Davidson Co., m, Margaret Pinkerton, d. Apr. 1804
(c) Noah Whitaker
(d) Jesse Whitaker, m. Elizabeth Harrison, 1848, Buncombe Co., N. C.
(e) William Whitaker, b. 1779, m, Susan Summer, d. Feb. 1869, Buncombe Co., he died July 1861, Buncombe County, N. C.
(f) Jane Whitaker, m, Arthur Hunt
(g) Mary Whitaker
(h) Susan Whitaker, b. Jan. 1777, m, Lot Harper, d. Jan. 15, 1866
(i) Elizabeth Whitaker, m, Christopher Potter, both died in Indiana, first son was born in Texas
5. Joshua Whitaker, b. Jan. 22, 1735, buried Cane Creek Cemetery, Fairview, N.C., m, May 1, 1798, to Mary Reed, b. Oct. 31, 1748, New Jersey, d. Feb. 16, 1832, buried Cane Creek Cemetery. Children:
(a-1) Mary Whitaker, b. 1797, d. Nov. 29, 1872, m, Jeremiah West
(a-2) John Whitaker, b. 1804, d. by 1874, m, Mary Stroup
(a-3) Milley Whitaker, b. May 1807, m, Sampson Lewis
(a-4) Lucinda Whitaker, b. 1812, m, Jesse Lanning (see page 205.)
(b) Sarah Whitaker, b. Dec. 7, 1767, d. May 26, 1848, m, Oct. 1783 to John Lanning (see page 55.)
(c) Joshua Whitaker, b. June 4, 1769, d. June 26, 1856, m, Nancy Childer, b. Apr. 22, 1769, d. Apr. 22, 1841, Buncombe co., N. C. Children:
(c-1) Mary Whitaker, b. July 14, 1793, d. May 1, 1850, m, Joseph Trantham
(c-2) Nancy Whitaker, b. Oct. 24, 1796, d. Jan. 8, 1841, m, John Rieman
(c-3) Susan Whitaker, b. 1805, m, Michael Rickman, d. in Missouri
(c-4) Margaret Whitaker, b. 1807, m, David Garren, child: Jesse Garren
(c-5) Elizabeth Whitaker, b. 1809, m, Charles West
(c-6) Sarah Whitaker, b. 1812, m, Andrew Grant
(d-1) Joshua Whitaker, b. Sept. 15, 1797, Davidson Co., N. C., m, Margaret Ashworth, b. June 25, 1803
(d-2) Margaret Whitaker, b. Dec. 25, 1793, Rowan Co., N. C., d. May 8, 1858, Davys Co., Mo., m, James McCrayry, b. 1791
(d-3) Mary Whitaker, b. Jan. 24, 1799, m, Hiram Jackson, b. 1799
(d-4) Sarah Whitaker, b. June 13, 1801, d. June 12, 1838, m, Thomas Jenkins, b. 1812
(d-5) William Whitaker, b. July 6, 1803, m, Retha Williams, b. Mar. 27, 1807
(d-6) James Whitaker, b. May 14, 1805, Rowan Co., N. C., d. May23, 1892, m. Melinda Fishel, m, 2nd Nancy Woodland

(e) Mary Whitaker, b. June 3, 1775, Davidson Co., N. C., d. Missouri, m, Arthur Hunt. Children:
(e-1) Jonathan Hunt
(e-2) James Hunt
(e-3) Arthur Hunt
(e-4) John Hunt
(e-5) William Hunt
(e-6) Mary Hunt
(f-1) William Whitaker, b. 1804, d. Sept. 23, 1899, m, Anna Ervin
(f-2) James Whitaker, b. Aug. 15, 1804, d. Sept. 23, 1899, m, Nancy Hiles, b. Dec. 21, 1805, d. May 20, 1891
(f-3) Elizabeth Whitaker, b. 1805, died in Texas m, Spencer Sheren
(f-4) Sarah Whitaker, b. 1802, d. 1833 in McDowell Co; , N.C., m, Benjamin_
(f-5) Jesse Whitaker, b. 1808, m, Anne Ervine
(f-6) Joshua Whitaker, b. 1809, m, Lidda Burge
(f-7) Mary Whitaker, b. 1811, m, Signet Jarvise
(f-8) Stephen Whitaker, b. 1812, m, Lucinda Taylor
(f-9) John Whitaker, b. 1814
(f-10) Unpher Whitaker, b. 1815
(f-11) Silas Whitaker, b. 1818, m, Anna Ellieson
(f-12) Letha Whitaker, m, John Taylor
(f-13) Adeline Whitaker, m, Hiram Dunkens
(f-14) Caroline Whitaker, m, _ Himsey
6. Susan Whitaker, m, Heu (Hugh) McCrary -- Children:
   (a) Solomon Jackson McCrary
   (b) Alford McCrary
   (c) Fidilia McCrary, d. 1863, near Vicksburg

-285-

(d) Andrew McCrary
(e) Lucinda McCrary
(f) Minervy McCrary, died in Indiana, m, John Davis
7. Sarah Whitaker, m, Charles Wilson
8. Jane Whitaker, m, Eldad Reed. Children:
   (a) William Reed
   (b) Eldad Reed, m, Aug. 29, 1793, to Aeshia Lanning, (Peter Reed signed bonds and was bondsman) (see pages 55 and 208)
   (c) Peter Reed
   (d) John Reed
   (e) Elizabeth Reed
   (f) Hannah Reed
   (g) Jane Reed
   (h) Ledda Reed
   c. Joshua Whitaker
d. Robert Whitaker, m, Mary Hull
e. Catherine Whitaker, m, Charles Holman

-286-

**RECORD OF THE WHITAKER FAMILIES OF NC**

Compiled by Henry Whitaker
Written by
Jesse Garren, March 29, 1874
and
Henry Jenkins, July 28, 1872

Recopied Feb. 14, 1939 at Salt Lake City, Utah.

By Lorah J. W. N. Beeks, a descendent of William Whitaker and Elizabeth Carlington of NC.
This copy has been preserved by my father's youngest brother, Henry Whitaker, late of Twin Falls, Idaho, who recently passed from this life.

Some time ago, I began to correspond with his son, James of that city; he has been very kind and has assisted me all he could in regards to names and dates, until he found this old document among his fathers belongings, thinking it may be of some use to me, he sent it, asking if I would like to have it as it was of no use to him. If I have counted correctly there are 598 named in all, by adding the last six names of my brothers and sisters, the first two being therein already.

This document was very old and dim in places but with the help of others I believe we have it copied very correctly.

With the thought of kindness that Mr. Bennett of the Utah Genealogical Society has shown to me, I have decided to place a copy in the Library at 80 North Main Street, Salt Lake City.

In copying I have spelled the names as they were written, which would be much different from, our spelling of today.

Trusting many may benefit by this work of Love,

(signed) Lorah J. W. N. Beeks

-287-

**ALLIED LINE - WHITAKER**

Henry Whitaker's genealogy of his fore Ancestors.

The first account was Joshua Whitaker I know not when he was born, he was lost at the battle at the Isle of Man in Europe in the Protestant war, and left two sons, Peter Whitaker born in England, died in Penn., left one son. John.

Great Grandfather William Whitaker, born in England, died in Rowan Co., N. C.

Great Grandmother Elizabeth Carlington, born in Ireland, left five sons and three daughters; one son, Marques, went to South Carolina, and Samuel went to Georgia. Great uncle William, born in Rowan Co., N. C., Feb. 20, 1732, died in Rowan County, NC. He married I know not who, but her name was Abigail, had four sons:

1st son - John, born Sept. the 20th, 1755
2nd son- William, born June 26th, 1757
3rd son - Isreal, born Feb. 6th, 1765
1st dau, - Susan, born, Dec. 19th, 1757, married John Jackson, and died in Rutherford County, NC.
2nd dau, - Rachel, born June the 20th, 1762
3rd dau, - Sarah, born Nov. 27th, 1767, married John Mooffet, died in McDowell Co., NC.
4th dau.- Mary, born Nov. 6th, 1769, died Nov. 22, 1799
5th dau. - Elleioner, born Oct. 22nd, 1770

His first wife departed this life July 1st, 1771, he took his second wife, Aug. 13, 1772, her name was also Abigail, born Feb. 1740.

6th dau. - Elizabeth, born Feb. 1st, 1773
7th dau. - Margaret, born Sept. 12, 1775
8th dau. - Abigail, born July 15th, 1777
9th dau. - Liddia, born Aug. 24, 1779, married Richard Elisson, died in McDowell County, NC. (twin)
10th dau. - Airy, born Aug. 24, 1779 (twin)
11th dau. - Hallah, born July 18th, 1782
4th son - Joshua, born April 12th, 1784

Great Uncle Peter Whitaker's Family

He was born in Davidson Co., N. C. Married Aney Trantham. first, then she died, married second Mariam F. Kent.
1st son - Peter, born in Rowan Co., N. C., married Emaly Baits. They both died in Davidson County, NC.
2nd son - John, born in Davidson Co., N. C. married Margaret Pinkerton, they both died in Buncombe Co., N. C. Margaret died April 1864.
3rd son - Noah, born and died, in Davidson Co., N. C.
4th son - Jesse, born in Davidson Co., N. C. Married Elizabeth Harrison, both died in Buncombe County, N. C. He died in 1848.
5th son - William, born in Davidson Co., N. C. 1779. Married Susan Sumner, they both died in Buncombe County, N. C. He died July 1861; she died Feb. 1869

Their 1st son, Amburs
2nd son, Lot, married Mary Pinkerton. He died June 1870.
3rd son, Jesse, married Menervy Landing; he died Feb. 1850, both in Buncombe County, NC.
4th son, William, born 10th Feb. 1826, married Mary Jenkins.
5th son, Noah, born May 1832, married Martha L. Whitaker,
1st dau. Malindia, married Siles McCrary.
2nd dau, Elizabeth married James Clark
3rd dau. Emley, married Isreal Sarals.
4th dau, Mary, married Charles Sarals.
5th dau, Jane
6th dau. Dicy
7th dau, Mariam
8th dau, Susan, married Henry Reed
9th dau, Sarraonn, married Henry Landing

Daughters name next given of old Uncle Peter Whitaker's
1st dau. - Jane, born and died in Davidson Co., N. C. Married Arthur Hunt, had three children, first a son, Daniel, and Susan and Mariam.
2nd dau, - Mary, born and died in Davidson Co., N. C.
4th dau. - Elizabeth, born in Davidson Co., N. C., married Christopher Poter, both died in Ind.
Their first son, died in Texas.
3rd son, Christopher C.
1st dau. - Mariam, married Jesse Harper
2nd dau, - Susan
3rd dau. - Tideler
4th dau, - Elizabeth
Mariam & Lot's children:
1st son, Jesse, born Nov. 23, 1805, married Mariam Poter.
2nd son, John, born June 1808, suppose is dead.
3rd son, Peter, born Dec. 24th, 1810, married Mary Stroup.
4th son, William, born May 1811, married Narsissa Bussel,
5th son, Alexander, born 1815, married Lusinda Sales.
6th son, Samuel, born Nov. 1, 1817, married Drusiler Ringer
7th son, Leander, Feb. 1819, married Delaner Ringer.
1st dau., Jurusha, born Feb. 27, 1807, married Henry Whitaker.
2nd dau. Susan, born Dec. 1812, married Ephram Henry, then later Stroup.
3rd dau , Elizabeth, born Feb. 1814, married Isac Fereeman.
4th dau. Sarepty, born Nov. 1821, married James Onbey.
5th dau, Mariam, Nov. the 6th, 1823, married R. L. Onbey.

This is the account of Old Uncle Peter Whitaker's family. He died Aug. 1815; Aunt Mariam died Feb. the 12th, 1820, both in Buncombe County, N. C.

Grandfather Joshua Whitaker's Family
He was born Jan. 22, 1735, Rowan Co., N. C., died May 1, 1798, married Mary Reed, born in New Jersey, Oct. 31, 1748, died in Buncombe County, NC, Feb. 18, 1832. Had 4 sons:
1st son - John, born Sept. 15, 1765, Davidson Co., NC, married Mary Wilson, who died in Davidson Co., NC. Second marriage Milley Brooksheer. He died Jan. 8, 1841, Milley died in 1800, both in Buncombe County, N. C. Had one son:
John, born 1804, married Mary Stroup and is dead (date 1874).
1st dau, - Mary, born 1797, married Jeremire West, she died Nov. 29, 1872.
2nd dau, - Milley, born May 1807, married Sampson Lewis, he died in (date illegible).
3rd dau. - Lusinda, born 1812, married Jesse Landing.
2nd son - Joshua, he was born June 4, 1769, married Nancy Childer, born April 22, 1769
1st dau, - Mary, born July 14, 1797, married Joseph Tratham, born July 25, 1789, died May 1, 1850
1st son - Joshua Tratham,
2nd son - J epthe Tratham
3rd son - Teilly Tratham
4th son - James Tratham
5th son - Thomas
6th son - David,
first and last names dead
1st dau, - Malindia Tratham
2nd dau, - Mary, both dead
3 rd dau, - Elizabeth Tratham
4th dau. - Mernervey Tratham
5th dau, - Margaret Tratham

1st son, Jesse Rieman, died 1872
2nd son, Joshua Rieman
3rd son, John Rieman
4th son, William Rieman
5th son, Miles Rieman, died 1864
1 st dau, Mary Rieman
2nd dau., Elisabeth Rieman
3rd dau., Naomy Rieman
4th dau., Rody Rieman

3rd dau, - Elisabeth, born 1809, married Charles West, both died in Buncombe Co., N. C.
4th dau, - Susan, born 1805, married Michal Rieman, who died in Mo.
5th dau, - Margret, born 1807, married David Garren, born 1802. Their children:
1st son, Joshua Garren
2nd son, John Garren
3rd son, Henry Garren
all dead
4th son, Joseph Garren
1st dau., Rosilia Garren
2nd dau., Nancy Garren
3rd dau., Hanah Garren
Two last names dead
6th dau. - Sarah, born 1812, married Andrew Grant, born 1807, died Sept. 1855.
1st son, Joshua Grant, and is dead
2nd son, Thomas Grant
3 rd son, James Grant
4th son, Henry Grant
5th son, John Grant
1st dau , , Elisabeth Grant
2nd dau., Nancy Grant
Joshua Whitaker died June 26, 1856, his wife died April 22, 1841, both in Buncombe Co., N. C.

Uncle James Whitaker's Family

He was born April 2, 1779, born in Davidson Co., N. C., married Mary Walker, their children:
1st son - William, 1804, married Ana Ervin
2nd son - James, born 1807, married Nancy Hiles
3rd son - Jesse, born 1808, married Ana Ervine
4th son - Joshua, born 1809, married Liddia Burgan
5th son - Stephen, born 1812, married Leusinda Tayh
6th son - John, born 1814
7th son - Unpher, born 1815
8th son - Silas, born 1818, married Ana Elleison
1st dau. - Sarah, born 1802, died in McDowell Co; N. C., 1833, married Benjimin
2nd dau, - Elisabeth, born 1805, died in Texas, married Spencer Sheerer
3rd dau. - Mary, born 1811, married Signeat Jarvi
4th dau, - Lethy, married John Taylor
5th dau. - Adline, married Hirum Dunkens
6th dau. - Caroline, married Himsey

Uncle James Whitaker died Nov. the 3, 1871, in Charochee (Cherokee) Co; , N.C. His first wife died about 1849, then married Mary McBrayer, born 1779, died 1872.

Father William Whitaker's Family

He was born in Davis Co., N. C., Nov. 22, 1772, died in Buncombe Co., N.C., Feb. 21, 1860, married Mary Canady, born in Halifax County, NC., Oct. 27, 1772, died in Buncombe Co. N.C., July 17,1848.
1st son - Joshua, born Sept. 15, 1797, in Davidson County, N. C., married Margret Ashworth, born June 25, 1803. Joshua had:
1st son - Soloman, born May 1823, married Dicy Onbey, their
1st son - Rufus
2nd son - Thomas
both died in 1864
3rd son - Julia
4th son - Sidney
1st dau, - Sarah
2nd dau. - Margret

3rd dau. - Martha
4th dau. - Lou
Dicoy Onbey Whitaker died June (?)  
2nd son - William, born Nov. 1824, married Rutha Onbey. They had:  
   1st son - Marion  
   2nd son - John  
   3rd son - Logan  
      1st dau. - Luly, it died  
      2nd dau, - Monda  
      3rd dau. - Dicy  
3rd son - John A., born Aug. the 13, 1832, married Jane Brooksheer. He died Dec. 14, 1862. They had:  
  1st son - Zebalon  
  2nd son - Benjamin  
4th son - Marqus L., born Oct. the 7, 1844  
  1st dau, - Neany, born Nov. 12, 1820, d Dec. 14, 1838  
2nd dau. - Margret, born Sept. 27, 1826, married Whitson Williams. He died 1870. Their first son:  
   1st son - Samuel Williams  
   2nd son - Layfayet Williams  
   3rd son - John Williams  
   4th son - Thomas Williams  
   5th son - Sidney Williams  
   6th son - Whitson Williams  
      1st dau, - Siley Williams  
      2nd dau, - Rody Williams  
      3rd dau, - July Margret Williams  
5th son - John A, born Aug. the 13, 1832, married Jane Brooksheer. He died Dec. 14, 1862. They had:  
   1st son - Zebalon  
   2nd son - Benjamin  
4th son - Marqus L., born Oct. the 7, 1844  
   1st dau, - Neany, born Nov. 12, 1820, d Dec. 14, 1838  
2nd dau. - Margret, born Sept. 27, 1826, married Whitson Williams. He died 1870. Their first son:  
   1st son - Samuel Williams  
   2nd son - Layfayet Williams  
   3rd son - John Williams  
   4th son - Thomas Williams  
   5th son - Sidney Williams  
   6th son - Whitson Williams  
      1st dau, - Siley Williams  
      2nd dau, - Rody Williams  
      3rd dau, - July Margret Williams  
3rd dau, - Mehaley Jane, born Sept. 27, 1838  

2nd son - William Whitaker, born July 6, 1803, married Rutha Williams, born March 27, 1805. Their:  
   1st son - John, born June 24, 1824, married Sarah Williams  
      1st son - Marion Whitaker  
      2nd son - Washington Whitaker  
      3rd son - William Whitaker  
      4th son - Oster Whitaker  
      1st dau. - Martha Whitaker  

2nd son - David, born Sept. 23, 1827, married Melinda Edmonson, born 1838.  
   1st son - Randolph Whitaker  
   2nd son - Henry Whitaker  
   1st dau, - Lener Whitaker  
3rd son - Noah, born Sept. 13, 1839, married Sarah Stroup, born Sept. 1846  
   1st dau, - Mary, born July 10, 1820, married James Summers, born 1822.  
      1st son, Rufus Summers, died Penn. 1865.
2nd son, William Summers, born July 19, 1848
3rd son, David Summers
4th son, Whitson Summers
1st dau.,; Elisabeth Summers, married Jesse Summers
2nd dau., Catharine Summer
3rd dau.; Ales Summers
2nd dau. - Elieser, born April 11, 1829 married James E. Reed, born 1829.
   1st son - George Reed
   2nd son - Thomas Reed
   1st dau. - Mary Reed
   2nd dau. - Louaser Reed
3rd dau. - Elisabeth, born Aug. 23, 1832, married John R. Edmonson.
   1st son - Agustis Garren
   1st dau. - Elisabeth Garren
   2nd dau. - Martha Garren
5th dau. - Harriet, born Nov. 8, 1836, married Henry Jinkens
6th dau. - Martha, born Nov. 8, 1856, married Noah Whitaker, born May 1832.
   Their children:
      1st son - Washington Whitaker
      2nd son - William Whitaker

3rd son - Samuel Whitaker
4th son - Jesse Whitaker
7th dau. - Jane, born Feb. 15, 1842, married Charles Sorals. Their children:
      1st son - Egger Sorals
      1st dau. - Dorothy Sorals
Brother William departed this life Sept. 8, 1872.
3rd son of William & Mary Canady - James, born May 14, 1805, married Milinda Fishel. Their children:
      1st son - Soloman, born Aug. 1825, married Mary Sandford, has three sons and one girl.
      2nd son - David, married Sarah Walker
         1st son - James Whitaker
         2nd son - David Whitaker
         3rd son - Thomas Whitaker
      David then married Abline Person.
James Whitaker took his 2nd wife Nancy Woodland.
3rd son - James W., married Mary J. McMinn.
      1st son - James Soloman
      2nd son - John G.
3rd son - David
4th son - William
1st dau, - Nancy, married ______ Harvy
2nd dau. - Emey
3rd dau. - Mary Jane, married ______ Cardon, born Jan. 15, 1844,
4th dau, - Margaret M.
   1st son - Leander Tillery
   2nd son - James Soloman
   3rd son - Parley Huneford
   4th son - Henry Simeon
   1st dau, - Eliza Rebecca
   2nd dau, - Nancy Victoria
   3rd dau, - Martha Milinda
   4th dau. - Lorah Jerusha
5th son - William D., died Nov. 25, 1876

-296-

6th son - John M.
7th son - Hiram H.
8th son - Henry M.
1st dau, - Louisa, married Hermon D. Perason. Their children:
   1st son - Daniel Pearson, died when small
   2nd son - James Pearson
   3rd son - William Pearson
   4th son - Parley Pearson
   5th son - Hermon Pearson
   6th son - Levi Pearson
   7th son - Soloman Pearson
   8th son - Gilbert Pearson
   1st dau. - Martha Pearson, married James Snotgrass
   2nd dau. - Menervey Pearson
   Some two or three small ones died
2nd dau, - Martha, married Jefferson A Tull, had two boys and one girl by Tull.
   Second husband John Woodworth, by him had two boys.
3rd dau, - Rosilia, married Mathew W. Dolton, their
   1st son - James Dolton
   2nd son - Albert Dolton
   3rd son - John Dolton
   1st dau, - Merilda Dolton
   2nd dau, - Jane Dolton, married ______ Compton
   3rd dau, - Melisa Dolton
   4th dau, - Ellin M. Dolton
   three died.
4th dau, - Margret Whitaker, married Thomas Woodland, brother to Nancy who
married Margret's father as 2nd wife. Margret and Thomas' children:
1st son - Thomas Woodland, Jr.
2nd son - Joseph T. Woodland
3rd son - John Woodland
4th son - Edmon Woodland
5th son - Henry Woodland

-297-

1st dau, - Melindia Woodland
2nd dau, - Martha Woodland
3rd dau, - Margret M. Woodland
4th dau, - Josephine Woodland
5th dau, - Polly Ann Woodland

5th dau, - Melinda, married Erastus Wells. Their children:
1st son - Erastus Wells, Jr.
2nd son - James Wells
3rd son - Jonathen Wells
1st dau, - Clery M. Wells
2nd dau, - Margret Wells

6th dau. - Elizabeth C. Whitaker, married Henry C. Wardleigh. Their children:
1st son - James Wardleigh
2nd son - Clarence Wardleigh
3rd son - Herold H. Wardleigh

7th dau, - Celia Whitaker, married Samuel Sadorus. Their children:
1st son - Samuel Sadorus
1st dau, - Nancy Sadorus

8th dau. - Mary Adelia Whitaker, married Henry Call.
9th dau. - Jurusha L. Whitaker, married J. W. Smith.
10th dau. - Maream H. Whitaker, married J. D. Costley.

Grandchildren of James Whitaker:

Milinda Wood married Joseph Cole and had 1 son, Robert Cole.
James Pearson married Eliza A. Davis, 1st son - James H.
Pearson, 2nd son - William M. Pearson.
Martha M. Woodland married Melven Grewel.
Margaret M. Woodland married Daniel Grewel.
Martha M. Pearson married James Snotgrass, 1 son, James H.
Snotgrass.
Menervy Ann married Nathanil Levit
Albert Dolton married Mary J. Williams, had 1 daughter.
James Dolton married Isabell Perry, had 1 daughter.
4th son - Henry Whitaker's Family. This document is his own account. He was born March 26, 1811, married Jurusha Harper, born Feb. 27, 1807. Their children:
1st son - Lot, born Feb. 20, 1836, died at Alberton, Georgia, Aug. 19, 1864
2nd son - John, born April 30, 1838, Meirireah (Memphis) Tenn, Dec. 31, 1862
3rd son - Jesse, born Nov. 28, 1846, married Martha R. Garren, born June, 1849
   1st son - John, born Aug. 7, 1870, died Nov. 1875.
   2nd son - Henry, born July 1876
   1st dau, - Elisabeth J., born Nov. 7, 1868
   2nd dau, - Leweser M., born Oct. 10, 1872, died Oct. 1875
4th son - Soloman, born Sept. 3rd, 1849, married Aner M. Harper, born Dec. 1842. Their children:
   1st son – John O., born Aug. 1872
   1st dau. - Mary R., born March 15, 1867
   1st son - Eli Garren, born Dec. 3, 1853
   2nd son - Henry Garren, born Nov. 2, 1856, died Aug. 12, 1876, age 19 yr. 10 mos., 10 days
   3rd son - William Garren, born Aug. 3rd, 1862
2nd dau. - Mary, born Oct. 22, 1840, married William A. McBraryer, born Nov. 3rd, 1836, he died in McDowell Co., N. C., Jan. 17, 1863. She then married Mathew Litteton; their child:
   1st son- George Litteton, born April 1876
3rd dau, - Margaret, born March 27, 1844, married Lewis Garren, born Sept. 1st, 1836, had one daughter, Mary L., born Aug. 8th, 1861.

Margaret married second, John C. Michel, born 1845. Their children:
   1st son - Emer M. Michel, born June 22, 1869
   2nd son - Agustis L. Michel, born March 8, 1872
   3rd son - George O. Michel, born October 1873
1st dau, - Elon Michel, born March 1876
1st daughter of William & Mary Canady. - Margaret, born Dec. 25th, 1793, in Rowan Co., N. C., died in Davys County, MO, May 8th, 1858, married James McCrayry, born 1791, died in Davys County, MO. Their children:
   1st son - John, born Aug. 10, 1814
   2nd son - Silas, born July 23, 1815
   3rd son - William, born March 23, 1818
   4th son - Ephram, born 1820,
   these last three names died in MO, 1858
5th son - Adolphus, born 1821
6th son - James C. born 1828
7th son - F. M. McCrayry, born 1831
1st dau, - Nancy McCrayry, born 1822, married Andrew J. McBrayer. He died in Mo. 1858.
2nd dau, - Mary Whitaker, born July 24, 1799, married Hiram Jackson, born 1799.
Lived in Indiana -- Their children:
   1st son - Soloman Jackson
   2nd son - Alford Jackson
   3rd son - Fidilia Jackson, died near Vicburg, Miss. 1863
   4th son - Andrew
   1st dau, - Leivsida or (Lusinda) Jackson

-300-

2nd dau, - Menervy Jackson, married John Davis, died in Indiana.
3rd dau, - Sarah Whitaker, born June 13, 1801, married Thomas H. Jenkins, born April 2, 1812, died July 12, 1838, Buncombe Co NC
Their children:
   1st son - Columbus M Jenkins, born Feb 24, 1834, died Aug. 7, 1861, in Buncombe Co., N. C.
   2nd son - Henry Jenkins, born Feb. 16, 1839, married Harriet Amanda Whitaker. Their children:
      1st son - Columbus Lafayette Jenkins, born Sept. 17, 1863.
      2nd son - Buel Agustus Jenkins born June 24, 1865
      1st dau, - Rebecca E. Jenkins born Feb. 3, 1872.
1st daughter of Sarah Whitaker & Thomas Jenkins, - Mary Jenkins, born June 27, 1835, 1st married Peter Owen. He died 1859, 2nd married John M. Trantham, born Aug. 7, 1844, and had one son, three dau, born Aug. 10, 1871
   1st son - Thomas Leander, born June 21, 1866
   1st dau, - Sarah Maranda, born May 4th, 1868
   2nd dau, - Mary Amanda, born Sept. 2, 1869.
   3rd dau, - Martha Amarica
4th dau, - Martha Whitaker, born April 14, 1807, Buncombe Co., N. C., married Josiah Jenkins, born Aug. 10, 1807, died Aug. 25, 1842, Buncombe County, NC.
Their children:
   1st son - Thomas E. Jenkins, born 9 August 1832, died July 10, 1861
   2nd son - Joshua Jenkins, born Apr. 14, 1837, died Feb. 4, 1884.
   3rd son - Russel Jenkins, born July 15, 1839

-301-
1st dau. - Esabeler, born April 29, 1830, died Sept. 15, 1860.
2nd dau, - Mary Jenkins, born Nov. 9, 1834, married William Whitaker, born June 10, 1822.
Their children:
   1st son - Jesse, b. July 31, 1862.
   1st dau. - Olif, b. Oct. 24, 1865
   2nd dau, - Martha, born Nov. 1, 1875
   3rd dau, - Elisabeth Jenkins, born Feb. 15, 1836
   4th dau, - Naoma Jenkins, born Mar. 10, 1842.
Charles Cander one son of Isabel Jinkins was born Aug. 29th, 1851.

William Whitaker and Elizabeth Carlington had three daughters: (See first page of Whitaker lineage.)
1st dau, - Susan, married Heu McCrary, they had:
   1st son - John McCrary
   2nd son - Hugh McCrary, died in Buncombe County, NC
   3rd son - Raid McCrary, died in Davidson County, NC
1st dau. - Elisabeth McCrary, died in Davidson County, NC
   2nd dau, - Margret McCrary, died in Davidson County, N. C.
   3rd dau, - Lidda McCrary, died in Davidson County, N. C.
2nd dau. - Sarah, married Charles Wilson
3rd dau, - Jane, married Eldad Reed, their children:
   1st son - William Reed
   2nd son - Eldad Reed, Jr.
   3rd son - Peter Reed
   4th son - John Reed
   1st dau, - Elisabeth Reed
   2nd dau, - Hanah Reed

Joshua Whitaker & Mary Reed, had:
1st dau, - Sarah, born Dec. 7, 1769, she died May 26, 1848, married John Landing (Lanning), he was born Feb. 27, 1757, died Aug. 10, 1839. Their children:
   1st son - Enis Landing, born 1784, married Margret Barnhill, and died in Henderson Co; , N. C.
   2nd son - Amis Landing, born Nov. 1786, married Mary Galamore, she died Aug. 1865, and had:
      1st son - John Landing
      2nd son - Lauransey Landing
      3 rd son - Michel Landing
1st dau. - Elisabeth Landing
2nd dau, - Sarah Landing
3rd son - Joseph Landing, born Jan. 1, 1789, died May 16, 1870, married Margret Marisson, born Nov. 22, 1796, died Aug. 10, 1861. They had:
   1st son - Bersilea Landing
   1st dau, - Selapah Landing
   2nd dau, - Neama Landing
   3rd dau, - Rosan Landing
   4th dau, - Emley Landing
4th son - John Landing, born 1790, died Aug, 17, 1871, married Susan Galamore, she died June 20, 1871, and had:
   1st son - Losson A. Landing
   2nd son - William R. Landing
   1st dau, - Rebecca Landing
   2nd dau, - Sentha Landing
   3rd dau, - Sarah Landing
5th son - William Landing, born 1792, married Anney Justic, born in Rowan Co., N.C., both died in Henderson County, N. C.
6th son - Joshua Landing, born March 22, 1800, died Jan. 13, 1820
7th son - James Landing, married Mary Nond, Their children:

1 st son - Harry Landing
2nd son - Gardiner Landing
both dead
3 rd son - Rufhus Landing
1st dau, - Menervy Landing
2nd dau. - Alsa Landing
3rd dau. - Mary Landing
8th son - Jesse Landing, born 1813, married Lusinda Whitaker, born 1813, and had:
   1st son - James Landing
   2nd son - John Landing
   1st dau, - Rachel Landing
   2nd dau, - Milly Landing
   3rd dau, - Margret Landing
These were all born in Buncombe co., N. C.
1st dau, - Mary Landing, married James Barnhill, is dead, they had:
   1 st son - Enis Barnhill
   2nd son - William Barnhill
   3 rd son - James Barnhill
   4th son - David Barnhill
   1st dau. - Elisabeth Barnhill
   2nd dau, - Sarah Barnhill
2nd dau. - Sarah Lansing, married William Garren, both died in Henderson Co., N. C.
3rd dau, - Nancy Landing, married David Garren, he died in Henderson Co., N. C., they had two sons and one dau,
4th dau, - Amey Landing, married David Maxwell. Their children:
   1st son - Cary Maxwell
   2nd son - Riley Maxwell
   3rd son - Wm, T. Maxwell died in 1863
   4th son - John Maxwell, d. 1863
   1st dau, - Eliser Maxwell
   2nd dau. - Harriet Maxwell

-304-

5th dau. - Rachel Landing, 2nd dau, Elizabeth.
2nd dau, - Mary Whitaker, born 1775, Davison County, N. C., married Arthur Hunt, both died in MO, and had:
   1st son - Jonathen Hunt
   2nd son - James Hunt
   3 rd son - Arthur Hunt
   4th son - John Hunt
   5th son - William Hunt
   1 st dau. - Mary Hunt
If no mistake there is 543 names,

COMPILED by Henry Whitaker, son of William Whitaker and Mary Canady.
Written by Jesse Garren,
March the 29, 1874

Additional document: Bro. James you will find figers 1 & 2 & cee. They stand for 1st son or daughter, and Ste- &.
We have been a long time at this work, at times having been disopinted in lists, of names sent to us.
This the 28th day of July in the year of Our Lord 1872, we beleave that we have given you up to this date 330 names,
Your Brother. Yours Truley,
Henry Whitaker
Henry Jenkins.

Copies by Lorah J. W. N. Beeks, Daughter of Leander J. Whitaker and Ann Mitchell Whitaker, grand daughter of James Whitaker and Nancy, and great grand daughter of William Whitaker & Marry Canady, and gr, gr. gr. daughtnr of Joshua Whitaker and Mary Reed, and 3rd gr. gr. daughter of William Whitaker and Elizabeth Carlington, all of these are found in this record.

Copied 14 January, 1939.  

-305-
The following people assisted with the compiling of the information printed here on the Lanning History. These names are not listed in any specific order or sequence, just as the name was given to the publisher.
Rev. James Lanning
Mrs. Eunice Lanning Andrus
Mrs. Lillie Lanning Morgan
Mrs. Lillie Lanning Duncan
Mrs. Quartezze Lanning Hammond
Mrs. Josephine Lanning Farrington
Mrs. Addie Lanning Burrell
Mrs. Myrtle Hutchinson Fletcher
Mrs. Bertha Lanning Pryor
Mrs. Ruth Hendrix Lanning
J. C. (Jake) Lanning
Vergil Lanning
Joe Lanning

Patronymica Britannica, 1860
Long, Personal and Family Names, 1883
Phillimore and Sadler, Wiltshire Parish Register, Vol. 1, 1905
Cooley, Genealogy of Early Settlers in Trenton and Ewing, New Jersey, 1883
Shourds, History and Genealogy of Fenwick's Colony, 1876
New Jersey Calendar of Records, 1854-1900
New Jersey in the Revolutionary War, 1872
New Jersey Calendar of Wills, 1901, 1918, 1924
Pennsylvania Muster Rolls, 1907
Herringshaw, American Biography, Vol. 3, 1914
Who's Who in America, 1934-35
Burke, Encyclopedia of Heraldry, 1844
Burke, General Armory, 1884
The Media Research Bureau, Washington, D. C.